Principal’s Report

Welcome back to Chloe W, Rebecca, Chloe G, Ryan and Amy and their families. A special welcome to Courtney who has started big school this year and to Billie-Jo who is in Year Four. What a lovely school I have the privilege of working in this year! The staff, students and their families have made me feel very welcome. Thank you.

We have had a productive start to the school year. You may have heard your children talking about Class Dojo and getting Dojo points. This is a classroom website tool that motivates the students to stay on task and do their best. If you would like to know more about this program pop in to the classroom. I’m happy to show you.

We are currently reading the book Possum Magic by Mem Fox. We have been learning about states and capital cities of Australia and have been mapping the journey Grandma Poss and Hush took around Australia, looking for different types of Australian foods to eat. Over the next couple of days we will be cooking one of those foods—lamingtons. Yum!!

The children were given their homework books and spelling folders on Monday. I encourage you to remind them to complete their homework and practise their spelling words ready for their spelling test on Friday.

Scripture lessons will resume this year on Friday mornings. Mr Gary Moore will be the scripture teacher. If you do not wish your child to participate in these lessons please come and see me.

Congratulations to Meg and Josh on the birth of their beautiful daughter. See her beautiful picture below.

Have a great fortnight!!

Welcome to this world...
Miss Riley Edith McLennan
Born on Tuesday 6th January
At 9.20am
All the family are very much in love her..
Snippets from Mrs Smithers

Welcome back for 2015. I will again be at EPS every Wednesday and every second Monday as Support Teacher.

Reminder:

Library Day is Wednesday. Please remember to return all library books each Wednesday. The children may borrow the same books again if they wish. Books need to be carried in a library bag to keep them from being damaged. This also helps to keep the books from being lost at home.

Library Star Chart:

Each week children return their books, they will be rewarded with a star on their chart. When a certain number of stars are gathered, children are rewarded with a prize. Also extra stars may be gained by being awarded the library merit award on assembly day.

Book Club:

Issue 1 book club is being sent out today. Please return any orders by Wednesday, 18th February. Orders should arrive the next week.

Gardening:

We will soon be planting our winter crops. In class we will be studying these vegetables, what they look like, how they grow and what they can be used for. Please send fruit and vegetable scraps to school for our chooks and worms.

Have a good week,
School Swimming

The dates for our school swimming which starts on

Monday 16th February
Thursday 19th February
Friday 20th February
Monday 23rd February
Thursday 26th February

Tuckshop on Fridays

Pie—$2.50
Sausage Roll— $2.00
Zooper Doopers—50c

Orders to dropped into the office on Friday morning
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