

BULLETIN



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SCHOOL VISION: East Bentleigh Primary School provides a rich, inviting, child-focused environment ensuring that all students feel safe and stimulated. Our students are able to achieve their full academic, creative and social potential, equipped for the challenges of lifelong learning. Students develop into healthy and confident individuals, actively contributing to the world in which they live.

Hello everyone,

Parent Opinion Survey

Last week a number of our families received our parent opinion survey to complete relating to the school year of 2018. It is a requirement of the Department of Education (DET) that we send this survey out to a random parent sample each year and the results of the survey are published in our School Annual Report. Our administration computer selects the random sample and we just send the survey link to those people.

If you received a letter in your child's bag last week and are yet to complete this online survey I encourage you to do so as the more responses we get, the better the data we have to work with. Thank you in anticipation of your participation.

Until next time..... Maria Shearn - Principal

Congratulations to our girls soccer team

Last Monday the Girls Soccer team travelled to Cranbourne to compete in the Southern Metro Championships. The winning team going on to the State Titles in September.

With a number of injuries in the squad from last Thursdays matches, the team did a magnificent job easily accounting for Woodland PS in the 1st match. The second match was a tale of missed opportunities with a number of balls hitting the crossbar whilst Dandenong managed to score with their only real scoring opportunity. The final match saw the scores deadlocked at 1-1 until the final minute with the opposition scoring a nice goal.

Unfortunately our run of success came to an end. Well done to the whole team not only for their abilities, but the way they represented the school. Thankyou also to the parents for supporting the girls and transporting them to the venues.

Game 1 - EBPS 3 def Woodlands PS 0 (Lila H. 2 Goals, Chloe M. 1)

Game 2 - EBPS 0 def by Dandenong South PS 1

Game 3 - EBPS 1 def by Mary McKillop PS 2 (Lila H. 1)

By John Seary - PE Teacher



WRITE A BOOK IN A DAY.

On **Tuesday 31st July**, we had an amazing day with 7 talented students from Grade 5 and 6 who took part in the **Kids' Cancer Project – Write a Book in a Day**. - Jess A., Sean B., Harper D., Ella F., Juliette S., Summer W. and Hila Z.. These students were fully engaged from **8:00am – 7:30pm** – producing a great book for us all to read. (See EBPS website)

Jill Griffin and Denise McDonough introduced the parameters and 5 random words that needed to be included in the story to the group at **8:00am** and then Denise worked with the students to co-ordinate the writing of the story. It was a very productive day and we uploaded the hard copy at 7:30pm.

Special thanks to our **7 talented Grade 5 and 6 students**, **Jill Griffin** who organised this incredible experience for the students, **Denise McDonough** for coordinating the writing, **Pauline Wikman** for bringing sushi at 6:00pm and **Maria Shearn** for her continued support and assistance throughout the day.

We are holding a **Pyjama Day on Monday 27th August** with all gold coin donations going towards Kids' Cancer Foundation. Thank-you to those families that have already contributed a gold coin on Tuesday.

By Sue Jackson - Assistant Principal



East Bentleigh Primary School acknowledges Traditional Owners of Country throughout Australia and recognises the continuing connection to lands, waters and communities. We pay our respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures and to Elders both past and present.

