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# Euroa Secondary College



**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

*"A united community where everybody has responsibility in preparing youth for their future."*

**CHALLENGE**

**EMPOWERMENT**

**RESPECT**

**RESILIENCE**

## Term 2

**Week 8**

*Tue 4<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*HR Int Boys AFL, Wangaratta*

*Year 7 & 10 Immunization*

**Week 9**

*Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Public Holiday – Kings Birthday*

*REACH program Year 7,8&9*

**Week 10**

*Tue 18<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*GAT*

*Profession Learning Day – no students*

*Thur 20<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Jun*

*Year 9 Tenpin bowling*

*HR Cross Country*

**Week 11**

*24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Thur 27<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Jun*

*Careers Week*

*End of Semester Grand Concert*

*End Term 2, 2:30pm finish*

## Term 3

**Week 1**

*Mon 15<sup>th</sup> Jul*

*1<sup>st</sup> Day Term 3*

**Week 2**

*Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> Jul*

*Senior Information Night – TBC*

**Week 3**

**Week 4**

*Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Aug*

*Year 9 Subject Pref Meetings*

**Week 5**

**Week 6**

*Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Aug*

*Tue 20<sup>th</sup> Aug*

*Thur 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug*

**Week 7**

*Thur 29<sup>th</sup> Aug*

*Round Robin Term 3*

*Year 8 Rockets STEM Incursion*

*STEM Punks Incursion*

*Student Parent Teacher Day*



*Calendar subject to change.*

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Euroa Secondary College Community,

As we move through June, there are several important updates and reminders for our school community.

### Upcoming Working Bee

We are excited to invite all parents and families to our upcoming Working Bee on Saturday, 22nd June. This is a fantastic opportunity for us to come together and make a positive impact on our school environment. Further details about the event can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. We hope to see many of you there, lending a hand and strengthening our school community spirit.

### Student Free Day - King's Birthday

A quick reminder that Monday, 10th June, is a student-free day in observance of the King's Birthday. We hope everyone enjoys the long weekend and returns refreshed.

### REACH Workshops for Years 7, 8, and 9

Next week, our Year 7, 8, and 9 students will be participating in REACH workshops. The REACH Foundation focuses on empowering young people by building their confidence, resilience, and emotional intelligence. These workshops are designed to support our students' personal development and wellbeing, providing them with valuable tools for their future.

### Professional Development Day - June 18th

Please be reminded that Tuesday, 18th June, is a professional development day for our staff. There will be no school for students, except for those in Years 11 and 12 who are sitting the General Achievement Test (GAT). We appreciate your understanding as our teachers engage in important professional learning activities.

## Health and Absences

With the colder weather upon us, there has been a noticeable increase in illness. If your child is unwell, please keep them at home to rest and recover. It's crucial to update any absences on COMPASS. If you do not have access to COMPASS as a parent, please reach out to the school office, and we will guide you through the process of logging in. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. We look forward to seeing many of you at the Working Bee and appreciate your efforts in keeping our school community healthy and engaged.

Warm regards,

Anna Eddy | Acting Principal



# WORKING BEE

**Please join us for a Working Bee  
to help clean up our Grounds**



### DETAILS

When: Saturday 22nd June  
Time: 9am-1pm  
What to Bring: Own Gardening Tools



### WHAT TO BRING

Please bring your own Gardening Tools. A simple BBQ Lunch will be provided.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME**



*Clean Up, Team Up:  
Join Euroa's  
Secondary College's  
Working Bee!*



Please RSVP for catering purposes  
Phone: 57952512  
Email: [euroa.sc@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:euroa.sc@education.vic.gov.au)



## ESC Cross Country

Congratulations to all the students who took part in Euroa Secondary College's 2024 Cross Country on Monday. Students could complete a three-kilometre or five-kilometre course, and some chose to challenge themselves with a run while others just enjoyed an afternoon walk.

A huge thank you to Teigan Marks for organising the afternoon, and to all the staff who helped to make it a success.



## Southern Ranges Cross Country

Well done to all of our students who represented Euroa Secondary College today at the Southern Ranges Cross Country. A special mention to Addison Godsmark and Danny Williams who won their age group and to Alison Chapman who came 2nd. We have a number of students who have progressed to Hume Region.



## Nagambie Bus Travellers

The Strathbogie Shire have advised the College that:

“The Nagambie-Locksley Road will be closed to through traffic starting Monday 25 March.

The Charles Creek bridge is being renewed and the road realigned.

Expected completion date (weather permitting) will be end of July 2024.”



The Nagambie bus will need to take a detour during this time which will add 8 minutes to the current route, stops will not change & times in the morning will not change.

