

Edi Upper Primary School

Newsletter

The Fortnightly Wrap Up

This week students have been working to understand about different values and how we exist in many different ways as it is National Reconciliation Week (NRW). This year we reflect on two significant anniversaries in our nation's reconciliation journey—50 years since the 1967 referendum and 25 years since the historic Mabo decision.

Each year National Reconciliation Week (NRW) celebrates and builds on the respectful relationships shared by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other Australians. It is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements, and to explore how each of us can join the national reconciliation journey.

Home Reading Achievements

Congratulations to the following who have reached milestones with their home reading: 25 nights - Andrew White. 50 nights - Eli Cook, London Sloan, Felicity Richards, Hope Waite, Issy Pizzini, Lane Sloan. 75 nights - Immy Cook, Luke Simian, Bridgette Cook. All students will receive a ticket in the fortnightly raffle.

Dates to Remember

School Council

Mon 5th June

Grade 6

Leadership Camp

5th - 9th June

Cross Country

Thurs 8th June

Queen's Birthday

Mon 12th June

Family Science Night

Tues 13th June

Parent/teacher interviews

Wed 28th June

Biggest Morning Tea

Fri 30th June

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SICKNESS

There has been a tummy bug going around at school. If your child is not well, please keep them home.

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BIKES

There are still a few bikes left at school. Can these please go home ASAP.

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HOME READING

Remember to read each night.

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STUDENT ABSENCE

Please ensure you contact the school regarding student absence ASAP.

Cross Country Running

The Ovens and Mitta division cross country will be held on Thursday 8th June at the Barr Reserve in Wangaratta. Students will travel to and from the event in the school mini bus and parents are welcome to attend.

Approximate event times are:

10:30am Girls 10 years 2000m

10:45am Boys 10 years 2000m

11am Girls 11 years 3000m

11:20am Boys 11 years 3000m

11:40am Girls 12/13 years 3000m

12pm Boys 12/13 years 3000m

AFL Game - Julia Calvene

We have organised this year's AFL game. We have chosen to watch Essendon VS North Melbourne. It will be at Etihad Stadium on the 22 of July and will start at 1:45pm. We would like to know who will be interested in coming. Please contact Dimi Calvene by Friday 16th June

Family Science Night

All families and students are warmly invited to attend a family science evening on **Tuesday 13th June, commencing at 7pm**. This is a great opportunity to spend an hour or so having some fun with science. There will be a Science Trivia challenge, demonstrations of electric circuits at work, and experiments to try. We will finish the evening with some supper. Over the next couple of weeks all students from Prep to Grade 6 will be preparing some activities to share. We look forward to welcoming you all.

Hot Food

A reminder that children are not able to access the kitchen sandwich press or microwave on Mondays and Wednesdays as groups are in using the kitchen for their SAKG lessons. Please think about other food options for these days.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Interviews will be held on Wednesday 28th June. Please fill in the form attached to the newsletter and return it by Friday 9th June. A final timetable will be sent out the following week.

Scholastic Book Club

Orders for issue 4 of book club are due Friday 16th of June. Please remember that all orders are to be completed online at scholastic.com.au/LOOP and that nothing needs to be returned to school.

Grade 6 Leadership Camp

We are lucky enough to have Jai and Abby attend a Grade 6 Leadership Camp next week at 15 Mile Creek Camp. They will join students from schools around the region and will be provided with opportunities to build relationships and experience challenges to promote personal growth. Students need to be at the camp by 11am Monday morning and picked up on Friday at 12pm.