



# Sutherland North Public School



*School-talk* – 5 DECEMBER 2016

## Principal's Message - Fiona Young

### P & C Thank You

I would like to publicly acknowledge and thank our exceptional P&C for their overwhelming support this year. The P&C Executive, Committee Coordinators and their teams: Lorelei Brealey – President, Leonie Batten and Jemima Jupp Vice-President, Fiona Thoms – Secretary, Darren and Louise Batty – Treasurers, Beth Kendrick and Heidi Marland – Uniform Shop Coordinators, Lindsay Smith - Fundraising Officer, Naomi Jenkins – Scholastic Book Club and Emma Sudarma – Student Banking. Your dedication, generosity of time, spirit, humour and energy doing what you do underpins the heart and soul of our school. The successful fundraising activities run throughout 2016 have not only provided much needed financial support to our school but has provided wonderful opportunities to strengthen the partnerships between families and the school. Thank you again for your support throughout the year.

### Last Day for Students

The last day for the year for the children is Friday 16 December. The farewell parade for the Year 6 children will commence at 2.45pm in the COLA area. Parents are very welcome to attend.

### Thank You Morning Tea

A thank you morning tea for the helpers in our school will be held on Thursday 8th December, at 11.00am in the Library. This is our chance to show our appreciation to all the wonderful parents, grandparents & friends who support our school. Invitations have been sent home to our volunteers. We hope you will be able to join us.

### Award Pennants

Any outstanding Bronze, Silver or Gold awards will be presented on the **8 December** at morning lines, 9.00am. The gates will not be locked until after the awards have been presented so parents can stay to watch.

### Teacher's Stop Work Meeting

The Teacher's Federation has announced a Stop Work meeting this Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December. Sutherland North Public School will operate as normal from 8.30am.

### Raffle Tickets

Could all raffle tickets be returned to school by Friday 9 December.

### School Banking

This Thursday will be the last banking day for the year.

### Term 4

#### November

##### Tuesday 6

High School Orientation

##### Wednesday 7

Kindy Graduation

##### Thursday 8

Combined Scripture

Thank You Morning Tea

##### Monday 12

Year 6 Farewell

##### Tuesday 13

Presentation Day

9.30 -11.00

##### Wednesday 14

African Drumming

##### Friday 16

Last Day of Term

#### January 2017

##### Monday 30

School Resumes

Years 1-6



Kyran 5/6S – Proudly showing his finished project of the Planets



Desharn 5/6S & Kiera 3/4M with their Gold Pennants



Josh, Brayden & Logan in Christmas Mufti

<b>Assembly Awards Term 4 Week 8</b>				
<b>Award</b>		<b>Student Names</b>		
Principal's Award		Callie S – KK, Cooper S – KJ		
Principal's Book Work Award		Lincoln R – KK, Ava G – KJ		
Winning Class Lines		3F		
LAST - Mrs Greaves		Shaya W – 1O'H, Autumn T – 1O'H, Zara S – 1K, Ava G – 1K, Xavier C – 1K, Steven C – 1K		
RFF – Mrs Rollason		Chloe M – 1O'H		
Library		Naomi F – 1O'H, Abbey W – 5/6M		
Infants Sport		Harry P – KJ, Kylie W – KK		
Primary Sport		Olivia H – 5/6M		
PSSA Boys		Darcy J – 3/4M, Scott R – 4R, Oliver M – 5/6M		
<b>Class</b>	<b>Student of the Week</b>	<b>Class Awards</b>		
KK	Kiara T	Kobi F	Radwa T	
KJ	Ethan Y	Mikayla B	Sasha Z	
1K	Chelsea A	Alex B	Tyler D	
1O'H	Chloe M	Levi H	Naomi F	
2C	Bradley S	Sophie H	Austin H	
2B	Camila A	Rizal P	Joshua G	
3F	Lachlan S	Elliot M	Harry J	Grace P
3/4M	Rachel E	Brock B	Emma K	Amiel S
4R	Lucy T	Orlando S	Scott R	Ellani D
5/6M	Abbey W	Hayden S	Grace M	Olivia H
5/6S	Liam D	Mariam I	Kyran C	Hamish C
<b>Gold Pennants due for presentation on 8 December</b>				
Oliver M – 5/6M, Abbey W – 5/6M, Olivia H – 5/6M				
<b>Silver Pennants due for presentation on 8 December</b>				
Chloe M – 1O'H, Nadia B – 1O'H, Naomi F – 1O'H, Lincoln R – KK, Joshua G – 2B, Autumn T – 1O'H, Isabella S – 5/6M, Grace M – 5/6M, Darcy J – 3/4M, Emma K – 3/4M, Mikayla B – KJ, Cooper S – KJ				
<b>Bronze Pennants due for presentation on 8 December</b>				
Emily H – 3F, Shaya W – 1O'H, Thomas Gee – 3F, Keleigh B – 1K, Jezarah C – 1K, Tekaea G – 1K, Kiara T – KK, Radwa T – KK, Jasper M – 1O'H				

Principal's Award = 2 points  
Principal's Book Work Award = 2 points  
Student of the Week Award = 1 point  
Certificate of Merit Award = 1 point  
**4 points = Bronze Pennant**  
**8 points = Silver Pennant**  
**12 points = Gold Pennant**



## Planet project: Earth by Sasha.

### About:

It took me a long time to decide which planet I should make but after a couple of hours I stopped on Earth. Earth is the only planet for now, where we can live and that makes it special.

### To make it:

It's not hard

I used scrap paper, sticky tape, wool and printed out continents.