Students will arrive at school a bit later, but will still make Home Group, at night the bus will arrive home at the usual stops, 8 minutes later.

Please contact the College if you need any further information.

**Absences** - It would be appreciated if parents could phone the College, email or use COMPASS. if students will not be attending for any reason.

The College needs to be notified if a student has Covid.

If students are marked as absent at Home Group and we have not been notified, then a follow up text message will be sent automatically.

## College Bank Details –

Account Name: EUROA SECONDARY COLLEGE - COUNCIL OFFICIAL ACCOUNT

Bank: Commonwealth Bank of Australia. BSB: 063682 Account Number: 10167293

**“School Facebook Page”** Euroa Secondary College has an official Facebook page, where we feature interesting things that our students are doing and show what goes on at school during the day. Anyone from the school community is welcome to follow our page at; <https://www.facebook.com/EuroaSecondaryCollege/>



**Please check out our students ARTWORK @ Euroasc\_art Gallery**

[https://www.facebook.com/Euroasc\\_art-Gallery-1641096692770958/](https://www.facebook.com/Euroasc_art-Gallery-1641096692770958/)

**Visitors to the College** - All visitors must sign in at the front Office.

Payments may be made by way of Cheque by post, EFT, BPay or Credit Card over the phone.

Please don't hesitate to contact the college by email or phone if you have any queries, Teaching staff can be contacted via their emails.

**Conveyance Allowance** - students who live 4.8 kilometres from their bus stop or the school (if they are not serviced by a bus and travel by car) may be eligible for conveyance allowance. Forms can be obtained from the Office.

**School Bus** - As per direction from PTV (Public Transport Victoria) the school bus service is not there to provide transport to get to after-school jobs, social or sports training etc. Any bus traveller who needs to make a “one off” request to change buses needs to give Mr Williams a note signed by a parent/guardian on the morning of the day of such a request. Be mindful that the answer may have to be “no”.

The Violet Town Bus is full, there can be no “one off” requests for this bus.



Parents driving their students to school are reminded that students should be dropped off and picked up at the Campbell Street entrance to the school, near the front gates.

**In the case of a Fire/Flood in the area:** Buses will not operate in the morning or afternoon if there is any bush fire/flood activity threat on the bus route (ie a burning fire). Staff will also be encouraged to remain onsite.

## CSEF (Camps, Sports, Excursions Funding)

Government funding is available to all Parents that have a Health Care / Pension Card. \$250.00

CSEF application forms for 2024 can be collected from the general office. CSEF must be applied for annually and the first payment run is March. Applications for this year close 28/6/24. Please submit ASAP for prompt processing.



## 2024 Big Freeze at Euroa Secondary College

The members of the Student Representative Council have organised a Big Freeze event at the College on the 14th of June – 3pm, when they plan to drop icy water on six of our brave teachers. But for the teachers to be iced, their money jars need to reach a minimum donation level.

To see your teacher, or teachers, of choice get icy water tipped over them, take your money along to the front office or the canteen and drop it in the jars shown in the pictures.

In previous years we've managed to reach all the donation levels set by the teachers, and if we all donate we can do it again this year!



### ESC STAFF ICE BUCKET CHALLENGE

See ESC teachers getting iced Friday 14th June, Period 6.  
To make a donation money can be put in jars in canteen and front office or follow the QR code to the donation link.  
EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS FIGHT MND!

<https://support.fightmnd.org.au/fundraisers/EuroaSecondaryCollege/diy-bigfreeze>



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SUPPORTING FIGHTMND

**FIGHT MND**  
**BIG FREEZE BEANIES**  
BIG FREEZE 10 BEANIES  
AVAILABLE FROM THE FRONT OFFICE  
\$25 EA  
STUDENTS WILL BE ALLOWED TO WEAR THEM  
AS PART OF THE UNIFORM

<https://support.fightmnd.org.au/.../EuroaSe.../diy-bigfreeze>

Hello to members of our School World family,

I hope the year is going well so far. It certainly is going fast.

At the moment, Spartan is in the process of moving our current head office and warehouse facility to a new and bigger home in Keysborough, Victoria. The move will give us double the warehouse capacity of our current facility and will allow us to streamline our processes and increase our overall efficiency.

While we move and settle in to our new premises (a mammoth task), to avoid delays to deliveries, we would like to temporarily suspend the weekly delivery to school service from now until the end of June. During this time, we will be offering **free of charge delivery to home or private address** for any online orders placed. These orders will be processed weekly and sent via Australia Post. A tracking number will be supplied also.

Once we are fully operational at our new head office, we will resume the free weekly delivery service to your school. We will notify you when this happens.

