From the Principal

Thank you to our P&C President

Sandra Eastwood received a surprise thank-you last week as a Harley Davidson motorbike roared into the assembly hall to take her away on a well-deserved ride. Sandra was disappointed to miss the Harley Rides at the fete, so it was fitting to show our gratitude for her great contributions to our 25th anniversary fete, with a surprise adventure. (If you would like to purchase a 25th anniversary school photograph ($25) or school mug ($15), please see the school office.)

Prep 2014

We currently have our 2014 Prep Transition program in place at Eagleby State School and are urging all families with Prep aged children for 2014 to enrol as soon as possible. If you have a child born between 1 July 2008 and 30 June 2009, they are eligible for prep in 2014. Our Prep transition days will be held on October 17, November 7, 14 and 21 from 9:00am to 11:00am; your child will have the opportunity to experience a Prep classroom during this time. If you know someone with children eligible for Prep in 2014, please ask them to collect an enrolment pack from the office.

Channel 10 News Tonight

Please try to watch the Channel 10 news today Thursday September 19, as Eagleby State School will feature on the weather segments at 5:30pm and again at 5:55pm.

Beenleigh PCYC AGM

Last Thursday, Eagleby State School hosted the PCYC Annual General Meeting and breakfast with guests including Bert Van Manen MP, Federal Member for Forde and Michael Latter. Mark Haestier, Manager of the PCYC, kindly donated $500 towards our nutrition program at the school. Through the Adopt-A-Cop program and other school initiatives, Eagleby State School has developed a very productive relationship with the Beenleigh PCYC and we are very grateful for their support.

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

**Suzanne Jolley - Principal**

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**Recent accomplishments from our woodwork group**

**In front of the “Big Rig”**

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**Final Week of Term**

I am very grateful to all our families and friends for the support and help you have given to Eagleby State School throughout Term 3. It proved to be one of our most hectic with our school Fete, Disco & Fun Run as well as Senior Camp, Literacy & Numeracy Week activities, NAIDOC Week & Science Week Activities, Parent/Teacher interviews, Eisteddfod, Teaching & Learning Audit, District and Regional Athletics (among other events).

Members of our school staff have worked above and beyond expectations this term and I wish everyone a well-deserved break. Our friends at the “Village” have again contributed much to the students’ learning throughout the term and supported the school in numerous areas. Thank you to our P&C members for all the activities, programs and projects you have supported and coordinated throughout this term to ensure that our students benefit. Eagleby State School would be a very different place without the community support that we receive!

I wish everyone a restful and happy term break and look forward to a productive and happy Term 4!
Deputy’s Column

Prep 2014
If your child was born between 1 July 2008 and 30 June 2009, they are eligible for Prep in 2014. We will soon be conducting prep interviews at the school in preparation for next year. If you have a child eligible for Prep or know someone who does, please collect an enrolment pack from the office and we will organise an interview time. Our Prep readiness program for 2014 continued last week with our Prep Parent Information session. We will also be conducting our prep transition program during Term 4.

Watch over our school during the holidays
With the holidays next week, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school.
If you see anything suspicious, please don’t attempt to intervene. Call the Service. It aims to reduce vandalism, theft and arson in Queensland schools.

Recipients of Diamond Awards are:

Congratulations & well done !!!

Awards

Students of the Week - 12-9-13

- SL - Cassius - Working really hard on improving his reading skills.
- SB - Zenen - Being respectful & responsible during class time.
- PP - Shizia - Excellent effort in History lessons, contributing to discussions about Ancient Rome.
- PKW - Romaine - For a consistent effort in class to complete her set tasks.
- AK - Rhyanna - For an amazing improvement in Maths this term.
- BP - Mahleah - Excellent work with the Inquiry Process in History this week.
- BJ - Matthew - For a huge effort on Fete day. Helping at our stall & cleaning up.
- BB - Nickolas - For a fantastic improvement in his reading this term.
- BM - Hannah - Showing a huge improvement in her reading.
- GG - Richard - Fantastic improvement in Reading & Writing.
- GB - Brandon - Reaching the top of the diamond & trying to always watch where his is going.
- RM - Braithe - For outstanding work in the Math test.

