

Success for All

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday 25 November 2020

Last Day for Read With Me

Kindergarten Orientation 9:30-10:30a.m

Thursday 3 December 2020

Yr 6 Farewell

Friday 4 December 2020

EHPS Virtual Carols – 6:00pm

Monday 7 December 2020

Presentation Day

Tuesday 8 December 2020

P&C Zoom Meeting

Thursday 10 December 2020

Bazaar Day

Monday 14 December 2020

School reports to go home

Friday 29 January 2021

First day of school for 2021 – Yrs 1-6

Monday 1 February 2021

First day of school for Kindergarten 2021



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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Our students love to read. This is evidenced in our successful Read with me program which is supported by the P & C. Throughout the year we buy new books for the library and readers for classrooms. Recently we spent \$5000 on these new readers for K-2 classes.



Reading will be a focus area in our new school plan next year. More information on our situational analysis and Strategic Improvement Plan (SIP) will be shared with the school community.

Band demonstration

Thank you to the band committee, conductors and students who performed in the Band demonstration video as shown via zoom yesterday. The students in Years 2-5 enjoyed the video and hopefully there is lots of interest in our band program for next year. This has been a challenging year for everyone, especially band and we appreciate the ongoing efforts of the P & C band committee to ensure students remain engaged.



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Stadium Rock
Training Band - Epping Heights Public School



Concert Band
EHPS-BandDemoDay-1Mbps



Race To The Moon
Intermediate Band - Epping Height Public School



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Student Leadership elections

Thank you to all the Year 5 students who wrote nomination letters for the position of School Captain. I was impressed with the high calibre of applications and the strong sense of school spirit evident in our students. Tomorrow 'round two' of the process occurs with the leadership speeches. These will be delivered in the hall via zoom. I wish all candidates the best for their speech and the election which follows. Student leaders will be announced at the annual Presentation Day Stage 3 assembly on Monday 7th December.

Deputy Principal

As sent on enews, following a rigorous merit selection process including written application, referee checks and interview- I would like to congratulate Mrs Melissa Cairn on her successful permanent appointment as Deputy Principal at our school. Mrs Cairn has been relieving in this role throughout 2020 and has proven to our school community that her dedication and leadership are exceptional. The panel were impressed with her outstanding knowledge of curriculum and capacity to lead teacher teams. Her warmth and passion for ensuring every student is known, valued and cared for came through at every step of the process. Mrs Cairn will continue to work as a valued member of our hard working executive team to support the leadership of our school. I am sure you will join with me in congratulating Melissa on her achievement. Our school is lucky to have her.





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Presentation Day

Our annual presentation day will be held on Monday 7th December. Due to health restrictions they will be held across the day as follows:

Stage 3 at 9.15am (including Year 5 from 4/5M)

Kindergarten at 10.15am (including K from K/1H)

Stage 1 at 11.30am (including Year 1 from K/1H and Year 2 from 2/3A)

Stage 2 at 2pm (including Year 3 from 2/3A and Year 4 from 4/5M)

The assembly will include a pre-recorded performance by the bands. 4 awards will be presented per class and special Year 6 awards, student leaders and house captains will be announced at the Stage 3 assembly.

To support parent involvement, each assembly will be live streamed via Zoom. The live stream will focus only the stage (not the audience).

Parents of students who are receiving awards will be **emailed** with information. We ask that you keep this award a secret so it is a surprise for your child. Students receiving awards must have permission to participate in the live stream. A Google form will be sent to you **via email** if your child is receiving an award.

All Kindergarten children will receive an end of year certificate. Parents will be sent a **link via enews** to give permission for your child to participate in this live stream.

All Year 6 students will receive their graduation certificates. Parents will be sent a **link via enews** to give permission for your child to participate in this live stream.

All permissions must be received **no later than 30 November**.

Students who do not have permission will have their name read at the assembly and will be presented with their award after the live stream has ended.

All parents will be invited to view the assembly via Zoom. The link will be sent via enews closer to the event. We ask that only 2 separate accounts per student log in, to ensure there is room for all parents. To minimise distractions, parents are asked to ensure they are on mute and their video is off.

We look forward to joining with you in this unique way to celebrate student achievement at Epping Heights Public School for 2020. Please ensure in the coming days you check enews and emails for more details.

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Kindergarten Orientation

Next Wednesday 25th November we welcome our new Kinder students for 2021. Children will visit our school for an hour 9:30-10:30a.m to learn what 'big school' is like. Parents of Kinder students for next year should ensure they check enews (sign up for pre-kindergarten list) to ensure they know detailed information about the organisation on the day. Information regarding colour groups is also being sent via email. Any parents with questions about Kindergarten orientation or Kinder for next year are invited to ask via our google doc (see enews for details). Thank you to Mrs Moran for organising this fun event under such tightened restrictions.



PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Belinda	1G	Sanil	1T	Rian	1T
Imogen	1/2S	Daanya	3E	Catherine	3E
Leah	5D	Dylan	6S		

READ WITH ME AWARDS

Mia	KM	Beatrice	KM	Sebastian	1G
Sai	1G	Vihaan	1G	Ethan	3E
Hussain	3E	Yire	4S	Mandy	4/5M



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EPPING HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL

PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

128 Kent Street Epping NSW 2121 | ehps.p.n.c@gmail.com | ABN 12 138 871 954

We are currently still looking for volunteers to fill the following positions for 2021.

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Fundraising Coordinator
- Banking Coordinator
- Grounds Coordinator

If you are interested, please email ehps.p.n.c@gmail.com for more information

JOIN EHPS P&C 2021

Joining our school's P&C is one of the best ways to show your children how much you value their education and how interested you are in what they do. By joining the P&C, you are showing your children how committed you are to helping students and your school community.

The 2021 annual membership fee of \$1.10 is payable **via Qkr!** and entitles you to full voting rights as a Financial Member at our general meetings. Should you choose not to pay the membership fee, you are still welcome to participate as an observer but you will not be able to vote or hold office.

If you have any questions, please email ehps.p.n.c@gmail.com



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Joining Epping Heights School Band 2021

We welcome any student who is year 3 or above (2021) to join the school band, commencing Term 1 2021. For more information on the school band program and how to join, please click on the link below:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/12GRsbtXu813rkrfLnQRPVAThgpm479on/view?usp=sharing>

The band committee also runs a String Ensemble. If your child is at AMEB grade 2 level or above and would like to audition for the string ensemble, please email ehps.stringensemble@gmail.com

Regards,

EHPS Band Committee



2021 SCHOOL BAND - STRING ENSEMBLE AUDITION

Here is another great opportunity to join EHPS String Ensemble 2021.

Please email below details to ehps.stringensemble@gmail.com by 30 Nov 2020. We will arrange and notify the date and time slot for the audition.

- Student Full Name
- Student Year
- Class
- Instrument Playing and Which Level
- Parent Name
- Parent Mobile and Email

Who can apply for the audition?

- In year 3 or above (2021)
- Playing Violin with a AMEB Grade 3 or equivalent level
- Playing Viola, Cello or Double bass with a AMEB Grade 2 or equivalent level
- Have been learning for at least 2 years



Audition Requirements:

- Scales: A minor, G major, F major, C Major and D major
- One prepared music piece of your choice (max 1.5 minutes)
- Sight reading (You will be given a music piece on the day and to play it as best as you can without prior practise)

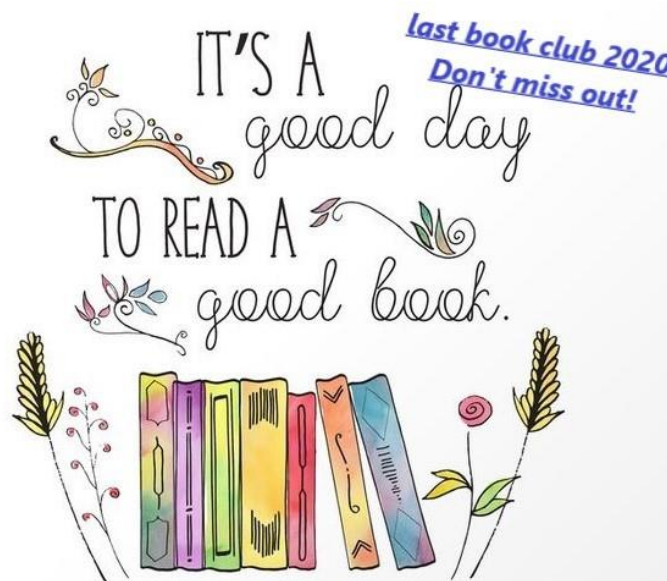
Grace Ji
EHPS STRING ENSEMBLE COORDINATOR



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Last Book Club 2020– **Issue 8 Orders due this**

Hi everyone! Our last Book Club of this year – Issue 8 is due this Friday 20th November. If you don't have a catalogue, please click on this link: <https://www.scholastic.com.au/media/5754/bc820.pdf>



A big **thank you** to all the parents who have participated in Book Club this year. So far, our school has ordered \$2,519 worth of books for students' *Read With Me Awards* using the Book Club reward points earned by your purchases through Book Club.

