Congratulations to School Leader Candidates
There were 8 male candidates and 17 female candidates who addressed their peers yesterday seeking to be part of our School Leadership Team in 2015. They spoke very well and should be proud of their efforts. The students from Yrs 2-6 voted along with staff. The 4 boys and 4 girls with the highest vote tally will become our School Leaders Elect and the Captains and Vice Captains will be announced at our School Presentation Day on the 15th December where all Leaders will receive their badges.
As in the past two years, students will be invited to a special morning tea where the 4 boys and 4 girls will be announced, prior to the school community being notified. This will happen Friday.
We thank every student who has participated. The standard is very high and we know that each and every one of you will play a significant leadership role in our school next year.
In 2015 we will have Sports Leaders, Library Monitors and for the first time, Technology Leaders.

Bus Timetable Changes
Commencing Monday 1st December 2014 there will be a change to the departure time of School Bus 3 operating from Woy Woy Station at 8:20am to Pt Clare School.
School bus 3 will now depart from Woy Woy Station at 8:26am (6 minutes later).
Commencing Monday 1st December 2014 there will be a change to the departure time of morning Route 55 Service departing from Byarong Ave, Point Clare at 8:40am to Point Clare Public School.
Morning Route 55 will now depart from Byarong Ave, Point Clare at 8:43am (3 minutes later).
There are no changes to the route directions.

School Numbers
With the year drawing to an end and school organisation for 2015 well under way, can you please notify the office asap if any children are not returning next year. One or two children in a Grade can make classes look very different and we are seeking to enter new classes by the end of the first week back at school. We can only do this if we have solid class numbers from K-6.

Helpers Morning Tea
A reminder that our helpers morning tea is on tomorrow. Hopefully, you have received your invitation, but if you haven't received an invite and you have helped, then you're definitely invited!

David Harris - Principal

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- Changes to KIDANSYS Timetable
Please note the changes to KIDANSYS Dance Classes in the above calendar. There are no dance classes on Friday for the next 2 weeks.
Weeks 889 – 1H, 1K, 1T and 2A are on Tuesday KA, KC, KMC, KR, 1R, 2T, 2FN and Yr 6 are on Thursday.

You Can Do It!  Week 7

Infants
Golden ticket- Layla KMC- Confidence
Iceblocks- Phoebe 1T - Resilience
Shanee 1H - Confidence
Bella KMC – Persistence

Primary
Golden Ticket- Kevin 6R – Resilience
Iceblocks- Annaek 3/4B - Confidence
Deklin 3/4J - Resilience
Megan 3/4B – Resilience
URGENT – 1,2,3 Magic Parenting
Parents who attended the 1,2,3 Magic parenting workshop earlier in the year, please check to ensure that all the resources you had on loan are returned to the school ASAP. Thank you.
Gregory Holland, School Counsellor

Central Coast Environment Awards
On Wednesday representatives from our school attended the Central Coast Environment Awards at Laycock Street Theatre. Our school captains received awards on behalf of the school for our continued environmental work. Thank you Nick and Claudia.
KC dazzled the audience with their Ecological Footprint rap, drawing tremendous applause from the prestigious guests. We also had some students who received individual project awards.

Congratulations
Daniel Falkingham- Kindergarten
Edward McGavin- Year 1 First Prize
Tony Bush- Year 3 First Prize
Jack Rogers- Year 6 2nd Prize
Alexander McGavin- Year 3 Creativity Prize

Mrs McGavin
Point Clare Before and After School Care
2015 ENROLMENT FORMS OUT NOW
Our hours are 6:45am-8:45am and we supply breakfast. We are also at school from 2:30pm till 6:30pm and supply afternoon tea.
Denyelle Connolly
Certified Supervisor Phone 0409 787844
Point Clare Before and After School Care

P&C News
FACEBOOK PAGE
Make sure you like our FB page to stay up to date with P&C activities
P&C for Point Clare Public School

Fundraising

Christmas Carols Night 2014
Thursday Dec 4th
5:30pm—8:30 pm
Come and join us for a night of singing, socialising and celebrations.
Huge Christmas Raffle drawn on the night.

Our carols event is run by volunteers and we need your help. Please let us know if you can help by filling out the form on the note sent home (Tuesday 25th) regarding assistance on the night of the Carols. Every little bit of time you can give is a massive help and we cannot run these events without your help.

Thank You
Fundraising Committee

Canteen

THE HOT WEATHER HAS ARRIVED!!
Please consider being a lunch time Canteen volunteer, with the hot weather we are having there are a lot of students lining up for ice blocks, and without volunteers we struggle to serve everyone. This is an hour spot, 1.15 – 2.15pm
To join our roster, please contact Anwyn in the canteen on Thursday or Friday via the school office 4325 0594. Thank you

Sushi Lunch
Thank you to all those who placed an order for our Green Food Sushi Lunch on Thursday 4th December. Orders have now closed for this lunch.

