

POINT CLARE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



TERM 1 | WEEK 11 | 8 APRIL 2018

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IMPORTANT DATES

Tues	9/4	Orana Easter Visit - Kindergarten
Wed	10/4	Student Banking Easter Hat Parade P&C Meeting - 7.30pm
Thurs	11/4	Assembly of Excellence Year 6 cake & cookie stall fundraiser Last Day of Term 1 for students

**Term 2 commences
Monday 29th April, 2019**

Share Our Space

Your school is a vital part of our community, and we want you to use it. During these upcoming holidays participating schools across NSW will be opening up their play areas for your enjoyment.

For more details visit schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au

This program is an initiative of the NSW Government.



Thought of the Week

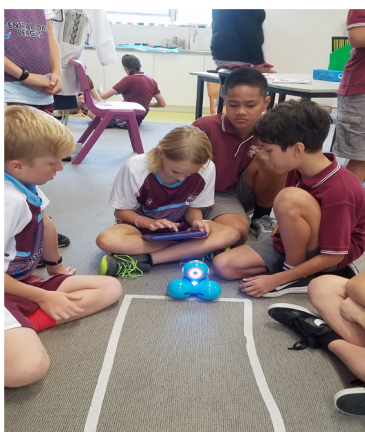


ROAD SAFETY CONCERNS

During the past week we have received a number of serious complaints regarding road safety and the behaviour of motorists around the school. It has been disappointing to see motorists taking unsafe risks on both Brisbane Water Drive and Takari Avenue. I have personally seen cars doing three point turns on top of the pedestrian crossing and at the intersection of Takari and Brisbane Water Drive, cars parking in the bus zones and even cars blocking residents driveways in Takari Avenue and Scott Street. We also had cars belonging to the teaching staff damaged in the car parks this week by other motorists who caused the damage but didn't bother to leave a note with contact details. These behaviours are simply inexcusable. The school has strong plans in place to ensure that the children leave the school in a safe manner each day. The responsibility for controlling the behaviour of motorists is beyond the school's control. These infringements are an RMS and NSW Police matter. It is also up to the individual motorists using the roads around our school to use the roads safely and to show respect to the students and the community at large.

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

One of the new initiatives that we have implemented in our three year school plan is the STEM program led by Mrs Wilson. The feedback we receiving from the children is unanimously positive. The message is loud and clear – Point Clare students love being challenged to think outside the box. Mrs Wilson creatively uses a wide range of technology supports including the Lego robotics kits such as WeDos, the EV3s whilst also using the Ozo-bots to stimulate the student's critical and creative thinking skills. Some examples of the fantastic work being completed are highlighted in the photos below.



NSWPSSA RUGBY LEAGUE KO

Congratulations to all of the students who represented our school so proudly at the Woy Woy Cup last Thursday. Mrs Lavelle reported that you all played with a lot of pride and passion and that you also had a lot of fun which is the whole point of kids' sports. You should enjoy just playing the game and giving it your best shot. We are all very proud of you. I'm looking forward to watching you all run around again in the NSWPSSA Rugby Union Knock Out on Tuesday 11 June 2019.

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OPPORTUNITY CLASS TESTS

Each year students in Year 4 have the ability to apply for an Opportunity Class placement for the following year at Gosford Public School. Opportunity Classes cater for academically gifted and talented students by teaching them in specialised ways and providing educational materials at the appropriate level. The 2019 Opportunity Class Placement Test will be held on Wednesday 31 July 2019. If you would like to have your child considered for Year 5 opportunity class entry in 2020, you need to apply soon. You will need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student's email address). Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from Tuesday 30 April 2019 at:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5>

The application website opens on Tuesday 30 April 2019 and closes on Friday 17 May 2019. Please note - you must apply by the due date and there are no paper application forms accepted.

