

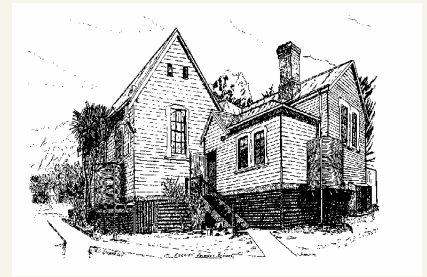
# Mount Egerton Primary School

## Newsletter

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### CALENDAR DATES:

- November 7th**  
 9:30am Concert:  
 Norman - 'The One Man Band' \$2.50 per student
- November 8th**  
 9:30am School  
 Remembrance Day  
 Service (All Welcome)
- November 8th**  
 1:30pm—3:00pm Kanga  
 Cricket Practice Gordon  
 PS (senior class)
- November 9th**  
 Ballarat Show Day  
 Holiday (school closed)
- November 12th**  
 Building Capacity  
 Gary Melb (all day)

### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK:

#### Junior Classroom:

Jade Jovanovic  
(effort & commitment)

#### Senior Classroom:

Brad Dobler  
(perseverance & effort)

### POSITIVE BEHAVIOURS AWARD:

We are pleased to announce that the Positive Behaviours Award for this week goes to:

**Bronte Boland**

### Principal's Message:

**Thank you** to all the staff, parents and families who were represented at our recent Working Bee! The level of support and enthusiasm on the day was greatly appreciated and enabled many important jobs to be completed. Thanks to the mums who went to the trouble of making lunch for everybody who attended.

I continue to be very pleased with the efforts all of the children as they learn their number facts as part of our maths challenge program, *'Mathemagical'*. The desire and enthusiasm for improving their Maths Wizardry in order to become a Mathematical Wizard is fantastic.

I encourage all parents to support their children in the learning of their number facts, as part of their homework routine each week.

The children enjoyed a special Halloween Lunch on Wednesday which consisted of Goblin Pie and Ghost Meringues. Thank you to Natalie Waterhouse, Liz Murphy and Pam Sharpe for their assistance in making the lunch possible.

I find it rather daunting when I think of how quickly the year is disappearing and the many things that need to be done! Earlier in the week we were fortunate to have a new family come and see us as they plan to return to Mount Egerton and resume living in the town with their two children attending our school. We all certainly need to be on the lookout for new children and families to welcome to

the area and potentially into our school. Please let us know if you hear of any!!

### Parent's Club Meeting:

The next Parent's Club meeting will be held on **Monday, November 5th** at 9:00am.

All Parents invited to meet with the Principal and have their questions answered and enjoy a relaxing coffee & biscuit. Come and join us

### Salvation Army Fundraiser:

The Parent's Club will be collecting bags of clothing for a fundraiser and in support of the Salvation Army.

The school will receive \$5.00 per bag collected and the bags will be collected towards the end of November. So please start collecting now.

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There will be a Senior (Adult) Disco held in the Mount Egerton Hall on **Saturday, December 1st**. More details to follow but mark the date on the calendar for a special night of 70s, 80s & 90s music. BYO drinks and nibbles. **Cost:** \$30.00 per couple / \$25.00 per single.

A Disco for the smaller kids will be in the Mount Egerton Hall on **Friday, December 14th** more details to follow.

### Sunscreen Fundraiser:

The Parent's Club will be selling sunscreen again this year so contact the school before purchasing sunscreens. Good Quality. Cheaper Prices.

Sunblock Australia 50ml rrp \$5.00. (In the shops \$7.00—\$8.00)



## A N N O U N C E M E N T S

### **FREE Second Hand Computers:**

The school is now the proud owner of some great new computers however this means that we now have some old computers which are still in working order but need a good home.

Parents, families and friends who would like to apply to have one off these computers should apply in writing stating why you would like to give one these older computers a good home and we will pick the best applications and allocate the computers accordingly. They work and we would love to see them being used.

First in, best dressed as they say!

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### **School Council Meeting:**

The next School Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 30th at 7:00pm

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The date of the next Parent's Club meeting will be announced soon. All Parents invited to meet with the Principal and have their questions answered and enjoy a relaxing coffee.

# IMPORTANT

## **Bullying: Cruel, not Cool:**

**Bullying includes these actions:** teasing, pushing & shoving, name calling, hitting & kicking, gossip, starting and spreading rumours, excluding, mean tricks, insulting someone's family, insulting someone's intelligence, tripping, theft and other types of physical violence.

## **It's Not OK to be Away'**

**In the event of an absence please phone: 5368 9357**

**Note:** Parents are requested to make non-urgent doctor and dentist appointments at times outside school hours *where possible*.

## **Our School Purpose**

*To provide a friendly and caring learning environment that engages students to work to achieve their personal best in an atmosphere of mutual respect and cooperation while assisting them to become valued members of the community.*

## **Our School Values**

Remember our school values of **respect, learning, commitment, perseverance** and **honesty & trustworthiness** are important everyday of our lives.

Let's live by these in 2007 and beyond.

# NOVEMBER 2007

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4
5 Gary: Mount Egerton CDA	6	7 Concert 9:30am \$2.50 per child	8 Remembrance Day Service 9:30am	9 Ballarat Show Day Holiday	10	11
12 Gary: Melb Building Capacity	13 Gary: Mentor Support (all day)	14	15	16 Gary: Melb Human Leadership	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Kanga Cricket Tournament Yr 5 & 6	24	25
26	27	28	29 'Life Education' van visit	30 Advent Procession Ballarat excursion		