



SANDY BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Hello parents, carers and friends of Sandy Beach Public School,

During the last 2 weeks of the year there have been a number of events to acknowledge staff, students and community members for all their efforts towards making Sandy Beach a great school.

Last week the Year 6 Graduation and Year 6 Farewell dinner was held to say goodbye to our senior students.

We also had Kindergarten Graduation where all Kinder students received a book in recognition of completing their first year at school.

We also had our annual Presentation Assembly. Congratulations to all award recipients who are listed on next page.

On behalf of the staff we wish our Sandy Beach community a Merry Christmas and a safe, fun-packed holiday.

Diane Blevin

Principal



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Jan 30

Yrs 1-6 Students Return to School

Jan 30 - Feb 1

Best Start Appointments - Kindy

Feb 4

Kindy Students First Day

P & C Meeting

Feb 5

Swimming Carnival

ANNUAL PRESENTATION DAY AWARDS - 2018

K Lime

Chelsea McKee	for Academic Achievement
Harrison Becker	for Academic Achievement
Sanford Bullock	for Academic Achievement & Citizenship
Kiarah East	for Enthusiasm

K purple

Oliver Milienou	for Outstanding Academic Achievement
Izayah Brett	for Academic Achievement & Consistent Endeavour
Jaxon Pridham	for Most Improved
Arabella Monkton	for Consistent Effort

K/1 Aqua

Westan Eggins	for Academic Achievement
Zoe Jones	for Citizenship
Ivy Conroy	for Inquisitive Learner
Charlotte Wiblen	for Quiet Achiever

1 Sapphire

Darcie Hodgson	for Academic Achievement
Grace Willman	for Most Consistent Worker
Aiyana McCoy	for Most Improved
Trinity Watts	for Citizenship

1/2 Orange

Maxwell Beszant	for Academic Achievement
Aston Hawke	for Academic Achievement & Consistent Effort
Bella Moore	for Academic Achievement & Citizenship
Imogen McKenzie	for Consistent effort Across all Learning Areas

2 Indigo

Leo Peck	for Academic Achievement
Austin Harper	for Academic Achievement & Citizenship
Reidon Pearce	for Academic Achievement & Consistent Effort
Bella King	for Most Improved & Consistent Effort

2 Red

Townes Evan-Wood	for Academic Achievement
Jacinta Redward	for Consistent Effort & Achievement
Kyah Rea	for Consistent Effort & Achievement
Evy Walker	for Consistent Effort & Achievement

ANNUAL PRESENTATION DAY AWARDS - 2018

3 Blue

Daniel Clarke	for Academic Achievement
Sam Nicholson	for Outstanding Effort in Mathematics
Riley Ward	for Consistent Effort & Achievement
Emily Northham	for Consistent Effort & Achievement

3 Teal

Frankie Jones	for Academic Achievement
Ben Watson	for Excellence in Mathematics
Poppy Williams	for Consistent Effort & Achievement
Thayne Coleman	for Consistent Effort & Achievement

4 Violet

Maya Mitchell	for Academic Achievement
Jazarra Moore	for Consistent Effort & Achievement
Dakota Rose Reibel	for Consistent Effort & Improvement in Mathematics
Zannah Harnett	for Consistent Effort

4/5 Gold

Sienna Rothaker	for Academic Achievement
William Bennett	for Active Engagement
Tyron Moores	for Outstanding Improvement
Teleah Morley	for Citizenship

5 Coral

Ray Christie	for Academic Achievement
Ella Nicholson	for Outstanding Effort in all areas
Jessica Stokes	for Citizenship
Bailey Lawler	for Sportsmanship Award

6 Ivory

Saje Gravino	for Academic Achievement
Ellis Harper	for Academic Achievement
James Pasquali	for Academic Achievement
Eligh Pledger	for Outstanding Effort

6 Turquoise

Benjamin Warden	for Academic Achievement
Harley Hayes	for Consistent All Rounder
Saoirse Davis	for High Achiever
Charli Daddow	for Consistent Effort

ANNUAL PRESENTATION DAY AWARDS - 2018

Library Awards *Junior* Calista Farley *Senior* Sienna Rothaker

Bob Murray Memorial Technology Award *Junior* Daniel Clarke *Senior* James Pasquali

