



SANDY BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL

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

Welcome to all our new families, staff and our returning students to Sandy Beach for 2019. We have 14 classes this year including 51 Kindergarten students who commenced school on Monday. The class teachers are:

K Lime – Mrs Patterson (Assistant Principal)

K Aqua – Ms Wood

K Purple – Mr Guihot

1 Indigo – Mrs Mifsud

1 Sapphire – Mrs Mikaere (Assistant Principal)

1 / 2 Orange – Ms Simpson

2 Red – Mrs Reedy

2 / 3 Gold – Mrs McNab

3 Blue – Mrs Craig (Assistant Principal)

3 / 4 Teal – Ms Williams

4 Violet – Mrs Eggleston

5 Coral – Mr Kowald

5 / 6 Ivory – Mr Murgatroyd (Assistant Principal)

6 Turquoise – Mrs Dawes

Other teaching staff include:

Mrs Whittaker – Multicategorical class teacher, Ms Hagan – Learning and Support teacher, Mrs Hearn – Technology teacher, Mrs O'Hanlon – Science teacher and Mrs Musgrave – Student Wellbeing Coordinator.



Student Leaders

Congratulations to the Sports House captains and vice captains who were voted into their roles last week. They are:

BLUEGUM

Captains: Eva Osten-Price, Cooper Biggin

Vice Captains: Alana Rea, Sam Custance

WATTLE

Captains: Khairyn Briggs, Olivia Swain

Vice Captains: Owen McKee, Teleah Morley

BANKSIA

Captains: Billy Franz, Lila Farley

Vice Captains: Elijah Albrow, Chloe Johnson

CEDAR

Captains: Shaun Ash, Hopi Wilder-Gillic

Vice Captains: Damon Smith, Chantelle Vaughan



An induction ceremony for Student Council and the sports house representatives will be held on Friday 15 February at 12:30 in our school hall. Any parents of these students are invited to attend.

Got It! Program

Students in grades K, 1 and 2 received information about an exciting program being conducted at our school. The application forms were sent home and we ask families to return these by Friday 15 February. This is a great opportunity for families to have free access to specialist child support to assist in managing emotions, build social skills and improve behaviours. An information stall was held this morning and a free parent seminar is being held next Wednesday at 9:30 am to 12.00pm for parents and family members. Keep an eye on our Skoolbag app for updated details. Please inform the school office if you are attending for catering purposes.

Roofing Renovations

For those who have been at the school this term would have seen the scaffolding on-site. We are currently getting new roofing on our older buildings including the hall, office block and classes in Blocks C, D, E, F, G and H. This will impact on classes in these classrooms over 1-2 weeks. During this time, classes will be located in the library and sharing this learning space. We will do our best to keep library borrowing going at the same time. I am sure everyone can appreciate the organisation around this and thank you in advance for your understanding.

Swimming Carnival

Yesterday we held our annual school swimming carnival. All grades 3 to 6 attended with students enjoying the opportunity to get into the pool on such a hot day. Thank you to Mr Murgatroyd who organised this event and the many staff members who assisted him with the day. The students who were successful will be attending the district swimming on Monday 25 February.

SWAP IT. Stress less over fussy eating!

Information has been sent home today inviting you to take part in the 'Good for Kids, Good for Life' program which seeks to improve healthy eating. Does your child dislike foods because of their colour, texture or the way they are prepared? Don't despair, SWAP IT is here to help with ideas on how to pack everyday lunchbox for your fussy eater. Please return notes to your classroom teacher by Friday 15 February.

School Contributions – win a family pass to Dolphin Marine Magic!

Each year we ask families to pay school contributions which go towards items used in the classroom such as stationery, reading books, maths equipment and so on.

All families who have paid the full amount by Thursday 14 March, will be in the draw to win a family pass to Dolphin Marine Magic. This will be drawn at Friday morning assembly.

