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'Together We Succeed'

Term 4 Week 3

Principal Report

WHAT I LOVED ABOUT THIS WEEK

What a successful event 'Spring Into Sanctuary Point' was with a number of our teachers giving up their time to showcase our school and the wonderful things we do. Our very talented dance troupe yet again did us proud with their fantastic performance. It was wonderful to see so many people from our community coming out to be a part of this event and celebrate all the wonderful things we have here in our local area. Our school P&C also did a great job raising money for the school, cooking up a storm on the bar-b-que.

GRANDPARENT'S DAY

This Thursday, starting at 10:30am we will be welcoming our grandparents into the school to spend some time getting to know their grandchild's school, class teacher and friends. We really value the effort that our grandparents make to come and spend time with us. Our 'Positive School Culture' team have been working tirelessly to put together some fun things for the grandparents to see, there will be a few performances going on the hall for them to watch. I know that the students love having grandparents at school and spending time with them.

ANTICIPATED ENROLMENTS FOR 2019

We are already making plans and putting together budgets ready for 2019. If your family is planning on leaving the area and your children will not be attending Sanctuary Point Public School next year, could you please let the office staff know, so we are able to make adjustments in our planning for classes. I thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please note that we are not referring to our Year 6 students who are going to high school. But, if you know of anyone who has a child ready to start Kindergarten next year who hasn't made contact with school yet, please let them know that now would be a good time to come and see us.

FILM FESTIVAL

Next Tuesday night the Bay and Basin Learning Community are holding our annual Film Festival. This event is always entertaining and showcases some of the talent that we have in our school and across the community of schools. We have some tickets available for sale to parents who are interested in watching the Film Festival, please see the ladies in the front office. In previous years, we have had some success in having our school's film win the festival and have it sent on to the Sutherland Shire Film Festival, fingers crossed it happens again this year.

Belinda Doyle (Principal)

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Blast Off

Bronze

Djanagubadj	Talon Lantouris, Zander Parmenter.
Mirigaan	Owen Williams.
Banggaada	Kade Hilton, Callun Allen, coda Hughes.
Buru	Malakai McLeay

Silver

Djanagubadj	Ayden Rossiter, Drew Ford.
Mirigaan	Ava Porteous, Jake Mangan, Charlette Little, Cooper-Joe Howley, Mia Lowey, Maddison Walker, Olivia Jackson, Sami Laine, Sienna Hopwood-Smith.
Banggada	Beau Denham, Amarli Turner, Clake Hayson, Chance Burke, Declan McCarthy, Lenny McCarthy, Mitchell Hopwood-Smith, Layla Bishop, Halli Glennan, Codie Williams.
Buru	Liam Simpson, Olivia-Rose Fetch, Kaedyn Dempster, Tylah Carr.
Gurgadj	Brooke Ware, Charlie-Jean Smith, Liam Vale, Natalie Arendse, Neil Cooley, Zac Turner.
Dhaawarri	Jorja Mills, Lydia Goodlet, Lyric slaughter, Lillie-Rose Briggs, Phoebe Jefferson, Saskia Van Huistede, Kirsten Simister, Shantae Peirce, Amelia Garcia, Britney Knight, Jasmine Patterson, Kaden Zeiher, Aiden Tucker, Connor Burnett, Diaz Harvey, Jayden Hunt, Kelly Bale, Levi Paskins, Tahminya Browne.
Djungga	Abby Warren, Alyssa Williams, Jamila Webster, Kayla Todd, Lacie Pillardth, Tahlia Tierney, Brooklyn Serrett, Montana McCully, Taylor Fisher.
Gurimbaga	Jorja Brownlee-Haigh, Jye Kershaw, Rory Sumners, Christina Grey, Shanye Bonanno, Jamie-Leigh Nicholson..
Garunggaba	Dylan Spargo, Tyella Braddick, Chelsea Cox, Monty Otes, Phebe Lynch, Zara Rogers, Jazmin Waldmann, Abbey Richardson, Scarlett Shepherd, Noah O'Connor, Kahlan Kerr, Shelby Summers, Elorah Walter, Kayden Sullivan, Keira Foggin.

Home Readers

100 Nights Byron Ewing

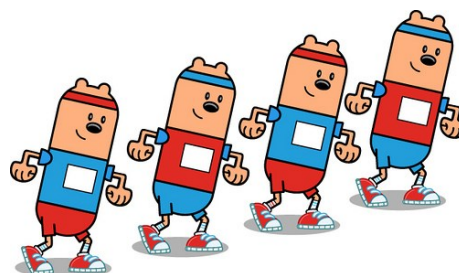


Dates to Remember

1st November	Grandparents Day
2nd November	Year 6 Canberra Excursion, School captain speeches
5th November	Swim School.