LAST WEEK OF TERM 1 REMINDERS

- On Wednesday 10 April 2019 - we will be having our annual Easter Hat parade for our K-2 students commencing at 10am. Following the parade we will be having the P&C Easter raffle draws. All parents and carers are welcome to come and watch the parade
- On Thursday 11 April 2019 to mark the end of Term 1 we will be holding our first ever Assembly of Excellence commencing at 9.15am. Families of children receiving an award of any kind, were notified on Friday 5 April. We invite all interested parents to come and watch the event which will feature the school band and a performance of the Bullying song by the Kindergarten students



WEDNESDAY 10th APRIL 2019

EASTER HAT PARADE - CANTEN SPECIALS

>> OPEN AFTER THE PARADE <<

Water \$1.50	Glee \$2.20	Cold Drinks: Apple / Orange Juice \$2.20	Moove Milk \$2.20
Coffee (pod) \$3		Hot Drinks: Hot Chocolate \$3	Tea \$2

CANTEEN-MADE PIZZA SLICE - \$1 (ham / ham & pineapple / spinach)	CANTEEN-MADE MUFFINS - \$1 each (banana & sultana / blueberry)	HOT CROSS BUNS - \$1.50 (traditional / chocolate)
RAISIN TOAST - \$1 whole / 50c half	MESSY MONKEYS - \$1.50 (pizza / burger / cheese)	MINI ICEY POPS - 20c
JUCIES SACHETS - 80c {apple / wildberry / apple & blackcurrant }	JUCIES TUBE - \$1.20 (lemonade / orange / tropical)	JELLY CUPS - \$1.50
PLAIN YOGHURT CUP - \$1	YOGHURT W/ BERRY & MUESLI - \$1.50	SLUSHIES (99% fruit juice) - \$2
		FROZEN TWISTED YOGHURT - \$2.50



- Term One concludes on Thursday 11 April, 2019 and will resume school for Term 2 on Monday 29 April 2019
- Any security concerns over the school holidays should be phoned into the School Security Hotline - 1300 880 021

Mr Scott Campbell - Principal

ES1 GREEN	Principal's Award	Alyra
	Merit Award	Thomas
ES1 RED	Principal's Award	Louie A
	Merit Award	Edith N
ES1 YELLOW	Principal's Award	Fifi
	Merit Award	Sophia
ES1 PURPLE	Principal's Award	Will H
	Merit Award	Angelina H
S1 BLUE	Principal's Award	Alex F
	Merit Award	Isaac W
S1 GREEN	Principal's Award	Kydin H
	Merit Award	Izumi U
S1 PURPLE	Principal's Award	Max G
	Merit Award	Chloe H
S1 RED	Principal's Award	Lexie B
	Merit Award	Liam P
S1 YELLOW	Principal's Award	Bella C
	Merit Award	Keenan G
S1 ORANGE	Principal's Award	
	Merit Award	
S1/2 WHITE	Principal's Award	Jairah P
	Merit Award	Evan C
S2 BLUE	Principal's Award	Ryan S
	Merit Award	Chris H
S2 GREEN	Principal's Award	Phoenix M
	Merit Award	Liam R
S2 PURPLE	Principal's Award	
	Merit Award	Jackson P
S2 RED	Principal's Award	Mitchell M
	Merit Award	Keira S
S2 YELLOW	Principal's Award	Kane V
	Merit Award	Quynh N
S3 BLUE	Principal's Award	Sylvi G
	Merit Award	Xander S
S3 GREEN	Principal's Award	Lahni M
	Merit Award	Rylan B
S3 RED	Principal's Award	Gabriella S
	Merit Award	Ryan D
S3 PURPLE	Principal's Award	Jasmin B
	Merit Award	Daniel F
S3 YELLOW	Principal's Award	Caleb A
	Merit Award	Ashton C



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PBL LAUNCH EVENT

Students will return to school for Term 2 on Monday 29 April. On this day we will be officially launching our new Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) program at PCPS. Students will be learning more about our school-wide behaviour expectations, as well as our new reward system for positive behaviour. On this day we will be holding a special assembly at 12:30pm in the school hall, followed by lunch. Families are invited to come along and find out about this program at the assembly, as well as join their children for lunch afterwards.