John Hein Memorial Award Eloise Briley

Public Speaking Award Farrah Moore & Paige Saban

Creative and Performing Arts

Early Stage 1 Iylah Weller *Stage 1* Elsie Harnett
Stage 2 Jarrah Hayes *Stage 3* Ryder James

Achievement by an Indigenous Student Charli Daddow

Touch Football Levi Woods and Emily Bell (District Trials)
Soccer Bailey Lawler and Lily Bartlett
Netball Colleen Brauman
Basketball Benjamin Warden

Premiers Sporting Challenge Medal For Daily Fitness Navrin Connor

SPORTS CARNIVAL AGE CHAMPIONS

Swimming *Junior Boy* Noah Fluechter *Junior Girl* Ella Dudgeon
 11 Year Boy Bailey Lawler *11 Year Girl* Celine Shih
 Senior Boy Levi Woods *Senior Girl* Lily Bartlett

Cross Country *Sub Junior Boy* Taj Farrow *Sub Junior Girl* Jesse Desmond
 Junior Boy Will Bennett *Junior Girl* Maya Mitchell
 Senior Boy Levi Woods *Senior Girl* Eva Osten-Price

Athletics *Junior Boy* Will Bennett *Junior Girl* Maya Mitchell
 11 Year Boy Ray Christie *11 Year Girl* Colleen Brauman
 Senior Boy Levi Woods *Senior Girl* Charli Daddow

Sports Person of the Year

Boy Levi Woods
Girl Colleen Brauman

Citizenship

Stage 1 Taj Farrow
Stage 2 Sienna Conroy
Stage 3 QUOTA Chloe Featherstone

P&C All Round Achievement Mahli-Rose Lynch

DUX OF THE SCHOOL Luke Mitchell

Ethics classes at Sandy Beach Public School

Dear Parents and Carers,

Could you be an Ethics Teacher for Sandy Beach Public School in 2019?

In ethics classes, children learn how to think logically, how to disagree respectfully and how to support their arguments with evidence.

Children discuss topics such as:

- Fairness
- Imagining how others feel
- How should we treat living things?
- What is laziness?
- How do we disagree in a respectful way?

Volunteers are needed so that ethics classes can be made available to all children whose families have requested them.

Ethics teachers facilitate discussions. A teaching background is not required. Full training is provided by Primary Ethics, the not-for-profit organisation approved to design curriculum and training for the ethics program. Training consists of short online modules and a two-day workshop. Lesson materials are provided.

An ethics teacher training workshop will be held locally in Term One 2019.

Suitable volunteers have an interest in children's education and the development of thinking skills and need to be available to teach a half hour class at Sandy Beach Public School on Wednesday mornings during school terms. A small amount of weekly preparation (printing and reading through lesson materials) is also required.

Could you volunteer to be the Ethics Coordinator for Sandy Beach Public School?

The Ethics Coordinator communicates with school staff, supports ethics teachers and liaises with Primary Ethics. This role provides a great opportunity for a working parent or anyone who might be unable to volunteer during school hours and is a rewarding way to engage with the school community. In this role volunteer times are flexible, requiring 1-2 hours per week. Online training is provided.

If you are looking for an opportunity to make a valuable contribution to our school, please visit primaryethics.com.au and/or contact John Gray, Primary Ethics Regional Manager, Coffs Harbour Bellingen Region, 04 22 333 238, email: coffsbellingen-region@primaryethics.com.au

Sandy Beach Public School

5 Easy Steps to Staying Informed

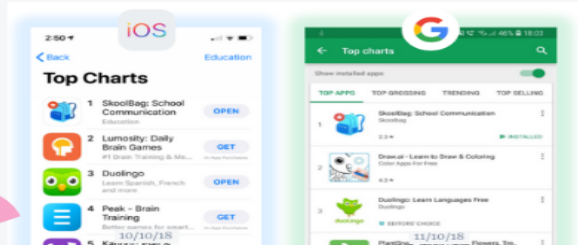
SkoolBag

SkoolBag is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minute notices, newsletters and all your school's communications.

1. Download SkoolBag

Search SkoolBag in the Apple App or Google Play Store, download the FREE app:

SkoolBag: School Communication



2. Create an Account

Follow the prompts to create your account in seconds.

