



Eden Public School
DARE TO DREAM & ACT TO
161 YEARS OF EDUCATION
1857 TO 2018



Respect
Responsibility
Resilience



Term 3, Week 9
September 18th 2018

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Staffing Position

I would like to congratulate Mrs. Melina Caldwell for her permanent appointment as classroom teacher at Eden Public School. Mrs. Caldwell was the successful applicant as a result of the Departmental Merit Selection process. Mrs. Caldwell is a dedicated, professional and hardworking teacher who will continue to be an asset to our school.

Student Attendance

Arrival on time at School is vitally important!

Our office staff are busy people and even more so when our students are arriving late to their classes via the legal sign in at the front office.

Please ensure that your child arrives at school and class on time. This:

- Ensures that students don't miss out on the important learning activities scheduled early in the day when the students are most alert
- Helps students learn the importance of punctuality and good habits and routine
- Gives students time to greet their friends before class
- Reduces the opportunity for classroom disruption.

Lateness is recorded as partial absence and must be explained by parents or carers in the same way as other forms of absence.



SUPA Club, an exciting lunchtime group for Years 5 & 6 will start in the Library at lunchtime, on Friday September 21st. Scripture teachers Mr. Dixon and Captain Ray (Flint) and Mrs. Anne Flint will lead SUPA Club (Scripture Union Primary Age Group). Possible activities include games, activities, skits, quizzes, Bible stories, singing and craft. Attendance is voluntary and students will need to bring a signed permission note. (Information that is more detailed is provided in the permission note.) Permission notes can be obtained from the front office.

Have a wonderful week,
Tanja Vogt
Principal

EARLY ACTION FOR SUCCESS

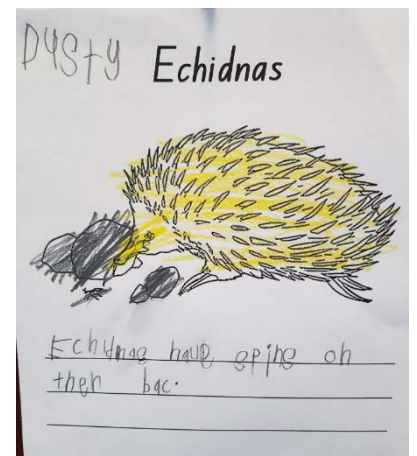
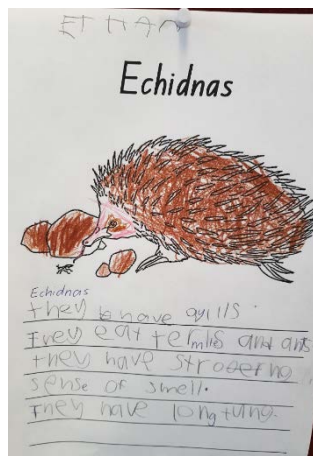
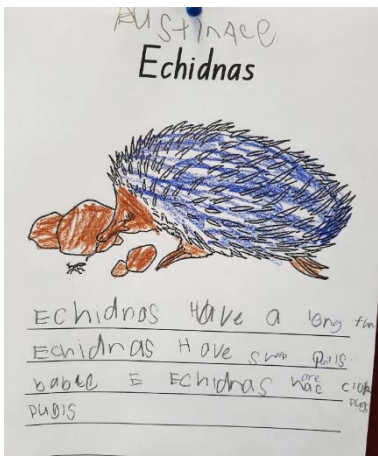
Mrs Peters KM

As part of our Australian Animal unit, KM have been learning all about Echidnas. We have also been learning how to write information reports.

