

# SYLVANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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TERM 4 WEEK 10

TUESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018

This is the final school newsletter for 2018 and on behalf of the staff I would like to **wish all of our families and community members a safe, happy and healthy holiday period.**

Last Wednesday we celebrated the achievements of all of the students at our annual Presentation Day. **Congratulations to all members of our school community** – students, parents, teachers – as well as award recipients who have received special acknowledgement for their effort and accomplishments over the course of the year.

Student reports were sent home Friday with all students K – 6. Be sure to congratulate all of our students as they have all been successful learners this past year.

The new school year will start on **Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019 for the students returning in Year 1 to Year 6.** Kindergarten students will begin on Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019 and have been sent their staggered start time letters for their first day of 'big school'. Our first weeks back are very busy, with textbook day, the swimming carnival and Dancesport all starting early in the term.

## End of Year Celebration

Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> December is a special event day for all students in K-6 to celebrate a great year of learning. There will be face painting, a farm petting zoo and a special obstacle course (think *Australian Ninja Kids*) and games. Students will also receive an ice block and a bag of chips. Please advise the school if your child has any allergies and can't participate in any of the listed activities. Students are to wear their sports uniform on this day.

~ Catherine Leslie  
Principal



Have a safe, and happy holiday break. And remember to keep reading during the holidays!

## ~ Dates to Remember 2018 ~

### TERM 4

Wed 19 Dec

Last Day Students – special event

## ~ Dates to Remember 2019 ~

Wed 30 Jan

Students in Years 1 – 6 Return

Thu 31 Jan

1<sup>st</sup> Day for Kindergarten

Mon 11 Feb

Text Book Day

Thu 14 Feb

Swimming Carnival Years 3 to 6

Check out our Facebook page:  
**Sylvania Public School –  
At the Bridge**

## Check out our NEW School Website!

The Department of Ed has recently created a new platform for public school websites. Our old website has been migrated so update your bookmarks and visit the website at

<https://sylvania-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>.

Last week there were 201 hits to our school website. It is updated weekly and has credit card authorisations, permission notes, news, photos and newsletters!

“Just as a puppy can be more of a challenge than a gift, so too can the holidays.”

~ J. Clayton

Thank you to all of our  
P & C Volunteers and  
Canteen volunteers for  
your service in 2018!



Special thanks and  
acknowledgement to  
our P & C Members  
and families who are  
leaving our school and  
moving on to high  
schools or other  
areas for your years  
of tireless dedication  
and service to our  
children and our  
school! You've been  
awesome!

**ASSEMBLY AWARDS**  
**TERM 4 WEEK 9**

<u>KG</u>	RIKI A. LACHLAN W.
<u>1E</u>	SAM U. ZOE O.
<u>2/3X</u>	ANTHONY J. ELOISE A.
<u>3/4M</u>	TIANA A. ISABEL M.
<u>5/6B</u>	PANOS K. SAVVINA D. JAMES M. LAUREN B.

**DANCE AWARDS -**

JUNIOR -	BROOKLYN H.
SENIOR -	ROSALINE A.

**BRONZE AWARDS -**

IMMAN H.	BEN O.
SIENNA B.	GIOSUE V.
ISABEL M.	CHAPMAN L.
DOMINIK G.	

**SILVER AWARDS -**

LILLY R.	GABRIEL M.
NIKO S.	TEODORA A.
HAMISH M.	

**GOLD AWARDS -**

SOPHIE G.	ZANDER B.
KOBE S.	XAVIER L.
DOMINIC S.	DEREK C.
HASAN L.	BRODY L.
LUIS C.	

**PRINCIPAL'S AWARD S-**

ZOE O.	DOMINIK G.
LUCAS S.	CHARLIE L.
DOMINIC S.	NALARNI W-B.
LUIS C.	JAMES G.
FINDLAY H.	JACINTA M.
KAI W.	TYLER L.
MADISON W.	DIMITRA D.
	SOPHIE G.

**CREDIT TO THE SCHOOL AWARD -**

TIFFANY C.	BOB S.
PENNY C.	ANNA G.
HUNTER S.	CURTIS M.
TYLER L.	SEBASTIAN S.
JACINTA M.	BROOKLYN H.
	LACHLAN W.



## CANDY CANE ALERT!

Parents and students are reminded that children should NOT be eating candy canes, lollies or other candy before school. The children should limit their candy cane consumption to one per day at either recess or lunch time. Any other candy canes and lollies should be taken home. Children are NOT allowed to eat candy canes in class during lesson time.



### SUPER SPORTS CAMPS

Locations

Dates & Prices

**Multi Sports Camp**  
Caringbah High School  
December 20-21, 2018

**Cricket Camp**  
Caringbah High School  
January 21-22, 2019

**Early Bird Price**  
\$60 EACH DAY  
(Ends November 30)  
**Regular Price**  
\$75 EACH DAY  
(Begins December 1)

Designed for  
Sporty Boy & Girls  
Aged 6-13 Years

### SUMMER HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMPS IN THE SHIRE



**GROUP  
BOOKINGS OF  
3 OR MORE  
SAVE 25%**

**FOR FULL DETAILS  
& BOOKINGS VISIT:**  
[supersportscamps.com.au](http://supersportscamps.com.au)

## 2019 CHILDCARE VACANCIES



Vacancies available at Council's Canberra Road (Sylvania) Early Education Centre for children age 2-5 years.

- Small scale centre – personalised attention
- Warm family environment
- Robust educational program
- Modern & spacious playground
- Caring, experienced Educators
- Council's high safety/ compliance standards

Enquiries and tours welcome:  
T 02 9710 0466  
[sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/CanberraRoad](http://sutherlandshire.nsw.gov.au/CanberraRoad)

**SUTHERLANDSHIRE**  
CHILDREN'S  
SERVICES

The Yr 6 Farewell *Hollywood Under the Sea* was a fabulous night for everyone!





# Just a few images from Presentation Day 2018