Book Pack Fees

We are appreciative of all families who have already paid their book pack fees. These are listed below:

Kinder	\$42.00
Year 1 & Year 2	\$29.00
Year 3 & Year 4	\$27.00
Year 5 & Year 6	\$20.00

School Contribution Fees

One Child	\$30.00
Two Children	\$50.00
Three or more children	\$75.00

Scripture and Ethics Classes

Scripture classes will commence in Week 4. All students will attend unless the classroom teacher receives a note otherwise. This is done annually as per our school procedures. At this point in time there are no Ethics Classes.

Jewellery Policy

At this week's P & C Meeting the committee approved our new school Jewellery Policy. Students are only allowed to wear stud earrings and watches. All other jewellery is banned. Please see attached policy.

We are looking forward to having a great year with all families as part of the Sandy Beach Public School community.

Diane Blevin
Principal

P & C News

Our next P&C meeting will take place on Monday 4th March, at 7pm. The meeting will take place in the school staff room which is located in the Admin block.

All are welcome and you can join on the night with an annual gold coin donation. By paying your gold coin donation, this entitles you to voting privileges.

We keep meetings short & to the point, as we know your time is limited. We start at 7pm and try to be out by 8pm, if possible depending on the items up for discussion.

P&C members discuss and make the decisions on how money is spent within our school, on the basis of proposals put forward by our Principal, and contribute to the school's resources through various fundraising projects.

Please consider joining our P&C!

When- 7pm on the 1st Monday of every month.

Where- Staff room in the admin block.

Cost- Gold coin donation upon joining

Amie Wallace
P & C President

Term 1 P&C Meetings

Monday 4th March
Monday 1st April

Looking for helpers to run our **BBQ at the State Elections** on Saturday 23rd March. Contact Amie 0434 678 361

There is also an opportunity for community members to have a white elephant stall. Cost will be \$10 and an opportunity to sell your pre-loved items. Contact Katrina 0427 868 280

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Feb 11

Stage 1 Meet the Teacher
Evening

Feb 12

Kindergarten Bus Safety Tour

Feb 13

Got It Program Parent Seminar
from 9.30am

Feb 15

Student Leader Induction
Ceremony
Return 'Swap It' Notes

Feb 20

Scripture Commences

Feb 25

District Swimming Carnival

Mar 4

P & C Meeting 7pm

Apr 1

P & C Meeting 7pm

Swimming Carnival 2019 Results

1st	Bluegum
2nd	Banksia
3rd	Cedar
4th	Wattle

Age Champions

Senior Boy	Bailey Lawler
Senior Girl	Ella Nicholson
11 Years Boy	Noah Fluechter
11 Years Girl	Ella Dudgeon
Junior Boy	Oliver Lawler
Junior Girl	Bayley Johnson

Canteen News

At this stage with time changes we are only swapping HOT FOOD. Snack and drinks remain at the same time.

Lunch Orders are now at 11.15am

Pinwheels etc are now at Recess 1.15pm

Slushies and icy poles are still 1.15pm

Payments

Payments must be made at the office prior to 2.30pm.

Payments can not be processed after this time. Thankyou

Road Safety

A reminder that school zones are regularly patrolled.

Please **DO NOT**:

- * Park in Bus Zone
- * Park in Bus Turn Around Area
- * Double park in loading zones

I would urge you to follow the road rules for the safety of our students as well as to avoid hefty fines.



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 March 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.

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

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Small changes, big differences.



The Incredible Years

The Incredible Years Pre-school Basic Program is an evidence based program for 3 to 6 year olds that aims to prevent and treat young children's behavioural issues by promoting their social, emotional and academic development.

Programs One and Two must be completed in order to attend programs Three and Four

Please note that this program is provided free of charge

Childcare facilities are NOT available

The program is comprehensive and is spread over two school terms as follows:-

Term One

Program 1

- Strengthening children's social skills, emotion regulation and school readiness skills

Program 2

- Using praise and incentives to encourage cooperative behaviour.

