

# Eudunda Area School *NEWSLETTER*

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## FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

After a slow start to the year with events, Term 2 has seen us get back on track with all the wonderful extracurricular opportunities for students at EAS. Over the past few weeks our students have been lucky enough to participate in Pedal Prix, Knockout Netball and football, multiple SAPSASA events, Road Safety sessions and the RSPCA Aware programme. Congratulations to all those students who have participated and represented our school and thank you to all the staff for the organisation of the events. In the primary, it has been wonderful to have assemblies up and running again this term and great to see so many parents/caregivers and grandparents attending.

This week saw the change of timetable as we started the Semester 2 subjects. The Year 7s will now have Design & Tech and Art instead of Home Ec and PE and the Year 8 students will have PE and Home Ec in replace of Art and Design & Tech. Students will receive their Semester 1 reports at the end of this week. It is important you take the time to read the comments and grades and have a chat with your child/ren regarding their results. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the report, please make time to meet with the teacher to discuss it further.

In the media lately has been the announcement about the re-introduction of the mid-year intake at pre-schools and schools throughout 2023 and 2024 and beyond. From 2024 all public primary schools will offer both a start of the year enrolment and a mid-year intake for Foundation students. From 2024 children who turn 5 years old:

- Before 1 May can start primary school (Foundation) at the beginning of the year.
- From 1 May to 31 October start school through the mid-year intake at the start of term 3 of that year.
- After 31 October start school at the beginning of the following year.
- Students who start school at the beginning of the year will complete 4 terms of Foundation.
- Students who start school through a mid-year intake (start of term 3) will complete 6 terms of Foundation.

I wish all our staff, students and families a safe, healthy and enjoyable break and look forward to seeing you back, refreshed and ready for Term 3.

ASHLEE SHANNON  
Acting Principal

## COMING EVENTS

### July

#### Friday 8th

Last day of Term 2  
Early dismissal 2:20pm

#### Monday 25th

Term 3 commences

#### Wednesday 27th

Year 10 Immunisations

### August

#### Wednesday 3rd

World of Maths Day

#### Sunday 6th

Pedal Prix @Tailem Bend

#### Friday 12th

Primary Assembly

#### Monday 15th

SACE Information night

Year 11 6pm

Year 12 7pm

#### Wednesday 17th-19th

Year 8 Bushwalking Camp

#### Monday 29th –31st

Year 4-6 camp @

Walleroo

### September

#### Friday 2nd

Primary Assembly

#### Monday 5th

School Closure

#### Tuesday 6th

Pupil Free Day

#### Tuesday 13th

Year 3-4 Hot Shot Tennis



Respect Responsibility Integrity Understanding Friendship Commitment

## PJ Day 2022

On July 17th, the Primary SLC organised a Pyjama Day to raise money for Kids in Care. It was great to see so many students dressing in their PJs. The SLC also sold cupcakes, lolly bags and fruit boxes. Overall, the SLC raised just under \$200 which will help The Pyjama Foundation purchase new books, learning activities and games for the Pyjama Angel Resources Centres and two training kits for two mentor Pyjama Angels. A big thank you to everyone who got involved and supported a worthy cause.



## SAPOL ROAD SAFETY SESSION

On Friday, June 24th the Foundation to Year 9 students attended Road Safety sessions at EAS lead by Police Officer David Garner from the Road Safety Division at Thebarton Police Barracks.

The Foundation – Year 3 session included:

- playing in safe places
- stop, look, listen, think
- seatbelt safety
- wearing a safety helmet · calling Triple Zero (000) when there is an emergency

The Year 4 – 6 session included:

- introduction to road safety
- Australian Road Rules
- the appropriate use of cycles, skateboards, scooters and roller skates · calling Triple Zero (000) when there is an emergency

The Year 7 – 9 session included:

- passenger responsibilities
- pedestrian safety
- cycling safety
- the use of wheeled recreational devices
- being safe around public transport
- an introduction to the Graduated Licencing Scheme



## BASKETBALL CLINIC

On Tuesday, June 21st, the primary girls participated in an Adelaide Lightning & Basketball SA Female Participation Programme. The girls were treated to a clinic by Brooke Basham who played for Adelaide Lightning in the 2021/22 season and for Norwood. It was a wonderful experience for the girls to be exposed to basketball and develop their skills.



