On Friday 7th August we had our school Athletics Carnival. There was wonderful sportsmanship on display and excellent support from a wonderful crowd of family & friends. Banjora was the winning house. Bianca K set a new school record for the 12 yrs 100 metres.
Principal’s Report

ICAS Science Competition
Congratulations to the following students for their achievements in the ICAS Science Competition: Fynn C and D’Coda W (Participation); Jesse A-G (Merit); Daisy T (Credit); and Ernie M (Distinction).

Bookweek Parade
Please note that the Lismore Public School Bookweek Parade will be held on Thursday 3rd September from 12.00pm followed by a barbecue lunch. The theme is ‘books light up our world’ and children are encouraged to dress up for the parade. Sausage sizzle will be $2 while vegie patties will be available for $4. All are welcome.

School Concert – Wednesday 16th September
Be sure to put the school concert in your diary. Thanks to Lismore High School, this year it will be on the evening of Wednesday 16th September in the Lismore High School Hall. More information will be forthcoming.

Thanks P&C
I would like to thank the P&C for their ongoing support of Lismore Public School. At last Tuesday’s meeting they gave the school a cheque for $2000 for the purchase of library books. Special thanks to Sean and Jen Foster and Bruno Bolliger for assembling all the new P&C donated seats in the infants playground.

Uniforms
On another note, recently P&C approved the addition of A-line skirts as part of the girls’ uniform. These are now available through the uniform shop for $14.50. Note: these are in addition to the shorts.

Martin Gill
Principal

Mufti Day
LPS SRC held a mufti day last Friday to support the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter. Students donated over $250.00 and had a great day. Thanks to everyone who participated.
Term Three is always a busy time for music students at LPS. Next week Lismore PS students in the Lismore Performing Arts Festival concert band and the Senior Choir will be performing at the Lismore Workers Club at the LPASF. The concert band will be performing at the start of the concerts on both Tuesday and Wednesday nights as well as in the matinee on Thursday and the Senior Choir will be performing on Tuesday night. Tickets are on sale at the Workers Club for these concerts now. All families are welcome to attend these concerts and are encouraged to support the talent of the students from public school in and around Lismore.

Sixteen students from the Senior Choir have been selected to be part of the Primary Choir in Schools Spectacular in Sydney in November this year. Congratulations to: Emmeline, Izak, Maia, Aviva, Harry, Redmond, Alyssa, Sebastian, Keira, Breanna, Teagan, Brooke, Zander, Akasha, Mollie and Linh. The excursion will be supervised by Mrs Berry and Mrs Cole with assistance from Leanne, Jenni, Nina, Angela and Justin. We have registered to be part of a program called ‘SpecConnect’ in order to use technology to work with a city school to prepare for Schools Spectacular.

Fundraising activities will be starting soon so keep an eye out for information in the newsletter and posters in the playground letting you know of the exciting events coming up.

Heather Cole
Music Co-ordinator

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

IN ALL CORRIDORS

1. Walk quietly on the left
2. When inside walk in a single line
3. When outside walk in two lines
4. Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself
5. Carry equipment
6. Place belongings neatly in your designated area

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

Fresh for Kids Canteen Campaign

We are again partnering with Sydney Markets to encourage healthy eating in Term 3. The program starts NOW and runs for the next 5 weeks. Every time your child orders a ‘Green’ item from the list below they will get a sticker, once they have 2 stickers they win a pencil and character eraser. At the end all eligible kids from around the state go into the draw to win great prizes.

First Prize: Home Entertainment Pack (32”LED TV and 3D Blu-ray Second Prize: 1 of 3 iPad Mini Third Prize: 1 of 10 Gift Packs (Bag, Lunchbox and Drink Bottle) Fourth Prize : 1 of 20 Movie Gift Cards.

This is a great initiative offered to our school to encourage good food choices. We encourage everyone to get involved and participate.

Eligible food items: Piece of Fruit, ham or chicken and salad wrap or sandwich, Yogurt and Berry Cup, Fruit Salad Cup, Smoothie

Clarification of food service times

The Canteen Committee would like to clarify the food service times for Frozen Items. These times are to ensure that the children have adequate time to finish their food before class time.

RECESS: Ice Cups are only available at recess By order Only. All other frozen items including Slushies MUST be purchased by 11:30am.
LUNCH: All frozen items including Slushies and Ice Cups must be purchased by 1:35pm.

Jen - Canteen

Voluntary School Contributions Draw

LAST CHANCE!!!

We have tickets for 2 adults and 2 children to Sea World on the Gold Coast being drawn at assembly “THIS FRIDAY” 21st August.

The school supplies students with all their books, pens, pencils and other supplies which are funded through the school contribution. Your contribution makes this all possible.

If you have paid the voluntary school contribution or you pay by Friday 21st (am) your child will be in the draw to win these great tickets.

School fees are $35 a year for one child and $70 a year for families two or more. You can pay by cash, cheque, eftpos, parent online payment or credit over the phone. Thank you to all the families who have already paid.

Tickets expire May 2016
RESPONSIBILITY - Be Accountable

Principal Awards

Infants White Awards:
1S: William V
SCS: Patrick C
2/3S: Sophia G

Primary White Awards:
5/6W: Rocket W, Aviva G, Izak H, Phoebe S, Phoebe H, Tahnia M, Alyssa H

Silver Awards:
SCS: Callie B, Lucy M, Reece S
1S: Amarachi O, Warren W, Tanisha S
5/6W: Ava T, Maia B

Gold Award:
5/6W: Emmeline T

Principal Awards will be presented on:
Friday - Bronze, Silver, Gold & Platinum
Monday - Infants Awards
Wednesday - Primary Awards