SCADDAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 6, 2017

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Learning & Friendship

Important Dates

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WEDNESDAY 3 MAY **MSP** Photographers

Graduating student photos

TUESDAY 9 MAY Arcade Games Display @ 2:30pm All welcome

> **TUESDAY 9 MAY** NAPLAN

WEDNESDAY 10 MAY NAPLAN

THURSDAY 11 MAY NAPLAN

THURSDAY 18 MAY Assembly @9am All welcome to attend

MONDAY 22 MAY ESHS visit—Year 6 students

THURSDAY 8 JUNE Assembly @9am **Book Fair** All welcome to attend

WEEK 8 MONDAY 12 JUNE SATURDAY 17 JUNE Year 4-6 Senior Camp

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Welcome back to everyone for a new term at Scaddan Primary School. Our students are rested and refreshed and have slipped straight back into routine. This term will be another busy one with NAPLAN, Senior Camp and reports all happening!

NAPLAN

In Week 3, our Year 3 and 5 students will participate in NAPLAN. These tests are one of many tools that are used to measure student achievement at Scaddan Primary School. They are a snapshot of what each child taking the test demonstrates on that particular day at that particular time. At Scaddan, we encourage each student to do their best and create a test taking environment that is as stress-free as possible. We wish these students the best of luck.

Assembly– Week 10, Term 1

Well done to the Junior Room who presented a fantastic item that included the use of digital technologies. They used the Green Screen app to pre-record themselves speaking about "their favourite thing they did during the term". Congratulations to the following award winners;

Merit Certificates - Bevan, Lucy, Ethan and Lucas

Aussie of the Month - Alby Scribbit Awards - 30 Reads

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Luca	Dustin
Caitlyn	Zain

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Lucas	Oskar
Mitch	Bevan
Braxton	Liam
Aidan	

ANZAC Day

On Thursday 6 April, Scaddan Primary School held our ANZAC Service. Our Student Forum did a fantastic job at running the service and all of our students behaved respectfully on this important day. Thank you to the parents and community members that attended and commemorated this event with us. Unfortunately, our RSL Representative missed the service, but he made a special trip out the following day to visit us and apologise for not attending. Our students were then visited by Richard Moore (Esperance Police) and Kevin O'Dwyer (RSL) the following day, to share their experiences with our students.

I would also like to thank our Year 6 students who represented our school with pride at various community ANZAC Day events.







Mrs Tyrrell

I would like to welcome Mrs Ros Tyrrell to our school team for Term 2. We are fortunate to have Mrs Tyrrell completing her Education Assistant practicum at our school. She will be working with both classes throughout her time with us.

Ern Halliday- Camp Forms

Today, parents of students in Years 4-6, will receive an Intention to Attend and Medical Form to complete for camp in Week 8. Cascade Primary School are still finalising the cost for each student which will be sent out as soon as it is available. The cost will be no more than \$550 as stated in the 2017 Voluntary Contributions and Charges. In the meantime, we are seeking a deposit of \$50.00 per student. The cost of camps can be expensive and if you require a confidential payment plan, please contact me in the office.

Out of the Office

I will be out of the office on Friday 12 May to attend an Esperance Regional Schools Network Meeting.

Kind regards,

Reece Smith | Principal

2 May 2017

A big thank you goes to the Scaddan P&C for our new bright shade, the colour reflects one of our Core Values.



ANZAC Dawn Service at Grass Patch









ANZAC Service at Esperance









Voluntary Contributions and Charges

We are now collecting Voluntary Contributions and Charges. Endorsed by the School Council and provided to all parents at the end of last year, these payments greatly assist in the provision and planning of a range of activities for your children. Please make cheques payable to Scaddan Primary School or directly deposit into the school account (details provided on the 2017 Voluntary Contributions and Charges sheet). If you need any more information do not hesitate to contact Mrs Berry or Mrs letto in the office.





Scholastic Bookclub due by Thursday 11 May.

WHO HAS RECEIVED A VALUES TOKEN THIS FORTNIGHT?



Excellence





Dustin Neela A DE Revan

















Students have been working hard to complete their design projects from Term One. We will be presenting our arcade games to the school next Tuesday the 9th of May at 2:30 pm you are welcome to join us !!!!





Welcome back to Term 2!! Hopefully everyone had a restful school holidays. The seniors have shared their favourite memories though illustration and text.









Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program

In the Garden:

The start of Term 2 has seen the students busy planning our garden space. In groups they have researched what to plant in Autumn and Winter, along with which plants are companion plants. Students then used a template to work out where each vegetable should be planted based on rotating the crops (to reduce disease). A lot of thought has gone into these plans, so I am very excited about the garden space for this term!

In week 2, students will also be setting up a working space near the compost bay to provide a place for planting seeds with some shade.

Our gardening/cooking groups are:

- Kung Fu Shovels
- * Choppers
- * Trio Amigos
- * Superfood





In the Kitchen:

At the end of Term 1, students had a fabulous time in the kitchen cooking some Anzac biscuits! The Kindy students joined in and learnt a lot. The results were very interesting, with each batch of biscuits slightly different!









