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NEWSLETTER

Term 3 Week 6

26th August 2021

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Dr Neil MacNeill, PhD, EdD, FACEL

The weather is becoming more spring-like and the sun is rising earlier each morning- thank Goodness.

Performing Arts. Based on their brilliant performance at the Crown last week, our outstanding musical theatre group has been invited to perform at this year's Telethon. They will perform on Sunday 17th October, and more details will follow later. Congratulations to Mrs Eisenhauer, Mrs Kilmurray and our students.

Swimming lessons. The swimming lessons went well. It was unfortunate that this pool did not have separate changerooms for the students so we decided that the students needed to wrap up and get changed back at school for privacy issues.

Values and Beliefs. Values and beliefs underwrite human actions and schools and school systems become known for their educational values and beliefs. If you say, "Perth Modern School" most adults would know the values of that school. In an article released last week my co-author and I have argued that all schools should issue a *values promise* so everyone has a better understanding of why actions happen. See: <https://www.educationtoday.com.au/news-detail/Leadership-Values-and-Beliefs-5383>

Congratulations – Huge congratulations to one of our own staff members Mrs Collins – Specialist Teacher Physical Education on being awarded 2021 West Australian AFL Primary School Ambassador.

Donations from Woodlake IGA. We are really grateful that our local IGA donated \$1500 to Miss Saker for our school sustainability project, which is very important.

Neil

Full newsletter:
<http://www.ellenbrookps.wa.edu.au/>



DEPUTIES' UPDATE



Merit Certificates Winners

Bella Caraher	B1
Joseph Thomas	B1
Marcus Ward	B1
Jiek Beliew	B2
Brenna Peake	B2
Cruze Griffiths	B3
Lili Prunster	B3
Paige Cook	R1
Alexis Prunster	R2
Krystal Toffs	R3
Ethan Maseeh	R4
Shannon Adams	R5
Heath Hayes-Ward	R5
Arcani John	R5
Haezahn Joyce	R5
Sean Brown	Y1
Luriel Alinsunurin	Y2
Preston O'Hara	Y2
Cornelius Faliu	Y4
Gracie Strid	Y5
Riley Watson	Y5

IGA Donation - Last Wednesday, Ellenbrook IGA was kind enough to give EPS a generous donation of \$1500. The funds will go towards making EPS a more sustainable school. We are very grateful for this donation, thank you Ellenbrook IGA.



Waste Wise Wednesday - Now that swimming is almost over, it's back to no plastic every Wednesday! The plastic is recorded for each class, every week. The class that has the least amount of non-compostable waste wins a prize. We appreciate your support with this initiative.

Instagram – Ellenbrook Primary School have an Instagram account. If you would like to follow us on Instagram see below;



Social Media Update

EPS is new to Instagram!

Follow us @ellenbrookprimary

Unwell Students – Please ensure you keep your child at home if unwell. Do not send your child to school if they have runny noses with green mucus, flu like symptoms and/or vomiting/diarrhoea.