The canteen will be providing a special lunch if you would like to order something for the picnic lunch.

Students are invited to wear muffin on the day in the PBL colours – green, blue and yellow.



We look forward to launching this exciting program with you our whole school community next term.

CANTEEN SPECIAL LUNCH MENU – 29 April 2019

Family members attending the special lunch on the first day of Term 2 are invited to order their lunch online.

Please place your order with your child's order and it will be delivered in their class basket at lunch time.

Recess and snack items can also be purchased at lunch over the counter until sold out.

SANDWICHES OR WRAPS

Sandwiches		Wraps	
Vegemite	\$1.50	Tuna Mayo	\$3.00
Cheese	\$1.50	Tuna Mayo with lettuce & cucumber	\$3.50
Baked beans	\$2.00	Salad: lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot, beetroot	\$3.00
Ham & cheese	\$3.00	Cheese, lettuce & tomato	\$3.00
Ham, cheese & tomato	\$3.50	Ham, Cheese, Tomato & Lettuce	\$3.50
Tuna mayo	\$3.00	Chicken, lettuce & mayonnaise	\$3.50
Chicken, lettuce & mayonnaise	\$3.50		
Salad BOX: lettuce, cherry tomatoes, cucumber, carrot, beetroot, capsicum		\$3.50 ADD CHICKEN OR HAM OR EGG FOR \$1.00 each	




CANTEEN MADE MEALS



Potato Bake (GF) vegetarian	\$4.00	Macaroni Cheese vegetarian	\$3.50	Bolognese Pasta topped with cheese	\$4.00
Beef Lasagne	\$4.00	Macaroni Cheese (GF) vegetarian	\$4.00	Bolognese Pasta (GF) topped with cheese	\$4.50
Mexican Vegetarian Lasagne	\$4.00	Cheesy Tuna Pasta	\$4.00	Spinach & Cheese Filo Wrap	\$4.00

*(GF) indicates Gluten Free meals.

BURRITO	JACKET POTATO	FRIED RICE (GF)
Beef Burrito \$4 Beef mince, fresh salsa, lettuce, cheese, and black beans	Baked Beans \$4 Potato with baked beans and cheese topping	Traditional \$4 Rice, soy sauce, ham, mixed vegetables, egg
Chicken Burrito \$4 Chicken, fresh salsa, lettuce, cheese, and black beans	Bolognese \$4 Potato with Bolognese and cheese topping	Vegetarian \$4 Rice, soy sauce, mixed vegetables, egg
Vege Burrito \$4 Mexican bean mix, fresh salsa, cheese, lettuce		Vegan \$4 Rice, soy sauce, and mixed vegetables
Burrito Box (GF) \$4.50 Any burrito option's contents in a box instead of a wrap		

ALL ORDERS FOR THE SPECIAL LUNCH ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE UNTIL 9AM MONDAY 29 APRIL!

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS



Special event days at the school are always busy so we appreciate any time you have available to come help us with packing and/or counter service on the day.

Recess is 10:55 – 11:25PM

Lunch is 1:15 – 2PM

**Please contact the Canteen via the
school office on 4325 0594**



Year 6 2019

CAKE AND COOKIE STALL

Fundraiser

**Year 6 are raising money for
their end of year activities.**

When: Thursday 11th April 2019

Where: Point Clare Public
School Playground (Recess)

Price: Between \$1 & \$3 for
cupcakes, cookies and other
sweet treats!

Thank you for your support ☺



I WISH MY CHILD WAS BETTER BEHAVED...

Next term parents will have an opportunity to meet as a group and reflect on some ways that can make for a happier time with their children. Over three Tuesday mornings, in Weeks 3, 4 and 5 the group will meet for 2 hours to discuss the parenting program called "1,2,3 Magic". The title came from comments by parents who found the program worked like "magic" for their children. Both parents and children became less stressed and both sides had a clear view of what was going to change to make their home happier. There is a booklet parents receive that serves as a reminder of the main points covered. If you would like more information contact Gregory Holland, School Counsellor at the school on Mondays or Tuesdays. Parents wishing to join the group, please fill out your details below and return to the school.



