# Elliston Area School



20th March 2023. Term 1, Week 8

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# Dates to Remember

Governing Council AGM
Meeting
Tuesday 21st March

National Ride to School Day 24th March

Harmony Day 24th March

WASSAC Tuesday 28th March

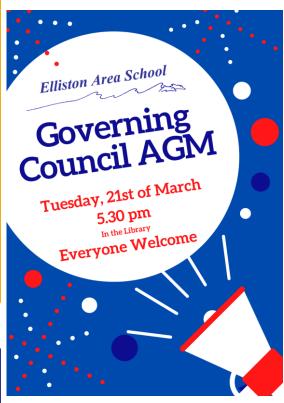
Easter Long Weekend Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> April

> Assembly 13th of April

Last Day Term 1
Friday 14th April

# **School News**







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## **March Birthdays**

24<sup>th</sup> Saxon Romanowycz 31<sup>st</sup> Mason Potter

## M&S Service Charges

Reminder - Material and Service Charges are due.

Thank you to those parents who have already paid. Payments can be made by direct deposit into the school account, EFTPOS, cheque or cash.

**Direct Deposit Banking Details** 

BSB: 065 508

Acc Number: 00911342

## **School Uniforms**

The new stock of Uniforms has arrived. If you need new polo shirts or hoodies, please purchase from the front office.

A reminder that in Term 1 students are expected to wear **broad brimmed hats** during outdoor activities such as PE and at play times. Hats are available for purchase from the front office.

## **Active After School**

Football @ the oval

Thursday 23rd March from 3:30pm - 4:30pm

4-11 year old's

Everyone welcome. Please bring a drink bottle and hat.

### **SRC Canteen**

#### **CANTEEN** will be every Friday

Pies\$3.50Large Spring Rolls\$2.00Sausage Rolls\$2.50Pizza\$2.50Lasagne\$3.50Fruit Box\$1.50

Sauce Free

Orders need to be put in brown paper bags with your name, class and correct money and delivered to the box outside the Home Ec room by 9am Friday morning.

## **Scholastic Book Club News**

Latest book club edition out now!
Please have orders back into Library by 30<sup>th</sup> March.
Thanks Kerry

# **Community News**

# **Community Health Nurse**

Jess Bascomb - Registered Nurse Available to all community members for non-emergency care. Bloods, wounds, suture removal, and much more

Working - Monday Tuesday Thursday and Friday Call the Elliston Health Centre for an appointment 86879012



This Friday, 24th March, is the Annual RFDS Badge Day. Volunteers will be outside the Elliston Supermarket collecting donations for the RFDS.

Please come by and support this amazing organisation.

# Miltalie Massage and Beauty

At the back of SP Hairdressers (Next to the Pharmacy)
Thursday 9:30am – 6:30 pm
Call Sophie 0439 887 892 for an appointment



# Elliston Districts Football and Netball News



#### **Football Training**

Thursday Nights U8 Auskick: 3.30pm U12,U16 Colts: 4.30pm

Seniors: Tuesday and Thursday Nights: 6.30pm

**Colts Welcome** 

#### **Netball Training**

Thursday 5:30pm - 7:00pm





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#### Celebration of Learning - Year 7/8/9 English - Ms Hill

Recently students wrote a persuasive essay, either agreeing or disagreeing with the thesis statement:

#### "The future of humanity needs space exploration?"

It proved to be an excellent topic with students producing strong arguments favouring both sides. They did a stellar job of engaging and convincing the audience using literary devices such as word play, alliteration, rhetorical questions, repetition, hyperbole etc. Below are some excerpts of student work.

What side would you take?			
	Pros	Cons	
•	"I am gravitating in the direction of space exploration because of the eternal quest for human knowledge and the undeniable benefits it can bring" "Satellite imaging has shown that the top 10 centimetres of regolith (moon soil) at the south pole of the moon, appears to hold about 100 times more gold than the richest mines on earth" "Human space exploration helps to address fundamental questions about our place in the	"Space exploration is dangerous, expensive and we don't need more problems" "Every single day we're rocketing further away from helping the the need to help right here, right not to save our planet" "Look up to the stars and not down feet" (Stephan Hawking). But is the case? Should we invest in space exploration? Can we find new org	e pollution  further and  nings that we  w on Earth,  wn at your  that really  ace
•	universe and the history of our solar system"  "While many argue that space exploration costs way too much, would they be willing to graciously give up the ground-breaking inventions it has generated including: headphones, clear braces, camera phones, scratch resistant glass, memory foam pillows, long life tyres, water purifiers, freeze dried food and sports shoes?"	valuable resources? NO! In this text I will launch into why further exploration is absurd" "Third-World countries like Some about \$4.9 billion dollars a year, industries like NASA spend about dollars a year. That's one country times less than a single space exploration or some pany's budget" "Earth's orbit is almost as polluted After 70,536 documented launch 70% of space junk is only 2,000 learth's surface"	truthful er space alia earn where space t 4 billion v, having five ploration ed as Earth. nes about

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