DATES TO REMEMBER TERM 4
Wed 10th Dec Christmas Cond
Thurs 11th Dec Scripture Christ **Christmas Concert 5pm**

Scripture Christmas Assembly 2pm Thurs 11th Dec Lake Preschool Graduation 2pm Thurs 11th Dec **Xmas BBQ Community Centre 3.30pm** Mon 15th Dec Mon 15th Dec Mon 15th Dec Tues 16th Dec Yr 3 – 6 Presentation Assembly 9.45am **Channel Preschool Graduation 2pm**

Yr 6 Farewell evening

K - 2 Presentation Assembly 9.45am

Tues 16th Dec Wed 17th Dec P&C AGM 12noon Yr 6 Fun Day at Mingara

Wed 17th Dec Students last day

STUDENTS IN YEAR 1 to 6 RETURN Wednesday 28th January 2015

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Week 10 and Term 4 is nearly finished, I would like to wish all our families a safe and relaxing holiday and a very merry Christmas. Congratulations to our students and staff who have demonstrated outstanding commitment to their learning over the past year and deserve a holiday. Good luck to our Year 6 students as they move into their next stage of education, I am sure they will continue to enjoy learning, also good luck to the families that will move over the Christmas holidays.

Thank you and a huge congratulations to our wonderful P&C led by Alison Leger who have had an enormous impact on the programs and resources that enable The Entrance Public School to provide outstanding opportunities for our school community. This year they have helped with the Shade Sails over the Kindergarten area, the digital signage, the 21s century learning program, the breakfast club, developing the 2015-2017 school plan and countless hours at school functions.

Please also be aware that over the last two weeks the police will have a greater presence in the area especially around the school in the mornings and afternoons. I urge all motorists and pedestrians to continue to obey the road safety laws to ensure the safety of our students and school community, especially in the Kiss and Ride zone.

Choosing school shoes: Are expensive school shoes the best option for happy feet? Let's face it. School shoes have never been at the cutting edge of fashion. In fact if you look at what your parents were wearing, the humble school shoe really hasn't evolved much at all.

Tips for choosing shoes:

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/choosing -the-right-school-shoes

Teach your kids to be waterproof: As temperatures rise, the risk of drowning increases too. Review these watersafety tips to help keep your family safe this summer.

Find out more:

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/watersafety-tips

Road safety reminder for parents and carers these holidays: Remember when walking near roads, on footpaths, near driveways and in car parks always: hold your child's hand, talk to your child about road safety and point out road safety dangers and differences in new environments.

The best way to keep your child safe on or near the road is to hold their hand. Talk with your child daily about safety. For further information http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/stayingsafe/children/p edestriansafety.html

Mark Rudd **PRINCIPAL**



DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT 2015 House Captain Voting

Congratulations to the following students who were elected as house captains for 2015:

Captains - Sam Walker & James Alexander Vice captains - Bronte Galea & Jack Raffin

Captains - Maddison King & Jackson Thomas Vice captains - Kyra Bajac & Jayden Mills

Seagulls

Captains - Delveen Andrews & Rohan Buckley Vice captains - Billee Confoy & Joshua Shaw

Captains - Kayleigh Meilak & Jayden Bannister Vice captains - Tianna Williams-Ransome & Owen Arenas.

The voting was extremely close for several positions. Well done to all of the candidates and congratulations to our 2015 captains and vice captains.

Win Bin Winners

The following students were drawn out for the win bin awards: Jacob Johanson K/1M, Katrina Koop KA, Cashlyn Wargent 1P and Calvin Chambers KH. Congratulations to all of our wonderful students.

End of Year Presentation Day Assemblies

Our end of year presentation day assemblies are fast approaching. The Years 3-6 Assembly will be held on Monday 15th December, commencing at 9.45am. The Kindergarten to Year 2 Assembly will be held on Tuesday 16th December commencing at 9.45am. At these assemblies we recognise some of the students who have stood out in their academic achievements and for citizenship. All of the Kindergarten students will be receiving their Kindergarten Certificates of Graduation at the K-2 assembly.

