

12 CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS (AN454-204)

It is recommended that all Community Centres/Complexes, Community Libraries, Central Library, The Shore, and Mitchell Street Centre will be closed from Friday, 24 December until Tuesday, 28 December 2004, inclusive.

During the New Year period, Community Centres/Complexes and Community Libraries, Central Library, The Shore and Mitchell Street Centre will be closed from Saturday 1 January until Tuesday 4 January 2005, inclusive.

Experience has shown on New Year's Eve, Central Library and Community Libraries are very quiet. It is recommended that libraries scheduled to be open beyond 5.00 pm close at that time on Friday 31 December 2004. Where appropriate, staff timetables will be adjusted to take account of these opening hours i.e. all staff throughout the department will have the equivalent of five public holidays. Notices will be posted advising the public of the holiday period opening hours.

"The Corner" will be closed from Saturday 25 December until Monday, 27 December, inclusive, and again from Saturday 1 January until Monday, 3 January 2005, inclusive. The Family Planning Doctor will be available on Friday 24 December, 1.00 pm until 3.00 pm, and Friday 31 December, 1.00 pm until 3.00 pm.