Regular Activities

Cannery Pottery Club : Open to all the community for pottery activities 11am – 4pm, Thursday & Saturday each week.

Forage Cannery Kitchen Garden: Open days Thursday 3.30 - 5.30pm. Everyone welcome to pop down to the garden and have a chat or contribute.

Knit for Art: An informal knitting and crocheting group who meet every Thursday morning at 10am at Esperance Community Arts Space to work on individual or community projects, Morning tea included. Beginners welcome, no cost, some materials and needles/ hooks provided. Gold coin Donation.

Esperance Patchwork Club: Meet every Thursday, February through to November, 9am - 12noon at the Seniors Citizens, Meeting Room. Contact Jean Reimers for more information. Ph 9071 1898.

No Lights, No Lycra: Self expression dance in the dark! Thursdays, 7.15pm, Innerspace Gallery, Cannery Arts Centre. \$5 Entry. Bring water to drink and wear comfortable clothes. Ages 14 and over. Alcohol & drug free event. For information see No Lights No Lycra Esperance Facebook page.

Esperance Brass Band: Rehearsal every Thursday night (during school terms), 7:30pm - 9:30pm. Esperance Basketball Stadium (the door prior to entry into the stadium), Greater Sports Ground. Any new or interested members are welcome. For further information contact Julie Fetherston ph 0438 839 352 or email fetherstons@bigpond.com

Old Time / New Vogue Ballroom Dancing

8:00 PM - 10:30 PM Friday nights @ RAOB - Williams St (behind Bijou theatre) Singles & Couples / Beginners - All welcome \$5pp (supper included) Enquiries - Viv 0427014691.

Just Dance Classes: Latin, Ballroom and New Vogue. Beginners and dancers of all ages welcome! No partner required. \$5 per person. Latin dance styles every Monday from 7pm-8.45pm, RAOB Hall (behind the Bijou Theatre on Dempster Street). This is a friendly group of dancers who enjoy helping others learn and have fun at the same time. For more information contact Viv on 0427 014 691 or Miguel and Angela 0477 972 918.

Esperance Drumming Group: Esperance Community Arts Space, 67 Dempster Street. Everyone welcome. Drums and percussion instruments supplied or bring your own. For more information call Meredith Waters on 0488090934 or email <u>andmerf@wn.com.au</u>. Find the Esperance Drumming Group on FACEBOOK.

Esperance Photographers Club: Club Meetings, 3rd Monday of every month, The Cannery Art Room, 7pm. For more information contact Julie Wylie on 9076 1215 or email <u>esperancephotographersclub@gmail.com</u>. Find the Esperance Photographer's Club on FACEBOOK and Twitter and look out for their new blog site!

Esperance Ukulele Group: Join the worldwide ukulele revolution! Wednesdays, 6pm, Esperance Senior Citizens Centre, Forrest Street. For more information find us on FACEBOOK or see <u>http://groups.yahoo.com/group/UKEsperance</u> Email: <u>ukesperance@yahoo.com</u> Ph: 0417 090 793.

Liteforms: Firetwirling. Contact Joe Young for updates on 043 878 8492.

Recherche Writers: Meetings 1st Saturday of the month, 10am. Masonic Village Hall. For further information contact Lesley Higson ph: 9071 5764 or email <u>ljhigson@bigpond.net.au</u>

Esperance Scrabble Club: Meetings every Saturday, 1pm - 4pm. Esperance Senior Citizens Centre, Forrest Street.

Regular Activities continued......



Sing Australia: A fun 2 hours of singing from 7.30pm, in a relaxed environment with group accompanist and conductor \$6 per night. Non members welcome to join in and have a go, no experience necessary. Every Wednesday at Esperance Aged Care, Activity Room, 4 Randall Street. Contact details: <u>www.singaustalia.com</u>

Esperance Pottery Club meet every Thursday and Saturday at the Cannery Arts Pottery Room. Contact 9071 3599 or <u>canneryartscentre@westnet.com.au</u> for information about meeting times and days.

Esperance Bay of Isles Embroidery Club meet on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the Month, 9am-12noon at the Cannery Arts Music Room. Contact 9071 3599 or <u>canneryartscen-</u> <u>tre@westnet.com.au</u> for information about meeting times and days.

Other local arts groups include Esperance Spinners Club, Esperance Hobby Painters, After Dark Quilters, Port Patchers, Esperance Bay Boot Scooters, Fiona Ryan Dance Academy and Dance Devotion. For more information, contact Esperance Community Arts (9072 1158 or admin@esperancecommunityarts.org.au).



Chrissy Coop from Cascade is coming to Scaddan Primary School on Wednesday afternoons to teach students how to play the guitar.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the students, which has been organised by parents with Scaddan Primary School providing the venue.

Chrissy would also like to offer guitar lessons to adults on Wednesday mornings. If you are interested or have any queries please contact Chrissy on her mobile: 0400 498 288.



