



Immunisation Consent Card Winner

Congratulations to Korumburra Secondary College on achieving a 100 per cent return rate for immunisation consent cards for the fourth year running. Each year South Gippsland Shire Council awards a prize to the secondary school that connects the most students with the secondary school immunisation program.

Korumburra Secondary College were this year's winners with Mirboo North Secondary College coming second after increasing their return rate from 82 per cent last year to 96 per cent this year.

South Gippsland Shire Council's Immunisation Program Team Leader Tim DeVere is pleased with how many consent cards were returned.

"South Gippsland secondary schools achieved very impressive immunisation consent card returns this year. All schools had at least 80 per cent of the cards returned which means over 700 students in years 7 and 10 are on track to being protected against disease.

"We would like to thank all of the schools for their participation and the office staff and teachers who distributed the immunisation packs and provided information on the immunisation program. Without their support it is unlikely that we would have had such a terrific result," said Mr. DeVere.

This week, Korumburra Secondary College was presented with a certificate and gift vouchers as part of their achievement. The immunisations will occur early next year. For more information about the immunisation program, please phone 5662 9200.

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