



## **Community Link**

www.elwoodprimary.vic.edu.au

Phone 9531 2762

To book an EPS Market Stall visit www.trybooking.com/236549

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### Please Note!

#### **Thursday 19 October**

Regional Athletics for qualifying students 7.15pm School Council

#### Friday 20 October

Professor Bunsen - Grade 4 Ready Set Go for 2018 Preps

#### **Monday 23 October**

3.00pm Assembly with the EPS orchestra performing

#### **Tuesday 24 October** Scholastic Book Club Orders Due

## **Tuesday 25 October**Tabloid Sports - Prep to Grade 2

#### **Thursday 26 October**

Sovereign Hill - Grade 5

#### Friday 26 October

Summer Sport - Grade 5/6

#### Saturday 28 October

100 Year Commemorative Community Market & Open Day Grade 4 rostered

#### Monday 30 October

Ceres Excursion - Prep C, Prep J, Prep M

#### **Tuesday 31 October**

Ceres Excursion - Prep B, Prep S, Prep A

#### Friday 3 November

Grade 5/6 Summer Sport

#### **Monday 6 November**

3.00pm Assembly Senior Choir performing

Tuesday 7 November Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday

# Market and Open Day News

Our Market and Open Day, on Saturday 28 October, is fast approaching and is a major event in our 100 year celebrations. The market will start at the usual time but stay open until 4:00pm. During the day we expect many past and present students and families to tour the school, view the memorabilia that will be on view in the JLC and congregate in front of the stage for performances. Entertainment will include choirs, orchestra, our teacher band, the Padres and some wonderful reflections and speeches. Students from the past 100 years will have their photographs taken in the senior school courtyard and there will be self-guided tours available during the day. The following is a schedule of the events on the stage on the day:

12:30pm - School orchestra

12:45pm- Past student band

1:05pm - Memories

1:15pm - 3/4 Choir

1:30pm - Yard Duty Birds (teacher band)

2:00pm - Memories

2:15pm - Padres (parent band)

2:45pm - 5/6 Choir

3:00pm - Memories

3:15pm - Speeches, birthday cake, close

Although Grade 4 are rostered on to volunteer at this market, we are calling upon anyone who is able to assist as well, as this is an extended market and will be a busy day. Your help is greatly appreciated. To volunteer, please go to www.elwoodmarket.com/volunteer

#### Elwood Community Market Committee

#### Leaving EPS in 2018?

Planning for 2018 is already taking place. It is very important to have an accurate picture of student movement for the upcoming year. Accurate anticipated student numbers has a huge impact on planning for the number of classes we have and our budget. If you know that you will not be at Elwood PS next year, please email or call the office on 9531 2762 as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Rob Csoti - elwood.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

#### **Grade 3 Camp**

Lady Northcote Camp is from Monday 8 to Wednesday 10 November 2017. Final payment was due on Monday 16 October. If you have not finalised payment please do so as soon as possible.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

#### **Art Room Donations**

The art room would appreciate any old newspapers, old cereal or biscuit boxes. To help us with our amazing creations this term. Any contributions can be left in the senior art room.



Leanne Murray

#### Garden Volunteer Call Out

We have been offered a regular, weekly supply of topquality compost by a local restaurant. Our challenge is getting it back to our garden at Elwood Primary so we can continue to grow and harvest the best fresh produce. If you are available on a Thursday or Friday, have a car, and the muscles to help lift tubs of compost, then you could be just the volunteer we are looking for.

To help us close the loop on waste, please contact Kathy, our garden specialist teacher, at: beckwith.kathryn.a@edumail.vic.gov.au



Just picked, fresh from the garden

#### **Elwood City Football Club**

The Elwood City Football Club will be holding their Junior Open Day on Sunday 29 October at 2.30pm at Elsternwick Park, Head Street, Elwood.

For more information, go to the website at www.elwoodcityfc.club or ECFC Facebook page or contact Peter Konidaris 0418 378 567 or Sam Hehir 0417 369 938 or email elwoodcityfc@gmail.com.

#### **Division Basketball**

Congratulations to the Elwood boys basketball team who on Tuesday, went to Oakleigh Recreational Basketball Centre to compete in the Beachside Division tournament. The boys won both of their games by narrow margins and will now progress on to the Southern Metropolitan Basketball finals. The boys played extremely well and should be proud of their efforts. Thank you to Trev Ward for coaching on the day and the other parents for coming along and supporting the boys.

Go Elwood!!

Nick D'Amelio



#### **Elwood Learning Hub Links**

Poet's Grove Children's Centre:

http://www.poetsgrove.com/home and follow link to newsletter

#### **Elwood College:**

http://elwood.vic.edu.au/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=113&ltdmid=117