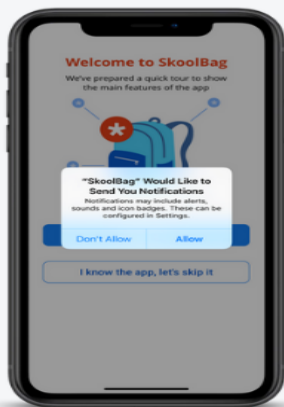
3. Add your School

Type your school's name and press enter. Tap the plus icon to add.



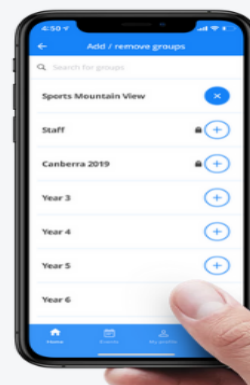
4. Allow Notifications

Ensure you Allow SkoolBag to send you push notifications when prompted.



5. Subscribe to Groups

Select Year Groups / Sports Teams to appear in your feed.





HOLIDAY SURF LESSONS!

All Lessons 1 hour - \$20 per person Adult and kids groups includes all equipment

DARLINGTON BEACH 1.30pm Wed, Fri & Sun (NSW holidays only)

WOOLGOOLGA 9am & 10.15am Daily (9am only QLD holidays)

SAWTELL BEACH 9am & 10.15am Tues, Thurs & Sat (NSW holidays only)

EMERALD BEACH 1.30pm Tues, Thurs & Sat (NSW holidays only)

*Please note **Sawtell** will operate **everyday** 26th December - January 13th, 9am & 10.15am

CLOSED XMAS AND NEW YEARS DAY

PRIVATE LESSONS

An exclusive surfing experience for individuals or groups. Available all year round for all ages and ability. You choose your day, time and location, or let us guide you with our local knowledge.

All lessons 1 hour

1 person \$80
2 people \$100
3 people \$105
4 people \$120
5 people \$125
Extra's \$25 p/p

Six day SurfGroms (5 to 12 years) option also available!

Includes participation pack valued at over \$100, visit website for more information

BOOK ONLINE: WWW.SOLITARYISLANDSSURFSCHOOL.COM.AU 0438 561 370

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forget the rest! train with the best

SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC

Woolgoolga Tennis Club

Monday 8th to Thursday 11th October



Our fantastic Coaching Clinic's are a great way of starting your child in tennis! We have loads of fun drills, games and activities while also teaching your child the right way to play! Available for ages 4-16yrs.

Tennis Clinic - All standards are welcome as we offer groups from beginners to advanced players, using the appropriate Hot Shots balls.

Please bring a hat, bottle of water, packed lunch and don't forget to wear plenty of sunscreen!!

9am - 12 noon \$25/day
or \$80 for all half days

9am-3pm \$35/day
or \$120 for all days

BOOK NOW!!

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Enter online at

www.baylistennisacademy.com.au/holiday-clinics-2



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Lifestyle. Health. Wellbeing.

Lane 4 Aquatics has a specific focus on water confidence and the basic skills of swimming. We have a strong emphasis on developing aquatic safety and developing the confidence of children in the aquatic environment.

Our team of Swim Instructors and Coaches are all professionally qualified and have been selected based on a combination of their knowledge, coaching skills, ability to communicate and build rapport with your child.

Our Advantage

- Affordable lessons
- Small class sizes
- Make up lessons available
- Free access to our facilities outside of lessons during school terms
- Generous multi child and multi lesson discount
- Clear progression from babies through to swim club and squad

Bookings available now! Contact **Bec** 6652 1779, or see **Zane** at Woolgoolga Swimming Pool.

BEFORE SCHOOL, AFTER SCHOOL & VACATION CARE FOR THE NORTH COAST REGION



WOOLGOOLGA SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS THURS 20 DEC 2018 to TUES 29 JAN 2019

CONTACT INFORMATION
Ph 0466 306 220 or 6658 9757
Email: admin@communitywoosh.com.au
Website: www.communitywoosh.com.au

HOURS OF OPERATION

7.00am – 6.00pm MONDAY TO FRIDAY

During School Holiday periods and Pupil Free Days on all excursions children will leave centre at approx. 9:00am and return by approx. 4:30pm. The Woopi Service is licenced for 100 children where we run a ratio of 1 staff to 15 children. Risk Assessments available upon request for each venue.

