

James Erskine Public School

Herald Newsletter

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Important Dates

Term 2	Term 3
<p>20th June– Kinder Basketball sessions</p> <p>21st June– Stage 1 Basketball sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mass choir STEPS Music Festival Rehearsal <p>22nd June - Cricket Knockout</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ATSI Hearing Assessments - 3-6 Assembly <p>23rd June– Year 5 and Year 8 Science– EPHS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - K-2 Assembly - PSSA <p>26th June- Year 4 Brewongle Excursion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Year 6 and Year 7 PE <p>27th June– Year 3 Brewongle Excursion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TOPSTEPS Day - Kinder Basketball sessions <p>28th June- Stage 1 Basketball sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stage 2 Environmental Workshops– classes to be confirmed <p>29th June– School Spelling Bee Finals</p> <p>30th June– School Discos</p>	<p>17th July -Staff Development Day</p> <p>18th July–Students 1st Day– Term 3</p> <p>20th July– 3-6 Athletics Carnival</p> <p>24th July -Year 6 Camp</p> <p>25th July -Year 6 Camp</p> <p>26th July- Year 6 Camp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Milo Cricket– Years 3 & 4– Peppertree <p>27th July– 3-6 Assembly</p> <p>28th July - K-2 Assembly</p> <p>31st July– Back up date for 3-6 Athletics Carnival</p> <p>1st August– Milo Cup–Year 5 & 6</p> <p>3rd August– Backyard league– K-2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Netball Clinics <p>8th August– NSW Netball Cup</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - NSW Touch Gala Day <p>9th August Macquarie Netball Clinic</p> <p>10th August– STEPS Music Festival Rehearsal & Performance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stage 3 Environmental Excursion to Warragamba Dam - 3– 6 Assembly <p>11th August–Year 5 & 6 Science Excursion to WSU Parramatta</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - K-2 Assembly

Assemblies

K – 2 Assemblies– Terms 2 & 3		
When	Run By	Item By
Friday 23rd June 11.20am	1C	KB
Friday 28th July 11.20am	1P	KL
Friday 11th August 11:20 am	KC	2J

Years 3 – 6 Assemblies– Terms 2	
When	Run By & Item By
Thursday 22nd June 12.20pm	3D
Thursday 27th June 12.20pm	4R
Thursday 10th August 12.20pm	5/6F

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I am safe

I am respectful

I am a learner

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From the Principal's Desk

As this term comes to an end I would like to again thank you for your support of our school. I deliberately use the term 'our' school because we all share an interest and most of all, the desire for all of our students to be successful.

On that note, I would like to make a general comment about reports that went home to parents on Tuesday.

It was my absolute pleasure to read so many positive and encouraging comments. We really do have a wonderful community of learners at our school who engage with every opportunity that is offered to them. I particularly enjoyed reading about students I may see in the playground but not necessarily have an understanding about their academic and social achievements. Thank you Ms Dunscombe for sharing this responsibility with me and I look forward to, at the end of the year, reading the other half of the school's reports. I hope you have taken the opportunity to make a booking to discuss your child's report with their teacher. A note was included with the reports providing instructions on how to access the site and the event code. If you have any difficulties, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

Also, as I mentioned at today's Assembly of Excellence, none of this would be possible without the dedication and commitment of the staff here at JEPS. That is not only those staff who take groups and teams and offer extra curricular activities during their lunch time, it's also the office staff who organise payment, notes and buses and those staff members who carry the load back here at school. Thank you again for your commitment to the students here at JEPS.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all families a restful break. Hopefully the weather is as lovely as it is at the moment. For those of you who will be travelling, take care and enjoy.

**Warm Regards,
Corinna Robertson**



News from the Deputy

School Reports

Student reports went home on Tuesday and we hope that parents found our semester one reports informative. Teachers are looking forward to meeting with you over next week to discuss your child's progress further if you need it.

Assembly of Excellence

At our Assembly of Excellence yesterday two students from each class received a Principal's award for Excellence in English, with another two students receiving an awards for Excellent Application and Attitude in English. We are currently working on a reward that these students will receive, along with bronze and silver recipients, in week 10.



School Attendance

For the majority of students at JEPS their attendance is very good. Those students who achieve 100% attendance over the term will receive an attendance award on the last day of term. Unfortunately we do have a number of students whose attendance is of concern. If we can do anything to assist you with any concerns you have with your child attending school please don't hesitate to contact the school. There will be some parents who will be contacted to discuss their child's attendance. Further

Over the term, teachers have been busy reminding parents and students of the need for an absence note. It is a legal requirement to provide an explanation for absences. We have recently been informed that after 7 days if an explanation has not been provided or is provided after 7 days we need to mark the student's attendance as unjustified. The Home School Liaison Officer who checks our attendance rates will then follow up with parents, students attendances whose rate falls below 80% particularly if their absences are unjustified. I urge parents to provide an explanation as soon as their child returns back to school after an absence.

Class Profiles

Check out our class profiles in this addition of the newsletter for 1A, 3H and 4/5H!

Kim Dunscombe
Rel. Deputy Principal

Assembly of Excellence

Congratulations to the following students who received a Principal's award yesterday for Excellence in English;

KC- Charlotte & Amelia KK- Melisa & Isaac KB Emma & Gloria KL- Emily & Zoe
 1A- Emily & Hannah 1A- Lily & Tabatha 1P- Savannah & Monique 1/2N- Lucas & Caleb
 2C- Rana & Teagan 2J- Miranda & Chelsea 2L Jack & Sienna
 3A- Ainsleigh & Melissa 3D- Zachary & Alissa 3H- Mackenzie & Mikayla
 3/4W- Adriana & Lillith 4C- Nadia & Natalee 4R- Hamilton & Tahnee
 4/5H- Xenia & Riley 5M- Sienna & Tayjah 5R- Jess & Jorja
 5/6F- Luke & Andrew 6B- Bella & Brooke 6P- Alana & Nahla

Congratulations to the following students who received a Principal's award yesterday for Excellent Application and Attitude in English;

KC- Prince & Elaina KK- Adrian & Tylee-Grace KB- Ryan & Izabella KL- William & Mitchell
 1A- Jett & Anisi 1C- Abbey & Max 1P- Mia & James 1/2N- Allira & Ayla
 2C- Maria & Ameilia 2J- Dylan & Taya 2L Jayden & Brianna
 3A- Louise & Tyla 3D- Lucena & Sam 3H- Jaxson & Mustafa
 3/4W- Thomas & Johnathan 4C- Cody & Daniel 4R- Madison & Bridie
 4/5H- Roya & Divyanka 5M- Jacob & Keeley 5R- Jayden & Rose
 5/6F- Abbi & Lara 6B- Justin & Elizabeth 6P- Jazz & Brady



School Programs

MiniLit Program-

Year 1 Reading Project



We are currently taking part in the MiniLit Reading Research Project which was designed by Macquarie University to target Year 1 students who have been identified as needing additional help in reading.

The MiniLit Program will take 20 weeks to complete, with 5 lessons of 60 minutes per week. It consists of 80 structured lessons each consisting of sound and words activities, text and story book reading.

Reports from schools who have already implemented MiniLit as part of their intervention strategies suggest that success in this program comes with improved school attendance, a positive attitude to the student's own ability and to learning, and positive changes in the general behaviour of those who had become frustrated learners.

There are 14 students taking part in this project and are being assisted by Mrs Quinn, Mr Novak and Mrs Gardner who have all been trained in the delivery of the program.

Assessment at the end of the 20 weeks will be conducted with the University Research Team analysing individual growth over the time spent on the program with all involved anticipating positive results.

If you would like any additional information on the MiniLit Program please don't hesitate in contacting Mrs Quinn.

Science & Road Safety day

During Week 6, all JEPS' students had the opportunity to attend the Science & Road Safety Day presented by the NRMA. The performance focused on promoting the message "Be Road Safe Ready". Students had a great time participating in the highly interactive show which reinforced lots of important road safety decisions and presented lots of new information.



Links with Erskine Park High School

Linking to high school, Year 6 students have participated in physical education lessons with a select group of Year 7 students. Year 5 are continuing science every fortnight. 5F and 5R will finish up this term. 5H and 5M will participate in science for the rest of the year. Year 4 worked with Year 7 over three weeks learning about mapping and geography skills.

Stage Events

Kinder Excursion

As part of our work in History and science, we have planned an excursion to Calmsley Hill Farm for kindergarten students. This is a fantastic excursion with many hands on experiences for the children. More details to follow next term!

Stage 1 Excursion– Fairfield City Excursion

In Term 3, students in Stage 1 will be learning about 'The Past and The Present' in History. To facilitate their understanding of concepts in this area, an excursion to Fairfield City Museum has been organised for the students. Year Two students will be attending on **Tuesday 29th August** and Year One on **Tuesday 5th September**. Permission notes will be sent home in the first week of Term 3. Students are required to bring their recess, lunch and two poppers in a plastic bag that is labelled with their name and class. Permission notes and payments are required by **Friday 18th August 2017**.

Stage 2 Excursion– Brewongle

Stage 2 students will be attending Brewongle Environment Centre during week 10 to take part in scientific investigations. Please remember that Year 4 students attend on Monday 26th June and Year 3 attend on Tuesday 27th June. All students need to bring their recess, lunch, drinks and hat. Full school uniform including a jacket or jumper will be required. We are looking forward to a fantastic day.

Year 5 Camp Update

The last day to pay the \$150.00 deposit for the Year 5 camp will be Monday 19th June. This year the camp will be at Broken Bay Sport and Recreation Centre, located on the Hawkesbury River at Patonga, not far from Milson Island.

Year 6 Camp

Don't forget that all Year 6 camp is the second week back of term. Monday 24th July, leaving at 6am and returning Wednesday 26th July around 7- 7:30pm. Please update staff with any further information as needed, especially changes to medical status. A final reminder note will be sent home during week one of Term 3.

Kinder Enrolments for 2018

Kindergarten enrolments are now open for 2018! If you have a child turning 5 before the 31st July 2018 they are eligible to start school next year. We will be sending information to parents and the local preschools about our transition program and orientation process next term so if you would like to be informed you will need to come to the office and complete the necessary paperwork, including providing a birth certificate and records of your child's immunisation.

General News & Updates

Students have been working hard in class, each and every day. Please ask your child to tell you about new information that they have been learning about in class each day.

Well done to all students who have had the opportunity to represent the school in dance, debating, sport and creative arts.

We have had special guests this term including a Police Youth Liaison officer who spoke to Years 4, 5 and 6 about cyber safety and respectful language. The NRMA science and road safety presentation was excellent. Many students have viewed connected classrooms with authors and illustrators.

All students are working hard and striving towards the achievement of bronze and silver awards. Students are expected to try their best for all teachers in all curriculum areas. The standard of uniform is improving. However, many students are not coming to school with all of their equipment. Students need to be organised with sports gear, permission notes and pencil cases as needed.

It was very pleasing to see so many students have their names called out at our recent assemblies.

Lost Property

Outside the side entrance to the Office there is a large tub of lost property items, which consists mainly of school jackets and jumpers with no names for identification. If your child has misplaced an item please check in the tub. This would also be a great time with students often wearing layers of clothing to ensure that all items are clearly labelled.

Year 6– High School Update

Year 6 students will start receiving high school enrolment forms from EPHS and other government high schools. These forms will come to your mailing address. Please return the forms promptly to the designated high schools. Erskine Park High forms are due back by Friday 23rd June. Please advise Mrs Halicek of confirmed enrolments.

Library Returns

Please return any outstanding library books to Mrs Cattermole before the end of term.

Congratulations to our Captains and Councillors

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our captains and councillors on a great term. Our student leaders are demonstrating good organisational skills and creativity when contributing to assemblies. Each week they appear to be growing in confidence as they speak in front of special guests, parents and students and present the PBL value. Well done Adam, Sophie, Jackson, Georgia, Korbyn, Jess, Liam, Brooke, Andrew and Shirley.

WANTED

* Do you have any **men's long sleeved white shirts** that you don't need anymore?
If so, can you please send them into **Mrs Davies 2L** so she can make some lab coats.
All sizes welcome.

* Year 6 would like any old business cards no longer needed. Please send them into Year 6 classes. Thank you.



SRC News

Crazy Hair and Hat Day!



A big **THANK YOU** to everyone that participated in our crazy hair and hat day fundraiser for the *Starlight Foundation*. With the help of Erskine Park's Ashcroft

IGA our school was able to donate: **\$1012.00**



 **Starlight**
children's foundation

SRC News

Longneck Leadership excursion

On Monday the 22nd of May our Primary SRC and Sports House Captains attended an excursion at Longneck Lagoon to develop their leadership skills. Reflecting on the day, this is what a few of our leaders said:

I learnt to trust people even if I didn't trust them at the start of the day – Olivia 3H.

I LEARNT TO BE A BETTER TEAM – ZACHARIAH 4R.

At Longneck Lagoon I learnt to work as a team and trust everyone – Olivia 4C.

At Longneck Lagoon I learnt to never leave a person behind and keep on looking for them no matter what – Jasmine 6P.

Before going to Longneck Lagoon I thought a leader was person who shows everyone what to do and tell them how to do it. I now know that a good leader is a person who learns from their mistakes and trusts their teammates - Olivia 6P

Before Longneck Lagoon I thought a leader was someone who showed responsibility and encouraged others. After going to Longneck Lagoon I learnt that you can't blame others because everyone makes mistakes. I learnt to encourage others and try my best, as well as showing responsibility – Alana 6P



K-2 Basketball

K-2 BASKETBALL



This term, our K-2 students have been participating in half hour basketball sessions each Tuesday/ Wednesday. During this time, instructors along with the class teacher have worked with the students on catching, throwing, shooting and hand-eye coordination skills. These skills and games form the foundation of our Gross Motor program skills and will form a

major component of our program for term 2.

Our K-2 students love these sessions and their instructors.

Emma KB - I like basketball because we play fun

games. Cat and mouse is my favourite.

Alysha KC - We like basketball because we get to see Jarrod.

Cameron KK - I like basketball because it's so fun and we can play with basketballs.

Emily KL - I like basketball because it makes me happy and it's fun.

Anisi IA - I enjoy basketball because we get to shoot hoops.

Indee IC - I love basketball because we play cool games like 'Tootsies.'

Hugh IP - I like shooting and doing 'frog to giraffe.'

Tyson I/2N - I like that we get to learn fun games with the skills to play basketball.

Chelsey 2C - I like the games. 'Golden Child' is my favourite.

Levi 2J - I like basketball because we play amazing games.

Jai 2L - I like basketball because we are learning the rules of how we play. I love shooting and the game 'Golden Child.'



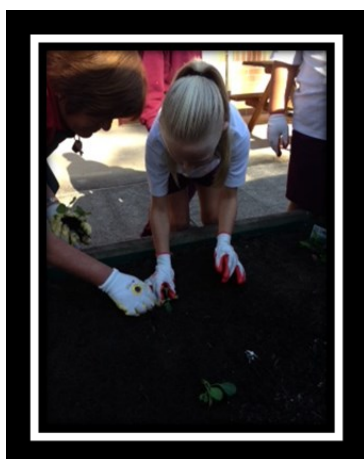
Garden News

Our beautiful, buzzing gardens!

Bunnings came out to help us plant some fantastic vegetable, herb and fruit plants on Wednesday 14th June. Some students from year one and two were selected to help out on the day. They worked hard to dig holes, plants seedlings and water them in. It was fantastic to see our gardens start to come to life with these kindly donated plants and equipment from Bunnings.



We planted a variety of seasonal plants including brussel sprouts, leeks, carrots, broccoli, strawberries, cabbage, snow-peas and wombok. We also planted some herbs such as parsley, rosemary and lavender, as well as fruit plants like limes, lemons and oranges. Then the students watered our new plants in with our new watering cans.



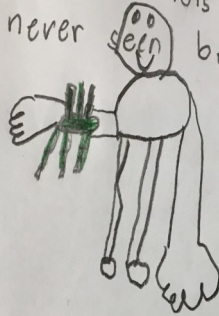
Stage 1 Incursion

BACKYARD BUGS



Today we went to Backyard Bugs to see arachnids, centipedes and other insects. It was exciting. A praying mantis crawled all over Jai's face. He was very brave. We saw lots of interesting bugs that we have never seen before. We loved it!

Jack-2L



Backyard Bugs

I like Backyard Bugs because you get to see the insects and got to touch them. It was fun because you get to learn what they do in their life and it was interesting.

By Miranda 2J.

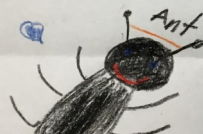
snail



bugs



Spider



Ant



frog



Class Profiles

Ia's Classroom

Here are a few of the creative artworks we produced last term

Backyard Bugs Incursion

Blake: I really enjoyed learning about spiders.

Anisi: My favourite part was when we got to hold the cocoon.

Paul: I liked holding the slimy caterpillar.



Geography

Would you like to come to Taronga Zoo with us?

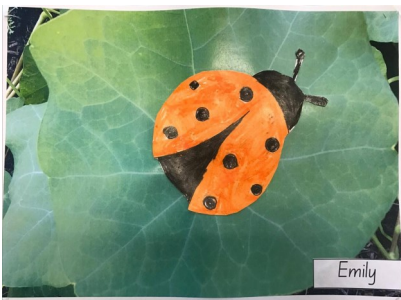
We have been planning a trip to Taronga Zoo and what type of transport we would use to get ourselves there.

Tate: I would catch the train because it will get me there faster.

Bailey: I would drive my car because I wouldn't have to stop along



Here is some of our creative artworks from this term so far



Class Profiles

Inside 3H

Here are a few of the creative artworks we produced last term



By Mackenzie

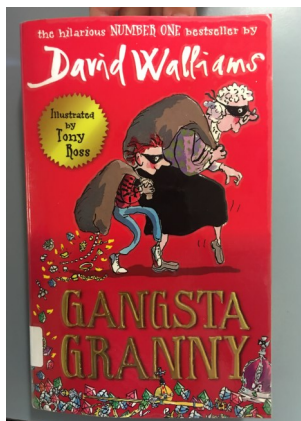


By Charlotte



By Tyrone

Our Favourite Book



I loved the part in Gangsta Granny when Granny did yoga in her underwear.
By Isabella

I loved Gangsta Granny because it was so funny. It put a smile on my face.
By Olivia

I loved Gangsta Granny because Granny let off without knowing. She was always eating cabbage soup. It made us all laugh.
By Mikayla

I loved the part in Gangsta Granny when they broke into the Tower of London and Granny and Ben stole the crown jewels.
By Ashton

My favourite part of the semester...

Has been playing PSSA soccer.
By Zach.

Having Mrs Hatton as my teacher.
By Vibhuti

Was our first cross country. It was amazing.
By Faizaan

Has been playing my first ever PSSA AFL match.
By Jaxson

Meeting and making new friends.
By Laurin

Being with my teacher Mrs Hatton and all of my friends. Also I like doing art.
By Zoe

Learning, doing art and going out for sport.
By Rose

Class Profiles

Inside 4-5H

4/5H have enjoyed a wonderful first semester. Along with lots of terrific learning, we've been fortunate to be involved in some fun, extra curricular activities at our school and at Erskine Park High School.



Smart Savers

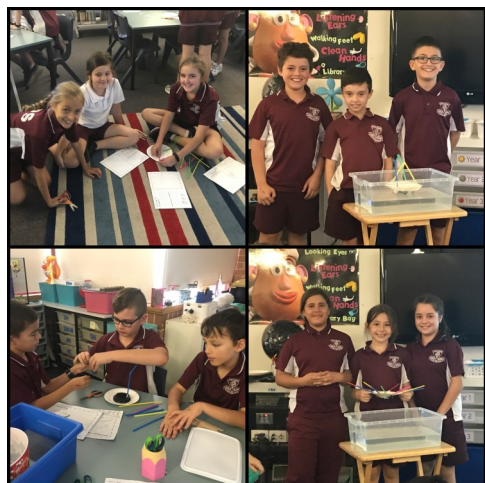
Smart savers was a great learning experience where we learnt how to save money. Nicole (Coach Cash) taught us the phrase, "spend some on you and save some too."— **Kayla and Rohan**



Mapping at EPHS

The year 4's went up to Erskine Park HS for three sessions to learn about mapping. We worked with a year 7 buddy. It was good fun learning how to read and create our own maps.

— **Brent and Ryan**



STEM

STEM was a fun challenge to complete at the library. We were given a limited supply of equipment to build a boat that could carry the most weight. We worked together in small groups.— **Mason and Jayden S.**



Road Safety Day

The NRMA Road Safety Day was a great experience. We learnt how to be safe around roads. Some of the things they taught us were how to wear a seat belt and a helmet properly.— **Rachel and Chelsea**

4/5H have a lot to look forward to in semester two. Some of the exciting things that are coming up include the athletics carnival, Year 5 visits to the high school for science lab lessons, our assembly item, Year 4 Zoo Snooze camp and Year 5 Broken Bay Sport and Recreation Camp.

Sports Report

The following reports are from our students who have represented Sydney West at their respective State Carnivals.

AFL

In week 5 term 2, Korbyn and I participated in the AFL State Carnival which was held at Parkes. Sydney West (our team) played in Pool A (the hardest pool). We lost our six pool games but managed to come 6th out of 11 teams. Our team had a special dinner at a local restaurant. 4 players from our squad were selected in the 36 man squad for NSW, 2 of which made the team. I made the NSW squad but missed out on final selection. The NSW team now play in Darwin. The carnival was a great experience.

Korbyn Varday and Luke Parkinson



Rugby League

About 2 weeks ago I went to the State Carnival for rugby league. I was part of the Sydney West team. The 3 day carnival was held at St Marys Stadium. On the first day we played teams from the Northern, Southern and Western suburbs. We won all of our games. On the second day we played private schools from around NSW. We won all of our games and made it to the semi-finals. The third day we played the semi-final and won so that meant we made it to the grand final. We had a 3 hour break and then we played Mackillop. We won 40-10. It was Sydney West rugby league's 5th time in a row to win the grand final.

Elijah Tareke



Many thanks to the parents who have taken the time to attend these carnivals with their children. We hope you also had a great

Cricket Knock Out Update

Congratulations to the State Knockout team who defeated Pitt Town PS in the third round of the competition. Pitt Town scored 66 runs and were all out during the 23rd over. JEPS reached their target of 67 runs also during the 23rd over. Blake took 4 wickets and Brodie 2. Kate and Liam both took one. Liam also scored the most runs with 11.

Thank you to Mr Darlington for umpiring and to the parents who came and supported the team.

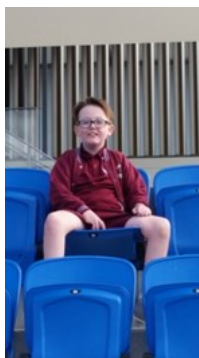
We wish the team Good luck in their next match against Glenbrook PS at Glenbrook next Thursday.

Sports Report continued

Activate Inclusion Sports day



On 31 June, Bailey and Ajai from 5R participated in the Activate Inclusion Sports Day held at Blacktown. This was a fun and relaxed day consisting of various sporting activities specifically for students with a disability. Both boys represented our school, displaying the highest level of sportsmanship, with several parents and caregivers commenting on their outstanding behaviour and friendliness towards others. Well done to both boys on a fantastic day.



NSW Netball Cup Report

On Wednesday 17th May the two senior netball teams played in the NSW Netball Cup at Penrith. Both teams played really well all day and won their divisions.

The "A" team will go and play in the Metro Region Finals day at Homebush on the 8th August against other winning teams from the Sydney metropolitan area.

The girls had a very enjoyable day and all gave 100% every time they were on the court and were excellent representatives of our school.

