

Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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14th December, 2022

Term 4 Week 10

DATES TO REMEMBER

DECEMBER

- 14 Reports sent home
- 14 Year 6 Farewell 5:30pm
- 15 Rewards Day
- 16 Last day for students
- 20 Staff last day

JANUARY

- 27/30 Staff Development Days
- 30 Uniform Shop OPEN
11am to 1:30pm
- 31 Year 1-6 students return
Kinder Best Start

FEBRUARY

- 1 Kinder Best Start
- 2 Kindergarten starts school



**My School Connect for all
canteen and uniform orders.
All canteen orders to be
placed NO LATER than
8:30am on canteen days.**

NO HAT NO PLAY

**No hat will be given to any
student who forgets their
hat. They will play under the
cola.**

IMPORTANT REQUEST

Please **DO NOT** bring peanuts or
use peanut butter at school.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents,

Thank you for yet another amazing year!

A very big thank-you to parent/carers and our amazing P&C for your support this year, it has been very appreciated. I would like to express my thanks to the amazing team at GPPS who go above and beyond to make our lovely little school such a great place.

Congratulations to our Lego Teams who won 2 of the 3 awards in the inter-school competition held at our school on Monday! Thank-you Ms Scott for all your hard work in running this fantastic program for the first time this year, we look forward to building this program in 2023 and beyond.

Yesterday your child should have received their Colour Explosion Fun Run prizes. Thank you again to our P&C for organising such a wonderful event. We hope you enjoy your prizes.

A message to our Year 6 students: You have been an amazing group of students and I am so proud of your achievements over the years. Please remember that you will always be a part of the 'Greenwell Point PS Family' as you make your way to high school and in the world. Following our core values of safety, respect and responsibility will help you navigate all spaces in your life with dignity. Enjoy everything that life has to offer you with an open heart, travel and see the world; it will help you to truly value what a great place Greenwell Point is as well as experiencing the many different and amazing cultures that are beyond our own very special country.

Congratulations to all students on their hard work and achievement in learning and friendship this year – I am extremely proud of every student at our school. Further congratulations to our recent award recipients at our Presentation Day.

As a final but not so happy message however, we have this week had staff and students testing positive to Covid. If you require more RAT tests, please contact the school. Please keep your children home if they have any signs or symptoms over the next 2 days. We would like everyone to be safe and healthy for the break.

Have a lovely break. We hope you get to spend some quality time with your families. Enjoy the new year and we will see you all back towards the end of January.

Merry Christmas.

Kinds regards,

Catherine Secombe
Principal



IMPORTANT DATES/Reminders

14th December: Reports home and the Year 6 farewell dinner 5:30pm – 7:30pm Greenwell Point Bowling Club.

15th December – School Rewards Day

Friday 16th December – Last Day for Students. At 2:50pm at the Jervis Street gates, we will have an honour guard for Year 6 Students. Come along and help us farewell them.

Holiday Uniform Shop: 30th January 2023 11am-1:30pm. Thank-you Mel and her team for organising the opportunity for parent/carers to access the uniform shop during the holidays; it is greatly appreciated. Uniform vouchers can be used on this day at the uniform shop (they cannot be used online at this stage).

Friday 27th and Monday 30th January: Staff Development Days

Tuesday 31st January 2023 – Year 1-6 students return to school

Tuesday and Wednesday 31st Jan and 1st Feb- Kindergarten Best Start Assessments

Kindergarten commence school – Thursday 2nd February.

SHOALHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL—UNIFORMS 2023

The uniform shop is open in the January 2023 school holidays by appointment only.

You can book an appointment via <https://calendly.com/shoalhavenhigh> or order online <https://daylightsportswear.com/shoalhaven> Daylight Sportswear (who run the Uniform Shop) are participating in the Service NSW's Back to School Voucher program for 2023. For more information: <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/back-to-school-vouchers>



Kayt and Jaicii teaching 3/4/5 to paint Aboriginal Christmas baubles



Years 3/4/5 and 5/6 Lego students participating in an interschool competition against Culburra and Falls Creek Public Schools.