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL FOR VACATION CARE & CAN BE COMPLETED IN THE FOLLOWINGS WAYS

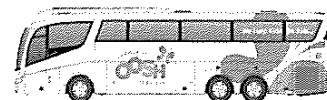
1. Via our website at www.communitywoosh.com.au
2. Email your bookings to admin@communitywoosh.com.au
3. Complete the attached booking form and return to one of our centres or email to admin@communitywoosh.com.au

VACATION CARE BOOKINGS CANNOT BE TAKEN OVER THE PHONE OR BY TEXT MESSAGE. OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID PRIOR TO BOOKINGS BEING ACCEPTED. Your booking requests will be confirmed by either a text or email. Please check that you receive the confirmation from us within 2 working days of submitting.



PRICING

Vacation Care costs \$52 a day at full rate plus excursion costs. Vacation Care is charged by the day (Session) that is 11 hours of care. Your out of pocket expense will be calculated on your CCS (Child Care Subsidy) percentage. To be eligible for CCS you need to be registered with MyGov and have updated your family information. For more information about your subsidy visit www.education.gov.au/childcare



"WHAT TO BRING EVERYDAY"

It is going to be a ridiculously hot summer! Please wear appropriate clothing for an Australian summer and avoid singlets and strap dresses that leave shoulders exposed. Hat, sunscreen, sun/rash shirts appropriate footwear, plenty to eat and drink (a refillable water bottle), swimmers, towel, plastic bag and swim aids (if required) Phones, i-pods, tablets and digital communication devices are simply not necessary and are discouraged. Please label all clothes. Spending money is optional!

DAVES RAVES! THE SIMPLE JOYS OF CHRISTMAS - BACK TO BASICS

In the busy lead up to what has been dubbed "The Silly Season" I ask that you take the time to ask yourself the question, "What did I like playing as a kid?" Better still, take the time to ask an old person like me. The best things came in two categories OUTSIDE and INSIDE. The outside things had the pre-requisite criteria of needing a "body" (or even more fun, lots of "bodies") to use it. If it could be swung, hit, kicked, caught, flown, fired or ridden it was good for me and good fun! The inside things required two things. A "brain" (or even more fun, lots of "brains") and "time." Books, board games, puzzles, pencils, pens, paint, paper and a deck of cards. Someone to play with was one of the greatest gifts of all. This Christmas think about going back to basics with the gift of time AND.... if its got a plug or batteries...DON'T PLAY WITH IT!!

**TUES
29**

PUPIL FREE DAY EXCURSION GRAFTON POOL

Today we'll join all our friends from our other centres for a lazy day of fun to end the summer holidays before we go back to school. (Parents, children will be closely marked, tagged and monitored for swimming ability and areas to swim). EXCURSION COST \$10



CUT AND RETURN (If not booking via website or email)

BOOKING FORM WOOP!

Place children's names in the days required

DECEMBER 2018—JANUARY 2019

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 6
Mon		24	31	7	14	21	28 PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSED
Tue		25	1 Jan	8	15	22	29
Wed		PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSED 26	PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSED 2	9	16	23	
Thu	20	27	3	10	17	24	
Fri	21	28	4	11	18	25	

I give permission for my children to participate in programmed activities & attend excursion days nominated on the program (shown above), as well as participate in any walking excursions from the centre. I give permission for my children to view P & PG Videos, DVD's or electronic games provided by the centre.

NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

PHONE: _____

HOLIDAY ROUND-UP!

Our summer program again promises to be a world of fun! We will be bringing the world to your doorstep with a host of games and activities from the 7 continents of the globe. You can step back in time and relax on the **RAINFOREST RATTLER** before being pushed to the limits to conquer the **GAME OF GAMES**. As well as the usual daily grind of **WATERSLIDES, SWIMMING, MOVIES, CANOEING** etc. we'll sneak in some time to just "Chillax" with your friends! Oh yeah.....did I mention **WE HAVE THE JETTY CARNIVAL TO OURSELVES AGAIN!!!** It's without a doubt, rated the best excursion each summer and will save you hundreds of dollars! Even more great news is that **New Kindies** can start in January and get a great head start on school! **SO PLEASE.....sort yourself out and act quickly to book your days as soon as possible.** The quality and affordability of our Holiday Program has seen us at times, "booked out" at various centres. **Please book on line or return your forms ASAP to avoid disappointment.** Have a safe and Happy Christmas! See you soon!

