



Eagle Point Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 14th March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after an extra long weekend. It sounds as though the students had a lovely break with many people out and about enjoying the beautiful weather and huge number of interesting activities that were on over the weekend.

Congratulations and good luck to Cooper Sampson and Hayden Perry who will be representing Eagle Point Primary School and the Bairnsdale Tambo schools network in Sale this Thursday for the Regional Swimming Carnival. Both boys have demonstrated exceptional swimming skills to achieve this level and we wish them all the best.

Thank you to the parents who expressed interest in joining school council this year. We received 3 nominations for the 3 available positions, so an election was not required. Congratulations to Tim Hilder, Rosie Smith and Kerrie Villiers. They will join Jamie Williamson and Dave Stork to make up the full council. The school community appreciates you representing them on this council. If you have any concerns or would like items raised at school council, please speak with one of our councillors.

On Friday, the staff joined with 415 education department employees, and attended a full day of speakers and workshops at the Bairnsdale Secondary College. The keynote speaker was Kristen Douglas, CEO of Head-space, and her session was informative and reminded all of us of the importance of self-care. The workshops covered a variety of topics all with a similar message of healthy bodies, healthy minds. This is such an important message for staff, students and families as we move forward from past experiences.

This week, our Grade 3 and 5 students have the opportunity to show us how clever they are with NAPLAN assessments starting tomorrow. Over 4 days, students will participate in reading, writing, numeracy and language conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation). We have confidence our grade 3 and 5 students are ready for the challenge. Do your best!

Have a wonderful week,

Anna Duncan
Principal

STUDENT FREE DATES FOR TERM 1:

Thursday 6th April

ASSEMBLY

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2:40PM

TOONALOOK LUNCH ORDERS

MONDAY

Lunch Order Day.

Please order the day before or no later than 9am Monday morning.

THURSDAY

Lunch Order Day.

Please order the day before or no later than 9am Thursday morning.

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EVERY FRIDAY

\$1 ICY POLES

—SCHOOL VEGIE GARDEN—
****VOLUNTEER NEEDED PLEASE****

We are looking for a volunteer to help maintain and nurture our school vegetable gardens, with the children's help.



Lawn Bowls Teams



Thank-you Mrs Dennison for your help

CRAZY HAIR DAY

Tuesday 21st March

\$2.00 to have crazy hair.

Funds go towards Junior School Council



JSC EATER RAFFLE DONATIONS

We are seeking donations for the annual Easter Raffle. Some ideas include Easter chocolate, craft, gift wares and other suitable items for children to win.

Donations are being collected at the office until Monday 3rd April.

Raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 5th April.

Thanks from JSC.

**Raffle books will be sent
home today, 13th March.**



SCHOOL CALENDAR—TERM 1

MARCH 2023

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| Tuesday 14th | Lunch Order Day |
| Tuesday 14th | Easter Raffle Books home |
| Thursday 16th | Regional Swimming Sale Aqua Energy Outdoor Pool 9am to 11.30am |
| Thursday 16th | Lunch Order Day |
| Monday 20th | Lunch Order Day |
| Tuesday 21st | Crazy Hair Day—\$2.00 Donation |
| Wednesday 22nd | Nagle College Open Night—4-7pm Need to register prior to night |
| Monday 27th to Wednesday 29th | Grade 3/4 camp to Coolamatong |
| Monday 27th | Lunch Order Day |
| Thursday 30th | Lunch Order Day |
| Friday 31st | Cross Country 10am to 12pm—Foreshore |



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Excursion



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Incursion



**In-house
Fun**



**Public
Holiday**

**MONDAY
10
APRIL**

**Public
Holiday!**



Tribe Vibes

Let's go on a wild adventure! Show us your wild side with the traditional indigenous game of *Awente*, form a special connection with your animal totem, and appreciate our incredible Australian wilderness whilst on the hunt to identify animal tracks.

Animal Totems

Badges, identify animal tracks, welcome to the party game, awente. Plus, plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.30 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$62.00. Suburb Avg \$9.30.

**TUESDAY
11
APRIL**



Mosaic Turtles

Turtles are unique animals that can live to over 100 years old and be found in freshwater and saltwater environments. Today, we will celebrate turtles from around the world by sculpting and decorating one-of-a-kind clay turtles, which you can proudly show to your family and friends.

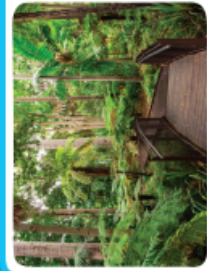
Turtle Sculpture

Scunch 'tissue paper art, trivia fun, trench ball game plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.25 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$75.00. Suburb Avg \$9.25.

**WEDNESDAY
12
APRIL**



Adventure Fun

Join us today for a multi-experience at Adventure Fun Park. With 18 adventurous and challenging hides of mini golf, plus test your archery accuracy with bows and arrows on a 9-target outdoor course!

Adventure Fun Park Excursion

Density rainbow experiment, lego challenge cards plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure. Arrive at the service by 8:30 am. Pick Up After 2:30 pm. Wear Runners & socks.

As low as \$9.00 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$306.64. Suburb Avg \$9.00.

**THURSDAY
13
APRIL**



Wild Child Party

This wild child party will be larger-than-life! No matter your style, there's a party game for everyone. Tap into your inner wild child with a mix of active and traditional party games including freeze dance, hot potato, giant Jenga and more. Gather your friends and let the fun begin!

Party Incursion

Don't say why party game, dancing foil experiment, ball head relay race plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.34 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$62.24. Suburb Avg \$9.34.

**FRIDAY
14
APRIL**



Wonder Jungle

Let's head into the jungle today! Let your mind wander with black-out poetry, be captivated as we make whirlygigs and go wild with jungle party games.

