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WEEKLY NOTICES

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Special points of interest

27th – 31st July

Year 10 Exams

5th August

Year 10 Pathway
Parent Night at the
Civic Centre at 7pm

11th August

P & C Meeting
7.30pm in school
staffroom

20th August

Rural Skills Parent
Night

21st August

Music Festival
commences

28th August

School Development
Day (students do not
attend)

8TH September

P & C Meeting
7.30pm in school
staffroom

22nd September

Year 12 Farewell
Assembly

25th September

Term 3 finishes

**25th September – 8th
October**

Tour de France

6th – 16th October

During school
holidays
Year 12 Exams

7th – 16th October

During school
holidays
Year 11 Exams

12th October

Term 4 starts for staff
and students

16th October

School Development
Day (Show Day
holiday)

THIS WEEK'S NEWS – WEEK 2, TERM 3

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC STUDENTS – a reminder that the Music Festival is in 4 weeks therefore ALL students should be attending band, ensemble and lessons. No exceptions! Please see one of the music teachers if you have any questions regarding this. *Mrs Baden-Powell*

YEAR 10 STUDENTS - who missed last Friday's meeting need to see Mr Poole as soon as possible to get their information for Upper School selections.

COMPUTER GAMES - as of 27th July, students can come to play games in room 27 and 28 at 1.10pm – Monday to Friday. Students must line up outside the stairs for room 28, making sure they keep the verandah area free. No food or drink is to be consumed in the computing rooms.
Mrs Harper

NEW CLUB – 'Conversational French' any students who would like to practise their conversational French should see Mr Jefferies. If there is enough interest, a conversation French club with Ms Taleleo will be offered to students.

40 HOUR FAMINE - this year has changed. Everything is now online. Go to 40hourfamine.com.au and sign up as an everyday hero under a school group. You then join up to the team called Esperance SHS. If anyone needs help, come and see Miss Passell in the Humanities office.

NEW ZEALAND TOUR 2016 - There are still places available on the 2016 New Zealand Tour. Please get your expression of interest forms from the PE office and hand them in to Mr Snow ASAP. If numbers are too low, the tour may not go ahead.
Mr Snow

YEAR 7 STUDENTS - Any year 7 student wanting to be part of the 2016 New Zealand tour, please meet Mr Snow in the PE office during recess or lunch to collect the forms.



Principal's Newsletter



Welcome

Welcome back to term 3. There are many events planned for this term; Year 10 Parent Night, Apex Australia Teenage Fashion Awards, Year 8/9 Eagles Schoolboys Football Cup, Rural Skills Parent Night and the Esperance Music Festival.

We also welcome back Ken and Hillary Duffy and Sarah Baden-Powell from their leave. During term 3 and 4, Mr Ken Duffy will be Principal while Ms Bamblett is on a well deserved break. We welcome Mr Phil Reading who will be Junior Campus Deputy Principal until the end of week 4 while Mr Neville Clifton is on leave. Gareth Postans is now Student Services Coordinator. We are pleased to welcome Ms Toni Smythe to the Mathematics Department.

Country Week

Congratulations to all players and coaches on an outstanding Country Week 2015! Well done, Country Week captains, Rebecca Staunton and Liam O'Callaghan, and also Mr Lovejoy for coordinating this huge event in the school calendar. Special mention goes to A Grade winners, Touch Rugby and B Grade winners, Boys Soccer; and to runner up Active Achievers Award recipient, Sarah Callow, on this outstanding selection from all the Country Week schools.

