Reminder - Pupil Absences
It would be appreciated if parents could provide a written (or email) explanation when their child is absent from school.
If you are taking your child from school before home time we ask that you sign your child out at the school office.
Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Reminder - Daffodil Day
This Wednesday, 26th August, is our mufti day here at Ellerston Public School to help raise money for cancer research. Students are invited to wear yellow in recognition of Daffodil Day. They can wear a little bit of yellow or a lot of yellow - the choice is up to them. A gold coin donation will help us contribute towards this worthwhile cause.

Regional Athletics Carnival
We wish Jack, Cody, Ned and Sarah all the best for this Friday when they will travel to Glendale to represent the Upper Hunter Zone at the forthcoming Regional Athletics Carnival.
   Good Luck and run like the wind!
From the Little Room.........Week 7

A Peek at the Week:-
Leader: Robert
Sounds:
K - r
1 - cl, cr
2 - ell, oa

Sight Words: K - him, into, time, has, look
1 - self paced
2 - self paced

Maths Focus: Subtraction
Grammar Focus: Adjectives

Many thanks to the parents and wider community for all the Woolies Earn & Learn stickers that have been placed in our boxes.
A massive thankyou to Kim and Suzi for all their help with the Earn & Learn stickers. A very tedious job and we appreciate your efforts.

Remember to keep collecting!

Earn & Learn promotional offer ends Tuesday 8th September 2015.

Much Mrs Campbell

Important Newsletter Attachments:-
Lunch Orders – return by Monday 31st August
School Uniform Order – return by Friday 28th August
Moonan Family Disco – For your information.
Bookclub Issue 6 – return by Tuesday 1st September

K,1,2 STUDENT AWARDS – WEEK 7

Student of the Week:

Chloe Moores– Thorough application in all areas.

Achievement Award:

Ben Baker– Adding humour to our classroom.

3,4,5,6 STUDENT AWARDS – WEEK 7

Student of the Week:

Jack Grimes – For working diligently in class.

Achievement Award:

Sarah Schiffmann – For excellent descriptive writing.
Dear Parents,

This is a preliminary information letter to ascertain whether you would like to purchase a ticket for your child to watch the 2015 CAPERS performance at the Tamworth Regional Entertainment Conference Centre on Friday, 6\textsuperscript{th} November, 2015.

CAPERS is a brilliantly choreographed and costumed production which celebrates excellence in Public Education. Hundreds of singers, dancers and musicians from across the North West region of NSW are featured in this 3 hour spectacular.

Bookings are now being accepted. If you would like your child to attend, please return the attached slip to the school office by Monday, 31\textsuperscript{st} August, 2015.

Please note: At this stage, no money is required, however, by confirming that you would like your child to participate, you agree to pay for the ticket in the future.

Venue: Tamworth Regional Entertainment Conference Centre (TRECC)
Date: Friday, 6\textsuperscript{th} November, 2015
Performance Time: 10:30am
Transport: To be decided
Duration of performance: 3 hours
Cost: $6.00 per ticket (including GST)  
   Adults - $6.00 per ticket  
   Students - $5.45 per ticket

Dress: Summer uniform

Thank you for considering this wonderful opportunity.
Colin Leayr
Principal
Ellerston Public School

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**CAPERS 2015**

Expression of Interest

My child, ______________________________, is interested in attending CAPERS 2015.

Please print student’s name

Please indicate whether you would be willing to use your vehicle to transport Ellerston students to the performance. Please circle:  
Yes  
or  
No

Signed: ______________________________

Parent/Guardian