

School Newsletter

Thursday 22nd June 2023



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**EDGARS CREEK
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY COURAGE CURIOSITY



Happy holidays to all our ECPS families. We hope you all have a safe and happy holiday. We look forward to seeing you all in Term 3!

SEMESTER REPORTS

AVAILABLE ON COMPASS

THURSDAY 22ND JUNE AT 4PM

We are currently still working with Compass on resolving the issue of opening reports on IOS devices. Android and other devices should be able to access reports through the Compass App.

For IOS users, please select the menu (3 lines) in the top left corner and "View in Browser" to see your child's Semester Reports.

If you have any questions about the Semester Reports, please contact your child's Homegroup teacher.



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IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 23rd June

Last Day Term 2

School Finishes at 2.30pm

Monday 10th July

First Day of Term 3

Friday 14th July

District Girls AFL and District Boys Netball (selected students) at Marymede Catholic College

Friday 28th July

Payment due for Year 6 Camp

ICAS Coming Term 3

ECPS will once again hold the ICAS Assessments for any students in Year 2-6 wishing to complete the assessment. Students will have the option to complete English (Reading), Spelling Bee and Mathematics assessments we will communicate the details to participate early in Term 3



LUNCH WITH ANN

Ann has had the pleasure of more students using their Dojo points to have lunch with her. She is really enjoying all the wonderful conversations they are sharing together and all the great work they are doing at ECPS.



Learning together for success.

victorian premiers' reading challenge



The Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge is now open and Edgars Creek Primary School is excited to be participating. Students are able to log in to the Premiers' Reading Challenge website using their eduPass credentials. Please contact your child's Home Group teacher if you need your child's username and password.

Beanies

We still have plenty of beanies for sale in the office if you would like to purchase one you can collect them from the office for \$17.00.

Please remember to name your child's beanie



Lunch Mums

Lunch orders EVERY Tuesday and Thursday!!!

FAMILIES are able to place orders via an online App "My School Connect". <https://myschoolconnect.com.au/login>

Orders must be in by Tuesday 8am for Tuesday lunch orders and Thursday 8.00am for Thursday lunch orders.

ECPS & Lunch Mums look forward to working with the school community in providing school lunches for your children.



YEAR 3-4 HOOPTIME BASKETBALL

Edgars Creek PS competed in the Hooptime Basketball Competition held at Diamond Valley Stadium on Wednesday 21st June. 5 teams represented the school with great distinction. Their dedication and sportsmanship is to be commended. They showed a lot of improvement in their skills throughout the day. Each team played 5 games against teams from Glowrey Catholic College, Marymede and Al Sarat. The highlight of the day was the performance of the Edgars Creek Cats team that qualified for the Future Stars Grand Final. The team put in a spirited display only to go down 14-6 to Marymede PS.

Thank you to our coaches – Matt, Belinda, David and in particular, Tenille and Monique, who trained the students before school and during lunch times over the past 4 weeks to ensure that they had the best opportunity for success.



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OUR WEEK IN PREP!

CRAZY HAT PARADE

This week in Maths, our Preps are designing and creating their crazy hats in preparation for their Crazy Hat Parade on Friday!!



SHAPES AND PATTERNS

Students had to include different shapes in their hat design, as well as different patterns!



Students also got to spend an afternoon with their Grade 4 buddies, making different patterns using shape and colour!

Mathletics

Term 2 Award Recipients

Congratulations to the following students in each Learning Community who have earned the highest amount of Mathletics points this term

Prep A-C
Gold: Jackson N
Silver: Avya S
Bronze Vaanya K

Year 1 D -F
Gold: Yania B
Silver: Mansirat S
Bronze Yasmin H

Year 3
Gold: Aysha S
Silver: Radh A
Bronze Kanisha P

Prep D-F
Gold: Ana S
Silver: Norah S
Bronze Ekam Jot S

Year 2 A-C
Gold: Gurleen G
Silver: Eveleen K
Bronze Shayna M

Year 4
Gold: Avleen G
Silver: Amay S
Bronze Oustat B

Year 6
Gold: Amen A
Silver: Aiden D
Bronze Lucas L

Year 1 A-C
Gold: Jedaiah-Rome S
Silver: Niroshan S
Bronze Ekam R

Year 2 D - F
Gold: Neriah S
Silver: Yalsu A
Bronze Navraj B

Year 5
Gold: Gurmeet S
Silver: Sahibjot S
Bronze Gurseerat K



IT'S
BACK!!

