

# ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL EUGOWRA

"Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can"

TERM 3 - WEEK 6 - THURSDAY 28TH AUGUST 2025

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## BIKE SAFETY DAY

This **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August** Eugowra Policeman Phil will be teaching our students about bike and road safety. Students are to bring their bike/scooter and helmets. Parents are encouraged to inspect their child's bike/scooter for road-worthiness.

**Teach your children to be safe bicycle riders by getting them to always:**

- ride to the left on footpaths
- give pedestrians right of way on footpaths
- watch out for cars entering or leaving driveways
- wear a correctly fitted bicycle helmet – it's the law
- wear bright-coloured clothing such as a vest so other road users can see them.

**\*\*\*Important information\*\*\*:**

*Please enter through the church gates and park your child's bike or scooter under the covered area of the Cola, then walk your child to the back of the school grounds as per normal. Thank you.*

## LITTLE JOEY'S KINDERGARTEN TRANSITION



We recently finished our 4-week Preschool Transition program, and what a wonderful time it has been! On Tuesday we enjoyed our final day together, exploring Bluebots and Dash Bots, learning how to program them and having lots of fun along the way. Over the past few weeks, the children have been busy learning new skills, building friendships, and getting a taste of what "big school" will be like next year. It has been such a joy to watch their confidence grow and their excitement for learning shine through. We look forward to welcoming some familiar faces back in November for Orientation (dates to be advised), as we continue to support a smooth and happy start to school life in 2026. We are now taking enrolments! Please call Cathy if you have any questions.



**NO MASS  
SATURDAY 30TH AUGUST**

## This week:

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- Little Joey's Transition

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# SHOW CRAFT AFTERNOON



Our Show Craft Afternoon will be held on **Friday 12th September from 12:15pm – 3:00pm**. This is always a special event where children can select 2–3 items from the **Craft and Decorative Class Show Schedule (attached)** to create on the day. Parents, families, and friends are invited to come along and enjoy helping the children with their show craft.

## Important Information for Parents:

- Please work with your child beforehand to plan exactly which projects they would like to make, so they know what they will be creating on the day.
- Each child must bring all the necessary materials for their chosen projects, packed neatly in a box or container. This ensures they have everything they need to successfully complete their creations.
- Please note: drawing and painting activities are not part of this session. Children should instead choose a hands-on craft activity, such as a LEGO construction, sewing project, or other craft item listed in the **Show Schedule**.

Thank you for supporting your child —we can't wait to see the wonderful creativity and imagination on display at our Show Craft Afternoon!

# AWARDS

Congratulations to this week's award recipients, keep up the great work:

**Zarah:** Improvement with reading

**Archer:** Great paragraph writing

**Indiana:** Consistent application to work

**William:** Excellent poem about his family

**Taleesha:** Working patiently with the pre-schoolers

## Year 6 chosen awards:

**Theodore:** Taking turns on the trampoline

**Katelyn:** Hitting well in tennis



# GOOD LUCK

Wishing Katelyn and Taleesha the best of luck as they travel to Newcastle on **September 12th** for Polding Athletics. Katelyn will compete in the 100m sprint, while Taleesha will participate in the long jump, 100m, and 200m events. We are proud of their achievements and wish them the best of luck.

# PRAYER



"Lord,

I find hope in Your unfailing love. Your love is a rock I can stand upon, and it never wavers. Even in the midst of trials and tribulations, I am secure in Your love. Fill me with hope, that I may face each day with confidence and trust in You. In Jesus' name, I pray.  
Amen."

# TEACHER AIDE APPRECIATION WEEK



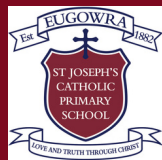
Next week we celebrate our wonderful teachers' aides! Their hard work, dedication, and support make a huge difference in our classrooms every day. Thank you **Virginia, Alison, Kirsty, Bec, Kate and Nikki (Homework Club)** for all that you do to help our students learn, grow, and thrive. We appreciate you!



# IMPORTANT



**ALLERGIES:** Lunches must be free of eggs and peanuts, including food packed for homework club. Thank you for your understanding.



## IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

### P&F UPDATES:

St Joseph's P&F will cater for the Show Committee and Stewardess on **Friday, September 19th**. All information will be communicated in the P&F Facebook Messenger group and the school newsletter over the coming week. Please keep an eye out for these updates.

**Chicken Coop:** A parent roster will be set up to ensure our chickens are well cared for over the school holidays. Basic tasks include checking food and water levels and keeping an eye on their general wellbeing. We understand that some families may be away or may prefer not to help with animals, so a poll will be shared in the Messenger group to organise the roster fairly.

Parents on roster can access the school via the back gate. The tap and food container are located near the coop. The chicken coop has a lock—the code has been shared in the P&F chat.

Thank you so much for your support in caring for our school chickens!



## HOME READING



Congratulations to the following on amazing home reading. keep up the great work:

**50+ nights:** William & Joseph

**70+ nights:** Chloe

**"Today a reader, tomorrow a leader"**

## BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday! We hope you have a day filled with fun, laughter, and all your favorite things.

**28th August -Cruz**

**29th August - Willa**



# SCHOOL CALENDAR

OUR SCHOOL CALENDAR CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE OR BY CLICKING THIS LINK

Friday 29th August	Sat 30th/Sun 31st August	Monday 1st August	Tuesday 2nd August	Wednesday 3rd August	Thursday 4th August	Friday 5th August
Bike Safety Day  Sport Lunch Orders	NO MASS  Sport Lunch Orders	School week 7 Tennis Sport	Year 6 Transition FHS Tennis Sport			Sport Lunch Orders

## COMMUNITY NOTICES:

### Stargazing with Murriyang

Join CWAS at CSIRO's Parkes Observatory Visitors Centre for a night observing the stars.  
**Friday 29th August 2025**  
5:30pm to 8pm  
No booking required for this free event. BBQ available and cost applies – cash ONLY  
This is a family winter event, so please rug up! If the weather is cloudy or stormy please call to confirm – (02) 6861 1777. Disconnect to protect our science When approaching the observatory please turn off all mobile, WiFi and Bluetooth technology to help protect our telescope.



## Bus Notes:



Normal pick up and buses this week.

## Lunch Orders:



Lunch Orders as normal on Friday.





# Dates for the diary:

Bike Safety Day  
Teacher Aide Appreciation Week  
Show Craft Afternoon  
Eugowra Show  
Combined Schools Athletics  
Last Day of Term 3

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August  
Mon 1<sup>st</sup> - Frid 5<sup>th</sup> August  
Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September  
Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September  
Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September



## Week

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READY  
TO  
LEARN



SCIENCE



Learn  
every  
DAY

FUN  
TIMES

