



TO THE POINT

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Friday 7 September 2018

Term 3 Week 7

Dear Parents, Staff & Students

It's hard to believe how quickly our term is slipping away. We have had a very productive week at school with very little disruptions. All our programs are running smoothly especially our Peer Enrichment program. It's wonderful to see our Year 1 students smiling happily as they go off with their peer tutors to work on reading. Thank you Mrs Brown and Mrs Wilson for your wonderful organisation and congratulations to our peer tutors who are extremely dedicated and conscientious in their role.

SAS Staff Recognition Week

SAS Staff recognition week is an opportunity to acknowledge the valuable work our SAS Staff do every day at our school. At Alfords Point Public School we are very lucky to be supported by a wonderful SAS group who help the teachers to deliver quality learning opportunities for our students. On Tuesday the teachers took the opportunity to acknowledge and thank our SAS staff by hosted a morning tea for them. We recognise and thank:

- Administration Manager – Mrs Adderley
- Administration Officer - Mrs Miller
- School Learning Support Officers SLSO's – Mrs El-Esh, Mrs Hampton and Mrs McGrath
- General Assistant - Mr Crittenden

Uniform Committee

Thank you to those parents who have indicated they would like to be part of the Uniform Committee to review the current school uniform. If you are interested and have not made contact with the school we would welcome your input. Please contact the school office.

Updating of contact details

If your contact details have changed in any way since Term 1 can you please provide the new information to Mrs Adderley or Mrs Miller in the office. This includes your address, phone number and nominated emergency contact details.

Student Attendance

A reminder to parents that regular attendance at school is essential to assist students to maximise their potential. Schools, in partnership with parents, are responsible for promoting the regular attendance of students. Parents are required to explain the absences of their children from school promptly and within seven days to the school.

Kindergarten Orientation Morning (Kindi start)

The school is currently finalising enrolments for Kindergarten 2019. If you have not enrolled your child or returned your enrolment forms yet, please contact the school office. The Kindergarten Orientation program begins on Wednesday 12 September 2018. The Kindi Start program provides parents with valuable information about the school and assists preschool children in the smooth transition into big school. I look forward to meeting the 2019 Kindergarten students and their families during the orientation program.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sept 12	Kindi Start 2019 9.30am
Sept 17	P&C Meeting 7pm in Library
Sept 18	Kindi Start 2019 2pm Parent Workshop
Sept 21	PSSA begins
Sept 24	Obstacool Fundraiser
Sept 26	Kindi Start 2019 2pm Parent Workshop
Sept 27	Krispy Kreme Delivery

The Overwintering Project: Bound for Botany Bay

I would like to bring to your attention an exhibition that opens on Saturday 8 September 2018 at Hazelhurst Arts Centre. The Overwintering Project: Bound for Botany Bay is an exhibition of prints by artists of Southern Sydney exploring the plight of our endangered migratory shorebirds. The exhibition is part of the Australian-New Zealand Overwintering Project. The exhibition will run from 8 -18 September 2018 at Hazelhurst Art Centre. The exhibition includes breeding birds located at Woolooware Bay. Senior Natural Areas Officers from Sutherland Shire Council are also conducting Overwintering Walking tours of Woolooware Bay.

School Crossing Supervisor

Thank you to Mr Victor Berry our School Crossing Supervisor who leaves Alfords Point Public School today. We wish him well at his new school.

If you know anyone who is interested in the position of School Crossing Supervisor please pass on the information located at the back of this newsletter. Applications close on Sunday 16 September.

Annette Wein
Principal

OBSTACOOOL KICKS OFF THIS TERM!

Obstacool is a fantastic, fun physical activity program that will be hitting our school grounds Monday of Week 10. It is being run in conjunction with the Premier's Sporting Challenge and is a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills! As a school we are trying to raise funds to help upgrade and purchase new resources in relation to technology, the library and the garden.

Remember any donations that can be made will be very beneficial. Boys and girls be creative in asking friends, family and community members to sponsor you on your sponsorship form to overcome the giant course! There are prizes for the most money raised!

Thank you for supporting our school!

SPORTS NEWS

Well done to our Senior A Netball team who were Runners Up in our winter PSSA competition.

Congratulations also to our Junior A Netball team who were awarded joint winners with Yarrawarra Public School.

Carolyn Rider

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Stage 2—Indiana, Simone, Lucas, Lachlan, Sasha, Sibel and Anastasia

Stage 3—Lucas, Haley, Marko, Cooper, Jayden, Angelise and Samuel

BANNERS

Stage 2—Simone, Lucas, Sasha, Sibel and Anastasia

Stage 3—Haley, Jayden, Angelise and Samuel

BRONZE MEDALS

Stage 2—Simone, Sibel and Anastasia

Stage 3—Jayden, Angelise and Samuel

SILVER MEDALS

Stage 3—Hayley

KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER

Just a reminder to have your Krispy Kreme order forms returned to the front office no later than Tuesday 12 September. Delivery will be on Thursday 27 September. Unfortunately no late orders will be accepted.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - T3, Week 7

KD	Gerard
K-1J	Kayden
1-2M	Jamerson
1-2PK	Azaan
3-4B	Joy
3-4R	Charlotte
4-5M	Sibel
5-6D	Jayden
5-6L	Madison

UNIFORM SHOP
Opening Hours for 2018

The uniform shop will next be open on **19 September 2018** and then once a fortnight on Wednesdays of every odd week, starting from 8.30am - 9.15am in the hall.

Orders can be left at the office.
Thank you

THE POINT CAFE

Thank you to all those who have volunteered and helped.

