

Eudunda Area School

NEWSLETTER

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FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

In our everyday lives, at school, home or work, we face a variety of situations to which we react differently. How we think and how we feel in these situations will control our actions and responses. Our Positive Education curriculum teaches students about having a Growth Mindset, and part of this is to understand how our Mindtraps, such as worrying, trying to avoid situations, trying to prove something or attempting to please others, can affect the responses THEY make. Many of us will habitually respond in the same manner as a defence mechanism. By students better understanding what triggers their response, (an event, a person, a thought), they can better deal with the situation in an appropriate way.

Sports Day (Friday, March 25th) will be a great way for our students to show their positive attitude and mindset. For parents who are attending, can I please remind them to wear a mask when inside and be mindful of social distancing.

The Governing Council AGM will be held on Monday, April 11th 7:30pm in Room 11. I invite all parents to attend the school Annual General Meeting and become part of this very important group. At the AGM the Annual Report for 2021 is presented and the opportunity exists for parents to ask questions about the report. As our school grows it is essential that the Governing Council represent all groups within the school.

One item of business is the election of school community members onto the Governing Council. The Governing Council is the body that sets the broad directions for our school. Membership is a very satisfying way to contribute positively to the school community and the education of Eudunda Area School children.

Student Absences

It is important that if students are absent from school that Parents notify the school via a phone call, email or note in the diary. Staff are required to keep accurate records of student attendance and to help them do this, the notification by parents of reasons for student absences is very much appreciated.

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COMING EVENTS

March

Friday 25th
Sports Day

April

Wednesday 6th
Santos

Friday 8th
Harmony Day

Monday 11th
Career Expo Year 9 -10
7:30pm Governing Council
AGM

Thursday 14th
Last day of Term 1
- Buses depart 2.25pm

May

Monday 2nd
Term 2 commences

Wednesday 4th
Year 8 & 10 immunisations

Wednesday 9th – Friday 11th
Year 11 Surf Camp

Respect Responsibility Integrity Understanding Friendship Commitment

Bus Travel

If students are not travelling on buses I remind parents to please notify the school as early as possible. Students not on the bus need to be crossed off and the early notification makes this process much easier for our office staff and bus drivers

So this week, if you face a situation that triggers a Mindtrap, remember to stop and breathe, manage your state and respond outside of the box.
Have a great week.

DAVID CLUSE
Principal

School News

St Peters Leadership Summit

On Friday, March 11th, School Captain Reece Hawkins and SLC President Claire Schiller visited St Peter's College to participate in the National School Leaders Summit of 2022. They were amongst 90+ other student leaders who participated in activities and conversations to strengthen their leadership capabilities.

Anna Roebuck



Staff News

On Tuesday, March 15th, the staff at EAS completed a First Aid Course, which was run by St John Ambulance SA. This was an assessed course and all who attended received a certificate on completion.



Year 4/5 Class

The Door

Go and open the door
Maybe your dream is on the other side
Waiting for you to achieve it.

Go and open the door
Even if your mistakes are on the other side
Because you learn from your mistakes.

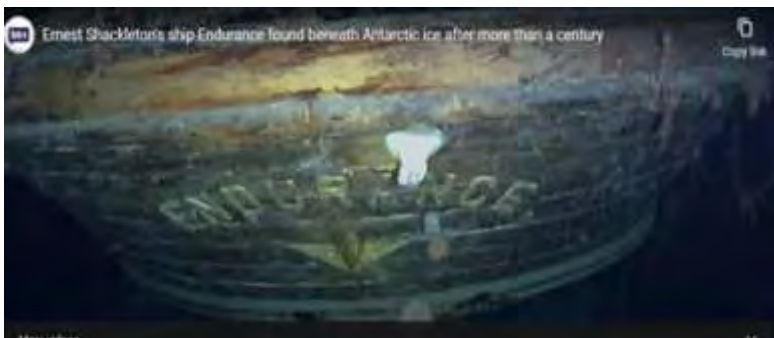
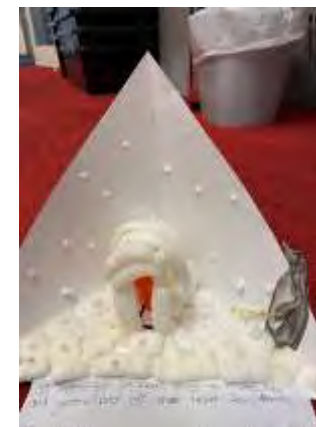
Go and open the door
You might find someone putting
A smile on someone's face.

Go and open the door
You might find treasure with coins inside
Waiting until someone finds it.

Go and open the door
Even if there is something unexpected on the other side at
least you'll get a surprise.

Go and open the door
Even though if there is nothing
You could at least make someone's day by putting a smile on
someone's face.

By Angel Soto Year 4



After watching BTN students were captivated and intrigued by the news story 'Shackleton's Ship' the lost wreckage of Sir Ernest Shackleton, whose ship was trapped in ice, crushed and sunk in the Antarctic. Discovered and found 107 years after it sank. The students then followed the story and investigated life onboard Shackleton's ship, the work of early explorers in the Antarctic and animal life adaptations.

Students were creative in their thinking, making trigramas reflecting the icy environment and penguin life. Students wrote descriptive sentences about their masterpieces.

Vanessa O'Brien

KFC Easter Egg-citement

The “Kids For Christ” (KFC) Easter event will be held on Friday 1st April at Eudunda – venue to be advised. The timeframe is 3.10 pm onward for a 3.30 pm start, going until 5.30 pm, with an optional extra half hour of games until 6.00 pm for those who wish to stay longer. The cost is \$4 per child. For enquiries and bookings (by 31st March), please contact Chris Doecke on 0488 047861. Further details will be distributed through school next week. All families are welcome.



Uniform Shop

Below is the updated price list for School Uniform.

UNIFORM PRICES 2022	
Beanie	\$20
Fleece jumper	\$60
Hat	\$15
Jacket	\$40
Pants	\$40
Polo top	\$40
Rugby top	\$65
Shorts	\$25



FRIDAY 8TH OF APRIL

EAS will be celebrating Harmony Day on Friday April 8th. The important theme of ‘Everyone Belongs’ will hopefully impart and reinforce school values on the students. ‘It’s all about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone’.

Multicultural or orange themed dress

Students will be encouraged to dress in multicultural outfits or orange clothing and accessories. Orange is the accepted colour associated with Harmony and this event. Casual clothing will not be considered as participating.

Indian Lunch

An Indian lunch will be provided by Good Karma for \$10. Order forms need to be returned with money by Monday 28th March. Thanks for your Support.



Come dressed in your team colours, red or blue for Sports Day tomorrow!

SLC

APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



All types of School Card applications will be available online from
17th January 2022
www.sa.gov.au



Want \$500 to help you with school costs?

saverplus

Saver Plus is a financial education program for families and individuals on a tight budget to develop life-long savings habits.

To join Saver Plus, you must:

- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card **AND** an eligible Centrelink payment*
- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- ✓ Have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)*
- ✓ Be 18+ years old

*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible

Here are some of the school costs the \$500 can be used for:

- laptops & tablets
- uniforms & shoes
- books & supplies
- sports fees & gear
- lessons & activities
- camp & excursion

For more information, please contact your local Saver Plus coordinator:

Stacey Hall
stacey.hall@thesmithfamily.com.au
 0417 048 689 or 1300 610 355

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 The Smith Family
 Find out more at saverplus.org.au

Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ and delivered in partnership with local community organisations. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

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Australia's longest-running financial education & matched savings program

Eligible families and individuals on low-income will:

- Build budgeting skills
- Develop life-long savings habits
- Receive up to \$500 in matched savings for education costs

*Eligibility criteria applies.