Country Week Results

SPORT	GRADE	COACH	RESULT
AFL Boys	B	Sentana Wyatt, Glen Symonds, Brett Landers	4 th
Basketball Boys	B	Steve Wolfenden	7 th
Basketball Girls	B	Mia Zivillica	3 rd
Dance	A	Renee Passell	5 th
Hockey Boys	B	Dave Green	3 rd
Hockey Girls	B	Justine McDonald	2 nd
Netball Girls	B	Lesa Blackham	3 rd
Soccer Boys	B	Joe Bezuidenhout	1 st
Soccer Girls	B	Kerryn Phillips	3 rd
Touch Rugby	A	Gareth Postans	1 st
Volleyball Boys	B	Peter Turner	3 rd
Volleyball Girls	A	Geoff Poole	6 th



Esperance Senior High School Students at Country Week



Opening Ceremony for Country Week 2015

Semester 1 Certificate Winners

Congratulations to the following students who were awarded Certificates of Achievement and Certificates of Excellent Achievement across learning areas in their Semester 1 reports.

Year 7	
<u>Certificate of Achievement</u>	<u>Certificate of Excellent Achievement</u>
Riley Doney	Olivia Kipling
Gian-Luca Kehl	Gina Tanoa
Thomas Knight	Megan Kelman
Vincent Newman	Cooper Tamlin
William Peucker	Sam Connor
Shari Rogers	Sally Wilson-Hilton
Ella Wakeham	
Year 8	
<u>Certificate of Achievement</u>	<u>Certificate of Excellent Achievement</u>
Kalira Docherty	Hudson Staer
Ethan Hallam	Patrick Quinlivan
Chloe Hockley	Livinia Ridgway
Claudia Parker	Cooper Kennedy
Anna Smith	Adelle Bailye
	Aimee Horton
	Jesse Marshall
Year 9	
<u>Certificate of Achievement</u>	<u>Certificate of Excellent Achievement</u>
Ruby Connor	Arabella Lawrance
Isabella Dwyer	Kiarne Mack
Holly Silver	Jorja Edens
Jada Thorne	
Ysabel Villamayor	
Year 10	
<u>Certificate of Achievement</u>	<u>Certificate of Excellent Achievement</u>
Katelyn Dillon	Brendan Palmer
Claudia Hodges	Rebekah Norris
Jackson Marshall	Rebecca Schutz
Caitlin Staer	Samantha Crisp
	Joe Quinlivan
	Emma Thomason

Online Tutoring - 'Check Mate' 24/7 English submission service.

For students who are enrolled in the Online Tutoring program, please note they now have access to "Check Mate" 24/7 English submission service. Students now can submit this at any time to receive feedback on their written work rather than waiting for their tutoring time between 3pm-10pm. Online Tutoring has indicated they will return the work to students within 24 hours.

Woolworths Earn & Learn 2015



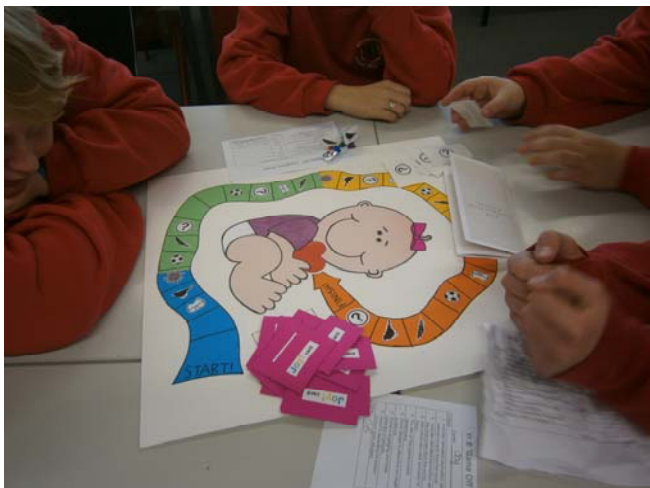
This year we will be participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. Through this program we will be able to get new educational resources for our school – and all we need you to do is shop for your groceries at Woolworths.

From Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September, we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. You will get one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco and gift cards). Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it's complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the collection box here at the school or at your local Woolworths.

