The staff of Engadine Public School wish all our families a happy and safe holiday of good health! We hope you all have a wonderful opportunity to rest and relax, refresh and renew in readiness for our new Term, which starts for students on Tuesday 14 July 2015.
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Parents and Carers will receive student reports Monday 22 June, and are advised to check with the Office if reports have not arrived home. The new style reports have been a source of much deliberation, in order to provide strong feedback to families about areas of strengths for each student and to identify targets for learning in each Key Learning Area. Whilst interviews are not required at this time, parents and carers are advised that teachers are available to discuss any areas of concern, upon an appointment being made.

Djamu—Indigenous Art Workshop Experience

Congratulations to Allirah, who was selected to take part in a series of workshops in Indigenous Art, at the NSW Art Gallery. Allirah was part of a small group of students, who had a valuable opportunity to hear from talented Indigenous artists about their techniques and style when presenting their art.

Nationally Consistent Data Collection

All parents are advised that data will be captured relating to adjustments teachers are making to enhance learning opportunities for students in their classes. This data is both mandatory, and completely confidential. It impacts funding allocations to schools, and must be an accurate reflection of all adjustments made.

Kindergarten Enrolments for 2016

Applications are now open for Kindergarten Enrolments in 2016. All families with a child or children eligible to start school next year are encouraged to contact our Office and lodge an application to enroll.

Any non-local families are advised they will also need to complete an “Out Of Area” expression of interest. These requests are considered later in the year, when local numbers are known, as it departmental policy that schools are not able to grow, based on out of area applications. We know this can be challenging for some families. We will conduct Kindergarten interviews with all families early in Term 3. It is important that the school gains an accurate reflection of school numbers for Kindergarten in 2016, so we can begin to plan for the effective use of our resources. Your help in this regard is appreciated.
### School News Cont’d

#### Notes and Money Due

- **Dance Festival DVD Order Form** due 24 June
- **Japanese Excursion Years 1 and 2** Due 14 July

#### Key Value: Citizenship (Community Key of Success)

Citizenship can be defined as membership of a community or a group. It allows certain privileges and also comes with obligations to follow the roles of the community or group. Citizenship also means your relationship with the community to which you belong. Not just following rules and procedures, but also following the moral and social code of the community.

Being a good citizen of Engadine Public School means more than basic rights and responsibilities, it involves quality of character, behaviour and interactions with others in community. We want our students to be active, informed and responsible citizens.

A good citizen is one who:
- cares about the feelings and rights of others.
- shows concern for the safety and well-being of others
- stays informed about issues and voices their opinion
- votes
- conserves resources and follows the 3 R’s (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle)
- uses their skills to make a better community

The benefits students may gain from being good citizens include:
- the self-confidence and resilience to deal with everyday life occurrences, like a disagreement with another.
- gives them voice in their school community
- enables them to make valuable contributions to the world they live in
- prepares them for the ups and downs of being an adult in the working world

Being a good citizen takes an effort which is valued by peers, staff and families alike.

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#### Due Dates

Parents and carers are advised due dates are established to ensure money is processed and numbers advised to service providers in time for all required planning.

**The school is strict on close off dates.**

We do not want our students, your children to miss out on valuable opportunities—and hence we ask you to help us with this.

Please ensure you pay by close off dates, or if you are experiencing difficulties, please advise the Office prior to the close off date so alternate arrangements can be negotiated, if appropriate.

It is TOO late after close off dates as commitments have already been made by this time.

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#### From the Office

If your child has recently been loaned a pair of undies, could you please return them to the office. Thank you if you have already done so. We have a very small supply held in case of “accidents” and so would really appreciate their prompt return.

We have various plastic containers left from our Biggest Morning Tea event. If you have forgotten to collect yours please enquire at the office.

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**Special Thought:** Bob Moawood

Help others get ahead—You will always stand taller with someone else on your shoulders.
Throughout the school year, teachers focus on developing skills to building positive relationships among peers—some children learn these through experience and others need to be taught these skills specifically in order to apply them. The focus of our teaching points will last for blocks of two weeks, and will be placed in the newsletter.