End of Year Reports

The end of year reports will go home next Monday 15th December. Please take the time to sit down with your child and to go through the report with them and praise them for the improvements and hard work they have put into their year of schooling. I have been very impressed with the reports that I have read.

Road Safety

One of the afternoon bus drivers has expressed his concern at the number of people (adults and children) crossing the road either in front of the parked bus or behind it. He has witnessed several near misses with oncoming or passing traffic. Please use the pedestrian crossing at the corner of Campbell Ave, it is not much further to walk and well worth it, if it saves a life.

A Big Thank You

Finally a very big thank you to all of the students for the hard work that they have done throughout the year, in class, in the playground, on the sporting field, in other cultural activities and in everything else. We have had a very enjoyable and successful year because of your commitment to do your best. Thank you also to the parents for your continued support throughout the year. Success only comes if home and school work together. Well done, have a well earned and restful break and enjoy the Christmas period.

Warren Mee DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL APP

Great News! We now have a mobile phone app. What's that you may ask, it is a little application that sits on your phone and gives you instant access to our local community information when you click on it, 24/7. The app is going to give you the ability to instantly access newsletters without going to the website, find our venues and most importantly receive important pop up notifications from us. We will be sharing many of the other features with you over the coming weeks, but for now download it to your smartphone by going to either the Apple App Store or Android Google Play Market and search for our name. Once you have found it press install or download. Or just scan one of the QR codes below with your QR reader app to go straight to the download page.



Lianne Tolman
The Entrance Public School

KINDERGARTEN 2015

Preparations for Kindergarten 2015 are now underway. Please contact our office if you have a child starting Kindergarten next year.

Stephanie Ainslie KINDERGARTEN SUPERVISOR

PRESCHOOL ENROLMENTS FOR 2015

If you have a child who will be turning four years old before the 31st July 2015 and you would like to enrol them in our preschool for next year, please collect an application form from the front office. There are only 40 places available. The preschool currently operates two groups; one operating every Monday and Tuesday and alternate Wednesdays, the other operating Thursdays and Fridays and the alternate Wednesdays.

Priority must go to children who live in The Entrance Public School area and will be attending kindergarten at The Entrance Public School in 2016. Preference must also be given to students who have a disability, come from a low socio-economic family situation and/or are of Aboriginal or Torres Strait islander descent. A birth certificate is also required for proof of age.

The Garawa Pre-school is run by the Department of Education and Communities and fees have been heavily subsidised to cater for the needs of our community. This year the full fee rate per day is \$15 per day. If the family has a Health Care card or are Aboriginal, fee relief is applied and the cost is reduced to \$7.00 per day. To date fees have not been given to us for 2015.

K-6 BW NEWS



As Term 4 comes to an end we are beginning to reflect on what a fabulous year 2014 has been in K6BW. The students have successfully integrated

with their year for Sport, Scripture and other whole school opportunities including rehearsing for the upcoming TEPS Christmas concert. In Term 3 the students had a wonderful time attending swimming at Mingara and they have also taken part in exciting learning opportunities that work on assisting them to meet their individual goals throughout the year.

There has been a lot happening in class over the last fortnight. On Tuesday 2nd December the students in K6BW cooked 130 pikelets and raised money to put towards their end of year excursion. Thank you to everyone that ordered Pikelets. We hope you enjoyed them.

On Monday 1st December Cait, Ryan, Ella, Paul, Britney, Grace and Bailey received their awards for participating in the Premier's Reading Challenge. Congratulations.



We would like to wish our Year 6 student Britney Chandler all the best for high school next year. We will all miss her very much but know she will have a fabulous time at high school.

Thank you all for your support and contributions to making your child's schooling a success. We would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.

Gemma White, Mary Best, Chris Green and Sabien Stragliotto Support Class Team

KINDERGARTEN NEWS



Well it is hard to believe that this will be the last newsletter for the year and your gorgeous children have finished Kinder. It has been an absolute pleasure to have been a part of their first year at

school. They have all grown up so much and it blows my mind how much they have learnt this year. You should all be very proud of them and they should be extremely proud of their efforts.