At the end of the promotion, we'll be able to get some great new equipment. The range is extensive and offers lots of items ideal for our students – including resources for Maths, English, Science and some fantastic fun supplies for Arts & Craft, Sport and for our library. If you'd like to know more visit - woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn

Year 8 Board Games

The year 8 students have been busy creating board games in English. This series of novel study activities was based around Gardner's Multiple Intelligences and Bloom's Taxonomy. Students used their Bodily Kinaesthetic learning style to create a game which helped them (and others) to think about the narrative techniques in the novel. Students worked cooperatively in groups to plan, design and ultimately create a game together. They then had a session where they all got to try different games and provide some feedback on the design, learning content, suitability of instructions and 'fun' of the game. Some of the highly rated games are pictured below:



'Joy game' created by Hudson Staer, Anakin Clark, Flynn Everett and Cody Woodward



'Skellig wood game' created by Casey Foster, Kalira Docherty, Niall Jan and Jordan Marold



Board game created by Taylor Harris, Casey Rowe, Ruby Hodges and Aimee Horton

Year 7 Biscuit Making with Parents and Guests

On Monday 29th June, Mrs Clifton's year 7 Food Technology class invited guests in to make chocolate chip biscuits. Delicious biscuits were made by a delightful class! Pictured are year 7 students: Jonte Meyer, Sophie Chivell and Emma Torelli with their biscuits they made for their parents and guests.



Revised Term 3 Planner

The revised Term 3 Calendar of Events is included in this Newsletter for your information.

eNewsletter

Please be advised that the Principal's and Year Coordinator's eNewsletter and Notices will be issued fortnightly until the end of the year.

Esperance Senior High School

Term Three Planner 2015

Monday 20 th July	<i>School Development Day (students do not attend)</i>
Tuesday 21 st July	<i>Term 3 starts for Students</i>
Monday 27 th July – Friday 31 st July	<i>Year 10 Exams</i>
Wednesday 5 th August	<i>Year 10 Pathway Parent Night at the Civic Centre</i>
Saturday 15 th August	<i>Apex Australian Teenage Fashion Awards</i>
Thursday 20 th August	<i>Rural Skills Parent Night</i>
Thursday 20 th – 22 nd August	<i>Esperance Music Festival</i>
Friday 28 th August	<i>School Development Day (students do not attend)</i>
Monday 31 st August – 11 th September	<i>Year 10/11 OLNA Testing</i>
Tuesday 22 nd September	<i>Year 12 Farewell Assembly</i>
Friday 25 th September	<i>Term 3 Finishes</i>
Friday 25 th September – Thursday 8 th October	<i>Tour de France to Saint-Martin de Ré and Paris</i>
During school holidays Tuesday 6 th – Friday 16 th October	<i>Year 12 Exams</i>
During school holidays Wednesday 7 th – Friday 16 th October	<i>Year 11 Exams</i>
Monday 12 th October	<i>Term 4 starts for staff and students</i>
Friday 16 th October	<i>School Development Day (students do not attend). Show holiday</i>

Year 7 Coordinator's Newsletter



A big hello to all the year 7 students and parents - welcome back to Term 3! It has been lovely to return from my maternity leave to see that our students are settling well into high school life and developing into happy and responsible members of our Esperance SHS community. I look forward to working with everyone for the rest of this year.

Coming up...

This is a busy term, with several camps and events including the Esperance Music Festival and Tournament of Minds. Information notes and permission slips will be sent home from the relevant teachers if your child is involved any of these activities.

Peer Support

Our year 10/11 Peer Leaders will once again be busy organising lunchtime activities for our younger students. Information about these will be in the daily notices. A big thank you to our Peer Leaders for dedicating their time to these activities.

Uniforms

The school dress code includes school jackets and jumpers for these chilly winter days - these must be worn instead of different jumpers, jackets etc.

