

# Eagle Point Primary School NEWSLETTER

Wednesday 17th May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

If you aware of any families looking to enrol students in school for the 2024 school year now is the time to make contact with the school to register and complete an application to enrol. The enrolment policy has been updated this year and applications for enrolment are now open in Term 2 which is earlier than other years. Parents contact the school/s of their choice and request an application form, the form is completed and returned to the school before 23<sup>rd</sup> June. From early Term 3 families will be contacted with an offer to enrol. If Eagle Point Primary School is the closest school to the student's home address, they will be guaranteed a place at this school. Students from other school zones are able to complete an expression of interest for Eagle Point PS and we will be able to accept enrolments if we have places available. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding school zones and enrolments as it can seem a little daunting.

The school will be holding an Open Day for all families of current and future students on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May from 9-1:30pm. The students are looking forward to having parents, grandparents, friends and other family members come to school to see what goes on in a normal school day. New and future families are encouraged to come along to see what Eagle Point Primary School has on offer. Invitations are being sent out through kindergartens and child-care centres and a copy is in this newsletter.

We are looking to start a new program at school where students are paired with a community member for 1 session a week to have time together to follow an area of interest. This might be playing cards, cooking, playing board games, craft activities, kicking the footy, playing in the sandpit or a variety of activities that you both might share. We are hoping there might be a parent, grandparent, family member or community member out there with an hour a week to build a friendship with some of our students who might need a bit of extra care right now. Please contact the office, Meagan Bradbury or myself if you would like more information.

Over the next few weeks, I am going to begin providing some information about Choice Theory, the philosophy and how we use it within the school community. Each year we hold a Basic Intensive course which all staff who work at Eagle Point PS attend. This training is also open to parents if interested. Please speak with one of our staff if you would like to learn more.

Kind regards,

Anna Duncan

Principal

Eagle Point PS

Students in Grade 5 & 6 will be attending an educational session with the focus on Prevention of Vaping. This session will be held at school, date to be confirmed, with Tehseen Zafar from Gippsland Lakes Community Health. Tehseen will also be holding a parent information session on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May starting at 3:45pm. Although only Grade 5 & 6 students will be attending the session, parents with children of all ages are invited and encouraged to attend to learn more about this topic. Please RSVP to Anna Duncan 51566382 or email <u>eagle.point.ps@education.vic.gov.au</u> or arrive at 3:40pm on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May. The session will be held in Room 7 downstairs.





Eagle Point Primary school divisional cross country team at Nagle College.

Congratulations to Hayden Perry and Kohan Riley who will be going onto the Regional competition at Lardner Park.

### **DIVISIONAL CROSS COUNTRY TEAM**





FOR MORE INFO: PH 5156 6382 www.eaglepoint.vic.edu.au 43 School Road Eagle Point 3878



Cnr Forge Creek Road & Lake Victoria Road

Meeting Point 2: Cnr Cardinal Drive & Tait Street



We haven't forgotten about *Do it For Dolly Day* this Friday.

We will be celebrating this day on Friday 9th June.

Further details to come in coming weeks.



FOR MORE INFO: PH 5156 6382 www.eaglepoint.vic.edu.au 43 School Road Eagle Point 3878

## East Gippsland Secondary & Primary Interschool GYMKHANA

Hosted by Bairnsdale Pony Club AOO13201Y

Racecourse Rd Bairnsdale

## FRIDAY 26<sup>th</sup> MAY 2023

STARTING AT 8.30am

Beginners, Led riders & Pre Schoolers welcome.

Events to include JUMPING, Grades A to F & Beginner

Beginner jumping class only for Primary School & Pre-School

RIDER, HANDY MOUNT & PAIRS CLASSES

ACTIVITY COURSE for various year levels & NOVELTIES for all year levels

TEAMS OF 3 OR 4 (composite teams will be arranged)

#### INDIVIDUALS MAY COMPETE

Open to all P.C. & non-P.C. riders

Rules to be under P.C.V. Guidelines

This event will be run with separate teams, events & ribbons for

Secondary & Primary school students.

FULL CANTEEN FACILITIES AVAILABLE ALL DAY

#### Bairnsdale Pony Club Grounds





Host: Bairnsdale Pony Club Inc. INQUIRIES: D.C. JAN BROMWICH MOB: 0409524183 EMAIL: jpbromwich@gmail.com

#### SCHOOL CALENDAR—TERM 2

#### **MAY 2023**

Thursday 18th May	Sausage Sizzle & Drink Day Orders must be in by Tuesday 16th May
Friday 19th May	Walk to School Day—8.15am Meeting Point 1: Cnr Forge Creek Road & Lake Victoria Road Meeting Point 2: Cnr Cardinal Drive & Tait Street
Monday 22nd May	Nagle Expo– Grade 6
Tuesday 23rd May	<b>Eagle Point Primary School OPEN DAY</b> 9.00am to 1.00pm
Wednesday 24th May	Winter Sports Grades 5 & 6
Friday 26th May	East Gippsland Interschool Gymkhana 8.30am—Bairnsdale Pony Club





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#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**



#### **Paynesville Auskick Centre**

Thursday 11th May 5:00pm - 6:00pm A.J. Freeman Reserve



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Want to build and program a working robot model?

Children will work in groups of three to build and program a LEGO Mindstorms EV3 robot to complete fun challenges.

Learn and practise simple coding skills over four weeks and watch your robot follow your every command.

Participants must commit to all four weeks when booking. Paynesville Service Centre 3.45 pm – 4.45 pm Thursday 11 May Thursday 18 May Thursday 25 May

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for these FREE sessions.









# Prevention of Vaping Information Session

Things you thought you knew, but really don't!

Thursday 25h May from 3:45pm to 04:25pm.

Eagle Point Primary School

Presenter: Tehseen Zafar - Prevention and

Population Well-being Worker at

**Gippsland Lake Complete Health GLCH** 