Upcoming Events

10th December- Christmas Concert – wear something "Christmassy"

15th December- Gold Award activity

16th December- K-2 Presentation Assembly and class parties – bring a plate to share

17th December- Last day of school for students

Congratulations to the following students who have received their **Home Reading Awards**:

Kinder Ainslie 50 nights: Indi Dale 75 nights: Chloe Boundy 150 nights: Brad Leo 175 nights: Amelia Wheele

Kinder Crottey

50 nights: Dominic Bombardiere

75 nights: Dominic Bombardiere, Danni-Lee Bradley 100 nights: Dominic Bombardiere, Gemma Channell

K/1McFarlane

300 nights: Ella Ballard

Kinder Hobson

75 nights: Terrance Naughton 125 nights: Maddi Cheong 150 nights: Sahara Domingo

200 nights: Chloe Williams, Shyla Clarkson-Byrne, Noah

Reynolds

We hope everyone has a happy and safe holiday and we will see you all in 2016.

Thank you,

Stephanie Ainslie, Nicole Crottey, Amanda Roberts, Mardi McFarlane and Erin Hobson

STAGE 1 NEWS



As this is the last Stage 1 news for the term, the teachers would like to thank all parents and caregivers for your wonderful support this year. It's great when we all work together for the benefit of our students in their formative years.

It's a hectic time of year as classes conclude another busy school year, so a few notes for busy parents who are trying to get everything done before they have their children home full time:

- Class parties each teacher will be sending home their own note to inform parents as these may be different days/times for each class.
- Gold Award day Monday 15th December on the school grounds. A kindy farm will be at the school and class teachers will be taking their gold award children to this fun, exciting experience. This is a reward for our gold children only, no siblings thanks!
- Reports- go home 15th December. Please take the time
 to praise your child on the positive things before pointing
 out an area they can improve on for next year.
 Remember two good things before sliding in one
 negative thing!
- K-2 Presentation Day Tuesday 16th December, commencing 9:45 am in the Hall. Please join us as each grade will be singing a song.

 Children's last day- Wednesday 17th December. The teachers will be here until Friday 19th December having Staff Development Days.

Congratulations for the following children who received a class award at our last 2 **Stage 1 Assemblies** (Weeks 8 & 10):

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Phoebe Karlin – a brilliant talk about past and present toys **Zoe Hatch** – good structure and arguments in her persuasive writing

Tahliah Lenton – an excellent class member Ben Bryant – applying himself to his writing

2K

Amelia Roderick – good information in research Kaitlin Guise – Quality work

Kayla Vinn – fabulous progress in reading **Miakoda Collins** – excellent comprehension

2M:

Samantha Koop – being first to finish her novel Beatrix Kidd – improving in completing all her work

Lachlan Johanson – great times tables

Ripley Berridge – excellent problem solving in maths

1P:

Holly Walker – 100% improvement in her application to persuasive writing

Mitchell Walker – being a fast finisher Shyla Lowe – always being a hard worker Madison Starkey – a brilliant book report

1F:

Mia Reilly – a great start at TEPS

Moana Gett – improved effort in her class work

Kayla Talbot – improved reading results

Chance McCabe – legendary 'Hour of Code'

We have had some clever little readers who have been reading regularly.

The following children have received their **Surf Reading Award** (50 nights):

1P: Matthis DeWitte

The following children have received their **Ocean Reading Award** (75 nights):

2A: Shikira MacDonald

The following children have received their **Coral Reading Award** (100 nights):

2K: Kayla Vinn

The following children have received their **Double Sand Reading Award** (150 nights):

1F: Mason Tipping 2A: Julian Cheong

The following children have received their **Double Surf Reading Award** (175 nights):

1F: Laykin Pollard

2M: The following children have received their **Double Ocean Reading Award** (200 nights):

2K: Yeliz Guney 2A: Amy Monaghan

The following children have received their **Double Pearl Award** (250 nights)

2A: Patience Leger

The following children have read 275 and on their way to 300 nights:

2A: Justine Carter, Zoe Hatch

As stage leader, I would like to sincerely thank the Stage 1 team who have all done their personal best with their classes this year- Mardi McFarlane, Faith/Aidan Plumb, Gypirra Dunbar/Rhonda Mackin, Rachel Perry, Cheryl Marning, Barbara Knowles and Natasha Shukar. A terrific bunch of teachers to work with each day.