I am interested in attending the parenting program "1-2-3 Magic"

Name: Phone:

Child's Name: Class:

Gregory Holland - School Counsellor

WISEBERRY®



Colour In and Win!

**The winner will receive
A chocolate Easter basket
to the value of \$50!**

*Competition drawn 18th April 2019

Entry couldn't be simpler:

- 1) Pick up a stencil
 - From our office
 - On our Facebook page
 - By scanning the QR code below
- 2) Have your budding artist colour in the picture.
- 3) Post it to or drop it into the office.



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reception@wiseberrykariong.com.au

Shop 7 4-8 Mitchell Drive
wiseberry.com.au/kariong

PREMIUM ART CLASSES



JO STANES ART STATION

After School Art Classes
held at my studio in Point Clare

\$25 pp / hr

Techniques include: Acrylics, Inks,
Gold Leafing, Shading and more!

Classes Available (limited spaces)

Tues: 4:55 or 6pm (weekly / fortnightly)

Wed: 4:40pm (fortnightly)

Thurs: 4:40pm (fortnightly - boys only)



REGISTERED CREATIVE KIDS PROVIDER

Claim your \$100 Creative Kids Voucher.

Bookings for Term 2 Available Now!

Enquiries call Jo Stanes on 0434 406 477

Email: paint@jostanesart.com | Instagram: @jostanesartstation

Fun Languages



Educational, affordable and Fun !

**It's time to enrol in the French and Spanish Club
at Point Clare PS for next Term again !**

Starting Monday 6th May until Tuesday 2nd July 2019

Have Fun Learning a New Language and Culture plus:

- Improve memory
- Increase attention span
- Increase cognitive function and problem solving abilities
- Learn about another culture
- Make new friends



SPANISH FOR KIDS CLUB

Every Monday
from 3.00pm - 4.00pm

FRENCH FOR KIDS CLUB

Every Tuesday
From 8.00am - 8.50am



Play-based language learning with fun activities, craft, drama, music and games!

Program designed especially for primary aged children

**We are an approved service Provider for the Creative Kids Voucher.
Save \$100 on your Term fees**



For bookings
Please call **Nathalie Roy 0430 286 590**
Or Email nathalie.roy@icclubs.com.au
www.icclubs.com.au

Point Clare Public School P&C Association

Annual Easter Raffle

Prizes include:

- 7 nights accommodation at Korora Bay Village Resort, Coffs Harbour. 2 bedroom apartment. Checking in on 12 July 2019 (max. 6 people).
- \$50 to spend between 2 at Sapa Modern Vietnamese restaurant, Wamberal.
- Easter Hampers.

To be drawn at the Easter hat parade.
Winners will be notified by phone.

Tickets \$1 each

2 top selling student to win a Casey's Toys voucher to the value of \$50.

To be entered into the draw, please return all tickets (sold or unsold) with money to the school office by Monday 8 April 2019.



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4/2 Carnarvon Rd, West Gosford



Monday 15th Apr - Thur 18th Apr

Tue 23rd Apr - Wed 24th Apr

9am - 3pm with early drop off available

Gosford tennis club offers tennis camps every school holidays for all ages and abilities.

Participants will receive structured group coaching, match play, social interaction, games and prizes and most of all fun. Morning tea provided.

BYO lunch or lunch can be purchased for \$8

Cost of the camp is \$45 per day with discounts for families.

End of week pizza day. Early drop off 7.30am available and late pick ups.

Any enquires or bookings please contact proshop

10-13 Raccourse Road Gosford

PH: 0243252921 M:0404946971

Email: alex_fielding@hotmail.com

PATONGA BEACH EASTER FETE



EASTER SATURDAY, 20th APRIL, 2019

PATONGA HALL * BRISK STREET * PATONGA
9.00 am - 1.00pm



devonshire teas
chocolate wheel
market stall
cakes
books
gifts



.sausage sizzle
gifts
beauty products
bric a brac
handicrafts
plants



School Holiday Program

Central Coast Youth

Services create and promote opportunities for young people to develop their aspirations, skills and talents via a range of innovative engagement programs.

