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## From the Executive Teacher

### NAPLAN

NAPLAN results will be available to parents after 13 August. Parents are reminded that NAPLAN is only a snap shot of a child on one day. However it helps parents, carers and educators to see if children are meeting important numeracy and literacy standards. It is used to support school improvement processes by enabling teachers to monitor their students' progress over time and to identify areas of strength and development. We use this information, together with lots of other school based assessment to help us plan, teach and report on children. NAPLAN provides parents and carers with an individual report, showing their child's results and a national comparison of their child's performance against other Australian students in their year level. As a staff we analyse the data and look for areas where we can be guided. It will be interesting to look at the data as this year some of the tests were online, and provided 'tailored

testing', which gave students questions better suited to their ability. The aim is to provide better assessment and more precise results.

### 100 days of school

Last Friday Kindergarten students celebrated 100 days of school! They dressed up as 100 year olds and participated in many fun activities about 100. It ensured there was lots of counting to 100 through making groups and finding out exciting things like ten groups of ten make one hundred! They wrote stories about what they thought they would look like when they are 100 and read books about old people. The Kinder teachers participated fully and looked terrific, although commented that sometimes they felt nearly that age after a day of school!



## 3 August 2018

**Monday 6 August**

**Tuesday 7 August**

**Wednesday 8 August**

School Banking  
Fresh Tastes Parent Workshop  
– 3.30pm

**Thursday 9 August**

Canteen Open  
Breakfast Club: 8.30am –  
9.00am

**Friday 10 August**

Canteen Open  
Scholastic Book Club – Issue #5  
orders due

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## School Satisfaction Survey

The annual School Satisfaction Survey will be starting 14 August 2018. All stakeholders in a school are surveyed online. The survey results will contribute to our school improvement processes and will also be used in public interest research projects and longitudinal studies aimed at improving the quality of services in the ACT. More information will be coming in the next few weeks and we encourage as many parents and carers as possible to participate in the survey.

In a few weeks' time, on Friday 24 August, everyone in the school will have another opportunity to get dressed up for the annual Book Week Parade. You might like to start talking about this with your child. It is always a fun day with lots of amazing costumes and wonderful creative ideas.

**Louise Frawley**

Kinder and Year 1 /2 Executive Teacher

## News from the Climatologists

The Climatologists have returned from their winter break ready to learn! We have been working on our life skills, this week 'cooking' which includes us using our math and literacy knowledge. At the beginning of our health unit we learnt about what food was good for you, why, and which foods are sometimes foods. With this knowledge we then came up with a list of the things we would like to make. This included things like wraps, salad and pancakes. We each take turns to measure out ingredients, cook delicious food and write a review on whether it was yummy or not.



We have also started our cricket program with the Mineralogists (5/6 ANTS) using all the equipment that we received last year from 'Dream cricket'. We are working on our underarm and overarm throwing, catching and hitting skills. This is taking place on a Monday so please ensure that you are wearing your runners.



## Japanese News

Juna, Evatt's Japanese Teaching Assistant, has just finished her stay with the Cunningham Family. Juna had a great time with them especially enjoying doing activities together like running, rock-climbing, visiting the zoo and watching an ice-hockey match. Thank you to the Cunningham family for the kindness and generosity you showed Juna.

Juna has now moved to the Davill family and is looking forward to getting to know Alex and Sophie. Thank you again to both families. We appreciate your support of the Japanese program at Evatt.



## Bus Route Changes

Please be aware that there will be proposed changes to bus routes around Evatt and McKellar, which may affect students and families in our area. More information can be found at:

<https://canberrabuses.com.au/>

<https://canberrabuses.com.au/regions/belconnen/>

<https://canberrabuses.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/belconnen-network-region-map.pdf>

<https://canberrabuses.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/University Of Canberra High School Kaleen Guide.pdf>

<https://canberrabuses.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/Melba Copland Secondary School Guide.pdf>

There is a link to a survey at: <https://canberrabuses.com.au/> . The consultation period closes 12 August.



## Athletics Carnival

Last week we managed to complete the field events that were unable to be completed at the carnival last term. As a result, we now have the final results for the day (drum roll please) - Clancy 1st with 359 points, Copland 2nd with 350 points, Webb 3rd with 327 points and Dixon 4th with 308 points. This means that three different houses have taken out the three different carnivals this year. It's great to see the competition heat up!

