



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear parents, carers and families,

### Principal network

It was with great pride that I hosted the Principals' network meeting in our library this week. Principals from all over our region converged in person and on zoom for a training day on Wednesday. We met with our Director Mr Stephen Heslop and were led by Ms Holly Parry through training in "Leading for Adaptive and Complex Challenges". SRC representatives Tiana Bailey, Mason Forrester, Thomas Gilbert and Maddison Goatcher were fine ambassadors for Nowra High as they walked our special guests to the library upon arrival.

### Canteen volunteers most welcome

Our school canteen has been operating extremely well since we returned to school under professional the leadership of Ms Amanda Leedham. Now that the basic routines are established within the new structure we would like to open the invitation to parent volunteers to join in. If you are interested in supporting our school in this way please call us on 44214977 or email [nowra-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:nowra-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au).

### School gardens

During the COVID—19 learning from home restrictions a small team of School Learning Support Officer (SLSO) staff tackled a major overhaul of the physical environment of the school, weeding gardens, trimming shrubs and re-planting in many parts of the school. This work has greatly revitalised and brightened our playground and walkways and has led to increased pride for all concerned in the outlook of Nowra High School. Well done team!

### Minimum standards testing

There are still a small number of students who are yet to complete their Minimum Standards Testing requirements. This is an essential component for the completion of the HSC. Please check in with your Year 11 or 12 child to confirm they have a plan in place to complete it. Please encourage them to contact Mrs Fuz in the library as soon as possible if they need further support.

Kind regards

Mr Glen Kingsley

## Calendar - 2020

### Coming Events for Term 2 - Week 9 & 10

#### Week 9 - BETA

Monday 22 June

- Legal Studies HSC assessment task 3

Tuesday 23 June

- 12 Drama task 3 - F7 - Period 1+2

Wednesday 24 June

- Preliminary Legal Studies assessment 2

Thursday 25 June

- Usual school routine

Friday 26 June

- Usual school routine

#### Week 10 - ALPHA

Monday 29 June

- Year 9 Dance Task 2 - Period 1+2

Tuesday 30 June

- Usual school routine

Wednesday 1 July

- HSC Ancient History Assessment Task 3

Thursday 2 July

- Year 10 Vaccinations

Friday 3 July

- 12 Society and Culture Study Essay 2

**CARE** FOR SELF  
FOR OTHERS  
FOR OUR SCHOOL

# SENIOR STUDY & SUPPORT



EVERY THURSDAY PERIODS 5 & 6  
SCHOOL LIBRARY

PROVIDING ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE, VOCATIONAL  
ADVICE AND WELLBEING SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS  
IN YEARS 11 AND 12

TEACHING & WELLBEING STAFF WILL BE PRESENT AT  
EVERY SESSION

LET US HELP YOU REACH YOUR FULL POTENTIAL

## Homework centre

The homework centre at Nowra High runs in the library every Wednesday afternoon from 3.30 - 5.00 pm.

Snacks and drinks are provided.

All students in years 7-12 are encouraged to take advantage of this great opportunity to study, with staff present to assist.

Computer access is also possible during the sessions.



**Nowra High School**

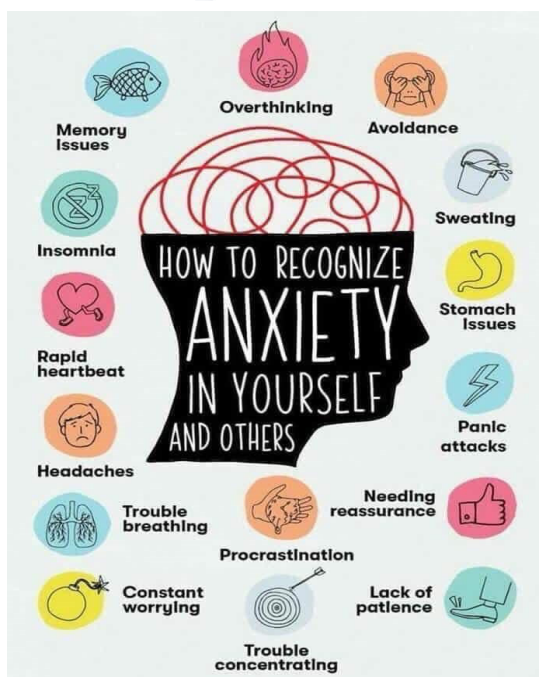
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### Aerosol sprays

Students are reminded that aerosol sprays, such as deoderant cans, are banned at Nowra High.

Several students and teachers with asthma can be seriously affected when cans are sprayed and together with the recent smoke-heavy air pollution, we have seen an increase in the number of asthma attacks among our students. Please be considerate of others health and refrain from bringing any aerosols to school.

Thank you.



During Term 2 Senior study will also be available on

Fridays Period 6.

This will be until further notice is received from the Department of Education regarding assemblies in schools.

# Congratulations Georgia Bone



One of our talented Year 12 students, Georgia Bone, has been awarded VET Student of the Year for Retail Services—well done Georgia. Georgia has been undertaking Vocation Education and Training courses at Nowra High School. The Workplace Learning 2020 Shoalhaven Schools Excellence in Vocation Education & Training awards showcase the many talented HSC students the region is producing.

To be eligible Georgia was nominated by Nowra High School. Unfortunately due to the current situation with COVID-19 there was no award function this year but no doubt Georgia will be celebrating her award with family and friends.

## Who has the cutest pet?

ADF families in Nowra, do you think your pet is the cutest? Well here's your chance to prove it! Enter the DCO cutest pet competition and show other ADF families just how much you love your fur babies. Send a picture of your pet, along with a short blurb (max 150 words) with what you have been up to in isolation. The best three entries will win a prize!

Register through Eventbrite at <https://DCO-Shoalhaven.eventbrite.com.au>, but be quick because entries close 26 June.



## Woolworths Stockland



Students are reminded that if they go to Woolworths at Stocklands before or after school that they are required to leave their bags outside the store in a tidy manner to the right of the entry.

Woolworths has also asked that students ensure that they don't move into or around the store in groups as they are required to social distance while in and around the store. Woolworths has informed us that if students are unable to comply with the above guidelines, they will be banned from the store.

# 'Name the Canteen' Competition ... relaunch

The student representative council (SRC) is re-launching the '*name the canteen*' competition. Entries will be accepted from today until Wednesday 1st July 2020 (week 10), with the winning entry officially announced on Friday 3rd July. Entries can be placed in boxes located near the deputies office or can be given to Mrs Clerke. The winning entry receives a year of hash brown sandwiches.



## Nowra High School Facebook page

If you are on Facebook, please don't forget to 'like' Nowra High's page.

It is the first social media platform we use to promote school events and successes, advertise job and apprenticeship opportunities and to relay important information to parents about late changes to excursions.

Daily notices are also posted on Facebook for any students that have missed them in roll call.

We also post articles on matters that affect high school children and events out of school that might interest our students.



## Well done Dallas Riley Burnes

Many congratulations to our former student ...

Dallas Riley Burnes

...who officially started his Royal Australian Army career recently!