As you may already know, all Scholastic Book Club orders earn 20% back in reward points for the school to purchase books for students, so if you would like to place an order, please do so by **Friday 20th November 2020**.

All orders must be made online through LOOP, and LOOP ordering will remain open until **10:00pm** on the due date. **DO NOT drop any cash at the school office**. Thank you!

Please send all Book Club enquiries to eppingheights.bookclub@gmail.com.

Linda Wong
Book Club Coordinator Friday **20th November 2020**



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JOIN US ONLINE FOR A NIGHT OF
FESTIVE FUN & SINGING

EPPING HEIGHTS **VIRTUAL** **CAROLS 2020**

TO CELEBRATE THE END OF 2020!
ONLINE FROM 6:00PM
FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER 2020

We're excited to announce that EHPS Carols 2020 will still go ahead!

For the first time ever, we will have our CAROLS ONLINE and families will be able to join in the festivities from the comfort of their own homes (following NSW Health Guidelines). Bands and singers will be pre-recorded, and broadcast details will be released closer to the time.

So **SAVE THE DATE**, spread the word, and get your singing voices and party platters ready!



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED 2021

The **Epping Heights Public School Parent & Citizens Association (P&C)** works with the school to improve the learning environment for our kids and to build a stronger community in our school.

The P&C contributes to the school in many ways including:

- financially supporting the purchase of classroom equipment;
- organising and running fundraisers;
- coordinating the school music program; and
- providing essential services such as the uniform shop, book club and the school banking program.

To do this, we rely on parents who are also keen to make this school a better place for their child(ren).

We are looking for parents willing to volunteer and fill up positions for our school's P&C for **2021**. Some of the roles we need to fill are:

President - runs our meetings and represents the P&C

Vice-President - supports the President with their responsibilities

Secretary - take notes at meetings and handles the paper work

Uniform Shop Coordinator - runs and coordinates the uniform shop

Fundraising - plans and coordinates fundraising events for the school.

Grounds - organises school working bees with volunteers from the school once a term

Banking - runs our school banking program

The roles above **CAN BE SHARED** and you will get a lot of support and assistance. You do not need to have experience and we are always happy to see new faces. If you are interested or want to find out more, please email the EHPS P&C Secretary at **ehps.p.n.c@gmail.com**.





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To contact the school, request a meeting with a teacher or other general information, you can:
Phone 전화 电话: 02 9876 2791
Email 이메일 电邮: eppinghts-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au



Interested in Joining us in 2021?

The Northern Sydney Youth Orchestra (NSYO) is inviting young musicians to join its **Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble & String Orchestra**. Our youth orchestras rehearse weekly at Beecroft on Wednesdays.

If you play **brass, winds, strings or percussion**, we are **auditioning new members to join** in Term 4 for **2021**. Auditions will be held **Wednesday 9th December** between **4pm - 6pm** at the Beecroft Presbyterian Church & Church Hall, Mary St, Beecroft.

For details, please feel free to contact us:
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Dear students, families, teachers and friends of Epping Heights Public School,



Fr Peter Dowd, *Parish Priest*
Katherine Tam, *SRE Coordinator for State Primary Schools*
Catholic Parish of Epping and Carlingford

The Catechists (SRE Teachers) of Catholic Parish of Epping and Carlingford wish you a happy and holy Christmas. It has been our honour to serve you in this most challenging year and we look forward to resuming classes in 2021

May we take this opportunity to invite you to attend our Christmas services which you can find on the parish website.

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/eppingcarlingford>

We hope you all enjoy a peaceful holiday season and make the most of celebrating the birth of Jesus our saviour on Christmas Day.

This time of year is not always joyful and relaxing for all, so we pray that you go gently and generously with your own family, friends and neighbours. We have been encouraging the students in SRE classes to focus on the real meaning of Christmas, one that promotes peace and goodwill to all.



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'A COVID Christmas'

24th December, 6pm


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SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINICS

Conducted by: Paul Toohey BEd (PE)
(TCA High Performance Coach)

VENUE: Midson Road Tennis Courts
(Cnr Midson Road & Wyralla Avenue, Epping)

DATES: Camp 1: Monday-Wednesday, 21-23 December
Camp 2: Monday-Friday, 11-15 January
Camp 3: Monday-Friday, 18-22 January

TIME: Students may attend either the morning or afternoon session

Morning:	8.30 am to 11.30 am
Afternoon:	12.00 pm to 3.00 pm

COST: Camp 1: \$120
Camp 2 & 3: \$180

COACHING FOR TERM 1, 2021

Enrolments are being accepted for lessons before and after school and on Saturday and Sunday.

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