From the Principal

Principal For A Day

We were honoured to have Mr Des Archie, Human Resources Manager from TEYS Australia as our ‘Principal for a day’ during Education Week 2013. Mr Archie talked to our students about the importance of relationships in the workplace and the benefits of hard work. Many employees of TEYS Australia have remained with the company for more than 20 years and through determination and hard work, have been able to gain promotion to managerial positions. (We are very appreciative to TEYS for sponsoring our healthy lunch program) We were able to present Mr Archie with a certificate of appreciation from Eagleby State School for their generous sponsorship. (See the interview with Mr Archie later in the newsletter by Matt and Moenara from Blue J class)

Other Activities during Education Week.........

Thank you to Mr Vince Masci for organising our Spelling Bee for Education Week 2013 and congratulations to all our brilliant finalists!

Mothers Day Stall

Our very flexible P&C Association managed to ensure that all students had the opportunity to purchase gifts for Mother’s Day, despite Gala Day and District X-Country day occurring at the same time. Thank you to Ms Yvonne Proctor and her team for all their time devoted to purchasing, wrapping and selling the items during that week; it was a magnificent stall this year!

Winter Uniform

The cold days are certainly upon us. Please ensure that your child has a warm bottle green windcheater (without a hood) or the fleecy uniform jacket with logo (available at the uniform shop). To keep your daughter warm, please provide her with full length bottle green tights to be worn underneath the dress or skorts or alternatively bottle green track pants, as for the boys. A reminder that hoodies are not permitted at school.

Messages to students

We ask that if parents have urgent messages for their child, they must be communicated to the office as soon as possible, prior to 2pm. We will endeavour to pass on messages if received later, however we cannot guarantee that they will always be received, especially on Friday afternoon during sport. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

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Visit to Palm Lake Resort

During Education Week our school choir had the opportunity to perform for the residents at Palm Lake Resort to say thank you for the wonderful support that is given to our students through the many programs that they contribute to each week. We love our neighbours at Palm Lake Resort and are eternally grateful to the help that they give to our students.

Totally Wild Wrapped Up

Many of our students were TV stars while ‘Totally Wild’ completed their filming last week with a session in the kitchen with Chef. Once completed, the episode is also scheduled to be filmed in the UK where it will be compared to Jamie Oliver’s ministry of food. *Jamie Oliver’s program aims at Inspiring our young people to eat healthy food.*

Working Bee

A working bee at school is organised for Saturday June 15 from 8am to 11am. It is planned that the morning will be spent moving and spreading the piles of mulch onto the garden beds. If you are able to help out, please contact the office. On the day, please wear a hat and closed in shoes and if possible bring work gloves, wheelbarrow, shovel and steel rakes. The school will have spare equipment available. A BBQ will be supplied afterwards.

I look forward to sharing afternoon tea with you each Thursday following assembly. Have a great week!

*Suzanne Jolley - Principal*

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Deputy’s Column

Well done Years 3, 5 and 7!

This week students in years 3, 5 and 7 have been busy participating in the annual NAPLAN testing being carried out across the nation. These tests assess students skills and understanding in the areas of reading, writing, language conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy. I congratulate students for the fantastic effort they put into these tests. Students were enthusiastic and focused during this busy and difficult time. Parents will receive an individual NAPLAN report about their child later this year.

Woolworths Earn and Learn

Please remember to continue bringing in your completed Earn and Learn points sheet and drop it into the collection box in the office. The more we collect, the more educational resources we can redeem.

*Kathryn Thornton - Acting Deputy Principal*
Students of the Week - 9-5-13

- SL - Tonya - Always following the class rules & being a pleasure to teach.
- PF - Tylah - For doing a superb job in her literacy rotations.
- PP - Jennifer - Always putting effort into her work.
- PKW - Ben - For a fantastic effort on his science assessment.
- AB - Quinlyn - For always trying her hardest in class.
- BP - Patricia - Being a dedicated worker in our class.
- BJ - Amba - Always displaying positive behavior and being a great role model.
- BM - Inangaro - Settling well into her new class and school environment.
- GR - Keira - A great start at Eagleby. Such a positive attitude.
- GG - Sophia - Great oral presentation on Little Red Riding Hood.
- GB - Sua - For being such a gentle, kind and honest member of our class.
- RM - Jace - Always trying so hard during writing activities.
- RP - Zeke - Always trying his best, being a great role model.

Students of the Week - 16-5-13

- SL - Ahmed - Working really hard to learn his letters & sounds.
- PF - Tony - For a super effort with his sight words.
- PP - Braedyn - Always contributing to class discussions.
- PKW - Caroline - Always trying her hardest.
- PT - Talita - Being a good role model.
- AB - Aqua B - An amazing attitude during this stressful week of NAPLAN.
- BP - Jayda - For always trying her best.
- BJ - Jami - An improved effort with her bookwork & effort.
- BB - Ryan - Great participation in all class discussions.
- GR - Matthew - A positive attitude towards his work.
- RM - Saphire - Not giving up during NAPLAN.
- RP - Jacob - For working so hard on his reading.

