Principal's Report

Here is our final newsletter for 2015:

Whooping Cough - Parents are advised that there has been a confirmed case of whooping cough this week.

Congratulations to our Year 6 students and teachers for a fantastic mini-fete held last week, the major fundraising event for our Year 6 students. Thank you to all students for their support and great involvement in the fun activities.

Last week saw the announcement of our 2016 School Captains and Vice-Captains. We were extremely proud of all 29 candidates, through their campaigns, speeches and mature response to the final outcome. Congratulations to Jane Sheather and Alistair Captains, and Joely Anderson and Lachlan Taylor – Vice-Captains. We know they will be outstanding leaders and role models and we look forward to working with them next year in their leadership capacity.

‘A Night to Remember’ is on again tonight!! We hope you will be able to join us under the COLA for the concert, beginning at 6pm. Fingers crossed for reasonable weather. Entry is a gold coin donation. Please ensure your children arrive at their allocated meeting places prior to 6pm. Children can then be collected from their classrooms at the conclusion of the evening.

Here is a reminder of our final week, which still holds some major events:

Monday 14th December – 10:00am, Presentation Assembly at Denison College Bathurst High Campus Gymnasium. Please be seated by 9:55am. Children are to wear their official uniform and to arrive at school as normal. Buses will then transport the children to and from the High School. Band students are to arrive at the gymnasium by own transport from 8.30am, to meet Ms Coleman and Mr Peters. If you intend on collecting your children from the gymnasium after the Presentation Assembly, please meet your child’s class outside the gymnasium and have their name marked off by their class teacher. Once again I ask for your assistance in ensuring the area in Piper Street outside of the gymnasium is kept clear for the arrival and departure of our school buses. We hope you will be able to join us to celebrate in our student’s great achievements.

Tuesday 15th December – 9:30am - Year 6 and staff basketball shootout. The competition is always tough! 6:00 – 9:00pm – Year 6 Farewell and social – a very special event for our Year 6 and Year 5 students.

Wednesday 16th December – last day of school.
I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and enjoyable and safe break. Students from Years 1-6 return to school on Thursday 28th January, 2016. Kindergarten students will be involved in Best Start testing during the first week and will all start big school together on Monday 1st February, 2016.

Meleesa Smith
Relieving Principal
Week 9 Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at last week’s assembly.

**Gold Awards.**

**Yellow Awards:**

**Principal Awards:**

**Virtue Award JOYFULNESS**
Cameron Clayton, Lucy Spurgin, Annabell Morrison, Ryan Ledingham, Stuart Halsey and Tallis Tobin.
CLOTHING POOL ROSTER

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Band Reminder

Eglinton Public school Band would like to remind all parents that registrations for New band and Concert Band are due in by the end of Term. Registration forms are available at the front office or by emailing eglingtonbandcommittee@gmail.com

Country Fair Raffle Prizes

Are you a business looking for a great promotional opportunity? The Eglinton Country Fair has an opening for you. The second and third raffle prize slots are looking for a business to support them! Your business would be promoted on each of the 350 books of tickets, so this means over 3500 tickets with your logo on them!!!! If you’d like more information please email eglingtoncountryfair@gmail.com. We’d love to have school family businesses involved!

Dinner Out for Parents of Year 6 Students.

All Year 6 parents are welcome to enjoy a drink or meal while your children are at their farewell dinner/dance.

Where: Church Bar, William Street, Bathurst

Time: From 6:30pm

Cost: $25.00 per head if you have dinner.

No RSVP required.

Healthy Bites

A huge thank you to all our Volunteers that have helped at the Canteen over the past year. We wish you a safe and happy holiday and we look forward to seeing you again next year. Thanks Amanda 0429 951 665.

Summer Special $5:00

Chicken or Hamburger with 1 Fandangle ice cream or water. Available Friday 11th - Tuesday 15th

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Christmas Miracle Appeal.

Eglinton School will once again participate in the Bathurst Lions Club Christmas Miracle Appeal.

A box will be placed in the Administration Office for donations of toys and non-perishable items

Eglinton All-stars Netball

If you would like your daughter to be involved with netball next year why not join the Eglinton All-stars.

We will be doing registrations towards the end of February. Keep checking our website: www.eglintonallstars.com and our Facebook page Eglinton All-stars netball team for more information.
## EGLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN
### HEALTHY BITES
### SUMMER Menu Term 1 2016

### Sandwiches - White or Wholemeal

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### Sandwich Options

- Vegemite: $1.50
- Cheese: $2.00
- Egg: $3.00
- Egg/Lettuce and Mayo: $3.50
- Ham: $2.50
- Ham/Tomato or Cheese: $3.00
- Ham/Tomato & Cheese: $3.50
- Chicken: $3.50
- Chicken/Lettuce and Mayo: $4.00
- Salad (Beetroot, Lettuce, Tomato Cucumber and Carrot): $3.50
- Add Chicken/Ham/Egg/Cheese: 50c each

### Hot Lunches

- Chicken Yummy Drummies: $1.30ea
- Sausage Roll: $3.00
- Pie: $3.50
- Pizza (Ham/Pineapple): $3.00
- Hot Dog: $3.50
- Chicken Noodles: $2.50
- Chicken Burger (lettuce/mayo): $4.00
- Chicken Burger with Salad: $4.50
- Lite Hamburger (Beef patty/lettuce/cheese): $4.00
- Lite Hamburger with Salad: $4.50
- Macaroni Cheese (Fork Inc.): $3.50
- Lasagne (Fork Inc.): $3.50