Term Two

Program 3

- Household rules, routines and effective limit setting

Program 4

- Positive discipline and handling misbehaviour

When

Group sessions will be run over 7 consecutive Thursdays in each term, from:-

Term 1

21/02/2019 to 04/04/2019

Term 2

16/05/2019 to 27/06/2019

Where

Due to the level of commitment required on the part of participants, potential group members will be interviewed to assess the appropriateness of their participation in the program. Venue details will be provided to successful applicants.

Get In Touch

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TERM 1 2019 SURFGROMS PROGRAMS

- Sawtell Beach: Saturdays 8am, 9.15am and 10.30am groups
Starts: 9th or 16th Feb 6 weeks
- Programs cost \$120 and make up lessons available for missed days and kids starting winter sports before programs finish. All equipment is included and if it's your 1st program for the summer there is a \$25 SurfGrom membership fee and you will receive a great participation pack that includes a bag, towel and rashie!!

Bookings can be made at www.surfgroms.com

\$100 Active Kids Voucher can be used on Surfing Programs!!
Please call or email to book

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6th February, 2019

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For more details please head to
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CLUB
Woolgoolga Seahorses

ADDRESS & TIME
3.45pm – 5pm Woolgoolga Sports

ACTIVITY
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AUSTRALIA'S #1 NON-COMPETITIVE SOCCER PROGRAM

Soccer Fun For Girls & Boys Aged 2 to 12!
8 WEEK SOCCER PROGRAM

Mite-E Soccer (2-3yo)
A great introduction to Soccer! Children work with their parents to learn new soccer skills and develop their motor skills! Lots of fun games in a non-competitive environment.
35 minute classes
\$100 for 8 weeks



Pint Size Soccer (4-5yo)
Children take their first kicks in soccer! They'll be introduced to shooting, dribbling, goal keeping and more. Children get to play lots of fun, skill based games. Grasshoppers get introduced to the Pint Size Ivl Big Game!
50 minute classes
\$130 for 8 weeks



Intro to Micro (5-6yo)
Micro (6-8yo)
The ultimate challenge for young soccer players! They'll learn the rules of the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game and develop their skills in passing, dribbling, shooting and more.
Intro - 60 mins \$135 for 8 weeks
Micro - 75 mins \$140 for 8 weeks



Micro Plus (8-12yo)
This program focuses on skill development and teamwork in preparation for club soccer. Children will enjoy all the favourite soccer based games, fine tune their skills as well as play the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game!
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8 Week Program & Enrolment Form

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Child's Name: DOB:
Parent/Guardian's Name:
Address:
Phone: Mobile:
Email:

☐ **TERM 1, 2019** 2nd & 3rd February to 23rd & 24th March
☐ **TERM 2, 2019** 11th & 12th May to 29th & 30th June
☐ **TERM 3, 2019** 3rd & 4th August to 21st & 22nd September
☐ **TERM 4, 2018** 27th October

CENTRE (Please Tick) ☐ **COFFS HARBOUR - SATURDAY** Brelford Park ☐ **WOOLGOOLGA - SUNDAY** High St Soccer Fields

PROGRAM (Please Tick) ☐ **MITE-E (2-3yo)** ☐ **PINT SIZE (4-5yo)**
☐ **INTRO TO MICRO (5-6yo)** ☐ **MICRO (6-8yo)**
☐ **MICRO PLUS (8-12yo)**

CLASS TIMES	MITE-E	PINT SIZE	INTRO TO MICRO	MICRO	MICRO PLUS
COFFS HARBOUR - SATURDAY	8.30-9.05am	8.30-9.20am	8.30-9.30am	8.30-9.45am	8.30-9.45am
WOOLGOOLGA - SUNDAY	9.00-9.35am	9.00-9.50am	9.00-10.00am	9.00-10.15am	9.00-10.15am



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(Grasshopper Soccer has a NO REFUND Policy)

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TOTAL \$

Parent/Guardian Consent: I hereby authorise Grasshopper Soccer to act on my behalf should my child require medical attention, and release Grasshopper Soccer from any liability for injury incurred by my child at Grasshopper Soccer programs. Photos/Videos of children attending these programs may be used for reasonable promotional purposes by Grasshopper Soccer.

Parent/Guardian Signature: