HELPING HANDS SURVEY

Please remember to return your Helping Hands Survey if you would like to access this after school service.

SCHOOL CARPARK

Please ensure that your child/ren are accessing the school through the correct gates and not entering or exiting the school through the car parks.

SCHOOL HALL

The school hall is almost complete. The official handover will occur in Week 10 of this term.

CCTV

The CCTV security system that was kindly donated by Danielle and Robert Pearce has now been installed in the hall and the canteen. We trust this will work to prevent further break and enters into the school.

PLANNED WORKS

Currently the school is receiving work through the Planned Maintenance Cycle. Our school is getting some painting repairs and the COLA in the bottom playground is being rust proofed and painted. The COLA will also be pigeon proofed.

LEAVE

I will be on leave for all of next week. Mr Simon Taylor will be the relieving Principal during this time.

Have a wonderful week,

Tanja Vogt
Relieving Principal
Technology Update

This week, all students, except for Kindergarten, will be discussing Internet/cyber safety. Specific topics to be covered include: password security, email safety, cyberbullying, digital footprint and identity theft. During the next few weeks, it would be an ideal time for parents to discuss Internet use and cybersafety with their children. Remember to be CyberSmart (http://www.cybersmart.gov.au).

Mathletics Update Week 8

Congratulations Eden Public!!! Last week we had 2 students achieve their GOLD Certificate, 6 students achieve a Silver Certificate and 20 students earned a Bronze Certificate. Well done everyone! Remember to get a Silver certificate you must get four Bronze certificates. Bronze certificates are earned by getting 1000 points in a week (Monday morning to Sunday night), about 5-10 activities in total. Just check the rocket ship to see your weekly progress.

Congratulations also goes to 3/4K who were last week’s leading class with 19 certificates. Second place goes to 1/2O (4) and third to 1/2D (2). Just remember students have full 24hr access to Mathletics on the Internet.

Simon Taylor

Go PURPLE

Don’t forget this Thursday 19th March E.P.S is having a Purple Day to increase awareness about epilepsy. On this day we are encouraging students to wear purple.

Purple Day merchandise will be on sale at the office ranging in price from $2 to $10.

Primary Sport Update

Due to change in date for the Zone Cross Country carnival, the Term 1 primary swimming sports (Friday’s) will be concluding at the end of this week. Next week, students in Stage 2 will begin preparing for the school’s Cross Country carnival to be held on Tuesday 31st March. Please check your children’s bag for permission notes.

Simon Taylor

Whole School Lockdown Drill

Eden Public School’s WH&S/OH&S committee would like to thank the students and any parents/visitors to the school for their cooperation during our recent “whole school lockdown” drill. A “whole school lockdown” drill provides us with the opportunity to practise procedures that would be implemented if we had a dangerous person or animal on our school site. Thankyou and remember; safety is everyone’s responsibility.
COMMUNITY NEWS Tuesday, 17th March

Eden Tigers Minor Rugby League
There will be a General Meeting held at the George Brown Memorial Oval this Tuesday 17th March at 7pm, all welcome, followed by a committee meeting afterwards.

P & C Easter Raffle
As our Easter raffle is quickly approaching any donations would be greatly appreciated.

Canteen News

FUNNY FRUIT ONLY $1.00

P & C Thurday Raffle This Week

3/4K Melissa Oost
3/4JR&M Rennae Kennelly
5/6E Danielle Pearce
5/6D Victoria Kennedy
5/6L Karen McCamish

Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way
...to make sandwiches fun

Casey the Caterpillar

Ingredients
- 2 slices wholegrain bread cut into four circles, using a cookie cutter
- 2 slices reduced-fat cheese cut into four circles, using a cookie cutter
- 1 cucumber, sliced
- 1 cherry tomato
- 1 wooden skewer
- 2 raisins/sultanas
- Chives/toothpicks – for antennas

Method
1. Layer bread, cheese and cucumber
2. Slide onto skewer to create body, with a tomato head
3. Cut slits in tomato to add raisin eyes, cucumber mouth and antennas

For more information visit www.eattittobeatit.com.au
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Eden Public School, 124 Imlay Street, Eden NSW 2551 Phone: 02 6496 1169 Fax: 02 6496 1383
Exciting News ➔ UNSW is now offering their competitions to students in Year 2 in the following areas; Mathematics, English and Science.

The University of NSW (UNSW) competitions are offered internationally to all students, grade 3 and above, as an academic competition. Students who compete receive a graded certificate of achievement (high distinction, distinction, credit, participation, etc). Competitions are offered in a range of subjects. If you are interested please complete the entry form below and return it, with payment to the front office.

*** All entries must be returned with payment by March 23rd ***

University of New South Wales Competitions Entry Form

Name ___________________________________

Class _______________   Year _________________

I wish to enter the following UNSW competitions:
(please circle)

Computer Skills (19 May) $8.00  (grades 3-6)
Science (3 June) $8.00  (grades 2-6)
Writing (5 June) $17.00  (grades 3-6)
Spelling (16 June) $11.00  (grades 3-6)
English (28 July) $8.00  (grades 2-6)
Maths (11 August) $8.00  (grades 2-6)

Total Competitions ______     Total amount enclosed __________

Parent/Carer Signature: __________________________________________

Eden Primary School Absentee Note

My children ____________________________ of Class: __________

were absent on: date/s _______________________________________

Please tick box where appropriate.

☐ Sick   ☐ Leave   ☐ Family Leave   ☐ Appointment

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