# **EA Southee Public School**

Friday 26th of October 2018 Term 4 Week 2



*Respect* Responsibility Resilience

#### Whole School Transition Begins

2019 Transition Classes for EA Southee Public School students commenced on Friday 19th October. There was great excitement for the students spending a day in their classroom for next year and finding out how they will be learning in 2019.

Whole school transition will continue every Friday in Term 4. Our year 6 students will get to experience a high school style environment on these days with the students given the opportunity to choose electives and run to a time table for the day. This includes electives such as sport, photography, technology, cooking & dramatic arts plus much more.



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#### **Up Coming Events**

- Golf every Tuesday week 1-4
- High school transition tabloid day 1/11
- Stage 2 Canberra Overnight Excursion
- Movie night 2/11
- Stage 3—Canberra Three day excursion
- Presentation Night

In the Wiradjuri language Cootamundra means, 'many long-neck turtles'.



### 2018 Primary Schools State Debating

### Championships Riverina Trials

Our school captain Lilliana Chick attended the Riverina Debating Trials at Henty Public School on Monday 15th October. The Riverina team selections were run by Tony Davey from the NSW Department of Education following the regional final of the Premier's Debating Challenge for Years 5 & 6.



## Handball Competition and

# Cricket Clinic Awards



Mr Reddy rewarded those students that displayed a positive attitude and improved their skills in the Cricket Clinics that were held at the end of Term 3.

Mr Reddy awarded prizes to the class winners of the handball competition that was held during lunch and recess. Congratulations to those winners and a big thank you to Mr Reddy for the prizes.





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### Cootamundra Show Success

EA Southee's impressive show display at the 2018 Cootamundra Show took out the award for Best Exhibit. Our display showcased some of the fantastic work that our students have created under the guidance of the teachers.



Congratulations and well done to all those involved.

# Technology at home survey

EA Southee undertook a survey to get a better understanding of students technology use at home, particularly around bed time.

Students where asked a number questions revolving around what types of technology they use and if it is used before and after bedtime. Research indicates sleep is important for learning and memory, emotions and behaviours, and our health more generally. Yet students are getting less sleep due to the impact that screen time is having on the quality and the time students sleep. IS THIS YOUR CHILD?











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#### Cricket Blast School Cup Day

EA Southee years 3-6 students had a great day out on Friday 19th October at Albert Park for a cricket blast school cup day.

The students played 5 games of cricket against 10 teams from EA Southee and Sacred Heart Central School.

Our students played really well and showed their skills they had learnt during the clinics held in Term 3. The students thoroughly enjoyed the day organised by Luke Olsen, Development Manager for Cricket NSW

It was also great to see so many parents come down to the park to cheer the kids on and also to help out.

























# <u>Technology in class for future</u> <u>focused learning</u>

This term EAS is very lucky to have partnered with STEM Share who have provided us with a 3D printer and virtual reality goggles for us in our classes.



STEM provides students the opportunity to work in teams to solve problems and design solutions.

Mrs Stevenson has also brought the school a set of Sphero's. These robots will assist students to learn to code and will be used across many of our Key Learning Areas to make our learning fun and relevant.

### **#BEYONDCODE**

Sphero Edu provides a toolset that is unbounded in its potential by weaving hardware, software, and community engagement together. While coding and 21st century skills are necessary, our program also goes beyond code by incorporating robotics and technology with collaborative STEAM activities, nurturing students' imaginations in ways no other education program can.









# <u>Sphero Battle Bots</u>

### <u>Challenge</u>





Year 6 students were challenged with designing and constructing a 'battle bot' to be used in conjunction with the Spheros. With only a plastic cup, spoons and masking tape they had to use their engineering skills to come up with a design concept to conquer competitors in the arena.

Learning opportunities like these are not only fun but they also engage students in critical thinking, problem solving skills and builds resilience through lack of success.

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# <u>Golf tees off in Term</u>





**Claim this Date** 





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10.00am - 4.00pm **Cost \$10.00** (60mins max session)





( All participants under 13 need to signed in by an adult)



fun for all ages with a wide range of skate sizes available for kids and adults if you are a beginner or a pro you are most welcome come along and relive the 80's. Please provide your own socks.



#### General Assistant Position E A Southee Public School

#### About the Role



This role is vital to the maintenance and upkeep of E A Southee Public School buildings and Grounds. The position is for 12 hours a week with the days of work to be negotiated. To be successful in the role you will need to have good planning and prioritising skills and good communication skills to work effectively with others. You will perform a range of tasks relating to the routine maintenance and upkeep of E A Southee School/grounds. The role may assist with the set up and removal of furniture and equipment for school activities. You will identify and report maintenance and safety issues. You will receive, store and distribute supplies and monitor equipment and report faults.

#### How to Apply

If you are interested in this role please apply online and attach a covering letter (max 2 pages) and your resume (max 5 pages) which clearly details how your capabilities, knowledge and experience can contribute to the success of this role. It is a requirement that you include the name and contact details of two referees.

You must answer both targeted questions which should be included in your cover letter. We are looking for you to demonstrate your competence in the focus capabilities as outlined in the role description in your answer, so please develop your responses with this in mind.

Note: it is a requirement that all candidates submit their applications online via iworkfor.nsw

No paper based, email based or late applications will be accepted at the school.

If you successfully progress to interview, you will be required to provide your proof of identity information and complete a CRIMTRAC declaration.

As this is a child-related position, you will also be required to obtain a Working with Children Check (WWCC) Clearance number as a condition of employment (if you do not already have this).

For more information, visit http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/working-with-childrencheck.

#### Targeted Question 1

Provide an example of how you have prioritised tasks to maintain a property with minimal supervision (max 300 words)

#### Targeted Question 2

Provide an example of how you have identified and managed a potential hazard requiring maintenance (max 300 words)

https://iworkfor.nsw.gov.au/job/general-assistant-part-time-ongoing-e-a-southee-public-school-129688

For further information contact the Principal, Leonie Stevenson on 69421166.

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## School

### Presents



### Short Film Festival



P &C BBQ Commencing at 7.30pm

(Sausage Sandwiches \$2.00)

SRC Canteen Open

(Popcorn, Drinks, Chips & Lollies

for sale)

THE MOVIES WILL COMMENCE WHEN IT IS DARK ENOUGH

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018 Venue: EA Southee Public School Playground

Bring a chair or a rug to sit on: Free Entry











# **Cootamundra Public School**



Cnr Cooper St & Bourke St, Cootamundra

Art & Craft Stalls • Cake Stall • Jumping Castle • Plants
Games & Activities • Performances • Delicious Food
Devonshire Tea • Train Rides • Raffle • and lots more...

### **OPEN GARDEN**

"Wahroonga" 63 Sutton St, Cootamundra (just a short walk from the school) Open from 1 to 3pm on 3 November. Entry with gold coin donation.

All money raised will be used by the P&C to support the Cootamundra Public School.





