FROM THE PRINCIPAL

ALDRIDGE ENROLMENT INFORMATION EVENING

ALDRIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL
WILL BE ENROLMENT MANAGED AS OF 01 JULY 2014

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ENROLLING YOUR CHILD AT ALDRIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL AND WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE SCHOOL AND HOW ENROLMENT MANAGEMENT MIGHT AFFECT YOU, WE ARE HOLDING AN INFORMATION EVENING ON:

THURSDAY 19 JUNE
IN
K BLOCK THEATRE
ALDRIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL
FROM
6.00 PM—7.00 PM

SCHOOL OFFICE CLOSURE
Just a reminder that the School Office will be closed on Friday 27 June due to renovations being done. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause. We thank you for your understanding in this matter. The school office will re-open on Monday 14 July at 8.00 am.

UPCOMING DATES
- Friday 20 June—Wednesday 25 June — Year 11 & 12 Exams.
- Friday 27 June—Aldridge Athletics Carnival.
- Monday 30 June—Friday 11 July—Winter Vacation.
- Monday 14 July—School resumes for all students.
- Monday 14 July—Tuesday 15 July—Year 11 Leadership Camp.
ALDRIDGE GOT TALENT
Aldridge Got Talent Tickets are now ON SALE for the 14 August! Don’t miss out as this event is always a sell-out. With mobile phone voting, celebrity judges and more, this year’s event is shaping as the best ever. Tickets can be purchased from School Admin until the end of Term and then available from C3 Student Services in Term 3. Last year’s audience is already lining up for tickets and have been camping on the premises hours and days in advance to avoid disappointment. Tickets will not be sold on the night and must be pre-purchased. Tickets are $10.00 BOOK NOW!!!

ADAM HODGKINSON
Coordinator

ART ABILITY’S WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM
There are five Adult Workshops:
Saturday 28 June - Alla Prima en Plein-Air
Friday 04 July - Bookmaking
Saturday 05 July - Water-colour: Sea-Life
Friday 11 July - Calligraphy: Intro to Italics.
Saturday 12 July - Doodle Art for Relaxation

More details available at www.artability.com.au

If you would like to book in for any of these sessions or for Term 3, please do so by phoning 4124 5104 and I will then send you confirmation.

Term three begins on Tuesday 22 July from 10.00 am to 12.00 pm, Wednesday 23 July and Thursday 24 July from 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm. 9 x 2hour lessons.

Term three curriculum: ‘Acrylics - Fluidity and Structure’ Working in Acrylics, we will look at different surface treatments and use of a variety of painting mediums to create different effects in your work. We will look at using Fluid Acrylics to layer our work and create rich backgrounds on which to work. Learn a variety of basic techniques: colour blending, brush work, mixed-media printing, using a palette knife and impasto painting to add your library of skills and continue to master this very versatile medium.

P & C NEWS
Thanks to everyone who supported the Pie Drive Fundraiser, your support is really appreciated. Once all the final figures have been calculated, I will be able to advise how much we raised. Delivery is on Monday 16 June, so if you have forgotten to pick them up they are at the Tuckshop for collection.

The next P & C Meeting will be held on Wednesday 16 July which is a week later than usual because of the School Holidays.

A reminder that uniforms and calculators are available for sale in the Tuckshop. So buy them from the Tuckshop and help support the school. We are also offering a three month lay-by to pay off your uniforms. Just remember that the Tuckshop doesn’t have EFTPOS facilities, only cash or cheque.

Junior and Senior Polo Shirts $27.00
Blue Shorts $25.00
Hats $11.00
Purple Skirts $35.00
Winter Pullover Jumpers $40.00
Calculators $25.00

Our tuckshop is our most valuable fundraiser and it is desperately in need of volunteers to help out with preparation and serving. If you have any spare time to help out, this would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Juanita or Jenny at the Tuckshop on 4120 8423.

ELLEN BOLDERROW
Treasurer

SCHOOL PA SYSTEM
Lately the office has been receiving many last minute requests for change of pickup places, people and times for students across all year levels. We realise many of these changes are unavoidable but we ask that firm arrangements are made with your child/children before they leave for school in the morning.