Whether you're artistic, sporty, musical, theatrical, looking to learn new skills or just enjoy hanging out with friends, there's something you'll enjoy.

Wherever we are – out and about on the Coast or at our Erina-based youth centre – we offer young people a safe and exciting way to interact and participate in a range of free or low-cost programs while providing support, advocacy and referral.

Visit us at:

THE HUB ERINA

North South Road
Erina Fair

(near the Yellow carpark)

T 4304 7071

E jennifer.dias

@centralcoast.nsw.gov.au

W thehuberina.com



All Holidays

Kodan, Manga Exhibition

Free entry. Visual story-telling at its finest with a Manga artwork and book display to compliment the Anime Architecture exhibition on now at Gosford Regional Gallery. 9am-5pm. The Foyer, Community Gallery space, Erina Centre, Erina Fair. 10-30 April. All ages.

9am Bato Yard, Bateau Bay. Free event.

Register on the day.

Divisions include:

- Under 12 years
- Under 16 years
- Open Females
- Open Males
- Sponsored Riders

15 April

Idea to Screen: We Dream puppet building workshop with Erth

Join us and Erth as we build puppets for the Idea to Screen, I Dream short film series. 10am-4pm The Hub Erina. Free event.

Bookings essential.

15+ years

14 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops and Ukulele workshops

Free 30-minute DJ sessions, to get hands on experience with DJ equipment.

Free 30-minute ukulele sessions to learn a song, technique, or skill.

9am-5pm GOATS Festival, Koala Park San Remo. Free event. Book on the day.

12+ years

Bowl Groms

Skate skills development.

11am Females only

12pm Beginners (male and female).

Umina Skate Park.

Free. No bookings required

13 April

Central Coast Series Skate Scooter, BMX and WCMX Competition

Entry is open to all riders aged 5-24 years in skate, scooter and BMX as well as WCMX Wheelchair.



Book your place or view more events at centralcoast.nsw.gov.au/schoolholidays

Enquiries: youthservices@centralcoast.nsw.gov.au

School Holiday Program

16 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (16, 17 and 18 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

Skill Me – Barista

This condensed one-day course
is a mash up of the popular
'Barista 101' and 'Advanced
Barista' courses run through
Glee Coffee Roasters.
10am-4pm Glee Coffee Roasters
HQ, Warehouse 4 Dulmison Ave,
Wyong.
Free event. Bookings essential.
14+ years

17 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (16, 17 and 18 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

eMerge Art Talk

Kicking off the eMerge (artist /
curator) program - join the
discussion with a public talk on
ideas and art strategies that
address the artworld in all its
complexities.
12-1pm Art Space 1, The Erina
Centre, Erina Fair.
Free event. Bookings essential.
16+ years

Animated .gif workshop

Create animations that work
everywhere.
1-3pm The Hub Erina, Youth
Entertainment Venue.
\$10 per person. Bookings
essential.
12+ years

18 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (16, 17 and 18 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

Idea to Screen: We Dream short film + MANGA Film screening

Come and see the first two
short films from the We Dream
project, a Manga feature film,
and mingle with local
filmmakers.
7pm The Hub Erina. Free event.
Bookings essential.
All ages

23 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (23, 24 and 26 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

24 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (23, 24 and 26 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

Animated .gif workshop

Create animations that work
everywhere.
1-3 pm The Hub Erina, Youth
Entertainment Venue.
\$10 per person. Bookings
essential.
12+ years

26 April

Drop the Beat DJ workshops @ The Hub Erina

Three-day Essentials
Masterclass for budding DJs
10am-12pm The Hub Erina,
Youth Entertainment Venue.
Three days (23, 24 and 26 April)
\$30. Bookings essential.
12+ years

