

# **Eildon Primary School Newsletter**

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

#### IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### Wednesday 22nd November 2023

Thursday 7th December Grade 6 Graduation @ Eildon Boat Club

Monday 11th December Swimming program commences, concludes Tues, 19th Dec

Tuesday 12th December Statewide Transition Day

Monday 18th December Christmas Concert

Tuesday 19th December Students last day for 2023
Wednesday 20th December CURRICULUM DAY, Student Free

Tuesday 30th January Students return for 2024

# We hope you got to see our Students' Art work at the Alexandra Show!









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** Sophie

Sophie used a strong clear voice when sharing her work and is writing really interesting stories.

**Great Achieve**ment Sophie!



#### **JUNIORS** Xander

Xander is showing more maturity in his work and manner and able to follow instructions calmly.

That's a great Achievement Xan-



#### **INDONESIAN** Corbyn

Corbyn thoroughly enjoyed making music with the Angklung during Indonesian. He knew when it was his turn to play and rarely missed a beat.

Bagus sekall Corbyn!



#### P.E. Award Jordan

Jordan was a consistent badminton player during the round robin games he played. He served well, made some great smashes on the net and was often heavily involved throughout the rally.

Keep it up Jordan!



#### **INDONESIAN** Noah

Noah completed a difficult task this week with a sense of calm. He was determined to work independently and thought deeply about his choice of words. Very impressive Noah!

Bagus sekall Noah!



#### P.E. Award **SMIDDLES**

Fantastic listening and participation during the Ambulance Victoria visit. You all had so much to offer and kept to the topic. RESPECT was a stand out.

Keep it up Smiddles!



## Principal's Report Term 4 week 8

The Smiddles have had a lovely time down at Urban Camp this week, enjoying a night session at the Melbourne Zoo, time at The Parliament of Victoria and the MCG museum. Thanks to Amanda and Will for accompanying the group and to Mrs Hall and Miss Mangelsdorf for organising and running the camp.

We have an exciting addition to the school in the form of a 21 seater bus. The bus (which we have nick-named "the lady parrot") runs like a bird! She will enable us to more readily engage in camps and excursions and eventually assist with school attendance.

Mrs Crowle has enjoyed teaching the Juniors this week and much learning has taken place both in and out of the classroom.

The Kinder group has started their transition sessions into the Junior and are actively getting to know their classroom for next year.

The designs for The Big Build project are coming along nicely and the architects will be out in the next week or two to conduct some consultation sessions with students, staff and school council.

Our Arboreal Wonderland is nearing completion now with one remaining track to be upgraded before the start of next year. The kids from the school and kindergarten are enjoying this stimulating new outdoor learning space.



We have a few school events coming up over the last four weeks of school. Namely, Swimming, Graduation, Xmas Concert and Staff/SC/PC break up. We look forward to catching up with families at these special occasions, improving and celebrating outcomes for our wonderful students.

Jai Harrington Principal



## Kindergarten Report

### Wednesday 22nd November 2023

The children have been enjoying their time outdoors doing a lot of water play and developing gross motor skills on the obstacle course.

Water play provided opportunities to reflect all the five learning outcomes. The children feel safe and supported (1 Identity), children are becoming socially respectable and show respect for their environment (2 Community), wellbeing (3), children are confident and involved learners (4 Learning), children are effective communicators (5 Communication).

The obstacle course has been acting as a very good provocation for risky play, stepping out of comfort zones and taking controlled risks, developing confidence and resilience.

Christmas craft in the form of an advent chain has been a great opportunity to develop fine motor skills and focus on counting. Hopefully we all use these and continue to practise counting with the children at home.

Transition has been running smoothly for all children involved, if parents have any concerns or questions please contact Megan.

#### Megan, Paige and Kass





**Transition** 









**Advent Christmas chains** 



# Nov & Dec 2023

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
20 TENNIS	21	22 Mobile Library AMBULANCE SUPPORT 10am to 12noon E.C.C Chaplain	23	24	25	26
	URBAN CAMP	-				
OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC		
27	28	29	30	Ist Dec Luke Mia-Rose	2 Mobile Library	3
TENNIS Henry	}	Chaplain		Noah 👛		
OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC		
Scarlett TENNIS	5	6 Mobile Library Chaplain Breakfast	7 Grade 6 Graduation @ The Eildon Boat Club	8	9	10 Lily-Anne
OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC		
11 TENNIS	12	13 Chaplain	14	15 SC/PC:	16 Mobile Library	17 Charlotte
Swimming Program						
OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC	OOSHC		
18 Christmas Concert	19 Last day for 2023	20 CURRICULUM DAY— Student Free Mobile Library	21	22	23	24
Swimmin	g Program					
OOSHC	OOSHC		OOSHC	OOSHC		

IMPORTANT DATES January 2024

Tuesday 30th January: Term 1 2024, Students return

#### Life Coaching

Hi, I'm Caitlyn a mum, wife, registered nurse, therapeutic applied percussion provider and trainee life coach.

I am looking for 1-2 beautiful people to undertake a pro-bono life coaching series with me whilst I put my practise into reality.

Sessions will be via zoom commencing Wednesday 13th December fortnightly for 6 x 1 hour sessions.

Times available are 12pm or 7pm.

Possibility for some flexibility if required.

I will be confidentially sharing our time together with my trainer coach for support and feedback for my learning throughout our sessions together.

To be appropriate for this series with me I do ask that you are neither a coach yourself and or already working with a therapist or counsellor.

Being a pro-bono client is at no cost other then a small return of either;

• A glowing testimonial with a photo from you within one week of our coaching series finishing or;

Speaking about me to your family and friends and or giving me a loving shout out on my social media as to what a great experience you had with me as your coach

If you are wanting to live a more aligned, soulful life and receive guidance whilst having me hold you accountable in a safe and supportive space, please reach out via email or phone by Friday 1st December .

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