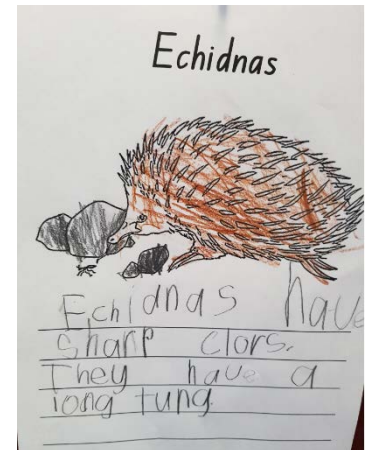
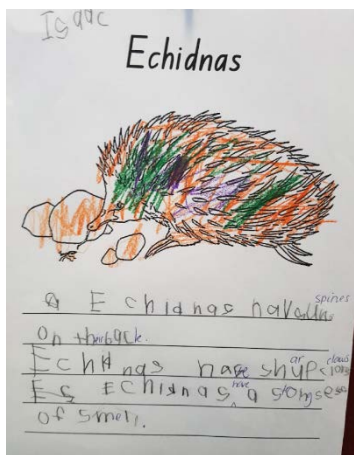
After watching shorts videos and reading information texts, we created a mind map of all the facts we learned. We talked about using adjectives to describe what Echidna's look like and Mrs. Peters showed us how to put the information into sentences.

Here are some reports.

Today we get to go Potoroo Palace and see in real life some of the animals that we have been learning about. We are so excited!



eat ants and termites sharp claws
long, sticky tongues
strong sense of smell babies are called puggles
has no teeth
monotremes - lay eggs
- drink milk from mothers like mammals



Whats on

SEPTEMBER

Monday 24th Stage 3 Canberra

Friday 28th Last day of Term 3

OCTOBER

Mon 15th Term 4 Starts

Wednesday raffle roster

Wednesday Raffle Week 9

KM Penny Stewart
 KP Helen Haenig
 1C Tamika Aldridge
 1D Bree O'Brien
 2B Cass Chatfield
 2E Janifer Hutchinson
 3E 3/4M Renee Dunne
 3/4K Clair Mudaliar
 4C Mia Maze
 5E Julie McDonald
 5C Zoe Heffernan
 5/6H Melina Caldwell
 6L Allisha Wilkinson

Wednesday Raffle Week 10

KM Sarah Giggins
 KP Genevieve McGuinness
 1C Kylie Salmon
 1D Debbie Heron
 2B Peta Gerharty
 2E Christine Hartley
 3E 3/4M Nicole Brown
 3/4K Regina Swane
 4C Cyndi Douglas
 5E Genevieve McGuinness
 5C Lana Wills
 5/6H Cassie Schofield
 6L Bronwyn Farrell

STAGE 3 RAFFLE WINNERS

1st Prize Sapphire Valley Caravan Park Voucher

.....7 nights for a family of 6 in Bungalow

.....valued at \$1050 won by Toby Johnstone

- \$20 Voucher from Finny's by the Wharf Eden Bronwyn Farrell
- \$50 Voucher from Waterfront Café Merimbula.... Greg Bolton
- \$20 Voucher from Hiraani Spirit Pambula.... Cathy Schofield
- \$60 Dinner Voucher from Ollie Masons Eden..... Bev Stone (still to be collected)
- \$20 Voucher from Sprout Eden..... Darcy Swane
- \$50 Bathing Elixir from Eden Spa & Beauty..... Genevieve McGuinness
- Replica Socceros Soccer Ball (World Cup 2018) from Sports Power... Carla Stranieri
- \$60 Backpack from Mark Anthony's Menswear..... Claire Mudaliar
- \$50 Backpack from Mark Anthony's Menswear..... L. Mc
- Signed Football from South Sydney Rabbitohs..... Kerrie Chester
- Car Detailing Kit from Nolans Eden.... Kayne Woods
- \$113 Combo Pack from Eden Killer Whale Museum.... Pat Heffernan
- Trailer load of wood from Mark Hetherington... Maeve Donaldson
- \$50 Back pack from Merimbula Surf shop....Carla Stranieri
- \$60 Back Pack from Merimbula Surf Shop.....Kalinda Mason
- \$80 Super Beach Towel from Merimbula Surf Shop.....Helen Haenig
- Boat Cleaning Kit from Eden Slipways..... Lyn Slater
- Wooden Tree Décor from Eden Discount Shop..... Sienna Addinsall
- LED Branch Birch from Eden Discount Shop..... Diane Swane
- \$50 Voucher from Mitre 10....Ryan Crofton
- Assorted Fishing tackle from Joseph Stranieri
- Crab net from Joseph Stranieri.....Glyn William (still to be collected)
- Ashes replica & 2 Australian caps.....Paul & Holly Cunningham + J Edwards
- 2 x family entries to Sapphire Marine Discovery Centre.....Kath Summerfield + Toby Priestly
- St George Illawarra memorabilia..... Judy Leslaighter, Shannon Wolosly, John Miller
- GWS signed football.....Eden Realty