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.
Uniform Shop Opening Hours

Opening hours: Friday 9.00am - 9.30am
2.30pm - 3.00pm

Other days by prior arrangement

School jackets are now in stock

CLOSED THIS WEEK DUE TO STOCKTAKE

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

All 2nd break lunch orders MUST be collected from the Tuckshop. There is no class basket this break.

A new summer menu will be available from Week 1 Term 4. Please note, as a result of increased prices by our suppliers, there will be a price rise on some of our Tuckshop food items.

Tuckshop

Uniform Shop Opening Hours

Time to get voting

Staffroom For Improvement:
Help Eagleby State School win a $20,000 staffroom makeover! Thanks to QT Mutual Bank we have the chance to win a $20,000 staffroom makeover as part of their “Staffroom for Improvement” competition. The prize is a complete makeover of our school’s main staffroom and even better is the chance for individual voters to win one of five $1,000 QTMB bank accounts. The winning school will be the one with the most votes weighted against the number of students, so any school, small or large has an equal chance to win. We need as much support from our Eagleby State School community as possible. Simply visit www.staffroomforimprovement.com.au to read the terms and conditions and register.

The competition kicked off on 28 August. We’re trying to spread the word and encourage as many staff, parents and friends as possible to vote for our school in the hope of taking out the top honours in 2013.

Tuckshop:
A reminder that as a result of increased prices by our suppliers, there will be a price rise on some of our Tuck Shop food items from week 1 term 4.

Year 7 Graduation
The next graduation meeting will be held Wednesday 9th October 2013 at 3.00pm in the seminar room.

If you can spare some time, we need volunteers to help in the uniform shop and the tuck shop. If you are able to help out please leave your name and contact details at the office or see Yvonne in the uniform shop or Sandy in the tuck shop

EAT SMART B ACTIVE 2013

Our school will be participating in the Eat Smart B Active® program. Students from (P-7) will attend the powerful $400,000 Eat Smart B Active® Live Production presented by entertainment professionals - The Boogie Woogies Superhero Band on Wednesday 9th October at 1.40pm, followed by an exciting two-week rewards challenge to encourage healthy eating and physical activity.

Thanks to the generous support from Happy Healthy Kidz Australia, St. George Foundation, Aurizon Community Giving Fund and the QLD Government’s OLGR the program has been fully subsidized from $20 per student, however students are asked to bring a gold coin donation to their class teacher on the day to help Happy Healthy Kidz Australia to deliver the program to other schools and communities in need. Parents and younger siblings (not school age) are invited to attend the Live Production for a gold coin donation.

Students will receive giveaways for their participation and certificates for the rewards program and our school will also receive skipping ropes and valuable educational resources. The program’s benefits are sustainable and consistent with our school’s
**Fete:-**

Thanks to efforts of the Eagleby State School Community our fete managed to raise over $9980.00. This includes the rides and food and drink purchases. Please note that costs/outlays have not been finalised and deducted from this figure as yet. The final total amount, class breakdown and expenditures will be printed in our first newsletter of term 4.

Thank you to the following businesses for their donations to our fundraising efforts for our fete:

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Keep a watch on our school these holidays

With the holidays fast approaching, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school.

If you see anything suspicious, please don’t attempt to intervene. Call the School Watch number – 13 17 88.

The School Watch Program is a partnership between Education Queensland, the Queensland Police Service and the State Government Protective Security Service. It aims to reduce vandalism, theft and arson in Queensland schools. Keep the number handy – 13 17 88 – and let’s work together to help create a safer school community.

For more about the School Watch Program contact Education Queensland’s School Security Section on ph (07) 3237 0874.

