Over the past term, the Year 9 Agriculture Class has been participating in the cows create careers program. Cows Create Careers is a program that builds awareness of dairy industry and the profiling the diverse range of professional careers in the dairy industry. It aims to increase the awareness of dairy industry careers in a very hands-on way. Secondary students are educated by rearing two three-week-old calves at school and the school is provided with dairy industry curriculum for years 7 and 8 and years 9 to 11.

In conjunction with the program, students were responsible for two dairy calves and tracking their growth over a 3 week period. They were then required to submit several assessment tasks that were sent to Melbourne for marking. These were marked and judged against other students from our region and placed accordingly.

The program at AEAS has been supported by Veiss Harvey from Gambier Vets who visited the school to talk about her career and role within the dairy industry and Bill and Jo Thompson who kindly supplied the calves to be reared at the school.

On Friday the 20th of June the students attended the presentation day at the Mount Gambier Golf Club. The presentation day recognised the nine schools from the region that had participated in the program. The day consisted of education activities, games and presentations by the leaders from Dairy Australia and Dairy SA. And of course the most important part of the day the awarding of team and school prizes.

Prizes were awarded to the winning student teams from across the region who met the criteria set for assignments on Dairying in Australia. Shakira Marin, Casey Walker and Mikaella Clark from team ‘The Udder Guys’ were awarded 3rd place in the secondary division, which was a huge achievement.

Comments from the Year 9 students about the program:

“I really enjoyed the cows create careers program because we got to communicate with other schools in the area. I learnt that the four stomachs of a cow are the reticulum, rumen, omasum and abomasum” Karly Altorfer

“Participating in the award ceremony of the cows create careers program was fun and interesting. The unique games, interesting facts and the examples of work from other schools were perhaps the most interesting to me. Overall the day was great and also lots of laughs!” Margaux Terek.

“When we did the cows create careers program we learnt a lot about how to take care of calves and it was really fun. I liked the presentation day where we got to see other schools. I learnt a lot and really enjoyed the experience” Imogen Chequer

Danielle Westbrook
Agriculture Teacher

GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING TONIGHT AT 5.30PM / FINANCE AT 5.00PM

BREAKFAST CLUB IS ON ! TUESDAY / WEDNESDAY / THURSDAY !

IMPORTANT DATES

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**This week's Specials!**

TUESDAY / RECESS - Fried Rice $3.00  
WEDNESDAY / RECESS - Puffa Dogs $1.50  
THURSDAY / RECESS - Choc Chip Biscuits 80c

Tracy Bald / Canteen Manager

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**FOR SALE** - BLUE ELECTRIC GUITAR WITH COVER AND SMALL AMP. GOOD CONDITION. $300.00 ONO. PHONE - 0438342209 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

**TRAMPOLINE SAFETY** - IT'S FLIPPIN' IMPORTANT - Hundreds of Australian children are taken to hospital every year for trampoline-related injuries such as cuts, sprains and fractures. Don't let your trampoline spring a nasty surprise. To make sure it's safe, visit - www.productsafety.gov.au/trampolinesafety

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**Community Notices**

**NOTE FROM PERFORMING ARTS ...**

In this year’s musical, Annie, we have made beds for the orphanage and are looking for donations of carpet cutoffs, blankets, quilts, sheets and pillows to make the beds softer for the students to perform on and make the set look realistic.

Donations can easily be left at the School Front Office. Thank you.

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If you would like a copy of the School Newsletter emailed to you each week, please send an email to - Leonie.Feast18@schools.sa.edu.au

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**PORT MACDONNELL FOOTBALL CLUB**  
**JUNE 28TH - NANGWARRY HOME GAME**  
**DRESS UP - I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU ARE WEARING THAT ...**

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**Ipad Information Session**

On Tuesday, 1st July / Week 10, at 1.30pm our school will be holding an Ipad session at the Port MacDonnell Community Complex which will include -  
Learn and Explore tips for children to help with school work / learning.  
These sessions will be run by Tanielle Brooksby and Melissa Smith.  
If you are interested in attending, please fill in the tear-off slip below and return the Front Office as soon as possible. Thank you.

