

Eildon Primary School Newsletter

School Values: Respect-Integrity-Cooperation-Resilience-Altruism-Achievement

Wednesday 18th July 2023

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 19th July Wednesday 26th July Tuesday 1st August Monday 7th August Wednesday 23rd August

Ski Day Excursion Bravehearts Incursion School Council meeting @ 6.30pm Eildon Community Centre meeting @ 4pm School Photos



Together we will develop a thriving community of creative, respectful and resilient learners who strive for physical, social and intellectual growth.

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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

JUNIORS Scarlett	SMIDDLES Hailie	ART AWARD Bella	SMIDDLES Brayden
Scarlett wrote an extraordinary cau- tionary tale with a clear problem and solution which gave an important les- son! Superb writing Scarlett!	Hailie worked very well this week! She recognised unfamiliar words in her reading each day this week and used context to help find their meaning. Well done, Hailie!	Bella sketched a fantastic outback road, using one- point perspective, to show it travel into the distance . Her colouring was also very neat. Well done, Bella!	Brayden sketched an excellent out- back scene with gum trees and a cabin, placing objects clearly in the fore- ground, middle ground and background. Well done, Brayden!

Thank you to Ben for being a great helper during his Work Experience week at E.P.S.

we all enjoyed having you here!



YEAR 6 TRANSITION DAYS @ Alexandra S.C.

All - Full Day 1 <u>Wed 11th October</u>

Small Schools x 2hr <u>Wednesday 9th Aug</u> (Eildon, Buxton & M'ville 1.20 - 3.20)

Small Schools x 2hr Friday 8th Sept (Eildon, Buxton & M'ville 11 - 1)

All - Full Day 2 Thurs 9th November

All - Full day 3 -<u>Tues 12th December</u>

Principal's Report Term 3 week 2

The snow trip was a wonderful outing with almost all students in the school and kindergarten attending. Although there wasn't a great deal of natural snow, there was sufficient for the students to toboggan and improve their skiing skills. The weather was very nice which made the day so much more enjoyable for all.

Our NAPLAN results arrived this week and as expected are fantastic. Not one student scored in a **Needs Addressing** column and only a very few scored in a **Developing** column.

Most students scored in the **Strong** or **Exceeding** column for every test. We are very proud of our students, particularly the Grade 3s and 5s for these pleasing results. We thank our marvellous teachers Mrs Hall, Miss Mangelsdorf, Mrs Crowle and Mrs Lyttle for their tremendous work in supporting the continued achievement growth our students have shown.

While the weather continues to be quite fresh, it is a reminder that we do have a school beanie, polar fleece jumper, weather proof jacket and long sleeve shirts and pants. Dressing warmly this time of year is really clever and helps to improve attendance by reducing sickness.

A reminder that assemblies are being held on Friday afternoons this term. It was nice to see a number of parents attending last week.

The new Outdoor Undercover Terrace (known as The OUT) has been well-received by the students who now have a place to stretch their legs on the many rainy lunchtimes we have each year. Many thanks to the school councillors who enabled the project to take place. Eventually, we will place drainage around the shelter to prevent water running onto the cement.

At the moment, we are looking for someone who might be interested in providing singing and musical instrument lessons to the students. If anyone has a contact in this regard, please let us know.

We have set a date for the school concert this term which will be Thursday 14th of September. We will have a BBQ beforehand from 5:30pm and the concert will go from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Looking forward to a fun night at The All You Can Eat Outback Buffet!

Jai Harrington Principal



Kindergarten Report Wednesday 19th July 2023

The first two weeks of Term 3 Kinder has seen some great Resilience from the children, <u>adapting to change</u> with the new staff on board.

Many thanks to families for being so supportive of the program as Megan enjoys some well-earned leave.

We had a wonderful day up at the snow at Lake Mountain with lots of tobogganing and snow play. We appreciated Jess coming along to help.

Thanks to Tiffany for doing such a wonderful job keeping the room so clean. Kass and Paige have also been making some delicious snacks each day. Amazing!

Jai, Jess, Kass, Paige and Tiffany















July & Aug 2023

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
17	18	<mark>19</mark> SKI DAY EXCURSION	20	21	22	23
OOSHC	ava OOSHC	Chaplain OOSHC	OOSHC	ALEXIS OOSHC	HUNTER	
24	25	26 Bravehearts Incursion Chaplain	27 SOPHIE MC	28	29	30
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31	<i>1st August</i> SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING @ 6.30pm	2 Chaplain	3	4	5	6
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7 Eildon Com- munity Centre Meeting @ 4pm	8 TYLER	9 Chaplain	10	11	12	13
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14	15	16 Chaplain	17	18	19	20
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Alexandra Secondary College Open Night



Wednesday 2nd of August 6.00pm to 8.30pm

Time	Session	Length	Room
6:00pm	Information session about YEAR 7	30 min	Library
6:00pm	Information session about YEAR 9	30 min	M8
6:30pm	A showcase of the opportunities that ASC students look forward to from YEAR 7 to Year 12	15min	Library
6:45pm	Information session about the LATER YEARS	30 min	M8
7:00pm	Information session about YEAR 7	30 min	Library
7:15pm	Students speaking about their VCE and VCAL experience	15 min	M8
7:30pm	Information session about YEAR 9	30 min	M8
7:30pm	A showcase of the opportunities that ASC students look forward to from YEAR 7 to Year 12	15 mins	Library

Come along to our combined Open Night for families who are interested in what Alexandra Secondary College has to offer. There are also specific sessions for families of students who in 2024 will be starting Year 7, 9, 10 or VCE. It's one evening where we will present all of the information you need.

Families just need to attend the sessions that interest them.

The entire College will be open for families to take guided or self guided tours. Staff from the different learning areas will be evaluable throughout the College for parents and students to talk to and also there will be displays of everything the College has to offer.