Thank You
Canteen Committee
**Uniform Shop**  
Open Tuesday & Thursday 8.30 – 9am

The Uniform shop will not be opening on the student free day at the beginning of term 1 as it has in previous years. We will be open:

**SATURDAY JANUARY 24th**
(the last Saturday before school starts)
9 – 11am

Alternatively we are open every Tuesday and Thursday morning 8.30 – 9am. The Uniform Shop is volunteer operated, we close promptly at 9am to be able to attend other commitments such as work, university, and our non-school aged children. Please arrive early enough that we can finish serving you by 9. We really appreciate your consideration of this.

Thank You

**Uniform Committee**

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**SCHOOL BANKING**

Please note that the last day for deposits this year will be **Wednesday 26th November**. No deposits or rewards orders will be accepted after this date. Any rewards ordered, as well as certificates of achievement for 2014, will be handed to class teachers for distribution on Wednesday 3rd December.

Term 4 competitions have now closed. Good luck to everyone who has entered!

**Consistent Savers:** Week 5 & 6 was 1R (8 bankers). Congratulations!

**Rewards**

***Please note that the Whale Shark Pencil case and Penguin Plush Keyring are now OUT OF STOCK.***

Rewards available in term 4 are:

- Handball (LIMITED STOCK AVAILABLE)
- Scented Pencils
- Shark Keyring
- Swimming bag (LIMITED STOCK AVAILABLE)
- Projector Cup (NEW)
- Sea Streamers (NEW)
- Dollarmites moneybox
- Wallet (2013 item; while stocks last)
- Headphones (2013 item; while stocks last)
- Knuckles game (2013 item, while stocks last)
- Pat Moneybox (2013 item; while stocks last)
- Pru Moneybox (2013 item; while stocks last)
- Spen Moneybox (2013 item; while stocks last)

If you have any questions about school banking, please contact Liz on 0411 497 567 or liz.post@icloud.com


Happy Savings!

Liz & Odette

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**Community News…**

Point Clare Public School does not endorse the products or services of any advertiser. No responsibility is accepted for the information contained in advertisements or claims made by them.
We are happy to announce that we will be hosting a fun and active Go4Fun program this term.

**Term 1, 2015**

Go4Fun is a fun and active program designed to promote health, fitness, self-esteem, and social skills through a variety of fun and engaging activities. The program includes games, sports, and other activities that will keep kids active and healthy.

**FREE Fun once a week for kids to become fitter, healthier & happier**

**Registrations for the next term are now open.**

To find out more, please call 1800 780 900 or visit www.go4fun.com.au.

**Nutrition Snippet**

The simplest way...

To make a Christmas centerpiece.

Get creative this holiday season with a fruit and veggie-inspired centerpiece for your Christmas feast.

The picture on the right uses layers of baby tomatoes, rosemary, and cheese, but you could use:

- Chopped and sliced fresh vegetables
- Sliced hard-boiled eggs
- Sliced meat or cheese
- Riverstone bread
- Dried fruit or nuts
- Mixed berries or olives
- Use mixed berries: blueberries, strawberries, raspberries.

If you have fruit + veg on your table, you'll be surprised how quickly it will be eaten.

For more inspiration - like us on Facebook - details below.

**Merry Christmas!**

**For more information visit**

www.eaittobeatsit.com.au or join us at facebook.com/eaittobeatsit

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**FUN4KIDS HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES**

**Dec 2014-Jan 2015**

- **风险** (Risks)
- **隐患** (Hazards)
- **措施** (Precautions)

** AFL (AUSRICK) -** kids will be taken through all the skills of the game, and will then have the opportunity to apply these skills in small groups or one-on-one.

**CANDOORO / KAYAKING -** experienced paddlers will enjoy the camaraderie and fun of kayaking in small groups.

**CIRCUS SKILLS -** Circus skills include balancing, juggling, and the use of the trapeze and the trampolines.

**CIRCUS AERIAL WORKSHOP -** Aerial artists are fun and fit in this workshop with height and the use of the aerial hoop.

**GYMNASTICS INTRODUCTION -** A 2-day program with an introduction to the basics of gymnastics skills.

**ARTS -** a variety of art and craft activities, including painting, drawing, and sculpture.

**SPORTS -** a range of sports activities, including soccer, basketball, and netball.

**WOODWORKING -** a 1-day program where participants will learn basic woodworking skills.

**SAILING -** a 1-day program where participants will learn basic sailing skills.

**SURFING -** a 1-day program where participants will learn basic surfing skills.

**GYM -** a 1-day program where participants will learn basic gymnastic skills.

**TENNIS -** a 1-day program where participants will learn basic tennis skills.

**Anzac Day -** a special program for children and adults.

**Closing date -** 30 November 2014.

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**Office of Sport & Recreation**

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All registrations must be submitted by 30 November 2014. For more information, visit our website at www.nswrecreation.gov.au. For bookings, contact our office on (02) 8730 7000.