Assembly

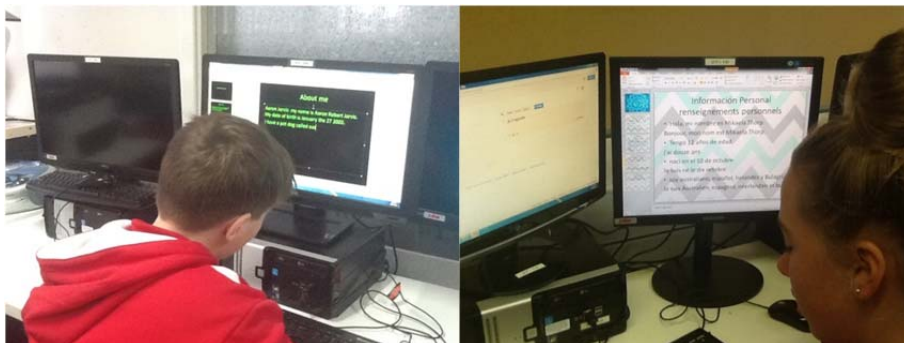
We will have our next year 7 assembly during form next Tuesday morning (Week 3). Year assemblies occur approximately two to three times per term. We will be having our first draw of the term from the mini merit box so please encourage your child to get their mini merits into the box in the Junior Campus office for the chance to win a prize.

Physical contact

A reminder to all students that physical contact is not allowed at school, including rough housing and touching other students' personal property, including school bags and food. If parents and carers can please reiterate this at home as well, we would appreciate your support.

French

Year 7 students have shown extra enthusiasm in learning French. Being IT wizards, they have put together impressive presentations and posters about themselves in languages as diverse as **French, English, Spanish, Tagalog, Italian, Maori, Thai and Afrikaans!** Bravo à tous et à toutes!



Please contact me if you have any comment, questions or concerns. I look forward to working with your child again this semester.

Kind Regards

Sarah Baden-Powell
Year 7 Coordinator

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Year 8 Coordinator's Newsletter



Welcome back

I hope you all had a great holiday and that students are excited to be back for the second half of the year. It is great to see most of the year 8s continuing with their excellent efforts from first semester. The hard work will pay off at the end of the year!

Uniforms

With cold weather still here, I would like to remind students that dress code still needs to be adhered to. School jackets and jumpers must be worn and tights on their own are not appropriate for school.

Lunchtime Fun

It has been great to see the year 8s organising themselves for a game of soccer or football at recess and lunchtime. The oval has been very well used with many students choosing to be active and having fun.

Last term some of the Peer Support Leaders planned and organised a game of tug-of-war and a game of soccer for the year 7s and 8s on the top oval. The enthusiasm shown by the students who participated was great to see and I know the year 8s are looking forward to more games this term.

Students wanting to play computer games at lunchtime may do so in room 27 and 28 at 1:10pm. The library is also open for students who have work to complete, or just want a quiet place to read. The gym is still available to year 8s every Tuesday.

French

French is alive at Esperance Senior High School! Last semester, year 8 students worked really hard in class to get in touch with the French language and way of life. Following a very old French custom for summer holidays, students designed '*cartes postales*' (postcards) for friends. *L'amitié, c'est sacré!* **Jasmin Bain, Ash Molloy, Nahian Biswas** and **Adelle Bailye** are pictured below.



Food Technology

Another group of year 8s have just started Food Technology with Mrs Chambers. **Jasmin Bain, Chloe Hockley, Gus Ferguson** and **Tyler Hurst (pictured below)** are showing their skills while making some delicious quiche.



Merit Draw

Tess Adams, Ethan Hallam, Courtney Hulm, Abby Layh, Taya Neill and **Casey Rowe** were the lucky winners of the merit draw last term.

Congratulations to **Livinia Ridgway, Hudson Staer, Casey Rowe, Cooper Kennedy, Caitlin Zanker, Chloe Hockley, Zoe Maccan, Clay Harvey, Anna Smith, Kia Buckley, Courtney Blampied, Aimee Horton, Jasmin Bain, Jesse Marshall, Ethan Hallam, Nahian Biswas, Kalira Docherty** and **Chloe Parker** who were nominated by their teachers to participate in a rewards activity last term. Keep up the great work!

Please do not hesitate to contact me at the school if you have any questions or concerns.

Kind Regards,

Kim Jones

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