16th ANNUAL NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK 2016
ELIZABETH COLLEGE

Wednesday 10 August – Friday 19 August 2016

“Keep your Pulse on Science”

We are excited that this is the 16th year that Science is being celebrated at Elizabeth College. We were fortunate to be a recipient of a grant from Inspiring Australia.

Elizabeth College Workshops for Southern Primary School students

There are a range of activities for K – 6 students facilitated by Elizabeth College students.

Please click on the links below for more information:

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Poster competition
Cooking with Pulses


The 68th UN General Assembly declared 2016 the International Year of Pulses (IYP).

The IYP 2016 aims to heighten public awareness of the nutritional benefits of pulses as part of sustainable food production aimed towards food security and nutrition. The Year will create a unique opportunity to encourage connections throughout the food chain that would better utilise pulse-based proteins, further global production of pulses, better utilise crop rotations and address the challenges in the trade of pulses.

Jeltje Gillian will be conducting a session on Cooking with Pulses for Elizabeth College students.

In addition to this we are offering a public event on:

Wednesday, 17th August, 5.30pm – 7.30pm: **COOKING WITH PULSES**

During the evening, Jeltje will demonstrate some yummy recipes including making soy lattes, and chic pea chocolate brownies. All products will be consumed with lattes prior to leaving by participants.

Bookings are limited to 20. For bookings please email stephanie.r.kelleher@education.tas.gov.au by Friday 12th August.

**Jeltje Gillian**

Grower of home produce and maker of divine bread & sheep’s’ cheese products. Proud owner of Elliotdale flock. She is a member of the Slow Cook group, and is an expert bread maker, and has also discovered how easy it is to make staple foods such as: yoghurt, buttermilk and cottage cheese, in additional to having expertise in cooking with pulses.
RACI Royal Australian Chemical Institute Annual Titration Competition

Teams of students will be participating in this competition on Friday 12th August. Elizabeth College students who intend to participate should contact Will Walker by email: will.walker@education.tas.gov.au

Science Week Reception at Government House, Wednesday 10th August

This event is an initiative of Elizabeth College, to celebrate National Science Week, and to mark this event in Southern Tasmania. The aim is to enable young potential scientists from southern Tasmanian high schools and colleges to liaise and discuss current issues in Science with each other, local professional scientists, professors, recent post-graduate students and teachers.

We are very appreciative of the support of the Governor of Tasmania, Her Excellency Professor the Honourable Kate Warner AM, for hosting this event.

Government, Independent and Catholic schools have been invited to provide the names of 2 of their senior students and Head of Science or their nominee to Elizabeth College in order to organise a guest list prior to the end of Term 2. Any queries to deborah.beswick@education.tas.gov.au.

National Science Week, Celebration Luncheon, 18th August

The luncheon will be hosted by the Hon. Mr. Jeremy Rockliff, Minister for Education and Training. Catering will be Aurora Disability. This will be attended by invited students from Elizabeth College and Southern Primary Schools. Students will be able to discuss Science with each other, and some young scientists. There will be a special guest speaker at this event.
**SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM**

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There will be presentations and “snippets” by Environmental Science students from their Individual Projects. Posters will be displayed and can be judged by the audience. Past students will inform us about their research at the University of Tasmania.

**Afternoon session:**  Monday, 15\(^{th}\) August, 1.30pm – 3.00pm: College Undercroft

**Evening session:**  Monday 15\(^{th}\) August, 6.00pm – 7.30pm: College Undercroft

The event is open to the General Public and school groups.

RSVP:  stephanie.r.kelleher@education.tas.gov.au by 11\(^{th}\) August.