An ENORMOUS THANKYOU to all donors of prizes.

Music News

Students from Eden PS will join students from other schools in the area, to perform in the **Giiyong Sing Out! Kids Choir** at the opening ceremony of the **Giiyong Festival this Saturday the 22nd September at Jigamy.**

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Many of the music students are now preparing for **Music Count Us In** and the **Eden Whale Festival**, which will both occur in Term 4, Week 3.



Coming Music Events

This week

- **Giiyong Festival this Saturday 22nd September at Jigamy – Eden PS students sing in the Giiyong Sing Out! Kids Choir at the Opening Ceremony.**

Term 4 Week 3

- **Music Count Us In Performance at Assembly**
- **Performances at Eden Whale Festival** on Friday afternoon 2nd November – Choir and Advanced guitarists, and Saturday morning 3rd November – Djembe Drummers.

Year 4 Edrom Excursion/Camp

The **Year 4** excursion to Edrom Lodge will depart from Eden Public School tomorrow, **Wednesday September 19th, at 10:00am** and return to **Eden Public School on Friday September 21st at 2:00pm**. Parents are reminded that **all medication and instructions** are to be placed in a labelled zip lock bag and handed to: **Mrs. Cocks BEFORE** leaving for Edrom. Students are also reminded to bring 2 pairs of shoes, a bottom sheet a sleeping bag and your **PILLOW**. Finally, please remember to bring recess and a packed lunch on the first day and that no lollies, junk food, or fizzy drinks are to be taken.

Simon Taylor
(Stage 2 AP)



Library News

Congratulations to all who helped us celebrate Book Week and well done to those who participated in our annual "Dress as your Favourite Book Character" Day. Jasmin from Collins Newsagency certainly had a very difficult job choosing winners. The array of costumes were outstanding and a lot of fun for us all.

I am pleased to report that our Book Sale was a huge success. We sold \$3,570 worth of books, with 10% of this total going back to our school, to purchase more wonderful books for our library.

Thank you to all who contributed to this fantastic result.

Happy Reading

Mrs. Fulton



Your link to support

1300 736 384



It is with great pleasure we announce the inclusion of Anne-Veronica Meredith, Family Referral Services (FRS) in Schools worker, to our welfare services at the school. Anne-Veronica has been appointed to work 1 day per week to assist families to access supports in the community.

The Family Referral Service is a state-wide program set up to support families going through difficulties and to assist them to source appropriate services and agencies. Anne-Veronica comes to us with a broad experience in areas such as; holistic counselling, play therapy, domestic violence crisis support work, child protection/sexual assault and generalist counselling, community development and group work, Community Services teaching with TAFE and Outreach Coordinator in indigenous communities.



Feel free to call Anne-Veronica on 0437 348 364 if you require any help with advocacy at school or in accessing community support services.

Anne-Veronica can also be reached by speaking with school admin staff or Assistant Principals to arrange a meeting time or by contacting FRS Team Leader, Russell Meers on 0438 720 487.

Regional Athletics

We sent one of our largest EPS teams to the South Coast Regional Athletics Championships in Canberra last Friday. Congratulations to all our athletes who were fantastic ambassadors for our school both on and off the track and field. Some fabulous results were;

Jack Caldwell 3rd Senior 800m (pb), Sonny Robin 12th 12yr 100m (pb), Junior 4x100m relay (Daniel Dunne, Mahkai Kennelly, Kai Bolton and Boady Dunne) 24th, Maeve Donaldson 11th 11yrs long jump, Hunter Upton 14th junior shot put, Rahul Mudaliar 17th senior discus. Other students to attend were Rakai Schelfhout, Nikeysha Landsborough, Conan Kingsley Edwards and Cooper Ramsay. Jack will progress to the State Championships in Sydney next term. Well done to all you, we are proud of your achievements!



P&C News

The Committee wishes to thank the students for their amazing manners and great behaviour at the stall, we all have a fantastic time helping choose the perfect gift! The stall raised over \$750.00 and the raffle over \$1000.00!! an amazing result, all made possible by our wonderful School Community. Thank you!

CANTEEN ONLINE ORDERING..

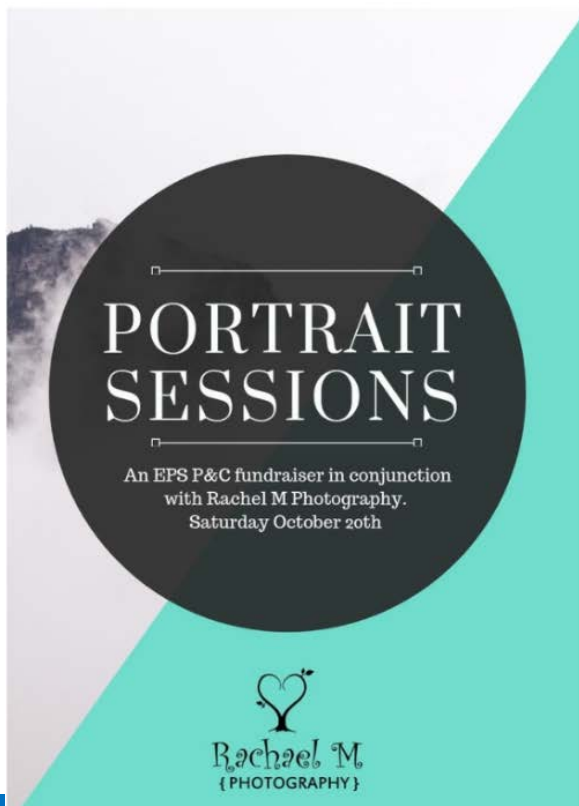
Starting term 4 the canteen will be online. To set up your account please go to www.myschoolconnect.com.au/login and follow the prompts. (link will be available on our facebook page) Payments can be made via credit card, pay pal (CHARGES APPLY) or you can set up a payment account with My School Connect via direct transfer. All orders are subjected to a 33c surcharge. App available for Apple and Android phones.

FAMILY PORTRAITS..

Save the date- Saturday 20th October. A P&C fundraiser in partnership with Rachel M photography. \$50.00 per session. Book and pay at Eden Gas and Gear- for more information please see our Facebook page.

STARS OF BEGA VALLEY..

Three amazing Mum's from our School community, including our very own Treasurer Melanie Warren are participating in this very special fundraiser! Joining Mel is Clair Mudaliar and Mia Maze, all these ladies are fantastic supporters of our organization so we wanted to give them a little shout out and encouragement for their efforts! The P&C will be donating next Wednesdays raffle money to be shared 3 ways among the ladies. All money that is raised in the Stars of the Bega Valley fundraiser stays in the area and is utilized by local cancer services. Should you wish to donate please go to: www.everydayhero.com.au/event/starsofbegavalley2018



PORTRAIT SESSIONS

An EPS P&C fundraiser in conjunction with Rachel M Photography.
Saturday October 20th

Rachael M
{ PHOTOGRAPHY }

EPS & Rachel M Photography Sessions

Saturday October 20th at Cocora beach, Eden.

\$50 per session (includes 20 minute sitting and disc of 5 edited images)

Sessions will run half hourly from 9:00am – 2:30pm

Bookings will be allocated upon payment, get in quick to get your preferred time.

Please pay with CASH at Eden Gas and Gear.

Terms and Conditions –

By booking you are agreeing to these terms.

- 1) Bookings can be cancelled up till and including Thursday 18th October for a full refund.
 - 2) Cancellations after Thursday 18th October will be refunded \$30.00 only. A \$20.00 deposit will be withheld.
 - 3) In the event of inclement weather sessions will be re-booked for a future date.
- Failure to attend booking, without notice, is an automatic forfeit of fee payment

COMMUNITY NEWS!

Tie Dye Workshop

Bring along a preloved item and give it a new lease on life with our bright and colourful tie dye workshop at Eden Library. Wear old clothes please!

When: Tuesday 2nd October
10.30am to 11.30am **Cost:** Free
Age: 7+ years **Booking:** limited to 10 children. Bookings essential, call us to book or online at begavalleyshirelibrary.eventbrite.com.au

Aurora College

The virtual selective school for rural and remote students

Aurora College is NSW's first virtual selective school, offering a mix of online and residential school classes. The school provides innovative, flexible learning in a whole new context, by allowing students to connect locally and learn globally.

Aurora offers selective classes in English, mathematics and science to gifted and talented Year 7-10 students from rural and remote areas across NSW. Students connect with their teachers and classmates in timetabled lessons through a virtual learning environment.

The college also gives Year 11 and 12 students the opportunity to study subjects not available in their own school. For details please visit our website.

Aurora College offers students expanded career options through innovative partnerships with businesses and with scientific, cultural and tertiary education institutions.

Students in the selective stream are chosen in the same way as students in all other selective classes in NSW government schools.



Applications for entry into Year 7 in 2020:
Open 9th October 2018
Close 12th November 2018

Visit Selective High Schools website
<http://bit.ly/shs2019>

For further information about Aurora College, visit our website
www.aurora.nsw.edu.au | or phone 1300 287 629

Homework Club

Homework Club at the Eden Library for term 3 will conclude on Wednesday 19 September. Recommence for term 4 on Tuesday 23rd October.

Homework club is a free program run by volunteers at the Eden Library for School children from kindergarten to year 10. The homework club runs on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons from 3 to 4pm. For further information contact the Eden Library on 6499 2451.

Group 16 NRL

Due to group 16 rep. team making the next round in Country Championship we need to postpone Presentation day to a date to be advised.

Thank you for your understanding.




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BegaTathraSafeRide

Celebrate NSW Bike Week & the Bega Tathra Safe Ride track

16km ride under the supervision of Platinum Traffic Services

Register 7.30-8.30am Bega Showground. Depart 9am

Arrive Lawrence Park, Tathra before 11am

BOOK NOW on trybooking.com

Adults \$30
Youth 14-17 \$10 Kids 0-13 FREE





Eden Swimming Club

- * Mondays at 6pm (starting 15/10/18)
- * Membership period 01/10/2018 – 30/09/2019
- * All ages & swimming abilities welcome – 10m, 25m, 50m, 100m and 200m events each week
- * Fun, friendship, participation & personal bests
- * 7 years/under are free & Active Kid vouchers are welcomed
- * Opportunity to compete at various carnival levels – interclub, country, state, national
- * Great preparation for school swimming carnivals
- * Recognition for 'Swimmers of the Week' and promotions
- * BBQ

Please note that swimmers under 16 years of age, must have a financial member joined (non-swimmer) and be accompanied by an adult every club night. The wading pool is out of bounds during club nights.

For further information, contact Melina Caldwell 0427 767 893 or go to our Eden Swimming Club Facebook page.



Eden Killer Whales 2018 Junior Summer Soccer

KICKS OFF 17TH OCT TO 12TH DEC

Wednesday's 5:15-6 pm

Ages 6-11 years (SPLIT INTO TWO COMPS)

Register @ Clubhouse this Sat 12-2pm or
 Wed 26/9 & 3/10 5.30-6.30pm

Fees \$20 Winter & \$25 New Players

**PH DEB
0419 298105**