Sports Groups

Babadhal	Geebung	3324
Wandaama	Appleberry	3171
Bidhudhu	Wattle	3045
Galangara	Lilly Pilly	2940



Athletes Carnival

Good luck to three of our hugely talented athletes who are heading to Olympic Park, Sydney this Wednesday and Thursday for the State Athletics Carnival. Mia Davis, Brae Denham and Xander Lee. We are proud of you Best of luck!




SANCTUARY POINT PS

"Together We Succeed"

A FREE course for all parents of kids aged 2-12

Would you like to:
Build a really great relationship with your child?
Better understand what makes your child tick?



Bringing Up Great Kids

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A Course for ALL Parents

Starts Week 2
Thursdays 9.15-12pm
for 4 weeks

Welcome Space- Sanctuary Point Public School

Book in through:

Renee Van and Ashlee Williams
4443 0546



Year 6 Canberra Excursion

This is a reminder that the Year 6 Canberra excursion is happening this Friday the 2nd of November. Students travelling to Canberra will need to be at school by 5am for a 5:30am departure. Please ensure your child is at school on time and in FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM.

Thank You



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PUBLIC SCHOOL

Kindergarten Orientation 2019

Parent Information Session -
School Hall

Wednesday 21st November

2-3pm Parent information/ Treasure Hunt
6pm Parent information

Parents, don't forget to sign up for our Kinder Start program at the Kinder Orientation session.

Key Dates

Kinder Start 1 Monday 3rd of December
Kinder Start 2 Friday 7th of December
Kinder Start 3 Wednesday 12th of December
Kinder Start 4 Thursday 13th of December

Attendance Matters

At Sanctuary Point Public School

Celebrate Attendance

Hints and Tips No. 4: Good Attendance

Give your child their BEST chance in life— get them to school EVERY day.



There are a number of sound reasons for you to ensure that your child attends school regularly.

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

- Nelson Mandela

In one school year a child spends:

7800 hours at home
&
900 hours at school

which teacher should be the most accountable?

- Jim Trelease -

author of The Read-Aloud Handbook

Firstly, attending school every day makes learning easier. For younger students, missing the basic skills often leads to learning problems later on and for older student's absenteeism often interferes with academic progress. Friendships with other students are also easier if your child attends school regularly.

The law in NSW states that all children between the ages of 6 and 15 years are required to attend school. Sickness or injury, attendance at a special religious ceremony or a serious family situation are satisfactory reasons for non-attendance. Please let the school know why your child is not at school and provide an explanation on your child's return to school.

Birthdays, haircuts, pension days, Mondays etc are not satisfactory reasons for absence from school. Also try whenever possible to arrange your holidays in school vacation times.

Please contact your school principal if you need any help or have any questions.



Missing school leaves gaps in your education



Get Ready for Summer...

JB Surf School is running Weekend Surf Programs in Term 4, 2018. These programs are designed for beginner and intermediate surfers and will focus on surf safety and awareness, surfing skills, and fitness levels. These programs are certified by the Academy of Surfing Instructors and participants who complete 5-8 sessions will receive a certificate.

ACCESS \$100 DISCOUNT!

Active kids vouchers can be used towards the program of up to \$100. (conditions apply)

For more details see service.nsw.gov.au/active_kids/voucher or call us.