## Primary News

Thank you to Mr Neville, Mrs O'Brien and Mrs Johnson who helped run some football clinics for the boys while the girls did basketball.



## Room 12

Room 12 students love looking at books in our weekly Library lesson. We are so lucky to have such a fantastic resource at our school.



# Primary Assembly Awards



Chase and Hunter R from Miss Lou's class.



Foundation/Year 1 Class -  
Jacob Almeida, Auron Gibson,  
& William Metcalf (absent)



Year 2/3 Class – Jossy Cavanagh, Jayden Briesse  
& Montana Smith (absent)



Year 4/5 Class – Fiona Gibson, Angel Soto,  
Lucas Donald & Jhett Godfrey



Year 5/6 Class – Thomas O'Regan, Brock Maddison  
& Xavier Tatt (absent)

## Primary SLC

Over the past couple of weeks, the Primary SLC have been running some recess time activities. This has included card and board games, arts and crafts and Just Dance. Thank you to the SLC reps for running the activities. It has been great to see the older students working with the younger students.



## Milster's News

This year Eudunda Area School has only three, yet very important, Year 12 students! Despite being only three there have been several antics that the boys have gotten up to. One such story included Cory and a few other accomplices borrowing Stevie Riley's car and pushed it down the hill around a corner so he couldn't find it.

Reece Hawkins, one of our School Captains and the quiet achiever of the trio, has a reputation of being the untidy one, quite often leaving his dishes lying around for weeks at a time, which might explain the rodent outbreak in the Senior Room. Reece is currently working hard with the hope of studying Aviation at Uni SA next year. His tips so far in staying motivated are - get bribed with biscuits (Miss Brown's idea) - Work until you only have a tiny bit left, and then work a little more until you are finished.

Next, we have Cory Curran, the clown of the Yr12 group, a mechanic and self-proclaimed King of Football. His advice is to keep your headphones on and don't talk to your friends during class time (his teachers may not agree with his 'don't talk to your friends during class time', as this is one of Cory's famous past times). He also uses iced coffee and humour as his motivator.

The last member of our three amigos is Tom Nolan, our other School Captain. He is unsure of what he wants to do after school but expects to be still going to the gym in a year or two's time. Tom's tip is to use time wisely and stay on track and wants to highlight to everyone that even though they are small in numbers, remember that it is quality that counts, not quantity.

Have a great holiday everyone, see you on the flip side, Milster.

*Riddle me this- One winter morning, Mr Wilson found a man standing in the middle of the front yard. The man stayed in the yard for several weeks, but Mr Wilson didn't mind. Eventually, the man disappeared. Who was he?*



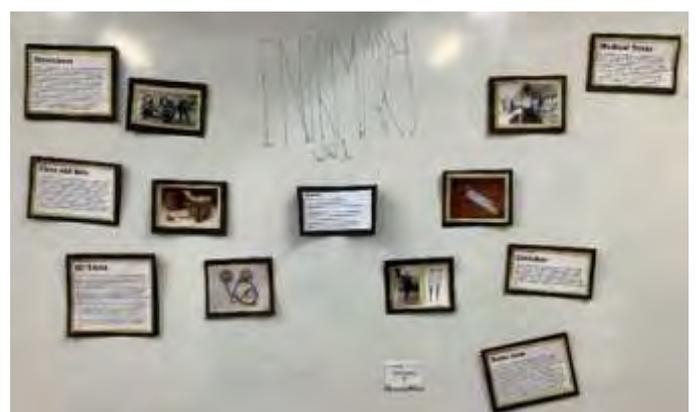
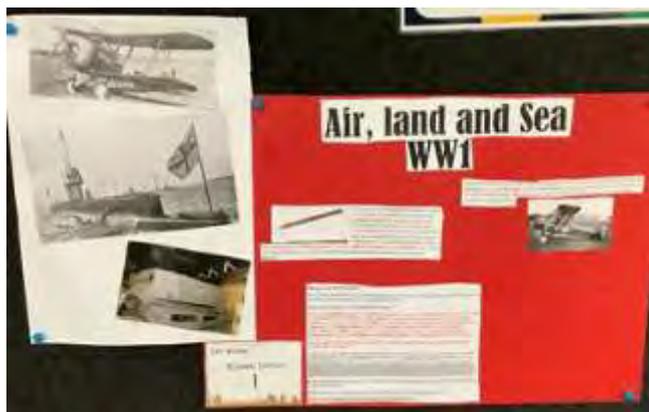
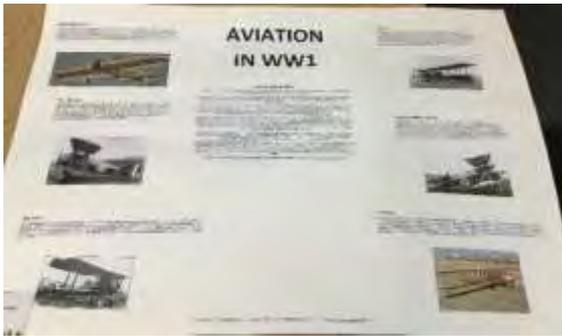
## Milster's News