Alterations to these arrangements should only be made in an emergency.

We thank you for your cooperation.

JACKSON DODD
Deputy Principal
TERM 1 MERITORIOUS RECIPIENTS

YEAR 8

YEAR 9

YEAR 10

YEAR 11
**YEAR 12**

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**WINTER VACATION OFFICE CLOSURE**

The school office will be closed from
3:30 pm on Thursday 26 June 2014

We will re-open for business at
8.00 am Monday 14 July 2014

We apologise for any inconvenience that this closure may cause.
We would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday, and we look forward to seeing you all for the commencement of Term 3.

Thank you

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**ALDRIDGE P.A. SYSTEM NOTICE**

The Aldridge P.A. System was installed for the purpose of relaying important school information to students (change in class information, excursions), and for use in emergency situations ie. the recent severe weather incident.

The school’s P.A. system is NOT intended to be used to call students to the office if parents/guardians have not provided their student with a note, or if parents/guardians have not phoned the school’s office to advise of their students early departure from school.

These continued disruptions to class time for student calls to the office will cause gaps in student learning. We therefore request, that parents/guardians either provide their student with a note or phone the office to advise of their student’s early departure from school.

We thank you for your consideration in this matter.
Aldridge Volleyball Fundraising

The Aldridge Volleyball Program is seeking support in raising funds for our Queensland and National Schools Cup Volleyball Campaign for 2014. At Aldridge we are very serious about our volleyball and we have achieved considerable success over the years winning many State and National medals. In 2013 the Year 8 boys were 3rd at the State Titles and 3rd at the National titles. The Year 9 boys were 3rd at the State Titles and 6th at the National titles. This is a great achievement for a regional school and it is mainly due to the commitment and hard work of Rob Thiele our Volleyball coordinator.

However, it is very expensive for our students especially if they are in the program every year for five years. We have volleyball teams for boys and girls from grade 8 to grade 12 and we are seeking support from businesses to help our students achieve their goals. The cost for each student ranges on their involvement but for our top players who play State Titles, Wide Bay, Nationals and in Queensland teams it amounts to many thousands of dollars.

Businesses can provide support through the following options:

- Donating something that we can raffle i.e. fuel voucher/sporting equipment/appliances/holiday etc. Free advertising to the value of the donation will be allocated
- Buying one of our advertising packages.

**Option 1**: Business card size Ad in our fortnightly newsletter plus advertising on our website ([http://aldridgeshs.eq.edu.au/wcms/](http://aldridgeshs.eq.edu.au/wcms/)). Cost for option 1 is $50.00/term or $200.00/year.

**Option 2**: Half page Ad in our newsletter plus advertising on our Facebook, website and electronic noticeboard outside the school. Cost for option 2 is $125.00/term or $500.00/year.

**Note**: Our website has a very high hit rate and we have 1050 students at present and next year our predicted enrolment is 1300 students.

**Note**: Businesses can nominate a particular student that they would like to sponsor.

If your business can help or if you have a contact for a business that you think could help, please contact the School on 0741 208 410 (or by email cread10@eq.edu.au) and ask to speak to Cynthia Jones our Business Services Manager.

We are very grateful to **Anne Madden** (local State Member of Parliament) and the **RSL** for their very generous donations.
We thank the following businesses for supporting us by taking up our advertising packages:

**Allen Gillespie Electrical**

**Michelle’s Cutting Edge** (Hair Designer 208 Walker St)

We are proud to thank **The Friendlies Discount Pharmacy**, 217 Adelaide St for kindly donating a beautiful Gift basket for our current fundraising raffle.

We would also like to thank the following businesses for donating items for future raffles:

- Bob Jane T-Mart (tyre voucher)
- Harvey Norman (steam mop)
- Video Ezzy (movie vouchers)
- Sports Power (inline skates)
- Good Price Pharmacy (Gift Basket)
- MBO (two pens)
- Sanity (CD’s)
- Chemist Warehouse (gift basket and sunshade)
- Tom’s Hair Creation (voucher)
- BiLo (gift card)
- Indian Diamond Restraunt (lunch voucher)