

# SCADDAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 13. 2016

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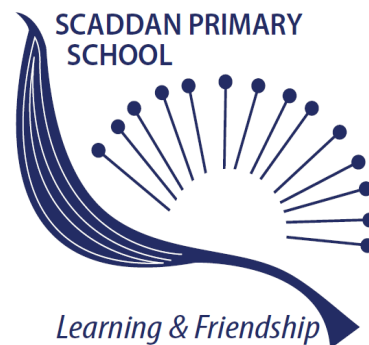
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## Important Dates

**THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER**  
OEN Meeting at 3:15pm.

**FRIDAY 28 OCTOBER**  
School Performance  
Tours visit.  
Salmon Gums PS  
students visiting for the  
performance.

**FRIDAY 25 NOVEMBER**  
E.S.H.S Year 6 Transition  
Day.

**TUESDAY 22 NOVEMBER**  
Kindergarten Transition  
Day.

**FRIDAY 9 DECEMBER**  
Year 6 Reward/Leavers  
Day.

**TUESDAY 13 DECEMBER**  
End of Year Concert &  
Graduation Ceremony.

## From the Principal:

Welcome back to our final term for 2016. It is hard to believe we have arrived at this point in the year! With the End of Year Concert and reports, it's going to be an action packed term.

### Swim Camp

Swim Camp has come and gone! It was fantastic week of fun activities and our students had an absolute blast! The experience of camp and the activities sometimes puts students outside of their comfort zone. Our students did a fantastic job at challenging themselves and trying things they may not have experienced before. Camps only happen through the dedication of staff and parents who give up their time and/or donate items to ensure our students have this opportunity. It was a great community effort, Scaddan! Extra congratulations go to Scott Suttar from Salmon Gums PS and Tahlia Collins from Cascade PS who lead the organisation of the Senior and Junior activities. If you are yet to finalise your payment for Swim Camp, please contact Mrs Berry in the office to organise this ASAP. Also please return any black hats you may have at home!

### Bushfire Season and Plan

Recently, I met with Moira Darmody (DFES Bushfire Risk Management Liaison Officer) and representatives from our School Council and P&C to discuss the events of last November and seek clarity on concerns regarding the safety of our school and students during a bushfire.

We are now a Category 1 school on the Bushfire Zone Register. This means that;

- schools may be directed to invoke pre-emptive closure when advance warning of a Catastrophic FDR is announced.
- schools must maintain a 20 metre Asset Protection Zone (cleared of rubbish, long grass and flammable materials).
- schools must have a stand-alone Bushfire Plan.

Schools also need to prepare for a no notice fire event which may develop rapidly when the school is open. If this was to occur our school would activate our Bushfire Plan and seek instruction as to whether to move to our designated 'Safer Location'. Our designated 'Safer Location' is the Junior Room building. This meets all the requirements set and is surrounded by the 20m Asset Protection Zone. For this reason, the Junior Room is the SAFEST place to be during a bushfire as advised by DFES. Parents would be advised to not collect their child/ren.

For your information, I have included a copy of our Bushfire Plan Poster that is on display in all areas of the school. This clearly outlines the responsibilities of all people at school during a no notice fire event. This was created in consultation with DFES and was endorsed by the School Council. During this term there will be a drill, to allow students and staff to familiarise themselves with the plan.

**Pride ~ Excellence ~ Respect ~ Nurturing**

### **Camp 2017**

As planning for 2017 is underway, there has already been discussion amongst the Mallee schools regarding the Year 4-6 Camp. In recent years, we have gone to DARE Camp in Dwellingup. For 2017, the Mallee schools have been invited to join the students from Condingup PS in Albany. All schools are taking this back to their communities to seek feedback with some already committing to Albany. What are your thoughts? Albany or Dwellingup? Feel free to call the school to have a chat about this.