I apologise for any inconvenience this may cause to customers who would generally order for school delivery. We trust that the free delivery to home option will work well as a replacement in the meantime.

Please contact me if you require further information or have any questions.

Regards,  
Andrew.

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The image is a promotional flyer for Spartan School World. It features a large orange and white logo on the left, a screenshot of the website in the center, and shipping options on the right. The website screenshot shows a 'WELCOME TO SPARTAN SCHOOL WORLD' banner and a 'Find My School' search bar. The shipping options section lists 'Free School Delivery - Weekly during school terms', 'Postage to private address - \$12.50 per order', and 'Please allow 4 - 5 days for delivery after despatch of your order'. It also mentions 'An order confirmation will be sent once your order is processed' and 'Instore shopping is also available: Spartan School World Niddrie Store, Level 2/445B Keilor Road, Niddrie, 3042'. Trading hours are listed as 'Monday/Wednesday/Friday 12.00pm to 5.00pm' and '1st Saturday each month 9.00am to 12.00pm'. Customer service contact information is provided: '(03) 9837 9730' and 'Email: onlineorders@spartanss.com.au'. At the bottom left, there is a logo for Euroa Secondary College and the text 'Retail Uniform Service' and 'www.spartanschoolworld.com.au'.

## WELCOME TO SPARTAN SCHOOL WORLD



### SHIPPING OPTIONS

**Free School Delivery -**  
Weekly during school terms.

**Postage to private address -**  
\$12.50 per order.

Please allow 4 - 5 days for delivery  
after despatch of your order.

An order confirmation will be sent  
once your order is processed.

Instore shopping is also available:

**Spartan School World  
Niddrie Store**  
Level 2/445B Keilor Road, Niddrie.  
3042.

**Trading hours:**  
Monday/Wednesday/Friday  
12.00pm to 5.00pm.  
1st Saturday each month 9.00am  
to 12.00pm.

**Customer Service**  
(03) 9837 9730  
Email  
[onlineorders@spartanss.com.au](mailto:onlineorders@spartanss.com.au)

The Euroa Secondary College  
uniform range is now available  
via the following option:

Online:

[www.spartanschoolworld.com.au](http://www.spartanschoolworld.com.au)

Select Euroa Secondary College  
from the "FIND MY SCHOOL"  
list of schools.

Place your order.

Choose weekly delivery to  
school or home/private address.



**Retail Uniform Service**



[www.spartanschoolworld.com.au](http://www.spartanschoolworld.com.au)



## Acknowledgement of Country



We acknowledge that Euroa Secondary College is on Taungurung Country.

We would like to begin by acknowledging and paying our respects to the traditional owners, the Taungurung people, whose country we are on, and we would also like to extend our respect to their Elders, both past and present.

We express our gratitude in the sharing of this land, our sorrow for the personal, spiritual, and cultural costs of the sharing and our hope that we may walk forward together in harmony and in the spirit of healing.

## Earn green tokens for reading



Read 100 pages of a book or ebook, and Miss Creek will give you a green token

If you finish a novel, let Miss Creek know and she'll add it to the Premier's Reading Challenge.

Complete the Challenge, and there could be prizes!



We now have  
*Instagram*

Follow us at @euroasc



## Become a Berry Street foster carer

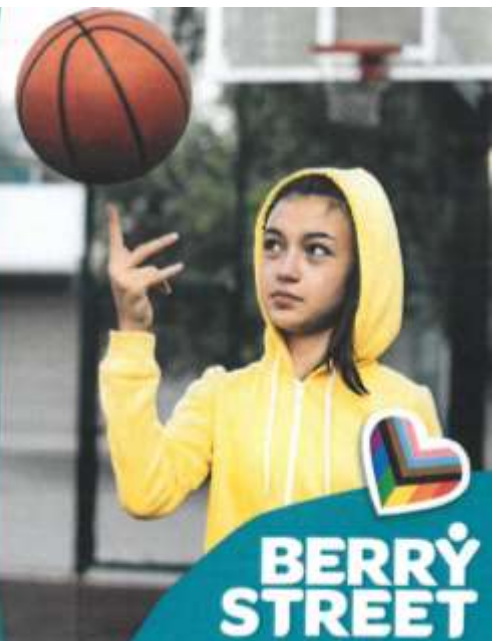
In our community, some children are not always able to live with their family.

Become a foster carer and support a local child at a crucial moment in their life.

