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

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NEWSLETTER NO. 13



TUESDAY 7TH JUNE 2022

2022

Term 2

Week 7

6th, 7th & 9th Jun

Fri 10th Jun

Week 8

Mon 13th Jun

Tue 14th Jun

Wed 15th Jun

Fri 17th Jun

Week 9

Fri 24th Jun

Year 10 & 11 Exams

Professional Practice Day – Pupil Free.

Queens Birthday public holiday

Semester 2 starts

Year 8 Football

Hume Cross Country

Curriculum Day – Pupil Free - Last Day Term 2

Term 3

Week 1

Mon 11th Jul

1st day Term 3

Week 2

Week 3

Week 4

1st – 5th Aug

Thur 4th Aug

Year 10 Work Experience week

HUME senior boys' Netball

Calendar subject to change

DEAR PARENTS, GUARDIANS, CARERS & COMMUNITY MEMBERS,

It has been wonderful to see students out and about in our local and wider community participating in activities and camps. An example of this is our Year 12 students had a 2 day camp where they participated in wellbeing and adventure and team bonding activities.

Last week we held our annual Experience Day with students from our local primary schools. This was a very successful day enjoyed by primary school students, their staff and our staff. Thank you to parents for your support for this day which enables us to connect primary students to our secondary school. Thank you to Maddi McCluskey for the organisation of this day.

This week our Year 10 and 11 students are sitting exams in our opened up classrooms. Thank you to Adrian Bright, Stephanie Fry and Year 10 and 11 teachers for the organisation of these exams.

On Friday this week we have our allocated Professional Practice Day with no classes running. Staff will be finalising exam marking and working on planning for Semester Two.

Semester 1 reports will be published at the end of this term.

Have a great week.

Kind regards

Leanne Winfield



Alternative Classroom

During term 2 some of our year 8 and 9 students have been taking part in our Alternative Classroom program. The program focusses on building positive connections to school and with others, teamwork and experiencing an alternative educational activity once a week. The past few weeks our students have been completing some work in the garden, sharpening up their hedge work.

Students involved include Declan Antonis, Zoe Keamy-Saunders, Dillon Hartman, Blair Coleman, Tarryn Hobbs, Kayden Garden and Josh Quilty.



VET Agriculture

On Friday 27th May, students attended an Agriculture careers expo at Melbourne University's Dookie campus where they heard from and attended workshops from industry lead people. The students had a great day out and learnt about careers in range of agricultural sectors including Equine, Machinery, Hydroponics, Agribusiness, Pastures, Veterinary technology and Sheep and Wool.



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/>

College Uniform

All uniform orders are done through Shoreditch Corporate online, please go to www.shoreditchcorporate.com.au

If you choose to have uniform delivered to home there is a charge of \$10, if you choose delivery to the school, it is free. Shoreditch Inc. phone number for any enquiries is – 03 95806488

****Please note new web address and the User code for Euroa Secondary College is ESC2019Shop**



Please check out our students ARTWORK @ Euroasc_art Gallery

https://www.facebook.com/Euroasc_art-Gallery-1641096692770958/

Visitors to the College

All visitors must sign in at the front Office and also use the QR code.

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.

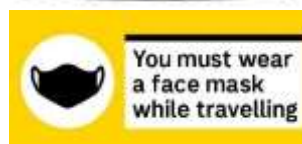
Students who live 4.8 kilometres from their bus stop or the school (if they are not serviced by a bus and travel by car) may be eligible for conveyance allowance. Forms can be obtained from the Office. Applications for term 1 Conveyance Allowance close 18th March 2022.

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 Koutroubas 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.



BUS FARE INCREASE - To align with Public Transport Victoria's ticketing price increases, a small increase will be applied to the School Bus Program's fare for ineligible travellers. This change represents the first increase in the School Bus Program's fare price since 2016. The new fare is \$125 per term (\$500 per year) which is an increase of \$5 per term (\$20 per year). The fare increase will take effect from the beginning of Term 2, 2022

CSEF – Camps Sports Excursion Funding.

Application Close 24 June

Experience Day

On Wednesday June 1st, we hosted our Primary Schools for our Experience Day. This included St Johns, Euroa PS, Peranbin (Violet Town & Strathbogie), St Joseph's Nagambie, Nagambie PS and Longwood PS. Over 200 students, and their teachers, came to experience high school, participating in a range of activities; from cooking pizzas, to building spaghetti towers with masking tape and marshmallows, to creating keychains out of plastic. It was great to see so many primary school students engaged and having fun with the activities that were on offer. The ESC band welcomed them with their musical talents, and year 7s and 8s were our student helpers for the day. There are many staff and students to thank for making sure the day ran smoothly, particularly our BBQ cooks, Mr Bott and Mr Maitland, and the staff that ran the sessions throughout the day. All students feedback was positive and they are looking forward to the opportunity to attend again next year.



Year 12 Camp

On Monday and Tuesday Year 12 students went on overnight camp to Camp Charnwood.

The focus was to develop students resilience and team bonding. Despite the wet weather the students had a great time abseiling, bike riding, setting new records for crate climbing and taking part in well being sessions.



2022 Ice Bucket Challenge ❄️

Nominations are in and finalised! Here are our teachers lining up for the ice bucket challenge for 2022 - hosted on Thursday June 23.

However, to get iced, staff have a target goal of funds to raise. Let's get behind them and start donating, with all funds going to FightMND. Jars are available at front office. [#fightmnd](#) [#bigfreeze8](#) [#beanieon](#) [#playon](#) [#icebucketchallenge](#) ❄️

You can also donate at our direct link <https://hub.fightmnd.org.au/diy.../euroa-secondary-college> ❄️



ACH TEACHER HAS A TARGET AMOUNT TO REACH BEFORE THEY GET "ICED" DONATE AT THE FRONT OFFICE NOW!



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Discover the educational opportunities available for your child at Euroa Secondary College.

TOUR DATES
Thursdays
19 May 9.30am
26 May 9.30am
2 June 9.30am
16 June 9.30am
23 June 9.30am

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Book your SCHOOL TOUR
26 Campbell St Euroa
03 5795 2512 or euroa.sc@education.vic.gov.au



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POSITIVE START 2022

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"I am having fun hanging out with friends at camp. We have explored nature and cooked out in the bush!"
- Ellie

"This is my first holiday camp. All the kids have been nice and friendly. I have been making heaps of new friends." - Bodhi



Through Positive Start, eligible Victorian students can access free holiday camps during school holidays in 2022!

At a holiday camp, kids will get outside, make new friends and create memories that last a lifetime.

Eligible families can browse an exciting menu of world-class camp experiences.

All Positive Start holiday camps meet COVIDSafe requirements.

Talk to your school today to check student eligibility.

Find out more:

www.vic.gov.au/positive-start-holiday-camps



The Air Force Cadets
are now RECRUITING!

airforcecadets.gov.au

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The Australian Air Force Cadets (AAFC) is a youth oriented organisation that is administered and actively supported by the Royal Australian Air Force. The AAFC will teach you valuable life skills and will help you develop qualities including leadership, self-reliance, confidence, teamwork and communication. Some activities undertaken by the AAFC include flying, fieldcraft, adventure training, firearms safety training, drill and ceremonial, service knowledge, aeromodelling, navigation and gliding. The AAFC has also recently begun a new STEM program involving the flying of drones. Recruiting closes 13 July 22

Expressions of interest to join:
www.airforcecadets.gov.au/how-tojoin
Or for more information contact
co.419sqn@airforcecadets.gov.au or
0481 111 305

To be eligible to enrol you must be in high school and 12(turning 13 in the calendar year) and not have turned 16.

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.