Unfortunately, the EAS Netball team only got three goals in all. The Year 7-8 girls were up against Riverton, Clare, St Josephs, Kapunda, Balaklava and Burra. Matilda O'Brien and Savanna Lauke acted as coaches, Lucy Engel was the Coordinator, and I tagged along as a scorer. Maybe the reason that the girls got smashed every time was because the scorer (#me) got distracted and went missing..... We will never know.



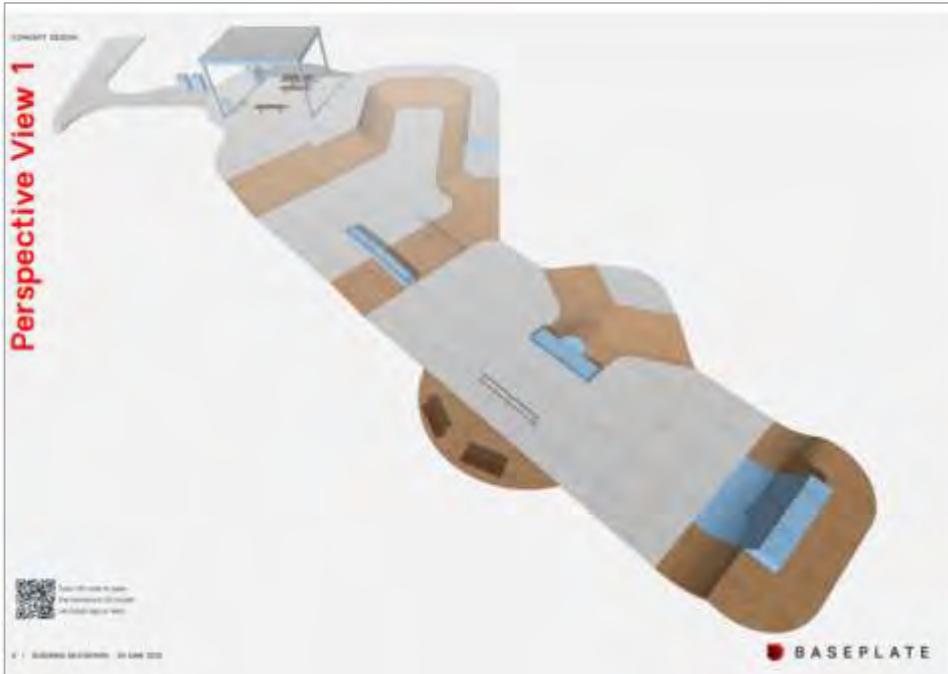
## EAS Museum

This term the Year 9 students have been exploring World War 1. Students choose a topic of interest to them that is related to WW1 and were creating a museum exhibit. Students were to provide background information and create a museum exhibit presenting 6 different sources or artefacts that demonstrates this topic. Students then created a museum exhibition for students to come and view their work. Visitors to the EAS Museum Exhibition even voted for their favourite top three exhibits. Below are some of the exhibits that were presented at the EAS Museum.



# Skate Park Concept Plan

Here are two of the Eudunda Skate Park concept plans from Baseplate. YAC have accepted the design and voted for Baseplate to move ahead with the construction drawings which will hopefully be completed in the next few months. The design includes a shelter, bbq, seating and drink station. Additionally, there is a little acknowledgement in the design to mental health and the Eudunda-cow Spring by bringing blue concrete into the design. The next step is Council will be working with a landscape designer to design a concept of the surrounds to the Skate Park. Any suggestions from students/staff will be appreciated. This design will then be confirmed by YAC before its finalised.





# APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



**17th January 2022**

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