GOLD TICKET REWARD DAY

Yesterday Mrs. Beadle, Mr. Keen and myself had the pleasure of supervising the Gold Ticket Reward Day. It was a fantastic day when forty two very excited students travelled to Sky Zone for a high-energy trampolining session. The behaviour of our students was exemplary and Alexandra Hills State School received numerous positive remarks about how polite and well behaved the group was. These students certainly were great ambassadors for our school.

What has pleased me most has been the behaviour of the students who did not receive a Gold Ticket. I have been informed by teachers that some of the students who did not qualify have already identified their reasons for missing out and established a goal to ensure they are invited next term. It is very exciting to see exemplary behavior being acknowledged and a vast majority of students identifying areas that need to be addressed and striving for improvement. While our initial Gold Ticket Reward Day saw 25% of students being acknowledged, it is anticipated that this will steadily increase term by term.

Next term the Gold Ticket Reward Day will be offered again, with the Student Council consulting with the student body to determine where the reward day will take place.
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OSPREY CUP

Well done to all the students who represented Alexandra Hills State School in the Osprey Cup last Friday. It was a fantastic softball carnival, which saw our school compete against Wellington Point, Birkdale South and Gumdale State School. Our two senior teams were highly competitive and performed admirably. Our junior boys team made it to the Grand Final and while they did not win, certainly were highly competitive. Thank you to Mrs. Dabelstein and Mrs. Johnstone for training the teams and for the parents who came along to support the students.

TEACHER TRANSFERS

This week the first round of transfers for 2015 was released. I have been notified that Mrs. Saunders is being transferred next year. I am very excited for Mrs. Saunders and we wish her all the best. Staffing at Alexandra Hills State School will be finalised over the next term in the lead-up to next year.

Have a great holiday everyone! It has certainly been well earned. Next term will see a focus on academic excellence, exemplary behaviour, sporting opportunities and the chance to celebrate all that is good about Alexandra Hills State School. Next term we will be providing a whole-school swimming program which I am certain will be positively received as the weather starts to warm up. I look forward to catching up with everyone on Tuesday October 7 when Term 4 starts in earnest!

Wayne

Student of the week

DOING YOUR BEST

PF Chad
1R Crystal
1/2WZ Hayley
2C Travis
3B Ashlee
4J Jai
5D Quinn
5/6VN Sione
6PS Alice

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Our Osprey Cup “Best and Fairest” award winners. Well done!