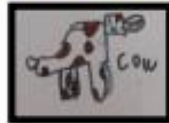
Crown Presentation 18th August 2021

Lifelong Learning

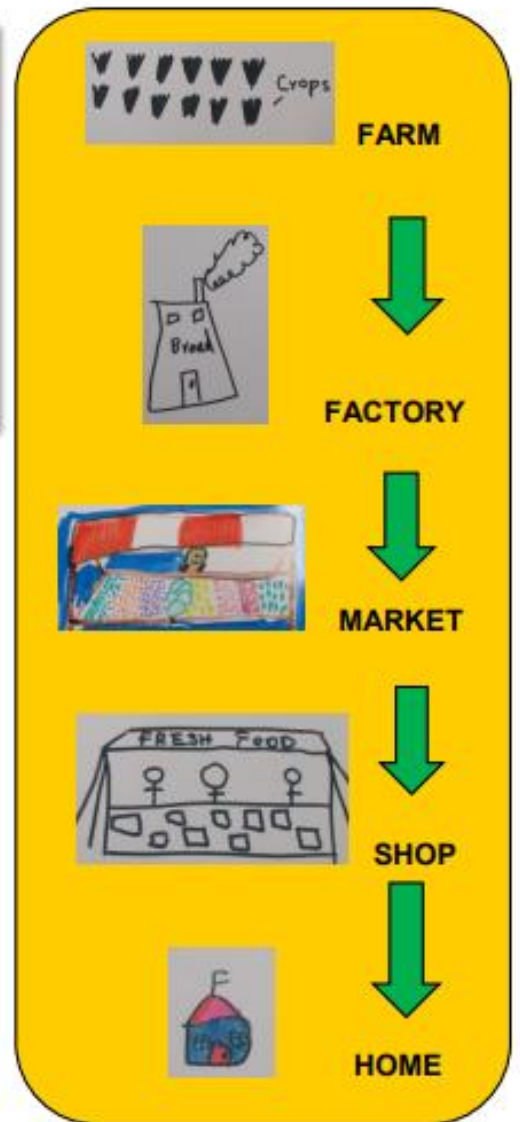
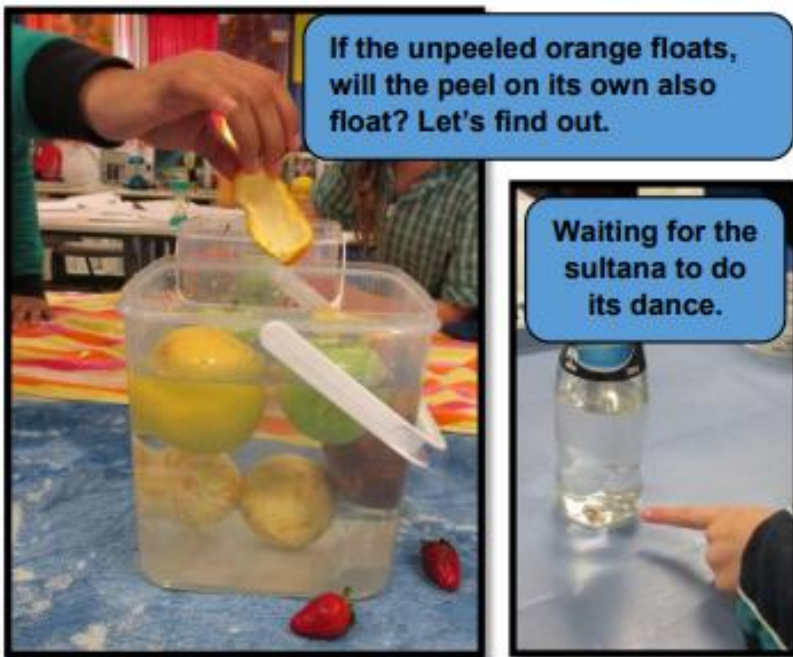