**Tomato or BBQ sauce is included for free**

### Extras

- Lunch Bags: 10c
- Fork/Spoon: 10c
- Re-usable Lunch Bags: $10
- Slinky Machines: $30

### Band

- Clarinet and Saxophone Reeds

### Please have lunch orders in before 930am

**Green- Foods that can be consumed regularly**

**Amber -Foods that should be ordered sparingly**

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**Breakfast- 8.50am to 9.20am**

- Toast 2 Slices – Plain: $1.50
- Toast 2 Slices – Vegemite: $2.00
- Raisin Toast 2 Slices: $2.00
- Wholegrain cereal in a bag: .20c
- Wholegrain cereal with milk: $1.00
- Fruit Salad/ with Yogurt: 50c-$1.00
- Up & Go - Choc/Vanilla/Straw/Banana: $2.00
- Coco Pop drink: $2.00
- Warm Milo: $1.00

- Fruit/Vegie cup of the day: 50c-$1.00
- Apple Slinkies: 50c
- Jelly cups/ with custard: 50c/80c
- Muffins/with Fruit: 20c/50c
- Orange pieces: 10c
- Fresh Fruit/Salad Cups: 50c-$1.00
- Popcorn: $1.00
- JJ Chips - Chicken, S&V: $1.20
- Red rock chips - Sea salt,H/Soy chick: $1.20

### 2nd Half of Lunch

- Frozen Juice cups -Apple or Orange: $1.00
- Frozen Milo cups: $1.00
- Large Frozen Fruit Smash: $1.00
- Mini Frozen milk/fruit smash cups: 30c
- Quelch Sticks Full or Half: 60c/30c
- Paddle pop/Fandangle: $1.50

### Recess – 2pm-2.25pm

- Cheesy Crusts: 40c
- Tomato & Garlic Cheesy Crusts: 50c
- Hash Brown: $1.00 ea
- Chicken Fingers: 50c ea

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**Keeping Costs down : Donations of paper lunch bags, plastic cups and spoons, glad wrap, foil and baking paper**

**Help keep our costs down and are greatly appreciated.**
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P and C news:

2015 Thanks
As the academic year for 2015 begins to draw to a close the P+C Executive would like to thank all families who have volunteered and supported the P+C and its Sub Committees during 2015.
We say ‘goodbye’ to several families who have played key roles in P+C during their time at EPS - Tracey Neville, Sue Cheevers, Jasmine and Shaun Bunyan and Debbie Barratt. We thank you so much for your time and commitment in volunteering in your roles at P+C and wish you well in all your future adventures.

Executive changes
We would like to say thank you to Kathy French as she steps down from the P+C Executive. Thank you so much for all you have done and continue to do. We wish to announce the election of Catherine Rendell as Vice President of the P+C Executive. Catherine previously held the position of Secretary of the Executive and so we wish to declare this position vacant.
If you are interested in supporting Angela Rankin in this role of Secretary to the P+C please drop us an email egintonpandc@hotmail.com

Year Books 2013 and 2014
Anyone who pre-ordered a Year Book from 2013 and 2014 – these are now available for collection from the school office.
• A 2nd print run will be occurring of these Year Books in 2016 – please watch the newsletter for more information to come.
• Copies of the 2013 and 2014 Year Books can be viewed at the school office – if you would like to have a flick through prior to purchasing.
• A huge thank you to those involve in getting this project off the ground, in particular Denise Chapman and Cherylene Anderson.

Merry Christmas to one and all
See you all in 2016!

Eglington P&C Executive 2015
President: Sophie Anderson ∙ Vice President: Ray Bisaig ∙ Vice President: Catherine Rendell ∙ Treasurer: Annette Taylor ∙ Treasurer: Christine Murray
Secretary: Angela Rankin ∙ Contact: egintonpandc@hotmail.com
We have been having a wonderful time at EOOSH this term. Thanks to the lovely weather, we have been getting out and enjoying a range of outdoor activities. Don’t forget to check out our Christmas Vacation Care Program for more amazing adventures, some highlights from our Spring Program are provided below.

We created a decorative EOOSH garden patch including fragrant herbs and edible ornamentals. We also included some ‘food for thought’.

Learning outcome 2 - educators work together with children to show respect, care & appreciation for the natural environment.

We had a great time learning the skills of archery. We love being able to offer the children new experiences.

Learning outcome 2 - educators build connections between the school age care setting and the local community.

Learning outcome 3 - children manipulate & manage tools with increasing competence & skill.

The children are using recycled materials sourced from ‘Reverse Garbage’ to create personalised journals.

Learning outcome 2 - educators embed sustainability in daily routines & practices.
# Eglinton OOSH

**Spring Vacation Care Program**

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EOOSH will take a three week break over Christmas.  
We will be closed from 21/12/2015 - 08/01/2016.

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*Week Two*  
11/01/2016-15/01/2016
# Spring Vacation Care Program

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**Bookings essential.** Please contact the coordinator on 0429 371 205 or eglinton-oosh@bigpond.com for a booking form.

**Note:** organised excursions during vacation care are compulsory. Due to the higher staff/child ratios adhered to for excursions, EOOSH is unable to provide extra staffing to cater to children not attending.