



## STATE RECOGNITION OF BE CENTRE

From Hansard Transcript of the NSW Legislative Assembly on 22 June 2023

**Mr RORY AMON (Pittwater)**— I pay tribute to wonderful work undertaken by the Be Centre in the Pittwater and Northern Beaches community. The Be Centre is pioneering play therapy, creating a safe space for kids to simply "be" and work through their challenges under the care of highly qualified therapists.

Thank you to founder, Deborah Killelea, CEO, Michelle Carlyle, Clinical Manager, Penny Bird, for meeting with me and sharing all about the life changing work of the Be Centre. Thank you to Fiona Geoghegan for giving me a practical understanding of play therapy by showing me through how a typical session might run.

I look forward to supporting the Be Centre's work in the years ahead. I am pleased that these words of thanks will now be preserved in the records of the oldest Parliament of our country, as a small recognition of your work.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of the letters "RA" followed by a long, sweeping flourish.

RORY AMON MP  
MEMBER FOR PITTWATER