Thanks also to our two Reading Recovery teachers, Nikki Wilson and Donna Andrews who have delivered specialised reading lessons to our 'at-risk' Year 1 children. Thanks guys, you deserve to have a relaxing holiday and I know Santa will be visiting you all!

We hope you have a wonderful Christmas and a brilliant holiday. See you in 2015!

Regards, Sue Anderson Stage 1 team leader

STAGE 2 NEWS





A fortnight ago Stage Two had a You Can Do It Fun Day. Students engaged in fun activities associated with their emotional and social competencies such as resilience, confidence, getting along, persistence and organisation. Student activities built personal skills and strategies. It involved fun team games and activities. This was an exciting learning experience

for all students in Stage Two.

As the year draws to the end students are starting to do exciting Christmas art and craft activities. Students from 2/3S are making fancy Christmas cards. Students from 4B are decorating Christmas baubles with Rudolfs.





This time of year is also important to celebrate a year together as a class. It is a time for games and to enjoy each other's company.

I would like to take the opportunity to say thank you to all Stage Two students and thank them for their efforts all year. I would like to thank the Stage Two teachers; Hannah Cooper, Katerina Hindson, Ally Bayfield, Natasha Shuker and Mark Littlewood for the hours of planning and preparing lessons, setting up fun days and doing <u>all</u> those additional extra curricula activities that make school a fun place. To the parents and community members thank you for your continued support and feedback. Thank you for transporting students to Gala Days, helping in classes and being great supporters of the school.

Stage Two Gold Day notes came home lasts week. We will be going to Bateau Bay Bowling followed by a BBQ lunch and treats at the PCYC at Bateau Bay. This should be a great day for those Gold Award winners. Alternative arrangements have been made for those staying back at school.

Christmas Concert is on tonight 5:00pm under the school COLA. There will be lots of great performances such as a Junkyard Orchestra, singing and dancing. Look forward to seeing you there.

Stage Two Presentation Assembly is Monday 15th December 9:45am please come and celebrate our school achievements.

Stage Two Team

Vanessa Gordon (rel Supervisor) Ally Bayfield, Hannah Cooper, Katerina Hindson, Mark Littlewoood, Natasha Shuker

STAGE 3

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Hey Team, It is an extremely busy time of year at school. Year 6 are getting excited for high school and Year 5 are getting excited to be moving into Year 6. I'm sure it is getting busy in your households too. Here are some of Stage 3 events:

High School Gala Day

By all accounts our High School Gala Day went really well. Students enjoyed the different sport activities that they were exposed to; Cricket, Frisbee, Soccer and Oz Tag were a big hit with our kids.

AVID

Our Avid training was a huge success. We have some innovative ideas to implement in our great school next year.

Sand, Surf and Sun (SSS)

We have been having a great time at SSS each Friday. Our students have been learning valuable water safety skills each week. Students please remember to bring your hat, sunscreen, rashy and a bottle of water each week. If your child is injured or unwell in any way and cannot attend SSS please provide your child's teacher with a doctor's certificate or note.

Christmas Concert Stage 3

We have been busy rehearsing for the TEPS Christmas Concert. Thank you to all Stage 3 children who have organised their outfit – ALL BLACK + RED SANTA HAT We are excited to see you all there.

STAGE 3 GOLD

Congratulations to all Stage 3 students who have worked hard all year to achieve their Gold Award. Stage 3 is holding a special Movie Marathon next Monday where students who receive Gold will be invited to attend. Once again, a HUGE congratulations to these students!

Stage 3's 5 Big Days of Summer

To wrap up a great 2014, Stage 3 is holding 5 Big Days of Summer. The last five days of school will see us host five great activities to celebrate a successful school year:

Thursday 11/12- Stage 3's Got Talent

Friday 12/12 - Extended Sand, Surf & Sun at The Entrance Baths.