**Social Skills Topic 7: Saying No!**

### Do’s
- Look in their eyes
- Tell them you don’t want to do it
- Briefly say why (e.g. “No I want to do something else after school”) OR
- If it’s a mean thing or against the rules or dangerous point out the consequences (e.g. “No it’s too risky” or “No that’s mean”)
- Sometimes you may want to thank them for including you (e.g. “Thanks anyway”)
- Keep your tone of voice and expression friendly and calm
- Continue to calmly say no if they keep asking you. Try not to get angry

### Don’ts
- Don’t look away or down at the ground
- Don’t say yes just so they’ll like you
- Don’t say yes because you’re scared that they’ll say bad things about you
- If what they asked you to do was mean, dangerous, or against the rules, don’t give them a lecture about it
- Don’t get angry or upset

Parents, we ask that you too go through these skills with your children, and discuss the dos and don’ts. Perhaps you can ask them if they have tried some of the strategies and what the result was. Children learn best when they are supported from both school and home with a consistent message. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

**ON LINE PAYMENTS - OPPORTUNITY TO DISCOVER HOW THIS WORKS**

We will be having a demonstration on how this new on-line payment system will work at 2.45pm on Tuesday 14 July and at 6.00pm in the Library, if you would like to attend.

**Banking News**

Please bring your deposit books into your class on Thursday. Banking will processed and the deposit books will be returned to classes on Fridays.
A recent research study found that many students go to school without having eaten breakfast.

**Breakfast provides brain food.**

Eating breakfast each morning improves children’s learning, concentration, behaviour, overall nutrient intake, and establishes healthy eating patterns for life. Some quick options include:

- wholegrain cereals and reduced fat milk
- baked beans on wholegrain toast and a glass of reduced fat milk.
- fruit smoothie and toast
- toast topped with cheese and tomatoes
- eggs on toast with a glass of reduced fat milk
- Wholemeal/grain toast with margarine spread and toppings such as tomato, reduced fat cheese, baked beans
- Reduced fat yoghurt, fruit, raisin bread
- Fruit Salad and yoghurt

Serve breakfast with a glass of water or milk to get children hydrated.

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**Canteen Roster Term 3**

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If you cannot make it on your day please organise to swap with somebody else. If this is not possible please leave a message for Deidre at the school or contact her on 0412 212 750.

Thanks for your continuing support of the canteen, the children love to see you there.
Uniform Shop

**Opening Hours** : 8.45am to 9.30am
The Uniform Shop will open Wk 1 & 5 of each Term.

Orders can be left at the Office anytime with payment. Cash or cheque only. Cheques to be made out to Engadine Public School P & C Uniform Shop.

**Second Hand Uniforms WANTED**
The Uniform Shop is always happy to accept donations of second hand items in good condition. If you have any items you wish to donate, please bring them into the Office or direct to the Uniform Shop when it is next open.

**Uniform Shop - UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT**
Orders will still be placed in the Office money box and be filled fortnightly. Please direct all enquiries to Mrs Cody on Wednesday to Friday from 9.30—11.00am. Please be aware she is also running the Canteen and not all orders/enquiries can be dealt with immediately.

Please help us support the transition with our volunteers and Mrs Cody.

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**DRAMA CLUB PERFORMANCE**

**Engadine Anglican Church**

**Drama Club**

Performances coming soon...

**YE HA!**

The Julius Caesar Caper

6.30 Thursday 25th June

Performed in our School Hall

Everyone Welcome

Gold Coin Donations

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**ENAGDINE ANGLICAN CHURCH**

**Kids Plus PLUS!**

~A Pupil Free Day Activity!

13th of July

Bible Teaching ~ Games ~ Craft ~ Singing ~

**CARNIVAL EXTRAVAGANZA**

balloon animals, crazy mirrors, tin can alley, hoopla and more

* Kindy to Year 6
* Sign in: from 8:30-9 am
* Pick up: from 3:30-5pm (movie from 3:30-5pm)
* Lunch and afternoon tea provided
* Cost: $25 for the first child and $20 for subsequent kids

Register online today: www.eac.org.au

ph: 9548 2296
Community News

Sydney Sutherland TAFE

real skills, endless possibilities

Community News

Training in Basic Computing Skills

Everyday Computing - Semester 2 2015

Term 3

Course 10099SMAA Course in Vocational and Community Engagement

This course is for people who are absolute beginners or have never touched a computer and are seeking to enter further education and work and wish to study for only 3 hours per week for 16 weeks. You will learn basic instruction in computer fundamentals, Word Processing, Email and Internet, as well as employability skills.

