Principals Message

Thank you to parents and family members who came in for our open classrooms last Thursday as part of Education Week. It is always nice having visitors to our classrooms and being able to chat while sharing morning tea was a nice way to conclude our open classrooms.

Congratulations to Darcy Merchant for coming 1st in the 8yr girls 100m race at Parkes last Friday. Thank you to the parents for transporting students to Parkes for the district PSSA carnival.

Regards,
Carmel McMurray

New Sport Uniforms

There are some sample sizes in the school office for students and parents to work out correct sizes so the P & C can order these uniforms. The sample sizes will only be at the school office for 1 week.

If you miss out on trying them on at school you will have to go to Brynes’ Clothing in Parkes to choose the correct size.

Please ensure you assist the P & C with this promptly so that uniforms can be ordered with minimal complications.

PSSA Athletics

On Friday 3rd August Jake, Travis, Darcy, Montana and Grace travelled to Parkes for the PSSA Athletics carnival as part of our Small Schools Team. Our relay team got 3rd and Darcy got an impressive 1st place in her 100m event which allows her to compete at Regional level in Dubbo.

Well done to all students.

Darcy

Travis, Jake, Darcy, Montana

Jeans for Genes Day

Thank you to all who supported Jeans for Genes Day, the school raised $30 for the cause.

Please return your clear correspondence folders to the school each week.

Thank you to the families who do continue to return theirs.
Forbes Birth to Kinder Reading Day

Forbes Birth to Kinder Committee focuses on the importance of reading and reading to children from birth.
To help get their message across, the committee organizes a Reading Day for schools, preschools and early learning centers to be involved in. This year the staff at Eugowra Public School would like our students to join in this great day.

Activities planned for the day are:
- 9.30am Barry Peters and his puppets perform for under 5's.
- 11.15am Barry Peters and his puppets perform for kindy - year 2.
- 9.30am Years 3 & 4 “Book Trivia” at Forbes Public School.
- 11.15am years 5 & 6 “Book Trivia” at Forbes Public School.
- 9am - 12noon children read in the shops in town.
- Community gathering at Victoria Park at 10.45am.

The children will be travelling by bus to and from this event within school time.

Permission notes will be sent home soon.

Steam Train Ride

On Monday the 3rd September 2012 students at Eugowra Public School will take part in a unique opportunity to travel via steam train between Parkes and Forbes.
This excursion gives the children an opportunity to travel onboard the heritage train and these visits to our area are rare.

We will travel by bus to Parkes, catch the train to Forbes at 1.30pm and will require families to collect the children from Forbes Train Station around 3pm (time to be confirmed)

This will be at a cost of $10 per child to cover the bus and steam train.

Permission notes and further information will be sent home soon.

Pie Drive Orders

Pie orders are due back tomorrow with the correct money please.
Help support the P & C that supports your children at school.

SCHOOL ENROLEMENTS

It is that time of the year again.

Eugowra Public School is now taking Enrolments for 2013

Please come into the office to collect enrolment forms.

DISCO at Bedgerabong

Bedgerabong Public School will be organizing a disco this term. All students in the Small school area are invited to attend.

They would like to know if your children are interested in attending (and you of course for driving them there).

At this stage they are looking at Wednesday 5th September.

Please reply on the attached slip to acknowledge if you are interested or not. Thank you.
**Coles Sports for Schools**
ONLY 6 DAYS TO GO
Collect vouchers until Tuesday 14th August. Remember the more vouchers the school collects, the more sports gear the school will receive!

**Woolworths Earn and Learn**
ONLY 4 DAYS TO GO
Keep collecting until the 12th August 2012 and return all cards and stickers to the school for counting.

**Plastic Bottles**
Thank you to all those who collected plastic bottles for our project.. We currently have enough bottles so no need to send them in any more.
The Netwaste project that we have planned for them will now take place in Term 4.

**Assembly Awards:**
6 August 2012
K - 2  Joe Valentine Sonny Bevan
3 - 6  Savannah Bevan Travis Quartly

**Community Notices:**
**Triple P**
FREE practical tips for everyday parenting.
Triple P helps you develop your own approach to be the best parent you can be.

“To find out more about a free Triple P course in your area, call us or visit our website”.

1800 789 123
families.nsw.gov.au

**Term 3 Planner**

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- Pie Drive Order Forms Due back at School
- Collect Pies from School
- Reading Down Town Day
- Forbes DAFFODIL DAY

**Thank you**
*Louise would like to send her thanks to everyone for their well wishes and offers of help while Cheyenne was sick.*
Eugowra Public School
P&C Meeting 25th July 2012

Present: Jodie Greenhalgh, Melissa McMahon, Jocelyn Jones, Carmel McMurray, Katherine Matheson, Peta McKenzie, Louise Hicks, Sarah Greenhalgh, Tania Frazer

Apologies. Michael Stibbard, Terry McMahon

Meeting Opened: 5.05pm

Business from Previous Meeting:
Pie orders get asking and due back 9th August.
Finally we have found a jacket option A won the vote. Thank you to Kylie and Carmel for counting.
Comes as a set jacket and matching tracksuit pants. P&C will be subsidising the first purchase of $40 costing only $32 per set first purchase per child only.

Passed Kathryn Matheson Seconded Sarah Greenhalgh

We will organize a fitting week with some sample sizes

New Business:

MSM Milling lunch 14th September asking families for donations of lunch items and help on the day.

Mini Fate cancelled.
Raffle $100 open order Eugowra butcher and cake stall only.
Family donations needed for cake stall and help on the day.

Commonwealth banking school is looking at banking for children.

Meeting closed: 6pm

Next meeting Monday 27th August 2012 5pm school hall.

Important Items to Remember for the P &C
Pie Orders and Money due back Thursday 9th August
Items Needed for the Cake Stall on Saturday 8th September 2012—Election Day