Monday 15/12 - Presentation Assembly/Gold Movie Marathon and Year 6 Farewell.

Tuesday 16/12 - Claymation/21st Century Learning

Wednesday 17/12 - Year 6 Big Breakfast and fun day at Mingara and Year 5 Class Parties.

I would just like this opportunity to congratulate students on a successful school year, parents and caregivers for your continual support and finally I really want to thank the team of exceptional teachers on Stage 3.

Have a Merry Christmas and a happy and safe holiday.

Russell Stefans Assistant Principal, Stage 3

The Hour of Code is here!

We live in a world surrounded by technology. And we know that whatever field our students choose to go into as adults, their ability to succeed will increasingly hinge on understanding how technology works. But only a tiny fraction of us are learning computer science, and less students are studying it than a decade ago.



That's why our entire school is joining in on the largest learning event in history: The Hour of Code, during Computer Science Education Week (Dec. 8-14). Last year, 15 million students tried computer science in one week. This year, we're joining students worldwide to reach 100 million students!

Our Hour of Code is a statement that TEPS is ready to teach these foundational 21st century skills. To continue bringing programming activities to your students, we want to make our Hour of Code event huge.

If you would like to join in and complete your own Hour of Code, go to http://code.org/learn and try some of the tutorials. Alternatively, you can join me in the 21st Century classroom tomorrow (11th) between 11.45am and 1pm.

How many lines of code will you write?

Mrs Tolman

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS NEEDED Are your kids off to high school? Too big for their uniforms?

Please donate any uniforms you no longer need to our uniform shop for the benefit of others in our school.

Thank you P&C

SCHOOL LEAVERS 2014	
Childs Name/s:	
	Class:
	Class:
	Class:
Will not be returning to The School in 2015 due to:	Entrance Public

Student Engagement Officer – Lenore Bower SEO Roundup 2014

Well, it's been a huge year for all in our fabulous TEPS Community! I'd like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy, healthy & safe holidays, Christmas and New Year ©

A quick roundup of the year -

Brekky Club - Mr Dykeman & I would like to say a huge thankyou to our wonderful parent helper (Netti AhChong) & the many student helpers who've given up their time to help us every day in Brekky Club. Thanks also to those who've donated food items throughout the year – your support is very much appreciated. Special thanks go to our wonderful P&C, COLES - The Entrance, Killarney Vale Bakehouse, TEPS beautiful Canteen ladies and the wonderful Food Hub Coordinators for their incredible sponsorship and support.

This year TEPS Brekky Club have provided over 6000 breakfasts! As we continue to educate our children and families on the importance of eating a good breakfast at home each morning, we hope to see this figure decrease over time. We also understand that Brekky Club is very much needed for kids whose parents/guardians may simply have been running late at times, and that some students feel like they just need somewhere nice to sit with a friend and enjoy a bit of brekky or help out. Brekky Club will continue to operate in 2015 and our door is always open to parent helpers and donations of new cereals, spreads and long life milk.

Seasons for Growth (SFG) – Congratulations to all students who participated in TEPS Seasons for Growth courses during 2014. We've delivered this beautiful program to 7 groups this year! Our groups all ended with lots of smiling faces, new friendships formed and great skills learned. I look forward to working with students during 2015 on this lovely program aimed at students who've experienced grief, change or loss in their lives. Thanks to Mrs Anderson for your wonderful support as my SFG Supervisor. If you feel that your child who will be in Yrs 5 or 6 in 2015 would benefit from this program please phone the school and leave a message of referral for their teacher, myself or Mrs Anderson.

Tuggerah Lakes Learning Community (TLLC) Koori Choir – What a busy year we've had in Koori Choir! With the launch of our fantastic TLLC Koori Choir bus, workshops & performances at our neighbouring TLLC schools, Gulangfest, Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Children's Day and more, I'd say we need to give our voices a well-earned rest! Great job guys! Thankyou to our fantastic team of staff and parent helpers who support us.

