



End of Term 2 Newsletter 2019

Important Dates for Term 3

Sunday 21 July	College reopens for Term 3 at 3.00pm
Monday 22 July	School starts Tuesday
Thursday 22 August	Leavers Weekend. College closes 5pm Thursday buses will run to Ravensthorpe and Norseman
Friday 23 August	AFL FOOTBALL camp in Perth
Sunday 25 August	College re opens at 3pm and camp returns
Friday 30 August	Grandparents dinner 6.00pm
Friday 20 September	College Awards and Year 12 Farewell
Friday 27 September	Term 3 ends. College closes 5pm
Sunday 13 October	College Reopens for Term 3 at 3.00 pm

A Word from the Manager

In an effort to reduce paper waste, we are now emailing our newsletters and term planners. These can also be found on our Websites and Facebook page. Hard copies are available from the office if you request a copy. Student reports will be posted out during the school holidays.

While we have had a brilliant autumn, the weather has just started to change in the last few weeks and getting up earlier is harder, while it's definitely getting darker earlier in the evenings. It's really important that when students return after the holidays they have enough warm clothing and an extra blanket or doona. We do put on our heaters but because the College is so well insulated sometimes its healthier and better for the environment if we just wear warm clothing.

A really big focus for both staff and students in Term 3 is relationships and rewarding students for good behaviour. This will relate quite closely to the standards expected in our Positive Behaviours in schools. We want students to "buy in" and treat each other with respect and will be encouraging students at every opportunity to build good relationships and look out for each other. As such, we are looking at extending our rewards structure to include a camp to Perth. As its quite a bus drive, the obvious time is on our Leavers weekend (no school on Friday 23 August) so students will need to make the choice to either go on camp or go home. First choice will be given to those students who show respect and good behaviour (less than 4 duties up until that time). More on this at the start of the term.

We informed parents we would be initiating the REACH program for students signing out during Term 2. As this required WIFI, it has been held up while we set it up within Education Department planning. We are still having some technical difficulties but hopefully have this rectified for Term 3. I hope to share more on this as it progresses. It will really assist with the sign-out procedure for students.

Enjoy the holiday break.

Peter Jarzabek

School Ball

The school ball this year was full of glitz and glamour. The dresses and suits were breathtaking and the night was filled with laughter, friends and fun. The College always makes an effort to go and see the students as they are entering the Civic Centre so that we can admire the dresses and the cars, the hair and make-up and the atmosphere.

This years' group made a great impression and even managed to have a group photo together. Don't they look lovely!



Reward Camp AFL game

The College will be running a rewards camp to Perth for a spot of shopping and to (hopefully) watch the mighty Eagles defeat Hawthorn. This camp will leave Friday the 23rd of August and return on Sunday. Cost will be \$100 and admission will be earned on the merits of good behaviour. More information next term.



Cold Weather

Parents and students please bring extra blankets/doona's and warm clothing like jumpers/coats and wet weather gear when returning from the holidays. Remember your school jumpers as well. Cold weather is expected for the next few months at least.



Parents please use the following email when sending any information to the College.

Esperance.ResCol@education.wa.edu.au



Grand Parents Dinner-6.00pm Friday 30 August

Our annual Grandparents dinner is on Friday 30 of August from 6.00pm in Term 3. This is one of the best night of the year for students and the dinner is always phenomenal. Its's always great to see everyone dressed to the nines!



Karaoke

The Curry-oke Night was a great success. Mr Searle kicked it off with an amazing rendition of La Bamba and soon everyone was lined up to have a go. Special mention to - Jordan Sinclair for being the first student to be brave enough to sing;

Mikayla Lawrence for being the first girl up to sing and being very good at it; Paige Filmore and Milania Paniora for being the best singers of the night; Juanita Callow for her brilliant singing voice; Kona Bailey for his brilliant singing voice and Paige Byrne and Sarah Beckman for their song which had the whole room singing along with them! What an awesome night! A big thanks to Diesel for coming to the College and putting on such a great show for everyone



Art Work



The students have been loving helping Pauline Bonney with aboriginal artwork for the dorms, the results have been stunning. The goal is for a piece for each T-section. Pauline said this about the art shown, Titled Bandy Creek, "this painting depicts Bandy Creek as it was before the harbour". The dragonflies represent the girls that come to Esperance for schooling. Like the dragonfly, the girls flit in and out of the College while furthering there education.



COLLEGE GIRLS WORKOUT



IT'S COLD OUTSIDE

Come inside to an air-conditioned studio if you would like to:

- *workout with your friends*
- *feel strong and healthy*
- *try different equipment*
- *have fun*

TERM 3 10 WEEKS

\$100 for 10 weeks!

Choose the day/time that suits you:

- *Tue or Thu*
- *3.30pm or 5.15pm*

Email Lyn to register & give your preference, class day/time will be decided by the majority.



LOTS OF FUN EQUIPMENT



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eat healthy • move daily • breathe deeply

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