

EchUCA Twin Rivers Specialist School acknowledges the history, culture, diversity, and value of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, and pays respect to their elders past and present, as well as acknowledging future generations.




IMPORTANT dates to remember

December

16th—Student Free—
Professional Practice Day
20th—End of Term 4—
Dismissal 12:30

January

27th—Staff Return
30th—Yarning Day
31st—Students Return

February

24th—SSG Meeting



I would like to thank all members of our school community who have supported the staff and students throughout 2022. We have been challenged in many ways. Within school we have continued to provide vibrant, engaging learning for all students. It has been extremely positive to see the students relating positively with each other in their individual programs. As always, we have some families who are leaving our school, we wish the families all the best for the future. Have a safe and relaxing Christmas and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 30th of January (Yarning Day) with all students starting on Tuesday 31st of January.

Last Day of 2022

Please remember that Tuesday 20th of December is the last day of term. The students will be dismissed at 12.30. If your child won't be on the bus for either of those days can you please ensure that you make contact with the bus to let them know.



Our Vision

To provide inclusive and engaging learning that empowers all students for life



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School Wide Positive Behaviour Support

We have made some changes to our SWPBS values, in 2023 the values will be:

Be Respectful **Be Responsible** **Be Inclusive**

We are excited to introduce the new value of responsibility. There will be a SWPBS launch early in Term 1.

Yarning Day

On Monday 30th of January we will be holding a Yarning Day. This is an opportunity to meet the staff in the rooms and to share information. The classroom teacher will make contact to book a time for this, we look forward to your attendance on this day.



Graduation

On Tuesday we held the Year 12 Graduation. It was an amazing event which was attended by staff and students along with several members of the local community including the Shire of Campaspe Mayor, Rob Amos. It was a fantastic celebration of the education journey of the graduates. We wish all of the 2022 graduates the best of luck and we can't wait to hear about your individual journeys.



Bus 2023



We would like to thank Leonard and the bus staff for their continued support of the school. The staff support the students in a range of ways. We look forward to continuing this relationship in 2023. There will be some staffing changes on some of the buses, this information will be shared once the positions have been confirmed. Leonard and his team will be in contact to let you know of new pick up and drop off times if needed.

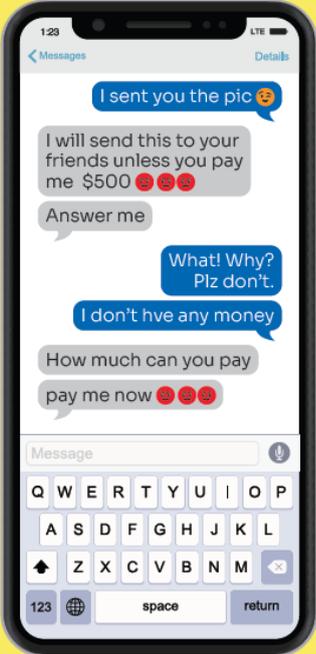
Terrific Kids Term 4



Jenny Weeks—Social Worker



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This is sextortion.

It's a scam.
And it's trending.

You can make it stop.

- ✓ Do stop the chat
- ✓ Do take screenshots of the text and profile
- ✓ Do block the account and report it to the platform
- ✓ Do report to the ACCCE
- ✓ Do get support

- ✗ Don't send more images
- ✗ Don't pay
- ✗ Don't respond to demands
- ✗ Don't enter into further communication
- ✗ Don't think you're alone

If you're under 18, we can help.

The Australian Centre to Counter Child Exploitation is here to keep children and young people safe from online sexual exploitation and abuse.




Youth Job Skills Support Grants

To assist in accessing:

Qualifications

Employability skills

Short courses

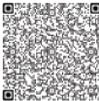
Certificates

Travel and tuition costs

For Campaspe residents aged 16 to 25



Apply here →



To report or get help:
acce.gov.au





If you're in a life-threatening situation, call Triple Zero (000).

The eSafety Commissioner can help to remove naked or sexual images shared online without your consent: [eSafety.gov.au](http://esafety.gov.au)







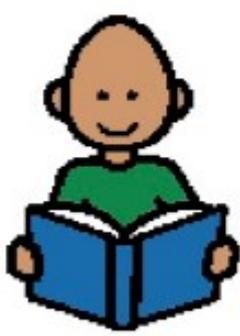


For further information contact Community Development Officer, Ben Heern at bheern@campaspe.vic.gov.au or on 1300 666 535



PBS Targeted Behaviour

I stay in my program


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Yarning Circle Update



7-9 Athletics Day



Rural Youth Ambassadors Christmas Door Competition

Congratulations to Room 6 who are the ETRSS Winners of the Rural Youth Ambassadors Christmas Door Decorating Competition.

They went to great effort and demonstrated creativity with their “Take a Selfie Christmas Elf” Door decoration.

- They have won hot chips for the class
- Their entry has also been forwarded to the Loddon Campaspe Competition and the winner will be announced on Monday.

Congratulations to room 13 who were the runners up in the Christmas door decorating competition with their “Merry Christmas” door entry.



Room 6 – Take a Selfie



Room 13 - Merry Christmas

Community News

INCLUSION Saturday 17th December



Experience Australia's most loved sport through AFL Victoria's FREE Footy 4 Fun events delivered across Victoria. A footy experience full of fun activities, modified games & memorable moments to take home with you!