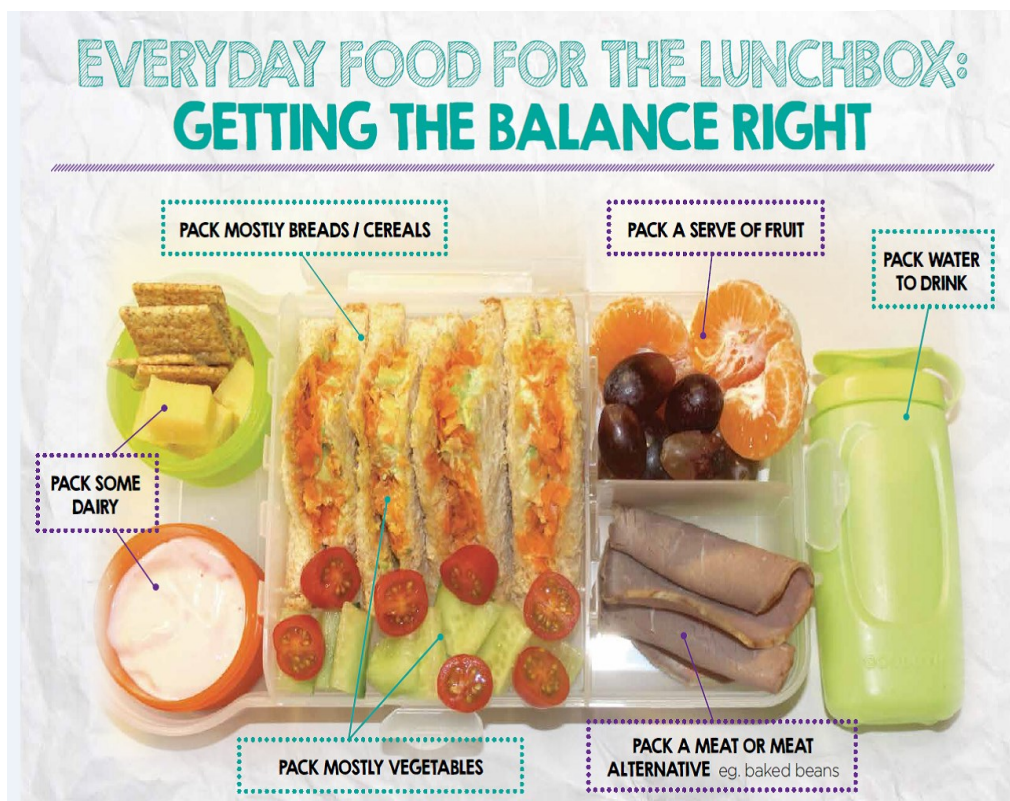
Thank you to umpires Rachel Egberts, Jade Spark and Miss Arndell from Erskine Park High.

Also a great big thank you to the parents who transported and supported us on the day.



J.E.P.S. Jaffas and Jellybeans

Healthy Lunchbox Ideas



Office News

Payment Date Reminders

Closing dates for the following excursions & events:

- Final Balance ZooSnooz - \$50.00 - Fri 16 June
- Yr 6 Final Camp Instalment - \$115 - Fri 16 June
- Yr 5 Camp Deposit - \$150 - Mon 19 June
- English & Maths Competitions - \$9 ea - Fri 23 June

The permission notes are available on the school website in the **'Notes' Tab** and the 'Online' payment option is also available for your convenience.

For cash/cheque payments please ensure all notes & money are placed in one envelope. To assist the office whilst receipting multiple cash/cheque payments for your child or children, it is preferred you place all children's payments in one envelope.

Please ensure that all permission notes are promptly returned to school. Payments should be in an envelope, clearly labelled with the child's name, class, event and amount of money. If paying online, receipt numbers and permission notes need to go to the office before payment is processed as complete.