- ✚ I used paper and sticky tape to make a sphere
- ✚ Then I took light blue wool and wrapped it around the sphere (it took 2 hours to do it)
- ✚ Then I printed out the continents, coloured them and cut them out
- ✚ Then I used Super glue to stick them on
- ✚ Put a rope through the top

And

The Earth is done!

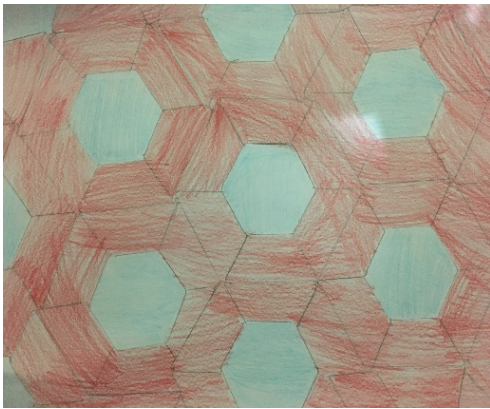


# Tessellating patterns with 3F

3F have had fun blending maths with art by designing patterns of shapes that fit perfectly together without overlaps or gaps!

Children used a variety of regular and irregular shapes to create their designs.

Take a look at our original and colourful designs!



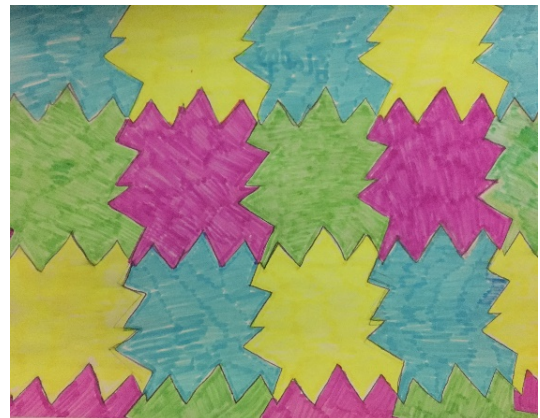
Grace



Evie



Jairus



Brenda



# PSSA Basketball



Congratulations to the Senior Boys PSSA Basketball team who made it through to the Grand Final undefeated. We played Jannali East on Friday but unfortunately lost 25-12. A great game was played by all!







Join us this Christmas and hear about...

## *The Real Star of Christmas*

### *Christmas Eve*

6:00pm - Open Air Carols  
Cnr Loftus & Tenth Ave Loftus

11:00pm - Reflections Service  
St John's Sutherland

### *Christmas Day*

7:30am - Communion Service  
St John's Sutherland

9:30am - Christmas Day Service  
St John's Sutherland



For more information please contact us:

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# CHRISTMAS FAMILY NIGHT

FREE

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 6-8pm**

**Bring the family along for a great night of fun**

- Meet Santa in store
- Dinner and drinks
- Santa's little helper workshops
- Gift wrapping service

**Plus more great activities in store including:**

- An interactive display by Aeromodellers NSW suitable for all ages
- Cuddle-loving donkeys
- Balloon twisting
- Music
- Face painting

Bookings recommended. For more information or to book ask one of our team in-store or visit [www.bunnings.com.au](http://www.bunnings.com.au)

## SUTHERLAND SHIRE COUNCIL VACATION CARE

**Enrolments are open for Council's school holiday Vacation Care.**

Our centres at Miranda, Lucas Heights and Burraneer Bay offer plenty of fun including:

- Sports, cooking, science fun and a farm visit.
- A Cronulla Sharks football clinic - including meeting some of the Sharks players and seeing the NRL trophy!

**Burraneer Bay:** Kindergarten-12 years  
**Lucas Heights:** Kindergarten-14 years  
**Miranda:** Kindergarten-14 years

Centres open 7am-6pm. Miranda also open during the Christmas/New Year period (Wednesday 28 - Friday 30 December).



**Programs and enrolment:**

**Phone:** 9710 0466

**Email:** [VacationCare@ssc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:VacationCare@ssc.nsw.gov.au)

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## HOLIDAY PROGRAM

# GYMEA BAY SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Sports orientated holiday program designed for children to emphasise fun, enjoyment and maximum participation.

**WHERE** Gymea Bay Public School  
 205A Gymea Bay Rd, Gymea Bay NSW 2227

**WHO** Ages 4 - 12 years

**WHEN** Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2017  
 8:00am - 5:00pm

**INFO** **January Sports Spectacular**  
 With the return to school just on the horizon, our January Sports Spectacular program is a great way to conclude the school holidays. Running over 6 days, we have a range of different activities for the kids to get involved in. From Softball, Hockey and Soccer coaching from an ex-Socceroo, to mini golf, 'Splashtastic Fun' and crazy games, there won't be a dull moment!  
 The highlights of each day are as follows:  
 • Wednesday 18th January: Water & Inflatable Fun  
 • Thursday 19th January: Mini Golf  
 • Friday 20th January: Crazy Games  
 • Monday 23rd January: Hockey and Softball  
 • Tuesday 24th January: Paul Wade Soccer day  
 • Wednesday 25th January: Water Wars

**COST**  
 - Full days: 8am - 5pm \$50  
 - 3 day special: \$45 per day  
 - 6 day special: \$40 per day

Bookings are open right up until the program itself. However, book before 23rd December, 2016 to receive our Early Bird Special of just \$40 a day for the January Sports Spectacular! So get in quick to get a great discount!



**THESE HOLIDAYS WE HAVE...** **Water & Inflatable Fun**  
**Hockey and Softball** **Mini Golf** **Water Wars** **Lots of Prizes!**  
**Crazy Games** **Paul Wade Soccer day** **AND SO MUCH MORE!**