### **Survey**

This year it is compulsory for all schools to complete the National Schools Opinion Survey. This survey provides you, the community, with a voice and will give you the opportunity to let us know how we are going. The information collected will help us plan for improvement. Below you will see a link that you can use to access and complete the survey online. We greatly appreciate you taking the time to complete the survey. The survey closes on Friday 28 October at 23:59.

<https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/AdYAdcqX>

### **Digital Technologies Kit**

At the end of last term, all schools received a Digital Technologies Kit from the Department of Education. The purpose of this is to assist schools in the delivery of the Western Australian Curriculum. There is lots of fun stuff for the students including robotics kits and three new iPads!

### **Out of Office**

I will be out of the office on Monday 24 October as I will be attending a Workforce Planning workshop at Central Office in Perth. This is a small group workshop for Principals of a few Level 3 schools with the purpose being to develop an effective staffing plan using the One Line Budget.

On Friday 28 October, Mrs Cleary and I will also be attending a workshop session at Kalgoorlie PS focussing on how to use and implement the resources received in the Department's Digital Technologies Pack effectively into the classroom.

Kind regards,

**Reece Smith | Principal**

18 October 2016

## **SWIM CAMP 2016**



# SWIM CAMP 2016



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VALUES STAR

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“For taking an enormous amount of pride  
in her reading and writing.”

BIRTHDAY WISHES

October

Alby Marshman—3rd

Lucas Biggers—7th



WHO HAS RECEIVED A VALUES TOKEN THIS FORTNIGHT?

Pride

Annika

Liam

Bianca

Excellence

Neela

Liam

Thomas

Maggie

Caitlyn

Stella

Bevan

Annika

Ashleigh

Oliver

Bianca

Mitch

Alby

Bridie

Toby

Respect

Stella

Bianca

Asha

Ollie

Braxton

Dustin

Luca

Alby

Liam

Toby

Ashleigh

Oskar

Lucy

Mitch

Zain

Nurturing

Paige

Dustin

Tess

Asha

Lucy

Thomas

Maggie

# SCADDAN PRIMARY SCHOOL BUSHFIRE (INVACUATION)



Signal to activate and deactivate: Continuous, short, sharp siren/air horn blasts				
Principal	Manager School Business (MSB)	Teachers	Support Staff	Gardener
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Contact 000 for further information. Carry school mobile.</li> <li>-Advise Scaddan Fire Captain of invacuation.</li> <li>-Complete sweep of the school.</li> <li>-Access evacuation kit containing contact lists. Contact parents and bus contractors. *Advised NOT to pick up students and monitor local media for specific access information*</li> <li>-Contact CRO (Esperance- 9071 9100, Kalgoorlie- 9093 5600)</li> <li>-Wait for further instructions from Local Authorities.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Collect visitors, sign in sign out book, back up data, first aid kit and evacuation kit.</li> <li>-Check library and close windows.</li> <li>-Turn OFF air conditioners in other buildings.</li> <li>-Proceed to JUNIOR ROOM, check to see all staff and visitors are accounted for.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Take students to the JUNIOR ROOM (brick building).</li> <li>-Take first aid kits.</li> <li>-Fill water bottles.</li> <li>-Bring bags inside.</li> <li>-Call roll.</li> <li>-Close windows, louvers and doors.</li> <li>-Air conditioners ON</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Check toilets</li> <li>-Fill bins/plastic tubs and any containers with water.</li> <li>-Wet towels and blankets.</li> <li>-Once in JUNIOR ROOM, report to MSB to check name off.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Turn gas OFF.</li> <li>-Set up watering points; ELECTRICITY PRESENT– Set up irrigator and sprinklers on lawn and oval. Turn ON.</li> <li>NO ELECTRICITY– Hose near T&amp;E shed and hose near flower bed (LOTE room)</li> <li>-Once in Junior Room, report to MSB to check name off.</li> </ul>
Emergency Numbers				
Emergency Services-Police, Ambulance & Fire		Emergency Helpers		
000		<u>Nigel and Lynne Norwood</u> Home: 9075 6061 Mobile 1: 0427 756 085 Mobile 2: 0429 417 629 UHF: 9		
Local Fire Brigade- Fire Captain		<u>Gary and Fiona Norwood</u> Home: 9075 6046 Mobile 1: 0427 756 046 Mobile 2: 0427 756 047 UHF: 20		
DFES Area Officer		<u>Brad and Chris Lewis</u> Home: 9075 6042 Mobile 1: 0428 754 034 Mobile 2: 0428 148 335 UHF: 15		
DFES Regional Office- Albany				
Community Emergency Services Co-ord.				
Shire of Esperance Community Support				

