



# Eagle Point Primary School

# NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 03rd October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back for Term 4! This week I am really looking forward to the first round of Eagle Point Has Got Talent which starts on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2pm in Room 7. Parents and family members are invited to come along to watch and the performances will finish in time for assembly. This year we have a keen organising committee who will be assisting Jack coordinate the heats. I would like to thank Jack and the committee for their time and effort so far with this event. All students are invited to come along and watch the performances, the doors will be open from 1:50pm so the acts can start on time.

Welcome to Eagle Point PS for a number of families. Late last term Cooper joined us in Room 8 and this week Raina, Otis and Sunny started in Room 3, Shiloh joins Room 4, Christian and Alexis join Room 6 and Olive begins in Room 7. I am looking forward to getting to know you all better as you settle into school here. Later this term, our Prep transition program begins and we will meet our students who will start their schooling in 2024.

As the weather warms some students may need new uniforms. Please remember when purchasing new items that all uniform is to be plain navy blue or black in colour, no leggings unless under skirts or dresses and shorts/skorts are to reach halfway between the hip and thigh. Please contact the school if you need assistance with uniform as we have some good quality items available second-hand.

On Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October we will be having a working bee from 9-1pm and all families are encouraged to come along for a couple of hours and assist with some of the jobs before a BBQ lunch at 1pm. On this day we will be doing some painting, pruning, weeding, raking, pressure washing walls and other small jobs. There will be a list at the office to put your name down so we can gauge how many people to cater for. Please put this date in your calendar.

Have a wonderful week.

Anna Duncan  
Principal

## ASSEMBLY

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THIS FRIDAY  
2:30PM

## PAYNESVILLE BAKERY LUNCH ORDERS

**MONDAY**  
Lunch Order Day  
Students need to hand in their  
lunch order by 9.30am

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# SCHOOL CALENDAR—TERM 3

## OCTOBER 2023

<b>Tuesday 3rd October</b>	<b>Buildings &amp; Grounds Meeting @4.45pm</b>
<b>Thursday 5th October</b>	<b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>Friday 6th October</b>	<b>Grade 5/6 Summer Sports Interschool Competition</b>
<b>Monday 9th October</b>	<b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>Monday 9th October</b>	<b>Mobile Library—East Gippsland Shire</b> 9.30-11.00am
<b>Tuesday 10th October</b>	<b>Gippsland Region Athletics—Newborough</b>
<b>Thursday 12th October</b>	<b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>Monday 16th October</b>	<b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>Tuesday 17th October</b>	<b>Finance Meeting @3.45pm</b> <b>School Council Meeting @5.30pm</b>
<b>Thursday 19th October</b>	<b>Lunch Order Day</b>
<b>Friday 20th October</b>	<b>Junior Athletics Day</b>
<b>Saturday 21st October</b>	<b>Working Bee</b> 9.00am-1pm followed by BBQ Lunch



## Possum Rescue

Thank you to Elly and Ruby for rescuing a baby Ring Tailed Possum. The possum is now in the care of Wildlife Rescue.



### ***Year 5/6 High Ability Writers Workshop Term 3***

#### ***@Paynesville Primary School***

*Last term seven students from Years 5 & 6 attended Paynesville Primary School for the High Ability Writers Workshop. Students worked alongside a published author and completed the day with a piece of writing and a lot of new ideas and skills.*



***EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE***

***MOBILE LIBRARY***

***This Monday 9th October***

***9.30-11.00am***



**Shoeboxes are now available  
from Emily or Jas in Room 7**



# Operation Christmas Child

## What is Operation Christmas Child?

Operation Christmas Child is where shoeboxes are filled and sent to children in need in other countries. If you want to join in, all you need to do is fill up a shoebox from home or collect one from room 7.

## What do I put in my shoebox?

You can choose to pack a shoebox for a girl or boy, ages 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. Place items for the child into the box and label with boy or girl and the age group. Please only pack new items that are good quality, so they last longer for your child to enjoy. Below are some examples of what to pack.

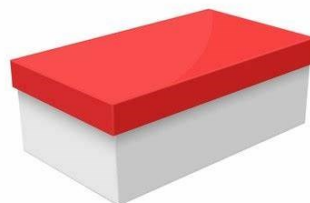
- **School supplies** – Notebook, pencils.
- **Personal hygiene items** – Covered toothbrush, hairbrush.
- **A WOW item and toys** – A fun, quality toy that kids can use.
- **Art/craft supplies** – Colouring books, sketch pads.
- **Clothing/accessories** – T-shirts, hats, sunglasses.
- **A personal note** – Don't worry about writing in a different language.