Information and Application Sessions

- Class Details: Friday 9:30am – 12:30pm on the Gymea Campus
- Start date: 27 July 2015 – 19 November 2015
- Cost: $175 Smart and Skilled conditions apply

110am Thursday 25 June 2015
Committee Room, Gymea Campus, Sutherland College, Corner The Kingsway and Holman Road, Gymea

For more information call Outreach Section 9710 6004

This program is run subject to the availability of resources and sufficient demand.

Southern Community Welfare
(in the grounds of Gymea Baptist Church)
2–4 Tea Gardens Ave, Kirrawee 2232
www.scw.org.au

ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES AND GIVE BLOOD

Mobile Blood Service visiting: Engadine Tavern
50 Station Street (enter via rear of hotel)

Monday 13 July 1.30pm – 6.30pm

Drink up! Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate
EAT! Have a good sized breakfast or lunch
Please bring photo I.D. with you

To make an appointment call 13 14 95 or visit donateblood.com.au

Australian Red Cross BLOOD SERVICE

SUTHERLAND SHIRE COUNCIL VACATION CARE

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Miranda and Lucas Heights both cater for children Kindergarten-14 years.

For program details and enrolment ph: 9710 0468, email VacationCare@ssc.nsw.gov.au or visit www.sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au

‘Seasons for Growth’

A grief and loss program for children and young people

Starts.....Tuesday July 21st at 4pm

An eight-week program for children and young people who have experienced change or loss, usually through death, separation, or divorce.

The program is educational, teaching coping strategies and skills to develop resilience. The “Seasons for Growth” program is for ages 8 to 15 years.

Just like the Seasons, life changes....... Bookings essential on 9545 0299 or via email to admin@scw.org.au

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CARINGBAH HIGH SCHOOL

PROVIDING HIGH QUALITY AND INNOVATIVE EDUCATION IN A DYNAMIC AND CARING ENVIRONMENT

VISIT US ON OPEN DAY

Thursday 20 August, 9.30 – 11am

85 Willarong Road, Caringbah
(Parking on Taren Point Road)

For Year 6 students wishing to sit
the Selective High School Test in March 2016
To enter Caringbah High School in
YEAR 7 in 2017

Interested students and parents are invited
to attend this information morning
with displays and activities for students.

Be part of our community today

For more information visit www.caringbah.h.schools.nsw.edu.au

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Bogan Bingo

ITS BINGO

Bates Drive School

$30 per head includes nibbles but the fun is free!

Table of 10 or we can place you on a
table where you can make new friends!

Dress like a bogan with prizes for best or worst dressed.

There will be lots of games and raffles, bring your money and

win some prizes.

Tickets available from Bates Drive School: 9521 6049

Kareela Golf Club, Kareela

Friday 16th October, 2015

7pm for 8.15pm Start

WWW.BOGANBINGO.COM
16th June 2015

Dear Parents/carers,

Your local health district offers a FREE healthy lifestyle program for children aged 7-13 years, funded by NSW Health.

The program runs over one school term. All sessions run after school facilitated by qualified Nutrition and Exercise Leaders.

Sessions include:
- Games and activities for kids
- Easy, effective ways to improve your child’s self esteem and confidence
- Tips on healthy foods, label reading and portion sizes
- A fun supermarket tour
- Prizes for eligible families

A local program will be held in Kirrawee, starting 13th July 2015.

Why join Go4Fun?
- FREE healthy living program to help 7-13 year olds and their families to lead healthier lives
- Make new friends
- Feel more confident and boost self esteem
- Get fit playing fun games
- Set goals to reach and maintain a healthy weight

How to Register
Places on the program are limited, so contact your local coordinator today to see if your child/ren is eligible (based on BMI).

Contact:
Linda Trotter
9382 8641
www.go4fun.com.au
linda.trotter@sesjachs.health.nsw.gov.au

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