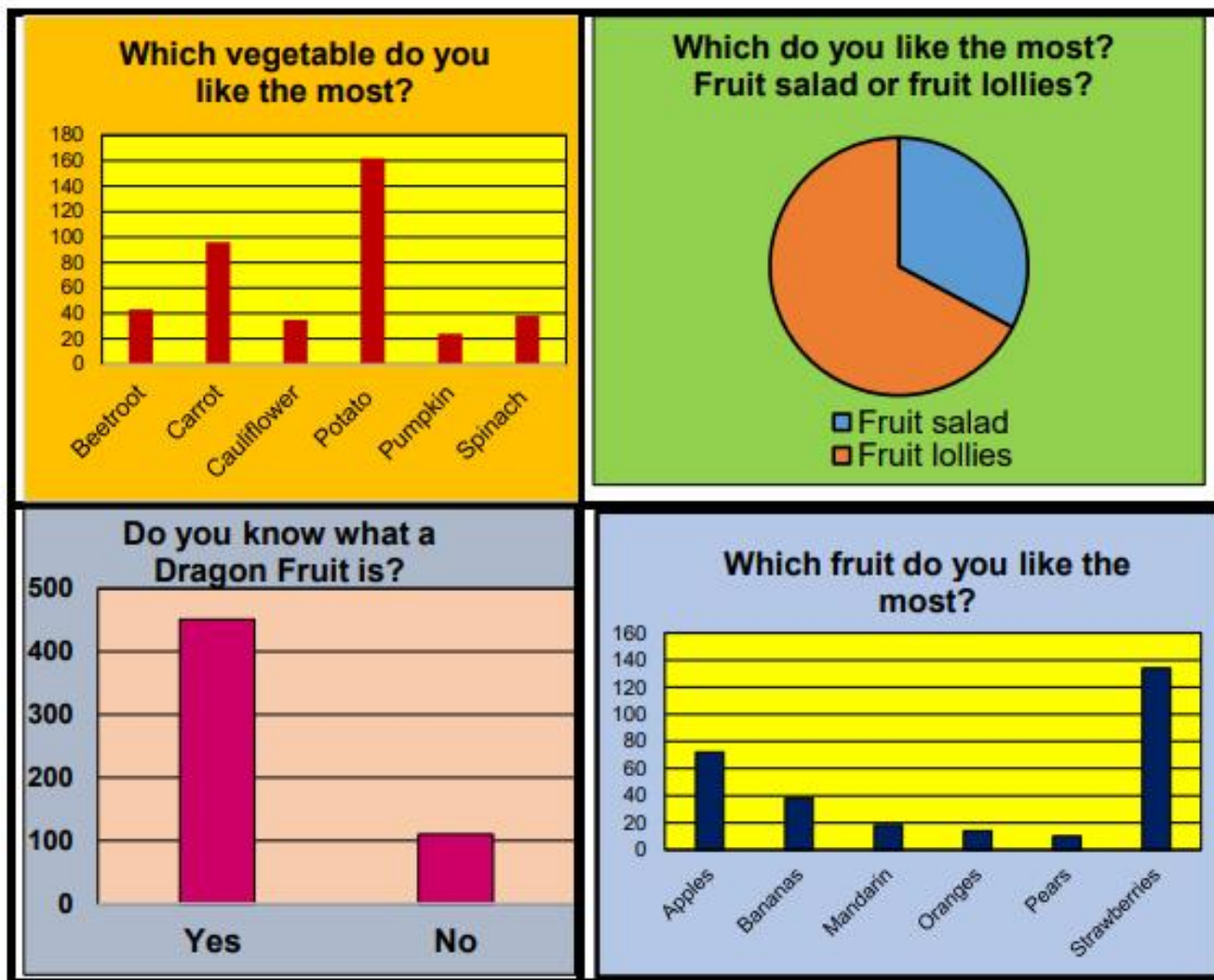
SCIENCE WEEK



Designing, investigating and observing food kept people busy during Science Week.



Year 5 students conducted surveys at lunchtime and here are some of the results:



Thank you to everyone who joined in Science Week at school and at home!

"I liked making new food with the plasticine."

"I liked making the bag for the lemons – it was fun and I put 2 lemons in and it didn't break."

"When we did the static electricity it picked up the oats."

Food art was popular

SCIENCE WEEK: How to make edible SLIME?

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 Marshmallows
- 1 Cornflour
- 1 Oil
- 1 Food Colouring

Ayn showed us how she made edible slime.

Beau shared his cookie experiment.

P&C UPDATE

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Monday 13th September
Faction Jumps & Throws Year 1
- 6

Thursday 16th September
Faction Athletics Carnival.
Whole School

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Colours Dress Day Whole
School

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22nd October 2021
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Woodlake Oval (selected
students only)

General Business

The P&C is looking for a parent who is interested in nominating for our vacant Secretary position. The Secretary maintains the Association's records (NOT the financial records). They must:

- Post notice of meetings
- Assist Chairperson in drawing up agenda
- Record minutes
- Deal with correspondence
- Maintain a register of members

If you are interested in nominating for this position, please email president@eipspandc.org.au

Please note that this position must be filled immediately. If the position remains vacant, the P&C will need to close, and our funds will be donated to another school.

Events / Fundraising

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Entertainment Books are available for purchase at a cost of \$70 each. Help our cause and get a year of unlimited offers and savings. Start your Entertainment Membership today to support Ellenbrook Primary School P&C Association Inc, get a year of amazing 2-for-1 offers, discounts and savings AND a bonus \$10 or \$20 eGift Card. Click here to sign up today: <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/8584n8>

T&Cs apply* visit www.entertainment.com.au/promotions

FATHER'S DAY STALL

Our annual Father's Day Stall will be held on Thursday, 2 September 2021. Gifts range between \$2 and \$10. Students will come to the stall with their class during their allocated time and can purchase a gift. Please note that we will not be holding a raffle this time.

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Canteen

Flexischools

Can't get into the canteen, go online to www.flexischools.com.au, it's so easy.

(NOTE: Please make sure you have the correct class assigned in Flexischools against your kids when making an order).

Help Wanted

The canteen is always looking for help to continue to make delicious homemade meals for our kids. We might look like we have it all sorted but having an extra pair of hands can make a world of difference.

If you would like to volunteer, please see Bec or Kallee in the canteen.

Uniform Shop

OPENING HOURS

Tuesday 8:30 AM to 9:00 AM

ORDERING UNIFORMS

An order form with payment can be placed in the P&C Box located in the Front Office. Orders can also be made via Flexischools. Any orders placed online will be filled and delivered to students on a Tuesday only.

If you require an urgent order, please contact the Uniform Shop at uniforms@eipsandc.org.au and we will fill and deliver to your child's classroom ASAP. All queries regarding the Uniform Shop can also be directed to this email address.

School Banking

School Banking is on every Wednesday morning before the start of school in the library. If you're interested in hearing more about school banking, please email us at eipsandc@gmail.com or see the ladies in the library on a Wednesday morning.

Have a question or want to stay up to date with the latest news please join the Ellenbrook PS P&C Facebook group (<https://facebook.com/groups/eipsandc/>) OR please email us at eipsandc@gmail.com.

Ellenbrook PS P&C



We're wearing our
FOOTY COLOURS

on: 24th September



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TINY TOTS TENNIS - Ellenbrook



Our programme runs every school Term
for 3 - 17 years

We offer Group & Private 1-on-1 lessons
(*Cardio Tennis for Adults*)

Fun & Friendly Environment

All Equipment supplied including racquets

All coaches accredited with Tennis Australia

Lessons are held every day after school and weekends in
ELLENBROOK, AVELEY & BULLSBROOK

Contact us to ask about a **FREE TRIAL LESSON**

Email: jak.tinytotstennis@westnet.com.au

Call: 0423 677 435 for more details



Tiny Tots Tennis Ellenbrook

NATIONAL JUMP IN DAY

8 POOLS • 4 STATES • 1 DAY
SEPTEMBER 4, 2021