## What not to include in a shoebox

- Food (lollies, chewing gum, vitamins, seeds, medications)
- Liquid (water, toothpaste, soap dispensers, lotions)
- Lip gloss
- War related items (toy guns, military figures, camouflage)
- Breakables or glass items (like snow globes)
- Aerosol cans
- Scary items
- Damaged/used items
- Gambling items

Please return your shoeboxes to Emily Crouch or Jas in room 7 by Monday 30 October.

If you need a shoebox, please speak to Emily Crouch or Jas in room 7







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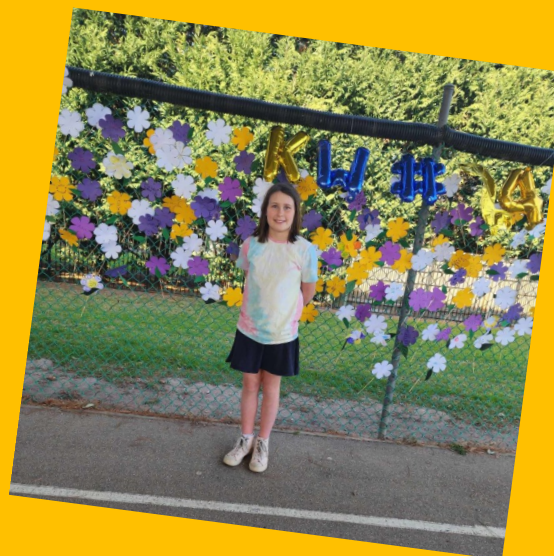
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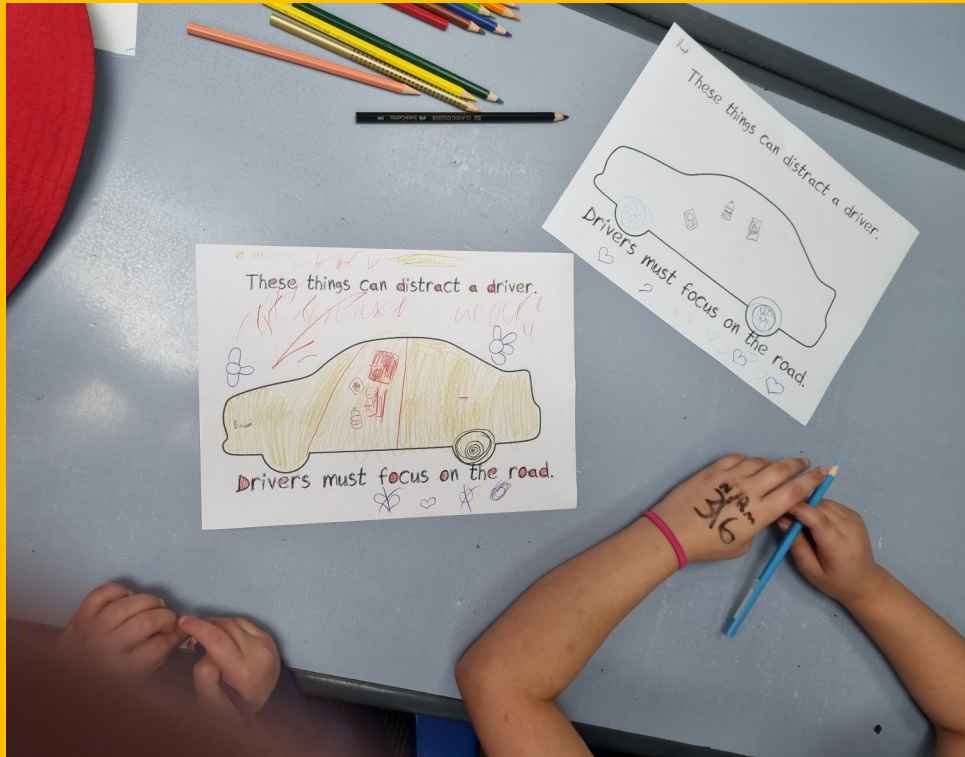






# Koby Day

## "Distracted Drivers"



# COMMUNITY NEWS

## CARER EXPO

Tuesday 17 October 2023 10am - 1pm  
Bond Street Event Centre  
10 Bond Street, Sale Vic 3850



### FREE LUNCH

And children's entertainment

### RSVP:

carers@nhvic.org.au  
or scan the QR code below

A celebration of all that you do!

Meet helpful service providers

Find out about supports available



**neighbourhood carers club**



East Gippsland Celebrating Community

## CHILDREN'S WEEK EVENT & EXPO

**FREE & FUN**

Saturday, 21 October 2023  
64 Great Alpine Rd, Lucknow  
10.00 am til 2.00 pm

Resources, education & fun for the whole family



Resources & Support for Families



Fun Activities for all Ages & Abilities



Live Entertainment



Sports Clinics

"Children have the right to relax, play and to take part in activities they enjoy"  
UNCRC Article 31

