LPS LIBRARY OPEN MORNING

The first ever LPS Library open morning was a huge success with many families coming along to take advantage of the morning; reading, using the laptops and iPads, using the catalogue, playing and trying their hand at origami. There was even some book covering.

Thanks to all the families and staff who came along and gave such positive feedback. Look out for another one next term!

Mrs Ramsay: Teacher - Librarian.
Principal’s Report

Aladdin
Last Thursday saw the last performance of Aladdin put on by The Rivers P-12. The reviews have been outstanding. Well done to Heather Cole and Sophie Mohr for their work with the band, and to our star students Daisy T, Phoebe H, Emmeline T and Alyssa H.

Kindergarten 2016 Information Session
Don’t forget we have the Kindergarten information session here in the Kindergarten rooms from 6.00pm till 7.00pm this evening. We hope to see all our new families. Be sure to contact the office should you require information about enrolment.

Mrs Carrall
After many years of dedicated service to students at Lismore Public School, Julie Carrall will be enjoying well-earned long service leave during Term 3. I trust Mrs Carrall enjoys some well-earned time away from school. Ms Andrea Whitton will be teaching 3/4C during this time. I welcome Ms Whitton to the teaching staff at Lismore PS.

Farewell Ms Mohr
This week we farewell Sophie Mohr from Lismore Public School. Sophie is moving to take up her new position at Victoria Avenue Public School in Sydney. I wish Sophie well in her new role. Mrs Emily McKenzie will be teaching SCH temporarily while a permanent replacement is found.

Girls Basketball Results
Well done to our girls basketball team. They played the first three rounds of the PSSA Statewide Knockout last week and won all three games comfortably. Good luck to the girls Basketball team this Friday at Byron Bay. Good luck to the boys who are playing the fourth round in Byron on Friday also.

Inquiry-Based Learning
Selected students from Years 2 to 6 have been involved in extension lessons on a Wednesday this semester. This will continue next term, but the focus will move to inquiry-based learning. Selected extension students will work with Mrs Ramsay to develop their independent inquiry-based learning. We look forward to seeing how these students progress.

Library Open Day
Approximately nine families visited the LPS library on Saturday morning to take advantage of the Open Day. Thanks to Mrs Ramsay for making the facility available.

Peanuts
Please note that, as we have several students who suffer from anaphylaxis (a severe life threatening allergic response) when exposed to peanuts, we ask that families refrain from sending peanut products to school. Students are also reminded that they are not to share food.

Working Bee
Thanks to Judy Faulks and fellow P&C members who are working on installing new garden beds in the infants area this coming Sunday. The garden beds will be a welcome addition to the infants play area and provide the younger students with the opportunity to grow some fresh produce.

Martin Gill
Principal

Parent Online Payment
Parent online payment is now available for payments of more than $10 per student. The ‘$ make payment’ link can be accessed from our school website. Unfortunately payment is not available for P&C fundraising, school uniforms or canteen items. Please send a copy of the receipt number issued to you at the time of payment to the school so we can make it as paid against your child.

Debbie Murray - School Administrative Manager
RESPECT - Be Caring and Polite

SCJ students painted the colours of the Aboriginal flag onto their hand and then pressed their hands onto a paper plate to make a fantastic design. The students then used yellow, black and red paint to decorate around the edge.

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

Focus this week is: STOP! LOOK! LISTEN! Ask your child/ren if they can show you what it looks like.

1. Walk in office area
2. Wait your turn
3. Report to office person

BE RESPECTFUL
WEAR CORRECT UNIFORM
SPEAK POLITELY
FOLLOW STAFF INSTRUCTIONS
BE PUNCTUAL

Music Lessons

Music lessons for term 3 are now being accepted at the office for students intending to continue learning with Andrew Hills or Ian Smith. The term 3 timetable will be available on Wednesday of week 1 for all students that have paid.

Fees for Term 3 are $100 ($120 drums) plus $20 hire fee and must be paid in full prior to commencement of lessons. Payment can be paid by cash, cheque, Eftpos (in person or over the phone) and POP (Parent online payment) which can be accessed from the school website.

School Contribution

The Voluntary Contribution for the 2015 school year is $35 per student or $70 per family for 2 or more students. You may pay by cash, cheque, eftpos or credit card over the phone.

The school supplies students with all their books, pens and pencils which are funded through the voluntary contribution.

This year again we will be raffling passes to one of the theme parks for families who had paid their contribution.

The school extends its appreciation to those families who have already paid.

These students and staff have worked very hard in the Aladdin musical. The performance was amazing. Everyone worked hard to bring this performance together.

Sophie - Signing coordinator
RESPONSIBILITY - Be Accountable

Principal Awards

Infants White Awards:
KC: Jordan J, Mia G, Jaxon S
1S: Tanisha S, Amarachi O
2G: Max H

Primary White Awards:
3/4C: Tahla M, Lateisha McN, Gemma S, Akasha G

Bronze Awards:
KM: Milan C
3/4C: Heath E, Petar T, Emma L, Chloe B, Noah H, Miles G
4/5K: Jacob F, Jordan B

Sliver Awards:
KM: Yumiko A
1S: Lisa T

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The staff and students of LPS would like to thank the students from Southern Cross Uni.
They have now completed their 4th year practicum.
We wish them all the best for the future.

As of Term 3 the Newsletter will no longer be printed for kindergarten and support classes. The newsletter will be available through the school website, facebook or Skoolbag App. A hard copy can be collected from the school front office.
The newsletter will be emailed out to all parents on our distribution list. If we don’t have your email address, please let us know as soon as possible.

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