# Wicking Beds



The students have been working together, with support from our amazing school parents and community to develop our Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden. We are in the process of creating Wicking beds at the front of our school. They will allow us decrease our water use and to learn about hydroponics. They are looking fantastic!!!! A big Thankyou to Mrs Aneka Marshman for guiding us and giving her time !!!



# COMMUNITY NOTICES

**ESCAPED** —13 HORNE RAMS MOSTLEY WATYLDAL BLOOD

PLEASE CALL PHIL : 0447 970 193 or 90756026

phil.morcombe@gmail.com

**Esperance Theatre Guild (inc) proudly presents**

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breaking up, breaking out  
and breaking through**

# BOMBSHELLS

WRITTEN BY : Joanna Murry Smith

DIRECTED BY: Dale Johnson & Lyndel Taylor

**Bijou Theatre @ 7.30pm  
October 21, 22, 27, 28, 29**

**For further information call**

**0497 032 814**

**Tickets available**

online at  
[www.thebijoutheatre.org.au](http://www.thebijoutheatre.org.au)

**BIJOU BOX OFFICE  
10am—12pm  
OCTOBER 2016  
8th, 15th, 22nd**



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# VACSWIM SUMMER 2017

Enrol your children for swimming lessons in the summer school holidays



Give your child the opportunity to learn vital swimming and water safety skills. Enrolments are now open for children from five to 17 years old. Simply select a program and enrol online.

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**Program 1**      40 minute lessons  
Every week day from Tuesday 3  
to Friday 13 January 2017  
[Enrolments close](#)  
[Monday 28 November 2016](#)

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**Program 2**      45 minute lessons  
Every week day from Monday 16  
to Wednesday 25 January 2017  
[Enrolments close](#)  
[Monday 5 December 2016](#)

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**Short program**      35 minute lessons  
Every day from Monday 9  
to Friday 13 January 2017  
[Enrolments close](#)  
[Monday 28 November 2016](#)

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**Early start  
program**      45 minute lessons  
(limited Wheatbelt  
centres)      Every day from Saturday 17  
to Friday 23 December 2016  
[Enrolments close](#)  
[Monday 14 November 2016](#)

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Find out more and enrol online at [education.wa.edu.au/swimming](http://education.wa.edu.au/swimming) or telephone 9402 6412

## SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

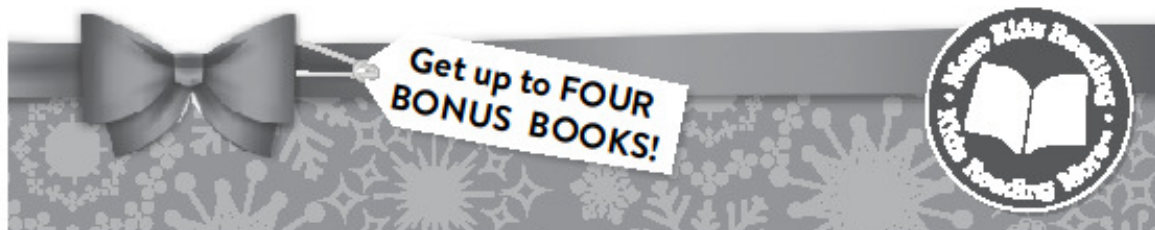
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**DUE BACK BY WEDNESDAY 26 OCTOBER 2016**

PARENTS IF YOU ARE UTILISING THE LOOP BOOK ORDERING METHOD, YOUR CHILD'S CLASS WILL BE EITHER SENIOR OR JUNIOR.

