A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL:

Dear Parents

Congratulations to Sarah McDonagh who has been acting Deputy Principal of our school since the beginning of 2014. Sarah has been successful in applying for this job through a state wide process and winning the position. Sarah’s work in our curriculum over the years as Head of Curriculum has been beneficial to our children’s academic development. We are very fortunate to have Sarah promoted to this position and I am excited about our school’s continued growth.

Congratulations also to Desley Walker who is retiring this week. Desley has been with our school for 24 years. During this time she has been instrumental in ensuring our school’s finances are effective and best of all “in the black”. Thank you Desley and enjoy your retirement.

On a sad note Sue Waterman will be extending her leave through until the end of the year, as her husband passed away last week. Our thoughts are with you Sue.

Liz Cronin is taking 6 months leave to replenish her batteries. Thanks to Emma Pye who has accepted the contract to fill in behind Liz for the 6 months. Congratulations to Liz and her Prep L class for being the most improved in Reading Comprehension and winning the Academic Award this term.

Students will soon be enjoying two weeks holiday. Early in the first week Student Reports will be posted home. If you have changed your address and not informed us please do so as soon as possible.

I recently came across something that may assist parents over the holidays if they are presented with the statement “I’m BORED”. See the image to the left.

Wayne

Congratulations to our June Aussies of the Month

Academic Award Winners: Well done Prep L

- IMPORTANT DATES -

- Tuesday 24 June: School Photos
- Wednesday 25 June: NAIIDOC - Assembly, Murri Games and Kup Murri
- Thursday 26 & Friday 27 June: Term 2 Gala Days (No Friday Parade)
- Friday 27 June: Last Day of Term 2
- Monday 14 July: First Day of Term 3
- Monday 14 July: P&C Meeting (6.30pm) - Staff Room
- Monday 14 to Friday 18 July: Life Education Van
- Thursday 17 & Friday 18 July: Regional Shield Netball/League
- Wednesday 23 July: KCD Athletics Trials - Farnborough State School
- Friday 1 August: July Aussie of the Month
- Friday 15 August: CQ University Careers Van - 6/7R and 6/7S
- Saturday 13 September: Emu Park State School Fete
A MESSAGE FROM OUR DEPUTY PRINCIPAL:

Report Cards:
Semester 1 Report Cards will be posted home the first week of the school holidays. Please note, if a student has been enrolled recently, teachers may not have teaching and assessment data to share as a report, and will comment as such. Our school, like other State Schools, is bound by our department guidelines when it comes to some aspects of student reports, including the following:

- Prep students receive achievement ratings and comments for all Australian Curriculum key learning areas, and comments only for other learning areas.
- The achievement ratings for different year level junctures differ and compare as follows....

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- Effort ratings and a student’s overall Behaviour rating for the semester are rated using the following language

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School Camps:
Our school camp program has concluded for this year. Thank you to our teachers – Miss Cook, Miss Bass, Mr Welldon, Mrs Stewart, Mr Thomson, Miss Brooking, Mrs Tait, and all of our teachers who have helped support in-school arrangements, in order to help ensure these opportunities have been available to our students. We aren’t able at this stage to confirm any dates for next year’s camps, but our plan will be to book Kinchant (Mackay) – Year 6 students; Fairbairn Dam (Emerald) – Year 5 students and North Keppel Island – Year 4 students in 2015. At this stage costs can be expected to be similar to this year’s, ranging between $150 - $300.

Life Education Van:
Please note, letters were sent home on Friday June 13th to the eldest child in each family regarding the Life Education visit next term. Each class is scheduled to attend a session in the van with Harold the Giraffe at a cost of $6 per child. Permission forms and payments need to be returned to the office in order for children to attend.

GALA Days:
Thursday 26th and Friday 27th we hold our next two GALA Days. Our GALA Days in first term were a great success, and we received much positive feedback from students, teachers and parents alike about the fun had by all. Parents are welcome to come and join us over the two days of activities. You might like to support a particular activity, or stay with your child and their class’ activities. Please stay and join teachers for morning tea and lunch breaks.

Our Latest School Leaders
A MESSAGE FROM OUR DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (con’t):

GALA Day Activities include:

- Green Thumb Kids
- Science Circus
- LEAP Technology and Robotics
- Colour attack (Art)
- Cooking
- Woodwork
- Straw Construction
- Clay Coiler Pots
- Sketching and Drawing
- ‘Lights! Camera! Action!’
- Chess, Camouflage Art
- Paper Place Science
- Wool Art
- Nutbush Rush Dance
- Boardgames,
- Charcoal and
- Graphic Design

By the end of the year, all classes will have had the opportunity to experience each activity and our special facilities. GALA Days for the remainder of the year will be on Thursday September 11th; Thursday September 18th; Friday September 19th; Wednesday December 10th; and Thursday December 11th.