Enquire today

[berrystreet.org.au/fostercare](http://berrystreet.org.au/fostercare)

Ph. 1800 816 037

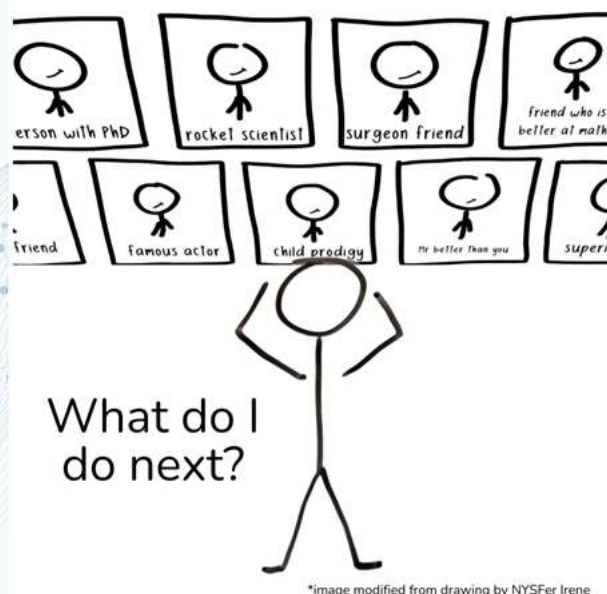


**BERRY STREET**

# NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM

YEAR 11: Apply for the 2025 NYSF  
Year 12 Program in January!

YEAR 12: Register for STEM Hubs  
across Australia in July!



- [NYSF STEM Hubs](#) are a 3-day experience during the July school holidays where students will visit universities and STEM organisations in Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney/Newcastle!



## STEM HUBS FOR CURRENT YEAR 12 STUDENTS

Register for the [2024 NYSF STEM Hubs!](#)

<https://www.nysf.edu.au/programs/nysf-stem-hubs/>

- 3-day unique STEM experiences to connect with STEM pathways and careers around Australia.
- \$250 for experiences in July in Adelaide, Melbourne, Sydney and Newcastle!



## NYSF YEAR 12 PROGRAM FOR CURRENT YEAR 11 STUDENTS

Apply for the [2025 National Youth Science Forum \(NYSF\) Year 12 Program!](#) <https://www.nysf.edu.au/programs/year-12-program/>

- 9-day residential experience in January
- Start your application today
- [Scholarships](#) and funding help available <https://www.nysf.edu.au/what-we-do/equity-scholarships/>



# Transition 2025 - Years 6 into 7 Euroa Secondary College

## Thursday 18th July

Enrolment Packs delivered to Primary School from this date.

## Friday 23rd August

Enrolment information due back to ESC.

## End of August/ September

We will organise a meeting with each future student's family to ensure we meet their needs.

## Monday 9th December

Day 1 of Transition into Year 7  
Parent breakfast, information session / tour.

## Monday 10th December

Day 2 of Transition into Year 7.

## Wednesday 29th

## January 2025

Day 1 for Year 7s. Starting a 4 day orientation program.



## School Tour Dates

Monday 13th & 20th May - 10am or  
Wednesday 15th & 22nd May - 4pm

## Tours

We also have some times available if you are interested in a personal tour.

If these times do not suit, contact us to organise a tour time best suited for your family or please contact us if you have any questions.

Teagan Kohn via

[Teagan.Kohn@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:Teagan.Kohn@education.vic.gov.au)

or 5795 2512



## Upcoming Careers Events

There is a Defence Careers Day at Puckapunyal army base which is open to expressions of interest.

Date: Friday 13th September

Please register your interest outside the careers office. For more information, see Lorelle.



# DIVE INTO A FULFILLING JOURNEY BECOME A SWIMMING TEACHER

Looking for a rewarding part-time role? Stay at home Mum or Dad?  
Speak to a member of staff today and dive into the joy of teaching swimming!

Simple Steps to becoming a Swim Teacher with the Y:

- **Get Qualified:** Connect with Life Saving Victoria or Aust Swim for courses.
- **Explore Opportunities:** Chat with us about joining our team.
- **Flexible Hours:** Casual role, under 10 hours/week, Mondays - Saturdays, perfect for your schedule!
- **Community Impact:** Make a difference by teaching vital life skills.

For more information, please speak to Tamara Mercer at [tamara.mercer@ymca.org.au](mailto:tamara.mercer@ymca.org.au)



## Perks Include:

- **Fulfillment in guiding our youth.**
- **Free access to Y facilities.**
- **Free access to Y classes.**

Find all the details about Swim Teacher Training Courses via the links:

w: [lsv.com.au/training-all/swim-teacher-training-course](https://lsv.com.au/training-all/swim-teacher-training-course)  
[austswim.com.au/course-listing](https://austswim.com.au/course-listing)

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AQUATIC CENTRE