AUDITIONS!

DO YOU HAVE A SPECIAL TALENT? ARE YOU A MAGICIAN OR A SINGER OR A PART OF A DANCE CREW? ARE YOU GOOD AT TELLING JOKES OR MAYBE YOU CAN PLAY AN INSTRUMENT?

WE WANT YOU TO SHARE YOUR SPECIAL SKILLS WITH US AT 'EDGARS CREEK'S GOT TALENT!'

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GOT
TALENT?



GET BUSY AND START REHEARSING! YOU CAN ENTER INDIVIDUALLY OR AS A PART OF A GROUP. AUDITIONS WILL HAPPEN DURING YOUR PERFORMING ARTS LESSONS EITHER AT THE END OF TERM 2 OR AT THE BEGINNING OF TERM 3 DEPENDING WHEN YOUR GRADE HAS PERFORMING ARTS THIS YEAR. FINALIST SHOWS ARE IN TERM 3!

SEE ANITA IF YOU HAVE
ANY QUESTIONS!

ECPS TOUR DATES

Tours will be held in Term 3. These tours give you the opportunity to view and learn about our school.

Tour Dates

Thursday 20th July

Wednesday 26th July

Thursday 17th August

Tuesday 22nd August

Wednesday 6th September

Tours start at 10.am and are approximately 45min. Tours leave from the school office.



Bookings are essential
book via

[ecpstours2023.eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ecpstours2023)



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Welcoming Wellbeing

THE TRUST TRIANGLE

The purpose of creating consequences for our children is to support and influence our children to make positive choices. Ideally, we create consequences that align with strong and compassionate values and principles.

THE TRUST TRIANGLE



Our influence can come out in 1 of 2 ways. The first is Power, the second is a relationship of trust.

If our children are being forced to do something, it simply means that they are not showing responsibility for their actions. Force creates resistance.

The image on the left shows a visual of 'The Trust Triangle' - a image demonstrating the importance and partnership between trust and healthy relationships.

Building a relationship based on trust takes a long time, but it is certainly an investment! Some things you can do to foster this relationship can look like:

- Getting to know your child's world, who do they like to play with? What are their interests?
- Regularly checking in with your child and asking them how they are feeling.
- Set boundaries, rules and consequences.
- Being available and distraction free.
- Listen and empathise with your child.

Celebrating Our Multicultural School Community

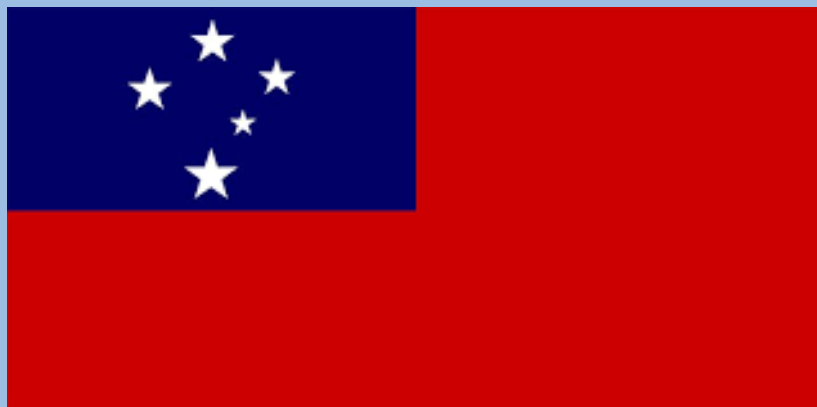


EVERYBODY IS WELCOME AT EDGAR'S CREEK PRIMARY

At ECPS this year we are celebrating our wonderful and extensive Multicultural community. Each week at assembly, we are unveiling a different cultural flag.

This week we are celebrating those in the ECPS Community from

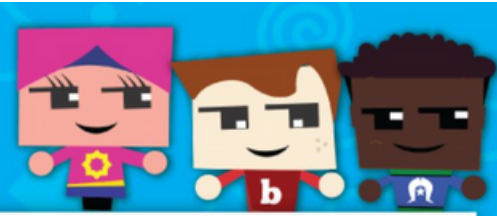
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CHILDCARE



WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING AT

O.S.H.C.?

