



## **NOTICE TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS OF APCS, WUNANBIRI PRE-SCHOOL and the COMMUNITY CENTRE**

### **Child protection and safety**

The Alexandria Park Community School junior campus on Park Road runs programs for children from 0 – 16 years of age.

Of paramount importance is child protection and the safety of all children and staff who use this site.

There have been 2 reports this week of persons unknown to our community driving their cars into the school grounds during school hours and using the school facilities without permission. These incidents have been reported to the Police and the NSW Public Schools 'Safety and Security' Directorate.

A full risk assessment of the site will be undertaken with plans to document short, medium and long term improvements for the safety of the children and staff on the Park Road site during school days.

As of August 19, 2015 the car park gate will be locked from 9.15am till 3.00pm on school days.

As the Principal of the school, in partnership with Wunanbiri Pre-School and the Community Centre, we are working to improve the security fencing around the car park and at the entrance to the school on Park Road.

The City of Sydney Council have recently installed timed parking on Park Road and Belmont Street to assist parents and carers with safe drop off and pick up parking.

We trust that our community understands why this action is being taken and supports our school, pre-school and community centre in this matter.

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Principal  
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