Interview with Des Archie

Mr Archie’s job at TEYS is to make sure everyone is doing the right thing and to help them with having the right attitude. To join a big company like TEYS, you do not need to have a lot of previous experience; he has worked there a long time and has had promotion along the way. There are five levels of management in the company. Mr Archie is a really nice person and very knowledgeable. He has a good attitude and is encouraging people to work for TEYS.

Reporters: Matt & Moengarau

Blue J Class

From the classroom……..RM

Students in the Red M classroom have been working hard to learn how to multiply numbers. We know that the ‘x’ symbol means ‘groups of’ and use different materials to solve questions. Students have also been playing multiplication games to reinforce their learning.

Make sure to test the Red M students on their multiplication skills when you see them!

We are so clever!

Jessica McLaren……..Red M

Absentee Phone Line - (07) 3442 5360 please use this number instead of the office number.
Please leave child’s name, date and reason for absence.
Next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 5th June at 3pm - All Welcome

Uniform Shop - New Opening Hours!
Opening hours: Friday 9.00am - 9.30am
2.30pm - 3.00pm
Other days by prior arrangement
Help is needed in the uniform shop, please see Yvonne if you can help out, or leave your name and contact details at the office.

Tuckshop
Tuckshop is open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for 1st and 2nd breaks.
Please use Australian currency only as we are unable to bank foreign currency.
NO HOT FOOD WILL BE SOLD DURING 2ND BREAK
Hot milo & a muffin now on sale 2nd break for $2.
All 2nd break lunch orders MUST be collected from the Tuckshop. There is no class basket this break.
New menus are now available for collection.

Banking
School banking is on every Friday.
Please hand banking to class teacher and please make sure you have a deposit slip completed for each deposit so it can be processed.
Thank you

Subway
Next Subway lunch will be on Monday 3rd June 2013.
Order forms will be sent home during the week before and will be due back on Friday 31st May 2013.

Newsletter
Our school newsletter is now published fortnightly on the 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th & 10th weeks of each term, with a final newsletter in the last week of each term.
From the start of term 3 our newsletter will not automatically be distributed by paper copy, it will be available to view on our website www.eaglebyss.eq.edu.au
Or if you prefer we can email you a copy each fortnight.
Please fill in the slip below and return it to our office so we can add you to our email list.
If you require a paper copy of the newsletter please see the office staff to organise this for you.

Please complete to receive school newsletter from Term 3 2013.

Return to school office as soon as possible.

To ensure that I receive the weekly newsletter by email beginning in Term 3, please use the following address:

email - __________________________________________

(Also the newsletter can be found on the Eagleby State School Website - www.eaglebyss.eq.edu.au)

Parent/Carer Name: ________________________________
Name (s) and Class (es) of child(ren) at school:
1. ____________________________ Class ______
2. ____________________________ Class ______
3. ____________________________ Class ______

Signature: ____________________________ Date ______

If you would like to continue receiving a paper copy of the newsletter in term 3, please contact the office on ph 34425333.
**LATE ARRIVALS TO SCHOOL**

We are having a large number of students arriving late to school. Attendance at school every day gives your child the best opportunity to do well.

Just a little bit doesn’t seem much but

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**OUR NEWSLETTER IS GOING PAPERLESS!!!**

Starting in Term 3 we will no longer automatically distribute a paper copy of our school newsletter to each student.

Our school newsletter will be available on our school website:

www.eaglebyss.eq.edu.au

Or

We can email you a copy each week, all you have to do is fill out the slip found in this newsletter, return it to the school office and we’ll add you to our newsletter email list.

Alternatively, if you require a paper copy of the newsletter please see the office staff.

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**Trouble parenting your 2-9 year old child?**

Parenting now comes with a brief online instruction manual!

Researchers from the University of Queensland are offering FREE access to a brief online parenting program for 200 families as part of a research study. The newly developed program is based on the Triple P- Positive Parenting Program and offers simple solutions to common parenting problems like disobedience and aggression. If you are concerned about the behaviour of your 2-9 year old go to [https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/solutions](https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/solutions) for more information, email TriplePSolutions@psy.uq.edu.au or contact the project coordinator on (07) 3365 8870.

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**Book Fair**

*When: Sales begin Wed 29th May until 3rd June 2013*

*Times: 8:15 - 8:45am; 11:15 - 11:40am; 2:45 - 3:15pm.*

*Where: The Library*

**Family Fun Day**

26th May 2013 @ 10am-1pm

Doug Larsen Park, 41 Logan Street, Beenleigh

This event is to raise funds for the ongoing work of the Logan Community Foundation.

Brisbane Amphitheatre Logo/Logan Quota Club Logo/Logan City Council Logo/LOGAN City Council Logo/LOGAN City Council Logo/LOGAN City Council Logo

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**Notices**

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Eagleby State School is celebrating 25 years of Learning Together, and we are opening our gates on September 7th 2013, with a Fete for the whole family to enjoy.

What’s On??

- Rides
- Stalls
- Food
- Stage Performances
- Face painting

Family Fun!!

Eagleby State School Parents and Citizens Association

Eagleby State School
CNR Fryar Rd and Herses Rd, Eagleby (Follow the signs to Palm Lakes Resort)

For all enquiries call the office 07 3442 5333

GATES OPEN 10am to 4pm OFFICIAL OPENING 11am Main Stage

Date: 07-09-2013