Congratulations to Jamie, Talicia, Dylan, Maddison, Hogan, Harrison, Alex, Petra, Amy, Sarah, Matthew, Luke, Josh, Rachel, Hannah, Madison, Gwen, Ehlana, Michael, Hannah, Regan, Tahlia, Lachlan, Khloe, Riley, Ruby, Ben, Emma, Hayes, Dom, Imogen, Larissa, Rhysie, Marissa, Corey, Abbey, Ella, Harry, Richard, Lily and Aaron who have been selected to represent Evatt School at the ACT School Sport Belconnen Region Track and Field Carnival on Tuesday 28 August. These students received their note at assembly today and need to return their notes by **Thursday 16 August**.

## Learn to Swim Program

Last week parents of children in Kindergarten, year 1, year 2 and the ANTs units received a letter about the 'Learn to Swim' program we are offering this term at the AIS. The program will include 10 lessons over a two week period (Monday 17 September - Friday 28 September). This note asked for an expression of interest with a \$20.00 non-refundable deposit, so we can calculate the cost of the program correctly, ensuring the lowest price possible to you. The program caters for all swimming abilities from beginner up to squad.

Please ensure your expression of interest with the deposit is returned to the school by **Wednesday 8 August**.

## Jump Rope for Heart

This year our school is participating in Jump Rope for Heart. Jump Rope for Heart started in 1983, and has raised more than \$75 million for the Heart Foundation's lifesaving work. Jump Rope for Heart is a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills.

Evatt School will be launching our involvement in the Jump Rope for Heart program on Thursday 16 August and the Jump Off will be on Thursday 20 September. After the launch children will have the opportunity to register their involvement in the program and raise money for the Heart Foundation, in turn earning some wonderful prizes.

## School Sport - Sport Trials

Girls and boys 12&U Primary Softball Day

**Jenelle Martin**, Physical Education Teacher, Evatt School





Canteen Special:

**Pumpkin Soup \$3.50 or \$4.00 (with a roll)**



## EVATT EAGLES SOFTBALL



Are You looking for a summer sport for your child/ren? Come along and play for the Evatt Eagles Softball Club. Evatt Eagles have a long history of Soft ball teams.

All games will be played at Hawker Playing fields on Saturday mornings, in the school term, starting from 20 October, breaking over Christmas with the season completing in late March early April 2019.

Training will be at Evatt Primary School, time and day to be advised.

We are looking for kids from preschool to year 6, to fill teams in Tee ball and softball. If you know any other children in the community that would like to play, they can come and play for the Evatt Eagles as well.

Fees will be \$170 - \$200 for the season per player, depending on what level they play, this includes a hat and polo shirt. Fees will be reduced for returning players who do not need a new uniform.

We are also looking for sponsorship for each of our teams. If you own your own business or know someone who does and are interested in sponsoring a team, please indicate in the box below for more information.

Additionally, we are looking for parent help to assist with coaching and managing teams throughout the season.

**Come along to a come and try day on Wednesday 29 August, 3:30 – 4:30pm, at Evatt School.**

To indicate your interest in playing, volunteering to help, or sponsor a team, please fill in the slip below and return to Evatt school or email details to [evatteaglessoftball@gmail.com](mailto:evatteaglessoftball@gmail.com) by **Friday by 17 August**.

A confirmation letter will be sent out to you in week 5. For any further information contact Tracy at [evatteaglessoftball@gmail.com](mailto:evatteaglessoftball@gmail.com)



### EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR EVATT EAGLES SOFTBALL

Childs Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Parent/Carer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number (preferable mobile): \_\_\_\_\_

- I would like to know more about sponsoring a team.
- I would like to know more about how I can volunteer.

## Notes Due:

**\*PLEASE NOTE:** Paper notes are sent home on Wednesdays. Copies can be accessed at the following links\*

2018 – Voluntary Contributions and Stationery Contribution K-6

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0019/409060/2018\\_Vol\\_Cons\\_and\\_Stationery.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0019/409060/2018_Vol_Cons_and_Stationery.pdf)

Preschool – Voluntary Contributions and Arts and Craft Contribution

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0020/409061/2018\\_Vol\\_Cons\\_and\\_Craft\\_Supplies\\_-\\_preschool.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0020/409061/2018_Vol_Cons_and_Craft_Supplies_-_preschool.pdf)

Canteen News and Menu 2018

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0004/414175/Canteen\\_News\\_and\\_menu\\_term\\_1\\_2018.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0004/414175/Canteen_News_and_menu_term_1_2018.pdf) ]

Assistance for 2018 Fete

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0020/423344/Assistance-for-Fete-Letter\\_2018.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0020/423344/Assistance-for-Fete-Letter_2018.pdf)

ICT Permission

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0008/416924/ICT\\_Permissions\\_note.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0008/416924/ICT_Permissions_note.pdf)

