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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.

At East Bentleigh Primary School we are committed to child safety.

I hope that you are all making the most of this glorious autumn day; a beautiful day to be out in the yard doing yard duty. It has filled my bucket considerably to hear the happy sounds of children playing together building their stamina in social situations out in the yard. To watch how beautifully our students are playing together and how caring they are of one another if anyone gets hurt is lovely to witness. Well done Romy K - 2E, I was very proud of the way you took care of Sienna when she had her tumble at lunchtime today. What a caring friend you are.

Year 5 Camp- Roses Gap

I have been in contact with our staff at camp on a daily basis who report that although the nights and early mornings are decidedly fresh, everyone is well and having a great time. I know that when they return tomorrow afternoon there will be some very tired bodies, (even amongst the children) after their Grampians adventure. My gratitude to the adults who have accompanied our children to ensure their safety. Teachers Anna Pittito and Aric Parsons, ES staff Christine Kennedy and Andrew Bartlett and parent helpers Bastian Berhend, Orgard Rosenblat, and John Galanis. Thank you very much for the great care you have taken.



Student Free Professional Practice Day

As part of the new EBA negotiations DET has allowed schools to conduct teachers 'professional practice' days on a common day, to be determined by the school and their needs. At EBPS we will conduct our PPD (Professional Practice Day) on Monday 23rd May. Students are not required to attend on this day. Teachers will be working in teams onsite for the purposes of Assessment and Data Analysis.



Hot off the Presses- Sushi Day is Back!

As I was writing this bulletin an email flashed across the screen which made me shout yippee. Abby our sushi provider from Tempura Japanese Café in Elsternwick is back in business and will once again provide yummy sushi for us, now on Fridays. The first delivery will be next Friday 13th May. Ann will send out details with up-to-date pricing and ordering arrangements by early next week.

Election Day Sausage Sizzle

My grateful thanks to Rachel Jeffreys, mum of Tom 1K and Charlie PM who has offered to coordinate this fundraising event for our school. Please look out for details of how you can help via your class reps. Thank you Emily Jones, mum of Isabella in 2D for your quick fire offer to assist on the day, last week.

Mother's Day Stall - reminder

A reminder to dads and children that this will be happening tomorrow. Jodie Goldfinch and her team have a lovely array of gifts for the children to choose from for the special person in their lives.

Casual Vacancy for EBPS School Council

A reminder that we still have a vacancy for a parent representative on our school council. Please contact us if you are interested to find out more.

Never a dull day at EBPS, along with my usual Principal duties - I got to be the crossing supervisor this morning! This was actually a very fun way to start the day today!

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