THURS
20 DEC

EXCURSION
MOVIES - THE GRINCH PLEASE....!



Help us help Who-ville!!!! With only days to go until Christmas, Dr Seuss' timeless "Bah Humbug bad guy" is determined put an end to Christmas Cheer! **THEN** we'll head off to the reserve for a picnic and a swim! **COST \$15** (\$7 popcorn & drink deal optional)

FRI
21 DEC

EXCURSION
CARNIVAL CAPERS WOW!!!!



Start the holidays with a bang! The Jetty Carnival is back and is open today just for us! In the morning it's a swim and a splash at the Jetty and then in the arvo it's **Carnival we come!** **EXCURSION COST \$15**

MON
24 DEC

IN CENTRE
CHRISTMAS CAPERS

"Twas the night before Christmas.....and all through the house..." Ok....Ok....You know the drill! The fat old bloke in the red suit is coming tonight and it's our job to run the legs off you & make you tired so you go to bed early!!! Loads of last minute Christmas crafts, cooking, presents ideas, games and fun.



TUES
25 DEC

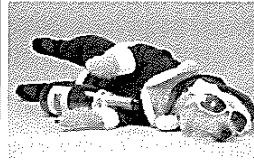
CHRISTMAS DAY
PUBLIC HOLIDAY
CLOSED TODAY

MERRY
CHRISTMAS



WED
26 DEC

BOXING DAY
PUBLIC HOLIDAY
CLOSED TODAY



THURS
27 DEC

"JUST ADD WATER!"
70% of the earth's surface is covered in

it! 85% of your body is made up of it! We know we have to look after it, **BUT....** We also know how to have fun with it! Wet & wild fun with water bombs, water pistols, slip & slides, giant bubbles & more!



FRI
28 DEC

EXCURSION
WOOP! POOL

The Woopi Pool is beckoning on a sunny summers day! So come along for a swim, splash and play in a glorious day of wet and wild fun!

EXCURSION

COST \$10



MON
31 DEC

IN CENTRE
"GOODBYE, FAREWELL & AMEN 2018

A pyjama party with a difference today as we look at, and have fun with, the highs and the lows of the year as we help "put 2018 to bed!" Then, we'll celebrate with a Disco Delights dance party and go out in style! **DON'T FORGET TO COME IN YOUR PYJAMAS!**



TUES
01 JAN

NEW YEARS DAY
PUBLIC HOLIDAY
CLOSED TODAY

HAPPY
NEW YEAR



WED
02 JAN

EXCURSION
SPRING LOADED
Rock climbing,

sponge pits, trampolining, and the ultimate Ninja "wipe-out" obstacle course! **THEN** a picnic lunch at Boambee reserve and fun, games and a swim in the summer sunshine! **EXCURSION COST \$15**



THURS
03 JAN

IN CENTRE
ROTTEN RHYMES!
Ok..... I know....! You



think you're all grown up and too big for that rubbish but I'll let you in on a little secret! Humpty Dumpty didn't fall off that wall.... **He was PUSHED!** It's a crazy day of fun as we forensically investigate your favourite nursery rhymes!

FRI
04 DEC

EXCURSION
CARNIVAL CAPERS

By popular demand, the Jetty Carnival is again opening in the afternoon **JUST FOR US!!!** We're going to have the best rides all to ourselves!!! So bring your swimmers for a splash and a swim at the jetty in the morning then in the arvo it's **"Carnival here we come!"** **EXCURSION COST \$15**



MON
07 JAN

IN CENTRE
"HOORAY FOR HOLLYWOOD!"

They are called timeless classics for a reason! Occasionally someone gets it so right and creates a story/movie that becomes the fabric of our childhood and lives on through generations! Today our games and activities will sample the best of the best!