TEPS TV & Photography – with TEPS TV now up and running and plenty of great feedback since its launch, I look forward to filming some exciting clips with students next year and hopefully linking the clips to our school webpage – stay tuned! Don't forget – if you've spotted a great photograph of your child in the office foyer (with no other students in the shot) and would like a copy, pop in and visit me with a usb and I can make a copy for you.

2015 is shaping up to be a fantastic & busy year in the Student Engagement Officer role, with our TEPS Centenary Celebrations coming up as well as our annual TLLC Student Leadership Conference and many other exciting events to assist with. I've recently completed my training as an Austswim Instructor and Rock & Water Advanced Trainer and really look forward to developing these qualifications into solid programs within TEPS during 2015.

Thanks to all students, staff & parents for a fantastic year at TEPS!

SRC NEWS

TEPS CHRISTMAS TREE

The SRC would like to thank all the classes who assisted in making decorations based on the theme of Dr Seuss for our school Christmas Tree at Erina Fair. Our tree will be on display till December 23rd.



Thank you for your support, Ally Bayfield & Nikki Wilson Student Representative Council.

Community News

Kindergarten Numeracy at Home program has ended for 2014, if any student has an outstanding activity could they please return it ASAP Thank you!

Food Hub: Keep an eye out for Miranda's Pop up store after school near the Hall, Pre order Christmas Hampers \$20 and \$30

Food for thought - check out Cancer Council's The simplest way to make Healthy Santa's, Snippet in this addition of the Newsletter

FREE Community Christmas BBQ: The Entrance Community Centre 3:30pm Thursday 11th December 2014 Raffle, Christmas Craft, face painting, dress up All Welcome. Low Cost PCs: go to workventures.com.au/webshop, phone 1800 112 205.

PCYC Bateau Bay Friday Night FREE activities: 4-5pm Kids in Sport for primary aged youth, 5-6pm Hall Sports/ Hip Hop, 6-6:30pm Junior Boxing primary age youth 6:30pm + Senior Boxing. One Off Annual Membership **\$7:50** 4332 7000

Jaki Alexander

Community Liaison Officer

CANTEEN NEWS

Hi everyone, I would like to say a BIG "Thank You" to all our fabulous volunteers who have helped throughout the year.

We will be running stock down due to the end of the year. Please check before ordering or a similar item will be offered. Please finalise any outstanding bills for lunches.

End of Year

With class parties coming up for your children the canteen can cater for you and take the hassle out - fairy bread platter, fruit platter or hot food. Call in and see either Emma or Kerry to organise prices and orders.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thurs 11th Dec Sandi HELP NEEDED Fri 12th Razaan HELP NEEDED Mon 15th Roxy HELP NEEDED Tues 16th Leanne HELP NEEDED Wed 17th Roxy and Jodie

2015

Wed 11th

Wed 28th Jan Roxy and Jodie Thurs 29th **HELP NEEDED** Sandi Fri 30th Razaan HELP NEEDED Mon 2nd Feb Roxy **HELP NEEDED** Tues 3rd Leanne HELP NEEDED Wed 4th Roxy and Jodie Thurs 5th Sandi HELP NEEDED Fri 6th Razaan HELP NEEDED Mon 9th Roxy **HELP NEEDED** Tues 10th Leanne HELP NEEDED

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and a safe holiday.

Jody and Roxy

Cheers **Emma Brophy CANTEEN MANAGER Ph 4333 5174**



The Entrance Tigers Netball

REGISTRATION DAYS FOR 2015 SEASON:

The Entrance Leagues Club

Thursday 27th November 2014 Between 5pm and 6pm

Thursday 11th December 2014

Between 5.30pm and 6.30pm

Bateau Bay Square Saturday 17th January 2015 Between 9am and 1pm

Registration \$120 + Uniform 9 and under \$160 + Uniform 10 and over

All Age Groups required

CONTACT: Tracey Young 0401 265 118 Michelle Reed 0410 054 67

Special thanks to the Team at "Professionals 2261" who are donating \$250 to our school P&C for every house they sell in our school area.

If you are thinking of selling, don't hesitate to contact them.