Just a few things that are happening over at Big Childcare this term!

- Anzac Day week
- Dance and music week
- Mother's day week
- Friendship week
- Sports week
- Naidoc week

With a special visit from the Soccajoeys coming soon!

**(Wednesday 7th June Student Free Day)
Big Childcare will be hosting a Green Thumbs Day!**



HOLIDAY CARE



Holiday program was fantastic we had ball going to great venues like Luna park, Healesville Sanctuary, Mini golf, Village Cinemas and Flip out.

This winter we are going to Bounce, Zone arcades, Trick your brain magic show and the cinemas! With other fantastic home -based todays available as well. We are super excited book now on the big childcare website or through the Xap app!



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CHILD CARE

BRIG WINTER FEST





Week 1: - 26 - 30 June



MON 26 JUN | CHRISTMAS IN JULY \$70



We can't wait till the end of the year until Xmas! So today we will be doing all things Xmas-y! Make and wrap presents, bake Christmas cookies and sing the carols to get us into the true Xmas spirit!



TUE 27 JUN | BOUNCE \$70 + \$35



Bounce into this incredible BIG trampoline play centre! Learn a new trick or bounce with a friend until you can't bounce anymore! there's so much fun to be had on this epic day, so jump on in at Bounce!



WED 28 JUN | NINJA WARRIOR \$70



Ninjas assemble! Today you will have the chance to graduate from our Big Ninja Academy. From creating costumes and crafts, to braving the Ninja warrior course, by the end of the day you will become a true ninja sensei!



THU 29 JUN | TRICK YOUR BRAIN \$70 + \$25



Join us for the new MEGA show for Big Bobby & Rhodney! You will see some incredible tricks and learn some cool facts on how your brain works! Includes special guests Picco the Clown and the Gamemaster!



FRI 30 JUN | GIANT GAMES \$70



There are games and there are GIANT GAMES. We are going to the next level with some games that are bigger than the players themselves. Giant Dice, Giant O & X's and Giant Connect 4 to name a few you might play today!

Week 2: - 3 - 7 July



MON 03 JUL | SPACE DAY \$70



3...2...1... Blast off with BIG Childcare for our Space Day. We are going around the galaxy in a day with weird and wacky art from another planet. We have intergalactic games, cosmic crafts and final frontier foods!



TUE 04 JUL | MOVIES: ELEMENTAL \$70 + \$35



Today we're off to the movies to watch Disney Pixar's latest flick 'Elemental' In a city where fire, water, land, and air characters live together, they discover something elemental: how much they really have in common.



WED 05 JUL | CRAFT EXPLOSION \$70



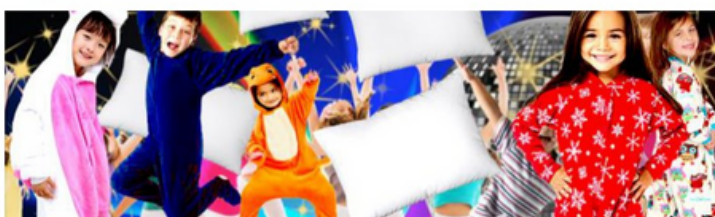
We are getting out everything crafty! Get messy with paint or sculpt a sculpture, young creative minds are always what makes an CRAFT EXPLOSION day. We can't wait to see what masterpieces are made!



THU 06 JUL | ARCADE \$70 + \$35



Join us on this double fun day out! That's right, we're doing two activities in one trip! So warm up your bowling arms and get your shooting eye at the ready, as this day is one not to be missed!



FRI 07 JUL | PJ DJ PARTY \$70



Roll out of bed and rock up to Big Childcare, we're having fun in our PJ wear! This fun-filled slumber party is always a favourite with dance parties, competitions, party games and a chill out movie session too!