TUES
08 JAN

EXCURSION
SURFIN SAFARI
SURF SCHOOL

It's back to school today, to learn how to Hang 5, 10 & even 20 (if you're really clever!) Essentials skills for the Australian lifestyle! We'll spend the day at the Woopi foreshores learning to surf, playing & having fun. Life's tough! **COST \$15**



WED
09 JAN

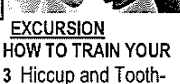
EXCURSION
THE RAINFOREST
RATTLER TRAIN RIDE



Step back in time today to the year 1923 for some "rockin', rollin', ridin'" good fun. Climb aboard the Coffs Coasts equivalent of the Hogwart's Express! Bring swimmers and a picnic lunch and your day is done! **COST \$15**

THURS
10 JAN

EXCURSION
HOW TO TRAIN YOUR
DRAGON 3



Hiccup and Toothless are back and caught in a battle between a world of myth and legend and the world they love! **THEN** we'll head off to the beach reserve for a picnic and a swim! **COST \$15** (\$7 popcorn & drink deal optional)

FRI
11 JAN

IN CENTRE YOUNG
EINSTEIN'S BRAIN
BOOTCAMP

An amazing array of brain busting activities, games and experiments to blow you away! We'll also have a little delve into "the Science of Stupid" for some handy survival tips! Today we're going to beef up your grey matter 'til it bursts!!



MON
14 JAN

EXCURSION
LASER TAG

We are off to laser tag at the Big Banana today and afterwards to a beach reserve for a play and a swim. The Candy Kitchen has (\$2 sample bags available)

EXCURSION COST
\$15



TUES
15 JAN

EXCURSION
WATER PARK

Summer is in full swing and a day of slip, sliding fun awaits at our favourite Big Banana Water slides. (optional \$2 lolly bags available) **Excursion Cost Under 120cm \$12 Over 120cm \$15**



WED
16 JAN

EXCURSION
CARNIVAL CAPERS
IT'S THE LAST CHANCE
BEFORE THEY'RE GONE

FOR ANOTHER YEAR!!! Rated the best "value for money" excursion of the year the Jetty Carnival is again opening **only for us!!!** So bring your swimmers for a splash and a swim at the jetty in the morning then in the arvo it's **Carnival here we come!** **EXCURSION COST \$15**



THURS
17 JAN

EXCURSION
CANOEING



Our friends at "Bellingen Canoe Adventures" have a fantastic day planned for us canoeing in the Bellingen River and a swim at the local pool. **Parents please note!** This activity is extremely safe and all kids wear life jackets. **EXCURSION COST \$15**

FRI
18 JAN

IN CENTRE CONTINENTAL DRIFT

Grab your passport and prepare to get jet-lagged as we whizz you around the world to explore the mysterious 7 Continents of the world. From Asia to Africa with Australia, Antarctica, Europe and the America's thrown in, it's a one way ticket to fun!



MON
21 JAN

EXCURSION
MOVIES
MARY POPPINS RETURNS!

Magical, mystical Mary, the Nanny of all Nannies is back to work her magic, not only for the Banks family, but for us all! **THEN** we'll head off to the beach reserve for a picnic and a swim! **COST \$15** (\$7 popcorn & drink deal optional)



TUES
22 JAN

EXCURSION
SPRING LOADED

We can't get enough of the rock climbing, sponge pits, trampolining, and the ultimate Ninja "wipe-out" obstacle course! **THEN** a picnic lunch at Boambee reserve and fun, games and a swim in the summer sunshine! **EXCURSION COST \$15**



WED
23 JAN

IN CENTRE
GAME OF GAMES
Forget Grant Denyer,

today we're going to host our own version of the zany new TV show that is taking the nation by storm! Can you conquer the "MASTER BLASTER" or the "SCAREY-GO-ROUND?" What about the "DIZZY DASH" or "BUNGEE BANG-UP?" Only time will tell!



THURS
24 JAN

EXCURSION
ICE SKATING



Today you'll go from Summer, to Winter & then back to Summer again! Come and get cool at the ice rink and then off to a beach reserve for the afternoon. Add a quick visit the lolly shop. (\$2 bags available) for a day of fun! **N.B. Bring long thick socks.** **EXCURSION COST \$15**

FRI
25 JAN

IN CENTRE
OCKER SHOCKER

"Come on Aussie, come on..." and have some fair dinkum fun! Cockroach races, test matches, Designer thongs (for your feet that is!) and heaps of Aussie games & prizes **PLUS** For lunch, all you fair dinkum ockers can chuck a snag on the barbie! Geez mate, how much can a Koala Bear! **AUSSIE, AUSSIE, AUSSIE! Oi..Oi..Oi..!** (Optional sausage sanga's \$2 each to be paid on the day)

