

# St Euphemia High School Newsletter

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## Mission Statement

“ That within a dynamic Orthodox, Christian framework, a student may strive to achieve academic excellence, a love of learning, social responsibility, spiritual growth and respect for a healthy mind and body. ”

**Strive for Excellence.**

Religious services will be conducted every evening throughout Holy Week at St. Euphemia church.

All the families of the College are encouraged to attend these services to celebrate Easter, the Feast of the Resurrection, which is the most important religious feast of the Christian liturgical calendar.



## **ENROLLING NOW for 2016** (All year levels)

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## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### Work Experience

An integral part of the Year 10 curriculum is 'Work Experience'. This valuable scheme affords students the opportunity to experience first-hand a career that interests them and assists them in making an accurate decision for their future vocation.

Many students return every year and enthusiastically confirm that they eagerly anticipate becoming a preschool teacher, a journalist or engineer. Also, others return and proclaim that the career they had aspired to was not to their liking or expectations and thus choose another career option.

We hope Year 10 gains valuable knowledge and insights into their future career when they attend their work experience placements between Monday, 4 April and Friday, 8 April.

### End of Term One

Term 1 ends on Friday, 8 April. We wish all students and their families a good holiday!

### Term Two

Students return to school on Tuesday 26 April. They are to begin wearing their winter uniform.

During the school holidays students tend to forget school rules regarding hair colouring and upon their return to school become upset when they are told to change back to a natural hair colour. In order to avoid added expenses to families, students should be mindful of school rules regarding no streaks.

## Easter

### Observances

Due to Greek Orthodox Easter observances, there will be no school on Thursday, 28 April, Good Friday, 29 April Easter Monday, 2 May. Students are encouraged to attend church on these days with their families.

# GOBE AWARDS 2016

On Friday, 19 February, the Greek Orthodox Board of Education of the Archdiocese of Australia recognized the Higher School Certificate Duces of the Greek Orthodox Colleges of Sydney. Also, students who excelled in specific subject areas were also accorded with an award.



# SWISSA

Our U15's Boys and Opens Girls Football teams finished in first place yesterday at the annual SWISSA Football Cup. This was a football competition contested by all SWISSA schools and our U15's Girls and Opens Boys finished in 2nd place, just missing out on the trophy. It was a very successful day for St Euphemia College and great preparation for the Orthodox National Schools Event in Perth next term.



# YEAR 10 COMMERCE MOCK PARLIAMENT

On 10 March, the Hon Jason Clare MP, member for Bankstown, coordinated a mock parliament with the Year 10 Commerce class, based on the Federal House of Representatives.

Each student was given a role to play, such as those of a minister, opposition and cross benches. The students debated a Bill on abolishing homework.

It was a great opportunity for the students to meet a member of Federal Parliament, to ask questions and learn about how the Parliament works to pass laws. All the students were eager participants of a very successful and informative afternoon.



# ΝΕΑ ΤΟΥ ΓΥΜΝΑΣΙΟΥ

## ΕΠΑΓΓΕΛΜΑΤΙΚΟΣ ΠΡΟΣΑΝΑΤΟΛΙΣΜΟΣ ΤΗΣ Α' ΛΥΚΕΙΟΥ (WORK EXPERIENCE)

Οι μαθητές της Α' Λυκείου θα έχουν την ευκαιρία να συμμετάσχουν στην εργασιακή εμπειρία σε διάφορα επαγγέλματα επιλογής τους από τη Δευτέρα 4 Απριλίου έως την Παρασκευή 8 Απριλίου 2016. Το πρόγραμμα βοηθά τους μαθητές να καταλάβουν αν πραγματικά τους ενδιαφέρει ή όχι να εξασκήσουν κάποιο επάγγελμα στο μέλλον.

Ευχόμαστε στους μαθητές μας καλή επιτυχία.

## ΤΕΛΟΣ ΤΡΙΜΗΝΟΥ

Το πρώτο τρίμηνο θα τελειώσει την Παρασκευή 8 Απριλίου. Ευχόμαστε σε όλους τους μαθητές και στις οικογένειές τους καλές διακοπές.

## ΣΥΝΕΝΤΕΥΞΕΙΣ ΤΗΣ Γ' ΛΥΚΕΙΟΥ

Οι γονείς/κηδεμόνες των μαθητών της Γ' Λυκείου παρακαλούνται να παρευρεθούν στην βραδιά συνεντεύξεων Καθηγητών και Γονέων/Κηδεμόνων που θα λάβει χώρα την Πέμπτη 7 Απριλίου 2016.

Οι μαθητές πρέπει να κλείσουν ραντεβού με τους καθηγητές τους.

## ΔΕΥΤΕΡΟ ΤΡΙΜΗΝΟ

Οι μαθητές θα επιστρέψουν για το δεύτερο τρίμηνο την Τρίτη 26 Απριλίου. Υπενθυμίζουμε επίσης τους μαθητές να επιστρέψουν με τη χειμερινή τους στολή. Επίσης, υπενθυμίζουμε τους μαθητές μας να μην ξεχνάνε τους σχολικούς κανονισμούς σχετικά με τη βαφή των μαλλιών, που απαγορεύεται. Γι' αυτό καλύτερα να την αποφεύγουν.

## ΓΙΟΡΤΕΣ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΣΧΑ

Λόγω του Αγίου Πάσχα, το σχολείο θα είναι κλειστό από την Πέμπτη 28 Απριλίου – Δευτέρα 2 Μαΐου 2016. Ευχόμαστε σε όλους Καλό Πάσχα.

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