SeeSaw

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0009/416925/Seesaw\\_permission.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0009/416925/Seesaw_permission.pdf)

School Intentions

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0003/425370/School\\_Intentions\\_for\\_2019.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0003/425370/School_Intentions_for_2019.pdf)

Learn to Swim Program Expression of Interest: Kinder, year 1/2 and ANT's Due: 8 August 2018

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0003/427584/Learn\\_to\\_Swim\\_2018\\_-\\_final.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0003/427584/Learn_to_Swim_2018_-_final.pdf)

### 2019

2019 - Year 3/4 Camp

Year 2 and 3

Due: 11 December 2018

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0004/427585/Birrigai\\_Camp\\_Year\\_3\\_and\\_4\\_2019.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0004/427585/Birrigai_Camp_Year_3_and_4_2019.pdf)

[2019](#)

2019 - Year 5/6 Camp

Year 4 and 5

Due: 11 December 2018

[http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0007/427588/Borambola\\_Camp\\_Year\\_5\\_and\\_6\\_2019.pdf](http://www.evattps.act.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0007/427588/Borambola_Camp_Year_5_and_6_2019.pdf)



## Help Evatt Primary School raise much needed funds...

Wondering which offers in the 2018 | 2019 Entertainment Books and Digital Memberships are the most popular with Members so far this year? Check out this list of offers you could be enjoying once you've purchased your NEW Entertainment Membership. Plus buy from us today and you'll also be supporting our school.

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5	 Bakers Delight	2-FOR-1	10	 Questacon The National Science and Technology Centre	2-FOR-1

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Another Chance Op shop will be hosting a 'Farewell winter sale' with half price on all clothing, shoes and bags from Monday 13 – Saturday 18 August 2018.

Find us at Scullin shops, Ross Smith Cres, between 10am and 4:30pm weekdays and 10am-1pm Saturday.

Like our Facebook page for more information.

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## Term 3 – 2018

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>3</b>	6	7	<b>8</b> School Banking Fresh Tastes Parent Workshop – 3.30pm	<b>9</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am	<b>10</b> Canteen Open Scholastic Book Club – Issue #5 orders due
<b>4</b> Science Week	13 	<b>14</b> ICAS - Maths	<b>15</b> School Banking Maths Olympiad	<b>16</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am Jump Rope for Heart Launch – Hall 1.45pm	<b>17</b> Canteen Open Astronomy Dome @ Evatt
<b>5</b> Book Week	20 	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> School Banking	<b>23</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am - 9.00am	<b>24</b> Canteen Open Book Week Assembly: 9.10am
<b>6</b>	27	<b>28</b> Belconnen Zone Athletics Carnival Limelight Rehearsal	<b>29</b> School Banking	<b>30</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am Limelight Rehearsal	<b>31</b> Canteen Open Assembly: 2.15pm - Limelight
<b>7</b>	Sept 3	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> School Banking ACT Japanese Day @ Evatt	<b>6</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am	<b>7</b> Canteen Open Year 1/2 Excursion
<b>8</b>	10	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> School Banking Maths Olympiad	<b>13</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am	<b>14</b> Canteen Open Assembly: 2.15pm
<b>9</b> K/1/2 Learn to Swim	17 ←	<b>18</b> ACT Athletics Be the Best You Can Be (Disability Carnival) – AIS Constable Kenny – 3/4 & 5/6 Preschool: Learning Journey and Fresh Tastes Festival of Food	<b>19</b> School Banking	<b>20</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am Learning Journey Jump Rope for Heart: Evatt School Jump Off 1.45pm Preschool: Learning Journey and Fresh Tastes Festival of Food	<b>21</b> Canteen Open CEIS P&C Disco →
<b>10</b> K/1/2 Learn to Swim	24 ←	<b>25</b> Kenny Koala - Preschool	<b>26</b> School Banking	<b>27</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am Kenny Koala - Preschool	<b>28</b> Canteen Open Assembly: 2.15pm – Kinder →

## Term 4 – 2018

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>1</b>	Oct 15	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> School Banking	<b>18</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am	<b>19</b> Canteen Open
<b>2</b>	22	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> School Banking	<b>25</b> Canteen Open Breakfast Club 8.30am- 9.00am	<b>26</b> Canteen Open Assembly: 2.15pm

**SCHOOL PAYMENT DETAILS:**

**EFTPOS:** Visit the front office in person, ring the front office and pay over the phone (Mastercard/Visa only).

**Direct Transfer:** Evatt Primary School Management Account, BSB: 032777, Account number: 001244, Reference field: 'child/family name' & 'excursion/payment name'