SoccaJoeys Holiday Camp



Friday, 30th June
10 AM - 2:30 PM



Edgar's Creek
Primary School

45 Macedon Parade, Wollert

SoccaJoeys Holiday Program teaches your child valuable skills for life while having fun in a safe and nurturing environment. Led by qualified SoccaJoeys coaches, the program includes soccer games, skill sessions drills, soccer tennis, soccer golf, and much more fun activities with the ball!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD](#)

Call or email John. Register by clicking the link above
0403 613 095 | melbournorth@soccajoeys.com

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hit the **HOOPS**



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For further information please email info@wcba.org.au



WHITTLESEA
PACERS
BASKETBALL

MILL PARK STADIUM

WEDNESDAYS
4pm - 5pm

19 July 2023
26 July 2023
2 August 2023
9 August 2023
16 August 2023
23 August 2023
30 August 2023
6 September 2023
13 September 2023

EDGARS CREEK PS

TUESDAYS
3.30pm - 4.30pm

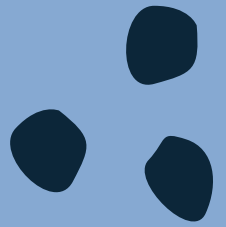
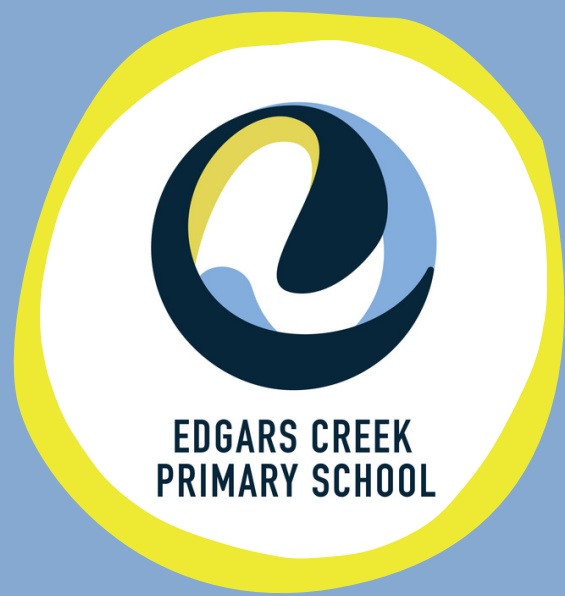
18 July 2023
25 July 2023
1 August 2023
8 August 2023
15 August 2023
22 August 2023
29 August 2023
5 September 2023
12 September 2023

COST:

\$145 NEW PARTICIPANTS
\$100 RETURNING PARTICIPANTS

NEW PARTICIPANT PACK INCLUDES
A PERSONALISED SINGLET AND
BASKETBALL





WHITTLESEA COMMUNITY NEWS





Celebrate Kirrip Community Centre's 1st birthday!

Celebrate our birthday at this **FREE** event at the Kirrip Community Centre

Saturday 24 June
9.30am-12pm
135 De Rossi Blvd, Wollert

Face painting

Party games

★ meet local community groups

Story time

Party food

★ Entertainment



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- Support the health, wellbeing and safety of students

You will participate in excursions, workshops and gain insights from industry guest speakers.

Pathways

Graduates are in demand and work in a range of educational settings, including primary and secondary schools and schools for children with additional needs. Graduates work as education assistants, teacher's aides and support workers.

Entry requirements

Aged 18 years and over. Moderate computer, email and internet skills. Plus digital technology access. English LLN skills at an industry entry standard.

How to enrol

Call 9462 6077 to arrange a pre-enrolment interview.



Location

Prace - Merrilands
Community Centre
35 Sturdee St, Reservoir

Dates and duration (TBC)

24 Jul - 4 Dec 2023 and
5 Feb - 29 April 2024
26 Sessions
2 Workshops
100-hour placement

Days and times

Mondays
9.15am - 3.15pm
Classes will not run on public or
school holidays

Study Mode

Face-to-face in a
classroom, self-directed
offsite tasks and research,
remote teacher support
sessions, practical
placement and industry/
assessment workshops

Fees

Gov. subsidised:
Concession \$90
Full \$450
Non-subsidised \$5850

[^]Special consideration may
apply
Plus \$10 Service & Amenities fee

*Course commencement is
subject to variation, sufficient
enrolments and eligibility
requirements. Prace encourages
individuals with disabilities to
participate in our programs and
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