Program Details

9.30-11.30am Saturday Mornings at Cave Beach

Starting 3rd November – 22nd December

8 Sessions: \$280pp

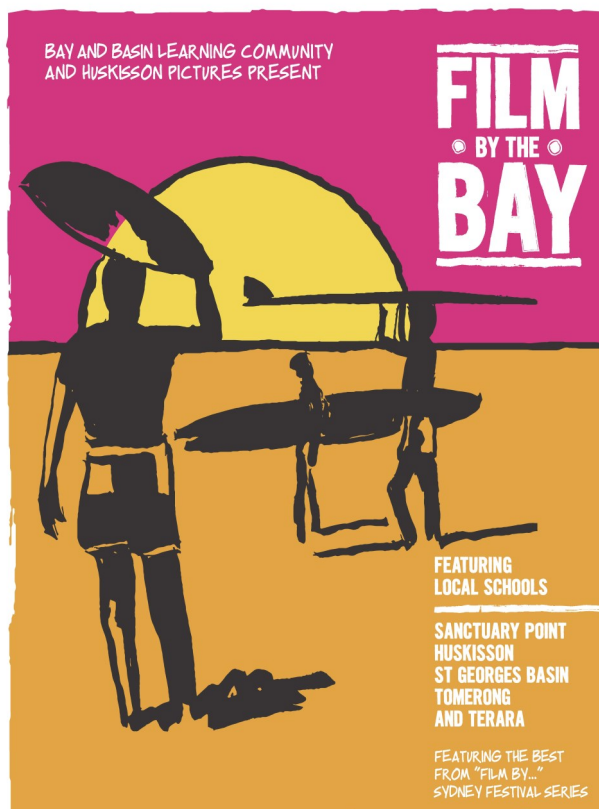
5 Sessions: \$190pp

Pay as you go: \$40 per lesson

(Prices include over 30% LOVE YOUR LOCALS discount!)



Bookings Essential 0449 266 994



WHEN & WHERE 6PM, TUESDAY
30TH OF OCTOBER
@HUSKISSON PICTURES. \$6.00



WELCOME A SLICE OF THE WORLD INTO YOUR HOME IN 2019!

HOST AN OVERSEAS EXCHANGE STUDENT!

REQUEST A FREE INFO PACK / SMS 'HOST' to 0428 246 633



HEAR FROM A HOST MUM

Hosting has been one of the most rewarding and exciting experiences for our family. Romane, our student, was definitely one of the most kind and pleasant people we have met and right from the start was a perfect fit for our family. Being able to share this experience has had a positive effect on all of my young children.
Host mum, Candice.

HOSTING AT A GLANCE:

- Hosting is voluntary
- You choose your student
- Students attend high school full time
- 24/7 support provided
- Host families come from all over the state
- Students come from all over the world and stay for a short term (8-10 weeks), a semester or a year.

MORE INFO: WEP.ORG.AU/HOST



SUMMER SEASON NOW OPEN

Bay and Basin Amateur Swimming Club is a family focused club that meets Friday nights at the Bay and Basin Leisure Centre, Wool Rd, Vincentia.

Swimmers of all abilities are welcome and your first trial night is free. We have swimmers ranging in age from 4 to 16.

Registration fees apply if you join up and are valid for the year. 5pm for entry registrations for a 5.30pm start.

Summer Season (weekly): October - March

Winter Season (fortnightly): April - September



Bay & Basin Amateur Swim Club

W: www.bayandbasin.swimming.org.au

E: bayandbasinasc@gmail.com

If interested please come along, or call our Registrar Jodie 0420 853 016

SMILE AT CHRISTMAS

What is Smile at Christmas?

Smile at Christmas is a 'giving tree' initiative. We have partnered with Rotary and various charities across NSW and will be placing Christmas giving trees far and wide in our community, complete with gift tags. The gift tags are complete with a either person's name or gender and age. Simply select a tag, and purchase a gift of your choice. Then place the gift under the tree before collection days on December 10th 11th and 12th. All we ask is that the gifts are new, wrapped and non-perishable **with the swing tags attached**.

'Smile at Christmas' is the brainchild of one of our agents, Ken Snell. Ken was the founder of the 'Little Ray of Giving' charity that has provided over 30,000 gifts across Australia to underprivileged children. We are proud to continue this legacy with Smile at Christmas and give back to our community.

Although Christmas is full of fun and laughter for most of us, it's not like that for everyone. For some, there's little to smile about.

Over 662,000 Australian children are living in jobless families due to financial hardship, disability, illness, homelessness or social isolation.

For these families, Christmas presents are a luxury they just can't afford.

This means that over 662,000 children will have a tough time this year, especially when seeing the excitement of their friends and neighbours.

What can you do to help?

By placing a giving tree in your school or place of business

Firstly, by setting up a giving tree. We can provide a tree or we can decorate your own tree with the special swing tags. If you have passing foot traffic, we would love to hear from you. We are setting up in schools, childcares, shops and among community groups – the more trees we get out there, the more gifts we can raise. These are families who receive nothing, and so having something to open on Christmas day is an amazing gift in itself.

Because every person deserves a gift at Christmas

The Christmas season is about giving, goodwill and family. Get your children involved, make it a special event, and let them experience the true joy of the season.

Together we can make a difference.

Wishing you all the best for the festive season ahead.

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SUNDAY 4TH
NOVEMBER

FOR MORE INFO CALL- 0418 627 772
NO NEED TO BOOK, WEAR SOMETHING YOU CAN GET WET!