Monday

No volunteer

Wednesday

Barbara Bricknell

Thursday

Sue Wilkes

Friday

Pam Ryan

Samantha Lollback

SHARKS BASKETBALL HOLIDAY CAMP

9th to 12th October 2018
9am - 2pm Age 6 to 15 years
T-Shirt & Ball for all Camp Participants



Download enrolment form from our website
www.sutherland.basketball.net.au

Enrolments close
28th September 2018
unless maximum
numbers are reached
prior to closing date

Waratah Park Rawson Ave Sutherland
Phone: (02) 9542-1999
Email: admin@sutherlandbasketball.net.au
Website: www.sutherland.basketball.net.au

BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!!!

Rewards Card.
Start saving for the Super Savers rewards.

How to redeem a reward item

1. Make 10 School Banking deposits (you'll receive one silver Dollarmites token each time you make a deposit - maximum one per week).
2. Choose one of the below reward items and fill in your details on the corresponding reward coupon.
3. Take the reward coupon, along with your 10 silver Dollarmites tokens, to school in your Dollarmites deposit wallet on School Banking day.

Rules of the program

- To reward individual saving, no pooling of Dollarmites tokens with other students or siblings is allowed.
- All rewards are available to redeem from the term listed, only while stocks last.

SAVING

SUPER SAVERS

<p>Twister Power Handball Released Term 1 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Sparkle Glitter Pens Released Term 2 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Mighty Boom Handball Released Term 3 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Slushie Maker Cup Released Term 4 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>
<p>Secret Scratch Notepad Released Term 1 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Glow Light Released Term 2 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Heat Reactor Pencils Released Term 3 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>	<p>Zoom Flying Disc Released Term 4 2018</p>  <p>Name: _____ Class: _____ Student ID: _____</p>

Please report trespassers in the school grounds to:
School Security **1300 880 021** OR
Sutherland Police Station **9542 0899**



PARENTING IN THE DIGITAL AGE

SUTHERLANDSHIRE



Linda Salem, a clinical psychologist with over 25 years of experience, speaks about how to guide your children in using internet technology in a way that is safe and healthy.

Monday 10 September | 6.30pm to 8pm
Sutherland Library
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

T 02 9710 0351
sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/library

SUTHERLANDSHIRE
 LIBRARIES



- LUCKY SEAT PRIZE
- RAFFLES

- LOLLY GUESS
- RELAXING LUNCH

Enjoy a child free, fun day out with friends!

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING SHOP AND SAVE TOUR

(All proceeds go to Alford's Point Public School & Best Kids Early Learning Centre)

COST: Approx \$55-\$65 per person (discount with a seniors card)
 Covers coach, morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea
DATE: Sunday, 11 November 2018
DEPARTURE: 7.45am sharp – please arrive by 7.30am.
MEET: Oriana Drive, Illawong (top oval near Menai High School)
RETURN: Approx 5.30pm-6pm.

Variety of shops including bags, giftware, jewellery, manchester, confectionery, toys, clothing, shoes and much more. Watch this space!

To secure your seat and to make a payment, please contact Karyn Roberts
 Phone: 0414 680 765 or Email: killoyd77@hotmail.com



0422 499 206

Local Family Owner & Operators

APPS Families will receive a discount on General Pest Treatments which includes free rodent baiting and Timber Pest Inspections. A discount is also received if you combine both treatments done at the same time.

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After Hours, Weekends & Emergency Appointments Available

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E: bugsandbuilding@gmail.com



Part-Time Work

School Crossing Supervisors – Work with your community
 Permanent Part-Time position – Alford's Point Public School – 00006G52

An important person in a child's school life is the School Crossing Supervisor, who ensures they cross the road safely. The role requires minimal hours out of your day and gives something worthwhile back to the community.

The position is working 22.5 hours per fortnight within the hours of 8:15 am – 09:30 am and 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm Monday to Friday during school terms. The base rate is \$23.02 - \$27.62 per hour.

Training for your key responsibilities of directing traffic to stop at the designated crossing and giving clear instructions to infants and primary school students to cross the road safely, will be provided. You may be required to attend a health assessment. Appointment is subject to a Working with Children Check clearance.

Roads and Maritime Services is an equal opportunity employer.

For further information on this exciting opportunity please call 1300 305 855 or go to iworkfor.nsw.gov.au to apply.

Applications close 11:59pm on Sunday, 16 September 2018.

TNSW are committed to building a diverse and inclusive culture across the Transport cluster, planning for and promoting diversity. We welcome and encourage applications from diverse community groups and ages including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, LGBTI, people with disabilities, women and other diversity groups. TNSW recognises the benefits that such an approach brings for our staff and customers in delivering the future of NSW.



FAMILY FUN DAY

at the New South Wales Parliament
 October School Holidays!

FRIDAY 12 OCTOBER
10 AM TO 3 PM



Sausage Sizzle
\$3.00
 per person

Free fun educational activities at Australia's oldest Parliament for children from 4 to 12 years.

Follow the children's trail; enter the guessing competition, participate in the arts and crafts; visit the historic legislative chambers places rarely open to the public. Engage with roving historical characters and celebrate the 100 year anniversary of women becoming eligible for election to parliament and admittance to the legal profession in NSW.



FREE ENTRY
Activities
 10.00 am to 3.00 pm
Location
 6 Macquarie Street – opposite Martin Place

The public café will be open.

FREE ENTRY • All Welcome
 E: dps.education@parliament.nsw.gov.au
www.parliament.nsw.gov.au
 Parliament of New South Wales,
 6 Macquarie Street, Sydney

GROUP BOOKINGS FOR 10 OR MORE ESSENTIAL 9230 2047