Phone: 4332 3777 F: 4334 1770 or visit their office at 570 The Entrance Road, Bateau Bay NSW 2261.





SUMMER HOLIDAY JUNIOR COACHING CLINICS LEARN HOW TO PLAY BOWLS PROPERLY!

TUESDAY 13TH JAN – THURSDAY 15TH JAN TUESDAY 20TH JAN – THURSDAY 22ND JAN

IF YOU WOULD BE INTERESTED IN YOUR CHILD ATTENDING ONE OF THE ABOVE JUNIOR COACHING CLINICS,

PLEASE CALL JAMES ON 4382-9205

COST - \$50 PER CHILD, PER CLINIC (FOR 3 SESSIONS)

THE SESSIONS WILL RUN FROM 10AM-12PM EACH DAY

bowls@thegreenstheentrance.com.au



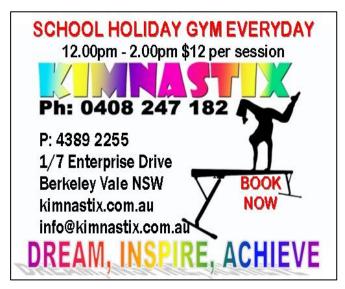
Free Assessment Day

To be conducted on Wednesday 21st January 2015 from 10 am to 2pm

Free swim bag and Vorgee swim goggles for those that book into the Learn to swim program (now offering 1 month free swim lessons).

Contact Mingara One Fitness Ph 4388 9202





Ready Set Trot comes to the Central Coast

Gostelow Riding School is one of the first in Australia to offer the "Ready Set Trot" program – a fun and exciting initiative for young people who want to give horse sports a try in five star all weather facilities.

Through a series of structured sessions which include group games and mounted activities, young people learn about horses and equestrian sport, learning basic horse skills and all-important horse safety along the way.

Gostelow Riding School will offer the program to young people the Central Coast region and the first program for school holidays will commence on 5th to the 9th of January 2015 and until the end of the month. Each of the Ready Set Trot holiday programs sessions will run for a full day. The whole program is completed over 5 days.

To register for a program at the Gostelow Riding School or for more information please visit http://www.GetRiding.com.au or call our office 4372 1622.

Ready Set Trot participants receive a fun starter pack which includes a Ready Set Trot drink bottle, helmet cover, bag, work book and pen.



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS FISHING WORKSHIP

Ettalong Beach -10.00am - 2.00pm on Thursday 22 January 2015

Give your child the opportunity to learn to fish during the school holidays. The day involves fishing techniques such as knots and rigging as well as casting, bag/size limits and ethical fishing practices. The workshop is designed for kids aged 8-14 years. COST IS \$ 40 PER CHILD. Numbers are limited to a maximum of 25 and bookings are essential.

Fee includes rod and reel, shirt, hat, tackle kit and show bag for the kids to take home. The workshop is led by experienced staff and volunteers from NSW DPI - Fisheries Division. Full supervision is provided on the day.

For Bookings call:

Jamie Burns

Fisheries Education Officer P: 02 4980 9204M: 0408 609 332

E: jamie.burns@dpi.nsw.gov.au

Venue: Reserve on the waterfront near the intersection of Beach Street and the Esplanade, Ettalong Beach

Transport is the responsibility of parents. Remember to slip, slop and slap and to prepare for inclement weather if the need arises.

TAFE Courses for adults who have either been out of the workforce for some time and need some assistance in reentering the workforce or for people who are thinking about a career change.

The courses run from 9:30-1pm 4 days a week, Mon-Thursday in 2015. These courses offer practical skills that are necessary for workplaces and also include career guidance and assistance. These courses do include the First Aid Certificate. These courses are delivered from Wyong TAFE.

Enrolments for 2015 are on Wednesday 21st January at 10am in NG1

Please contact Bronwyn for the all ladies course on 4350 2375 or Kathryn 43502 335 for the Mature Aged Men and Ladies course or the Early School Leaver's course.

Kind regards,

Kathryn McGilvray

Foundation Skills and Pathways Wyong