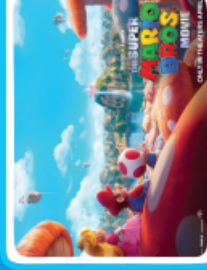
Whirlygigs

Blackout poetry, symmetrical bags, jungle party games, chubachubon. Plus, plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.30 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$62.00. Suburb Avg \$9.30.

**MONDAY
17
APRIL**



At the Movies

From Nintendo and Illumination comes a new animated film based on the World of Super Mario Bros. A Brooklyn plumber named Mario travels through the Mushroom Kingdom with a princess named Peach to find Mario's brother, Luigi, and to save the world from a ruthless fire-breathing Koopa named Bowser.

The Super Mario Bros. Movie (G)

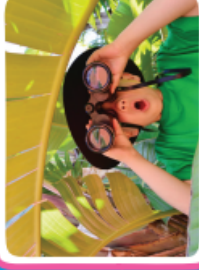
Super Mario Bros. tube craft, Disney movie characters, popcorn autumn trees plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

Arrive at the service by 8:30 am. Pick Up After 2:30 pm. Wear Runners & socks.

As low as \$9.00 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$106.64. Suburb Avg \$9.00.

**TUESDAY
18
APRIL**



Junior Explorers

Calling all Junior Explorers... it's time to gear up! Today we will decorate safari hats, make pocket-sized brochures, decorate masks and scratch art, and even play with a fidget toy. These are perfect for your next wild adventure.

Explorers Pack

Eggcellent relay race, quilling, nature treasure hunt plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.25 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$75.00. Suburb Avg \$9.25.

**WEDNESDAY
19
APRIL**



Mucky, Weird & Wild

It's time to get wacky, weird and wild with amazing crafts and challenges. We will aim to make the longest paper chain snakes, explore tomadots with fun experiments and run wild as we fly kites.

Tornado Tubes

Worlds largest paper chain snake, kites, batzardi game, don't pop the balloon challenge plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.30 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$62.00. Suburb Avg \$9.30.

**THURSDAY
20
APRIL**



Knock 'em Down

Bust off those bowling shoes because today, we will build our own bowling alley! The fun of construction and the joy of retro gaming! Are you curious about how many strikes you can get in a row? A double? Or maybe a turkey! Plus, craft darning diamonds, and play a game of forbidden dessert!

Bowling Alley

Darning diamonds, flagging butterfly crafts, forbidden dessert game, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

As low as \$9.25 with the Child Care Subsidy.

Full fee \$75.00. Suburb Avg \$9.25.

**FRIDAY
21
APRIL**



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Wild Child



Autumn Holiday Program



**Wellness
Warriors**



**Fun
Park**



**Movie
Time**



**Animal
Antics**

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Holiday Program Important Information!

What to bring

- ☐ A healthy morning tea and lunch
- ☐ A labelled drink bottle for water
- ☐ Suitable clothing for an active day – closed toe shoes and a jacket if it is predicted to be wet and cold
- ☐ SunSmart hat for Spring and Summer holidays
- ☐ Medical Management Plan & Medication if applicable – see below for details



Don't forget!

- ☐ Keep your lunchbox nut-free to keep everyone safe
- ☐ Do not include food items that need to be reheated
- ☐ Label all items with child's name!

Personal belongings

Electronic devices, money and other valuables should be left at home.

If brought to the service, these items remain the responsibility of the family. TheirCare does not accept responsibility for loss or damage.



TheirCare provides

- ☒ Breakfast and afternoon tea snack
- ☒ Sunscreen
- ☒ Water to refill bottles



Child Care Subsidy

Please note that subsidised hours are calculated and allocated by Centrelink on a fortnightly basis. Check Centrelink for eligibility.



Unexpected changes to activities

In the unlikely event that an activity is unable to run, an alternative activity will be provided.

Activities and times are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances such as severe weather or provider availability. If an alternative cannot be sourced we will update your invoice to reflect this.



Changes to your booking

Simply log into your account anytime to make the relevant changes or call us between 6:30am – 9:00pm weekdays on 1300 072 410.



Fees for changes to your booking

| More than 5 days | Less than 5 days * | On the day |
|------------------|--------------------|------------|
| No Charge | \$10.00 | Full Fee |

*Less than 5 days from the start of the booking (120 hours from the start of the session).

When making additional bookings, the \$10.00 fee is eligible for the **Child Care Subsidy**, which means you may only need to pay the gap, depending on your families' circumstances.



Do you like to keep FIT?

Do you want to get PAID for running around?



Come and join us at East Gippsland Umpires and be involved in the national game and help out our local community football! Opportunities to umpire in the Gippsland League, EGFNL, ODFNL and the Bairnsdale Junior association are available. We are seeking new field, boundary and goal umpires.



OUR HOME & TRAINING VENUE is at;

Bairnsdale City Oval, Macarthur Street, Bairnsdale

- We train on Wednesday nights from 6:00pm to 7:00pm. During the season we run a canteen where food can be purchased.
- No prior experience is required, all you need is a keen interest in having fun and running!
- We are seeking Field umpires in all age levels, from U/11's through to seniors. The incentives for umpiring a game range from \$40 - \$190, depending on the level umpired.
- Boundary umpires are required for U/16, U17.5, U/18 and seniors. The incentives range from \$35 - \$110 depending on the level umpired.
- Goal umpires are required for U/16, U/18 and Senior football. The incentives range from \$40 - \$80 depending on the level umpired.
- Come and join us for a run on a Wednesday night, YOU might ENJOY it!

CONTACTS

President - Damien Donohue
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The EGUA has an external and private Facebook page to keep in touch. Search up: East Gippsland Umpires.

Our Website

[Home - East Gippsland Umpires Association - GameDay \(mygameday.app\)](#)