Upcoming Events

- Assembly of Excellence - Thurs 15 June
- STEPS Rehearsal @ St Clair PS (choir) - Wed 21 June
- Yr 4 Brewongle Excursion - Mon 26 June
- Yr 3 Brewongle Excursion - Tues 27 June
- Stage 2 Environmental Workshop - Thurs 29 June
- School Disco - Fri 30 June

Mandy Anderson

School Administrative Manager

From Our School Counsellor

Some information on bullying which you can use to address with your child is provided below.

What is bullying?

- Bullying can happen to anyone
- Bullying can be one person or many people
- Bullying can happen anywhere

bullying can include:

- name calling
- deliberately leaving someone out
- teasing
- physical violence
- making people feel frightened or upset
- putting people down



What else is bullying?

www.spsondowns.co.uk

is it BULLYING?

When someone says or does something *unintentionally* hurtful and they do it once, that's **RUDE.**

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they do it once, that's **MEAN.**

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they *keep doing it* even when you tell them to stop or show them that you're upset—that's **BULLYING.**

A course coming up soon that you may be interested in.

Raising Healthy DIGITAL Teenagers

for parents | carers

Mon 19 JUN 2017 | 6PM-8PM
WESTPOINT COMMUNITY ROOM
 Level 4, Westpoint Centre, Blacktown 2148

FREE PARENTS and CARERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS EVENING SEMINAR

HOW TO RAISE HEALTHY DIGITAL (11-18 year olds) | TOPICS include:

- CYBER ISSUES RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA
- DEALING WITH LOW SCHOOL ATTENDANCE DUE TO ALL NIGHT GAMING
- RAISING TEENAGERS IN A SEXUALISED SOCIETY
- SETTING POSITIVE & HEALTHY BOUNDARIES SURROUNDING THE USE OF TECHNOLOGY

Seminar delivered by: **COLLETT SMART**

Program Status: **OPEN**

Collett is a registered Child & Adolescent Psychologist who has been delivering seminars and working with families and young people in UK, USA and Australia for over 20 years.

Collett is well known in the media for her TV & Radio Interviews on the issues impacting families with children growing up in a Digitally saturated society.

For more INFORMATION or TO BOOK Contact JFDS on 9621 3922

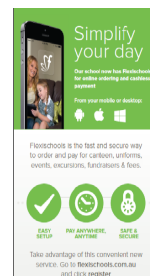
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

JUNAYA Family Development Resources
WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY
collett smart
 venue next to 'Playtime' with free 7 hour parking

News from the canteen

The canteen now has flexischools to assist with online ordering at the canteen.

Go to **flexischool.com.au** and click and register.



P&C News

School Discos

Our end of term disco will be held on Friday 30th June. Please remember to have your money in to the P&C blue box by Friday 23rd June. Students may wear mufti dress with closed in shoes on the day.

JEPS Market Day 2017- Sunday 27th August 10am -3pm

We will be holding our annual Market Day on Sunday 27th August on the school grounds.

It will be a fun filled day of stalls, rides and lots lots more. More information about wrist bands for the rides will come home soon. Please come and join us for a great day out.

We still have market stall sites available, please see the ladies in the uniform shop or our Facebook page for application forms

Lucky Boxes

At our market day we will be selling \$5 lucky boxes. A note was sent home earlier in the term with regards to what donations we would like each grade to bring in. We would like to thank all those families who have already donated and ask others to keep the donations coming.

Kindergarten - chocolates

Yr 1 & 5 - stationary

Yr 2 & 4 - lollies

Yr 3 - pamper products

Please ensure all donations are brand new, in date and unopened.

Uniform shop

We are fully stocked with all of our winter uniforms. Please note if you find it difficult to come in to the shop you can put money and what you wish to purchase in an envelop for your child to hand in and we will be more than happy to give the items to your child.

Uniform shops hours are;

Tuesday 8.30 - 9am

Thursday 2.30 - 3pm

Friday 8.30 - 9am

Thank you

A big thank you to Erskine Park Newsagency for their donation of cellophane which was used on our Mother's Day gifts. Your support is greatly appreciated.

P&C meeting

Our next P&C meeting will be 21st June, starting at 8:50am in the staff room. We would love to see all our parents and carers, come and share ideas.

Thank you for your continued support

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