If you would like to receive a paper copy of the newsletter please contact the office

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**Beenleigh Swimming Club Inc**

**Sign on & Sausage Sizzle**

- **When**: 6.00 Wednesday 9th October 2013
- **Where**: Beenleigh Pool - City Rd
- **Time trials start**: 6.30pm
- **Membership Fees**: include affiliation with Swimming Qld & Brisbane Swimming Association

**Previous Members and New Members Welcome**

- Our Club is about a fun family night
- Come along and beat your own PB for a prize
- BRING A FRIEND
- Pool Entry Fee of $2 per swimmer

**Contact**: Karen on 55467815 or 0434005062

md_muller@bigpond.com

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**ENROLMENT INFORMATION EVENINGS**

You are invited to attend Enrolment Information Evenings about what Beenleigh State High School has to offer our Year 8 students. This is a great opportunity for any queries you have to be answered and enrol your student.

- **Tuesday 17th September**
- **Tuesday 22nd October**
- **Tuesday 12th November**

**E-Learning Centre from 5:00pm**

Beenleigh State High School
40 Alamein Street, Beenleigh
Phone: 3442 3777

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**Ormeau Community Centre VAC- 10-15yrs**

**SENIORS PROGRAM**

Ormeau Centre- 3 Cuthbert Dr (Cnr Pascoe Rd)

**Monday 23 September to Friday 4 October**

- $45.00 per Child per Day less CCB
- Full week booking (5 Consecutive days)

- $47.00 per Child per Day less CCB
- 1-4 day bookings

- $51.00 per Child per Day less CCB
- Late Bookings *

* Bookings received after 4.00pm Wednesday 18th September

For further information please contact Nikita Sundblom on (07) 3380 1777

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**SAY NO TO HEAD LICE**

The school holiday break is a great time to get head lice under control
HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Our FREE school holiday program offers activities for youth ages 10-18 years old. The holiday program is designed for the youth around the Eagleby area to come and hang out in a supervised safe environment. Above is a list of activities we offer at the Youth Space.

All young people must be registered by a parent/guardian and a consent form must be signed before attending the Youth Space.

We should let you know the holiday program is run differently to Day care and after-school care centres. It is the young person’s choice to Drop in, and therefore they are free to leave any time and do not need to be signed in and out by a parent. The YARI Program also reserves the right to cancel days, as well as close early, so please do not rely on the school holiday program as an alternative to these other more structured programs.

Please feel free to contact Emma at the YARI program on (07) 3807 7988 if you have any questions regarding the Youth Space Holiday Program.

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**Eagleby Youth Space Holiday Program**

**YARI PROGRAM. Young people. 10 — 18 years.**

| Monday 23rd September | 10am—2pm | KRANK — Circus Workshops
| Register with Emma at YARI |
| Tuesday 24th September | 10am—2pm | Activities in EYS — Art ‘n’ craft, Wii, Pool, Sports, Cooking, Music, DVDs, Internet |
| Wednesday 25th September | 10am—2pm | Hyperplex Cinemas Movie Outing
| Rego forms available 23/9 and 24/9 Limited spaces |
| Thursday 26th September | 10am—2pm | Activities in EYS — Art ‘n’ craft, Wii, Pool, Sports, Cooking, Music, DVDs, Internet |
| Friday 27th September | CLOSED | |
| Monday 30th September | 10am—2pm | Activities in EYS — Art ‘n’ craft, Wii, Pool, Sports, Cooking, Music, DVDs, Internet |
| Tuesday 1st October | 10am—2pm | Activities in EYS — Art ‘n’ craft, Wii, Pool, Sports, Cooking, Music, DVDs, Internet |
| Wednesday 2nd October | 10am—2pm | KRANK — Laser Skirmish
| Register with Emma at YARI |
| Thursday 3rd October | 10am—2pm | Hyperplex Cinemas Movie Outing
| Rego forms available 30/9 and 1/10 Limited spaces |
| Friday 4th October | CLOSED | |

ALL ACTIVITIES LOCATED AT THE EAGLEBY YOUTH SPACE: 94 — 112 FRYAR ROAD, EAGLEBY

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FREE

LUNCH PROVIDED EACH DAY

YOUTH AT RISK INITIATIVE—YARI CONTACT: EMMA 07 3807 7988 OR 0438 186 807 OR DROP IN