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**Ipod Information Session**

I am interested in attending the Ipad Information Session on Tuesday, 1st July / Week 10.  
Name ___________________________  Phone Number ___________________________  
Age Group/s that applies to my child/children __________________
**STAFF PROFILE**

Breanna is our Reception Teacher …

- **Interests** - Travel, Sport, Catching up with friends and family, seeing live shows, enjoying new fun experiences.
- **Favourite Holiday** - Sand, sun & shops & I’m happy!
- **Favourite Song** - Horses
- **Ideal Meal** - Fillet Mignon & chocolate pudding at The Barn.

**FUN DAY**!

WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY 3RD JULY / WEEK 10  
THEME IS … CAREERS

A Food Order Form was included with last week’s Newsletter … Please return orders, together with payment by - THIS Friday, 27th June. All students and Parents are encouraged to order for catering purposes, or you will miss out on this fabulous food!

This week, Interactive Stall Holders will be posted a letter with final arrangements and a map of where their stall will be on Fun Day. Thanks again for the support.

**OSHC VACATION CARE**

Included with last week’s Newsletter was an OSHC Vacation Care Program for July School Holidays. If you wish to use this service, please return the form as soon as possible to the School Front Office.

Don’t forget! OSHC is available after school on Tuesday / Wednesday / Thursdays. OSHC Information Packs are available from the School Front Office on request.

**Year 5/6/7 Football Carnival**

On Thursday, 19th June, Dale and I volunteered to go to the South Gambier Oval to participate in the Year 5/6/7 Football Carnival. Part of the reason for us attending was we assisted in field and goal umpiring. There was a total of 8 rounds for the day. All of the kids played well and showed great sportsmanship. The organisers did a great job for the day to run so smoothly. There was no overall winner because the games weren’t scored. Allendale as a team played exceptionally well and glued together like a real team. It was great to see the kids play together and listen to Mr Douglas’ instructions.

Mr Douglas did a great job arranging the boys and their positions. He also was very popular stopping at Badenochs for ice-cream!

All in all, the day was a great success and we would like to thank the organisers for volunteering their time for the students that participated and also for giving us the chance to experience what it’s like to umpire.

By Grady Hutchesson & Dale Williams

**Principal’s Award**

Congratulations to Grady Hutchesson and Dale Williams for displaying the school values of Respect and Courage when at short notice they committed a whole day to supporting the younger students at the 15-1-side football.

Grady and Dale did a great job of coaching and umpiring games all day. Well done!

Note: Grady absent
Reception - Miss Breanna - BEAU MACKINTOSH - For always unpacking your own bag first thing in the morning.
Reception / Year 1 - Miss Tanielle / Miss Hogg - SOPHIE LEWIS - For always trying hard in all class activities. all students.
Year 2 - Mrs Neu - KEILGHE KILSBY - For staying on task and completing work.
Year 3/4 - Mrs Sporton - STEVIE COLLINS - For being cheerful and showing lovely manners in the classroom.
Year 3/4 - Mrs O’Connor - TARA FOSDIKE - For using excellent problem solving skills in Maths last week. Well done Tara !
Year 5/6 - Mrs Newby / Mrs Biggins - JAKE MCKINNON - For having the confidence to share your work during English.
Year 6/7 - Mrs Murdoch - SALEM NORRIS & KIAHNI FOSDIKE - For working really well with fraction problem solving.

**IMPORTANT / SCHOOL FEES**

School Fees are now overdue

School Card needs to be applied for each year. If you need a School Card Form, please contact the Front Office. If a School Card Form is not received, then we presume that you will be paying full fees.

You can direct debit through BIZGATE on our website. If paying by credit card, please don’t forget to include the **3 digit** number on the back. If you have any queries, please contact Hope Bliss at School **as soon as possible**. Thank you.

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**New School Tractor**

The school has recently purchased a John Deere 640 Tractor. We are looking forward to using the tractor in Ag for moving stock feed, hay and cleaning out the pig ecoshelter, along with many other jobs.

We thank Jason Hann at Russell Industries for sourcing and organising our new piece of machinery.

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**Principal's Yard Award**

Well done to Kurtis Laslett for showing Care and Consideration towards a new student from another class by helping him with his lunch and making him feel welcome.

Well done Kurtis !