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TOTAL PARTICIPANTS SINCE 2005

86% Build budgeting skills
 14% Develop life-long savings habits
 75% saving for children's education
 17% saving for own education
 8% saving to buy

\$26 million Amount saved
\$21 million Amount received in matching from ANZ

FINANCIAL WELLBEING* AFTER SAVER PLUS

Strong financial wellbeing score before Saver Plus: **36** | Average financial wellbeing score after Saver Plus: **64** | Australia's average financial wellbeing score*: **59**

Share Saver Plus with your community

To join, participants must:

- ✓ Have a current health care card **OR** pensioner concession card
- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school
- ✓ Have regular income from work, yourself **OR** your partner

For all eligibility requirements, speak to a Saver Plus Coordinator.

For more information, refer interested participants to:

saverplus@bsl.org.au | saverplus.org.au
 1300 610 355 | @SaverPlusAU

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Flu Vaccinations for your family

This year we are offering a Family Flu Vaccination Clinic on

- **Wednesday 27th April 2022**
 - **Wednesday 4th May 2022**
- Appointments between 12pm and 3pm**

with our nurse able to vaccinate for 3 years of age, no script necessary for only \$19.95.

Without the vaccination infected people may become unwell for up to a week. Most patients take up to two weeks to recover from influenza. The best defence against the flu is to receive a dose of the influenza vaccine on an annual basis.

The flu vaccine can help to prevent a person from acquiring the flu, or to reduce symptoms. **More importantly, broad uptake of the flu vaccine by a population can significantly reduce the risk of virus transmission.**

If you are unable to attend this clinic our pharmacists are able to vaccinate from 10 years of age.

Our Pharmacists can also offer this vaccination in store without the need of an appointment or prescription for **\$19.95**.

For any more details please speak to our Retail Manager Kathryn in store.

Thank you

The team at Tim Siv's TWCM Eudunda

FREELING



LIGHT REGIONAL FARM & 4X4 EXPO



MARCH 25TH & 26TH 2022
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Adults	\$15.00	• Jumping Castle • Petting Zoo • Fashion Parade • Farm Machinery • 4x4 displays
Concession	\$10.00	
Kids U15	free	

For bookings and information visit thefarmcentre.com.au or email lightregionalfarm4x4expo@belgravialeisure.com.au



Southern Saints Junior Football

Under 17 training starts on **Thursday 24th March** at 5pm
Under 14 training starts on **Thursday 31st March** at 4.30pm
Under 12 & Under 9 training starts on **Thursday 7th April** at 4pm

Football training and home games will be held at the **Eudunda Oval** until 28 June 2022 followed by **Robertstown Oval** for the second half of the season.

Once again we will be offering a second hand football boot exchange. If you have any old football boots you wish to donate please bring them along to the first training to swap.

There will be a sausage sizzle after training has finished for all junior footballers when we have home games.

Online registration and payments can be completed prior to training, Saints merchandise can be purchased at training from **Thursday 7th April** until the start of the season, **Aaron Niemz (Junior Coordinator) 0428 581 824** or **Chloe Brohan (Secretary) 0411 283 602** for further information.

Eudunda Basketball Club Presentation Night



Friday 25th March
6:00pm for 6:30pm start
Eudunda Sporting Clubrooms
BBQ Tea - Gold coin donation
Drinks will be sold
Hope to see you all there!



Workforce
Australia
Jobs Fair

Looking for a job?

Visit the Barossa Jobs Fair

Barossa, SA

- **Talk face-to-face with employers** looking to hire in Barossa and the surrounding region.
- **Hear from employers** about what they are looking for in an employee.
- **Bring your resume** and have it reviewed by a professional.

Date: Tuesday 29 March 2022

Times: 10:00 am to 2:30 pm

Where: Tanunda Show Hall,
29 Elizabeth Street, Tanunda



For more information
or to register visit
dese.gov.au/BarossaJF

This event will comply with South Australian Government's COVID-19 protocols.
COVID Safe Check-in app will be used for entry, we suggest downloading it prior to the event.
Full vaccination is also required.