Footy 4 Fun Inclusion is for people aged 7-12 years that identify as having a disability. The program offers fun and modified activities that will accommodate for all individual participants needs.

If you have any questions, contact Bailey Bell at bailey.bell@af.vic.gov.au

WHERE: Echuca South Recreation Reserve

WHEN: 9:30am-10:30am



REGISTER HERE

Anglicare Victoria

PARENTS BUILDING SOLUTIONS
For parents, step-parents, grandparents, families and carers of children aged 3 - 18 years. Come join online for interactive parenting sessions. Share ideas and feel supported. Free for all.

ARE YOU TIRED OF ALL THE YELLING?
How to communicate better within the family

DEALING WITH ANGER
Helping parents deal with anger in themselves and the kids

RESPONDING TO BEHAVIOUR
Understand why children behave the way they do

STRATEGIES THAT WORK
How can parenting be easier and more fun?

DAY: Tuesday
TIME: 1pm - 2:30pm
WHERE: 15, 22, 29 November, 6, 13 December
WHERE: Online - FREE

Register: Via the QR code or link
<https://www.anglicare.org.au/parentzone>

PARENTZONE

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BETTER TOMORROW

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WHERE: 15, 22, 29 November, 6, 13 December
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PARENTZONE

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BETTER TOMORROW

headspace Echuca

DROP-IN JANUARY
12-25 YEAR OLDS
4th-25th January 2023
headspace, 451 High St Echuca
1-4 pm

Come along for afternoon's full of free fun and games!

Scan the QR code for more information!

visit:
<https://headspace.org.au/headspace-centres/echuca/>

OR
Call 5485 5048

Summer School Holidays 2023

Bookings Essential	Echuca	Kyabram	Rochester	Rushworth	Tongala
Tue 3 Jan	2:30pm Movie Afternoon	1pm Ceramic Birds	B		3:30pm Ceramic Birds
Wed 4 Jan	1pm Grass Heads	3:30pm Grass Heads	B		
Thu 5 Jan	11am Pom Pom Critters	5+			
Fri 6 Jan	2:30pm Terracotta Jugs	B			
Fri 6 Jan	3:30pm Ceramic Birds	B			
Mon 9 Jan	10:30am Galaxy Jars	B			
Mon 9 Jan	2:30pm Colour by Numbers	B			
Tue 10 Jan	10:30am Rainbow Mobiles	1pm Rainbow Mobiles	B		3:30pm Rainbow Mobiles
Wed 11 Jan	1pm NGV Make a Sculpture	3:30pm NGV Make a Sculpture	B		
Thu 12 Jan	10:30am Ceramic Birds	B			
Fri 13 Jan	2:30pm Movie Afternoon	B			
Fri 13 Jan	2:30pm Movie Afternoon	B			
Mon 16 Jan	10:30am Sand Art	B			
Mon 16 Jan	2:30pm NGV Create a Portrait	B			
Tue 17 Jan	10:30am Moon Phases	7+			
Tue 17 Jan	2:30pm Movie Afternoon	B		10:30am Moon Phases	B
Wed 18 Jan	1pm NGV Make a Collage	3:30pm NGV Make a Collage	B		3:30pm Moon Phases
Thu 19 Jan	5:30 - 7pm Pizza & Games				
Thu 19 Jan	10:30am CJ Puppets	B			
Fri 20 Jan	2:30pm Bunnings	2:30pm CJ Puppets	B		
Fri 20 Jan	2:30pm Movie Afternoon	B			
Mon 23 Jan	10:30am Moon Phases	7+			
Mon 23 Jan	2:30pm Kaleidoscopes	B			
Tue 24 Jan	10:30am Chinese Lanterns	B			
Tue 24 Jan	2pm Movie Afternoon	1pm Chinese Lanterns	B	10:30am Chinese Lanterns	B
Wed 25 Jan	1pm NGV Make a Creature	3:30pm NGV Make a Creature & Big Summer Read Celebration	B		3:30pm Chinese Lanterns
Thu 26 Jan	Public Holiday - Australia Day				
Fri 27 Jan	2:30pm Big Summer Read Celebration Party				

Christmas Storytimes At Echuca Library

Baby Rhymetime (Under 18 months)
Thursday 15 December, 11am
Thursday 22 December, 11am

Rhymetime (18 months - 3 years)
Monday 5 December, 10.30am
Monday 12 December, 10.30am
**Monday 19 December, 10.30am

Storytime (3 - 5 years)
Friday 9 December, 10.30am
Friday 16 December, 10.30am
**Friday 23 December, 10.30am

****Special visitor & Christmas gifts Christmas Elf Mon 19 & Fri 23**
Also photo opportunities

Costs Free!

Cambridge Community Library | 25 5th Dec | www.cambridgecommunitylibrary.com.au



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Welcome to the **BIG Summer Read.**

1. To win some great prizes all you need to do is read and write down the titles of 10 books on the attached log.
2. The more logs you complete, the more chances you have of winning a prize.
3. Bring your completed reading log back to your local Campaspe library to be entered in to the prize draw.

ENTRIES CLOSE: 5pm Monday, 23 January 2023

HERE IS MY READING LOG ENTRY FORM

My name

Age Phone

To register and participate in the digital version
please go to <https://plv.beanstack.org>



10 BOOKS I HAVE READ



1

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Well done! It's time to return your reading log to your library.