NAIDOC:

Due to our GALA day arrangements this term, our final assembly for the term will be on Wednesday 25th June 9am. On this day we will have our annual NAIDOC assembly together with our regular celebrations followed by morning tea for parents. We hope to see you there.

Sarah

A MESSAGE FROM OUR P&C FETE CONVENOR:

Well holidays are almost here!! Just a reminder that if everyone can grab some raffle ticket books from the office to sell in the holidays it would be appreciated! :) Don’t forget the family that sells the most tickets gets a Amart AllSports gift voucher! Also, in the holidays don't forget to find your favourite recipe/s and email them to bron.bosomworth@internode.on.net

Thank you and enjoy your holidays!

Stacey (Fete Convenor)
A MESSAGE FROM OUR P.E. TEACHER:
Congratulations to our school’s rugby league team who won the Keppel Coast District Rugby League Cup on Friday. The team trained hard all season and although the game wasn’t up to their best standard they still came home with the cup after defeating Taranganba Green in the semi-final and Taranganba Black for the Cup.
Well done to our netball teams as well, Mrs Stewart reported that they saved their best till last and played very well on Friday.

Thank you to everyone who turned up and supported or helped out at the sports carnivals. The days both ran smoothly and this wouldn’t have happened without the team effort.

Congratulations to Wooree who came away with the overall win and to the following Age Champions and Runner Ups.

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Wooree are Winners!

Our to our 2104 Athletics Age Champions

GENERAL NOTICES:
• Message from Ms Gisela Carlson (Prac 2/3A). “I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all the fantastic staff, students and parents of Emu Park State School. In particular, I would like to thank Ms. Allison Munro for her many efforts, generous encouragement and support. Finally, my thanks goes to the students of class 2/3A, for giving me the wonderful opportunity to share in your learning journey. Have a safe and happy break. “
• NAIDOC will be celebrated on Wednesday with a special parade in the hall, followed by Murri Games and the traditional Kup Murri.
• Please note that there will be no Breakfast Club on the first Tuesday back of next term. (Tuesday 15 July 2014.)
• If you have any boys school shorts at home which you no longer require, please consider donating them to the school office for when accidents occur. We currently have very few shorts available.
A MESSAGE FROM OUR TUCKSHOP CONVENOR:

Hi everyone
A big thank you goes to these parents that helped out at the sports carnival last week. Raelene Hinds, Karlene Coombes, Jamie and Maree Stacpoole, Nat Bugler, Stacey Lewis, Ange Woodham, and Di Ellis.

Great news.... As of term 3 we will be having LOL’s available on Friday’s for $1.50. That means the price of LOL’s will change on our normal price list as well.

Unfortunately the Tuckshop is unable to provide a credit system for students. Parents please try to provide the correct money in your child’s Tuckshop order. As the school is getting bigger, more orders are being placed each day, making the Tuckshop a very busy place. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated. Have a great break everyone. See you all soon.

Heidi

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HOT DOG, CHICKEN NUGGETS, PIZZA & SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTER (ALL $2-50 per serve):

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COMMUNITY NOTICES:

Learn to Line Dance: Basic beginner class, CWA hall, Emu Park, Commencing Friday 18th July 2014, no dancing on the last Friday of the Month. 9.00am – 10.00am Cost $7.00 Contact Mary on 0400 287 998 or email: juswannadans@bigpond.com

Ambitionz Health & Fitness Emu Park: 21Day LesMills GRIT™ Strength Challenge ~ 7 classes(or more) in 21 days. $99 Members (includes 21 Day meal plan, grit sessions, grit challenger singlet.) $199 NonMembers (1 month membership, 21 Day meal plan, grit sessions, grit challenger singlet.) Prizes for Male & Female winner. Starts June 30 2014 (Registrations close 28th June). Contact AmbitionZ on 49388763 to register. What is LESMILLS GRIT™ Strength? It is a 30 minute high intensity interval training workout that makes you hard, push harder and get you fitter, super fast. The short sharp demanding exercises combine weightlifting, running and plyometrics for a full body workout that increases aerobic capacity, strength, muscular endurance, metabolism and power.

Celebrate NAIDOC at the Emu Park Town Hall Monday 30 June 2014 at 10:30am. Welcome to Country’ presentation with Darumbal elder Wade Mann. Learn about the local Darumbal history and hear stories about local indigenous history. Bring all the family! There will be an indigenous Dance Workshop as part of this event for all the children who come along. Monday 7 July, 10.30am Wade Mann will be sharing Dreamtime Stories and give a talk on Bush Tucker. All of the community is invited to join us and will especially appeal to our youngsters – let’s fill Emu Park Community Hall and learn about local indigenous culture. Morning tea including freshly prepared damper and golden syrup will be provided. Phone for more information Emu Park Library.
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