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES.

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# ESPERANCE JUNIOR BASKETBALL FIXTURES

EJB - GRADING - Friday, 21 OCTOBER

Day / Time		Ct 1	Ct 2	Ct 3	Bye
FRI	Gender / Grade	A Boys 10/11	A Boys 10/11		
8.25	Fixture	8.25pm U16 TDS V Eagles	8.25pm Crows V Vultures		
8.00		8.00pm Falcons V Crows	8.00pm Eagles V Hawks		
	Referees	Mechelle M Matt C	Paula H Brayden B		
FRI	Gender / Grade	A Boys 10/11	A Roxy Girls 9/10/11	A Roxy Girls 9/10/11	
7.35	Fixture	7.35pm Hawks V Crows	7.35pm Sapphires V Pearls	7.35pm Rubies V U15 TDS	
7:10		7:10pm U16TDS V Vultures	7:10pm U15TDS V Rubies	7:10pm Emeralds V Diamonds	
	Referees	Matt C Paula H	Mechelle M Cirra	Brayden B Joel	
FRI	Gender / Grade	Boys Nike 9	A Roxy Girls 9/10/11	Boys Nike 9	
6.45	Fixture	6.45pm Pythons V Dugites	6.45pm Diamonds V Sapphires	6.45pm U15 TDS V Vipers	
6.20		6.20pm Cobras V U15 TDS	6.20pm Pearls V Emeralds	6.20pm Pythons V Dugites	
	Referees	Chet Cirra	Trey Connor	Joel Kaden	
FRI	Gender / Grade	Boys Nike 9	Boys Asics 8	Boys Asics 8	
5.55	Fixture	5.55pm Vipers V Cobras	5.55pm Panthers V Pumas	5.55pm Jaguars V Lions	
5:30		5.30pm Pythons V Vipers	5.30pm Lions V Pumas	5.30pm Panthers V Jaguars	
	Referees	Chet Kaden	Trey Kia	Casey Kia	
FRI	Gender / Grade	Girls Billabong 8	Boys Gatorade 7	Girls Billabong 8	
5.05	Fixture	5.05pm Robins V U14 TDS	5.05pm Princes V Dukes	5.05pm Ravens V Quails	
4.40		4.40pm Robins V Quails	4.40pm Princes V Knights	4.40pm U14 TDS V Ravens	
	Referees	Casey Cooper	Patrick Holly	Jesse Ethan	
FRI	Gender / Grade	Boys Gatorade 7	Girls Twilight 7	Girls Twilight 7	
4.15	Fixture	4.15pm Barons V Knights	4.15pm Twisters V Typhoons	4.15pm Tornadoes V Cyclones	
3.50		3.50pm Dukes V Kings	3.50pm Tornadoes V Twisters	3.50pm Cyclones V Typhoons	
	Referees	Jarrod Cooper	Kia Angus	Holly Lachie	

Email: [espjuniorbball@gmail.com](mailto:espjuniorbball@gmail.com)



Esperance Junior Basketball Association

[www.esperancejnrbasketball.sportingpulse.com](http://www.esperancejnrbasketball.sportingpulse.com)



**Dress to Distress!!!**

Please bring a plate of savoury finger food to share

Bar available, NO BYO

RSVP to Janine by 26 Oct  
0403 246 747  
[janinedoney@bigpond.com](mailto:janinedoney@bigpond.com)

**Ghoulish Games & Dancing**

Tix \$15 adults, \$10 children

Inc sausage sizzle + 2 game entry

Welcome drink for adults

Lolly bag for children

## Halloween Party

SGPS Canberra Camp Fundraiser
5pm
29 October 2016