## Term 4, Week 5

### Lismore Public School

**Excellence, Opportunity and Success**

### Newsletter

#### Term 3 Week 9

#### 8th September 2015

**Date** | **Event** | **Venue** | **Cost** | **Time**
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8/9/15 | Scripture | LPS | NIL | 2pm
8/9/15 | P&C Meeting - All welcome | LPS | NIL | 6-7pm
10/9/15 | Senior School Choir Performing | Bunnings | NIL | 6.30pm
11/9/15 | Casual Day - Odd Socks | LPS | Gold Coin | All Day
11/9/15 | School Spectacular Fundraiser BBQ | LPS | Gold Coin | All Day
11/9/15 | School Assembly | LPS | NIL | 2.30pm
13/9/15 | Oddball - Schools Spectacular fundraiser | Lismore Cinemas | $17.50 | 3pm
14/9/15 | LPS Concert | LPS Hall | $5.00 | 6pm
15/9/15 | Scripture | LPS | NIL | 2pm
16/9/15 | LPS Concert | LPS Hall | $5.00 | 6pm
18/9/15 | School Assembly | LPS | NIL | 2.30pm
18/9/15 | Last Day - Term 3 | | | |
6/10/15 | 1st Day Back - Term 4 | | | |

**Wishing you all a safe and happy holiday**
Principal’s Report

Bookweek – Thanks Mrs Ramsay
Thank you to Mrs Ramsay for her work supporting literacy appreciation throughout Bookweek culminating in the library opening on Saturday. Thursday’s parade was well supported and a lot of fun. Thank you also to the teachers and parents/carers who made the day so enjoyable.

P&C
Don’t forget P&C this evening from 6.00pm in the staffroom.

School Concert
Thanks to Mrs Hendricks and the staff at Lismore Public School our concert will be next Monday and Wednesday evening from 6.00pm. Please be sure to purchase tickets from the office.

Paper Planes
Pete Thompson has been working with senior students on constructing paper planes on Fridays at lunch times. The students enjoyed making various designs in the hall. Thanks to Pete for his time and efforts.

Lismore Network Awards
Congratulations to four members of the Lismore Public School community whose efforts are being recognised at next Thursday’s Lismore and Richmond Valley Awards Ceremony at Kadina High School. Staff members Sue Dillon and David Hoskins are receiving awards for constantly going beyond the call of duty to support our kids. Sharon Lane is being acknowledged for her tireless work fundraising for P&C, while Daisy Thompson is receiving a student award for academic excellence and citizenship.

Good Luck Ethan W
Good luck to Ethan W who is representing the North Coast at the NSW PSSA State Golf Championships.

Martin Gill
Principal

Eisteddfod
For over a century the Lismore Music Festival Society has been functioning to help foster skills and abilities that contribute to the Performing Arts in our community. Lismore Public School students have performed at the Festival Eisteddfod in years gone by and this year Emily Simpson and Jesse Alexander-Gordon did us proud with their first public performance on the trumpet. It was held at the Lismore Workers’ Club where they played a lovely duet together titled ‘Berceuse’ and then Jesse played a solo for trumpet, with his Dad accompanying him on the piano. Both students received encouraging feedback on their playing from the Festival’s Brass Adjudicator and were awarded prizes also. Emily and Jesse commenced trumpet lessons last year through the school music program that Mrs Cole co-ordinates. They have a half hour shared lesson each week during school time and hire a school instrument to take home and practise. Jesse and Emily both practise the trumpet regularly at home most days, which their tutor says has been the secret to their wonderful success. Emily and Jesse also play trumpet in the Combined Band with a number of students from Lismore Public and other local schools.

Ian Smith - Music Teacher

Schools Spectacular Fundraising
Senior Choir – the LPS Senior Choir will be performing at Bunnings this Thursday evening at 6:30pm. The choir has been commended on the standard of their singing and discipline in recent performances and this presentation provides an opportunity to showcase the choir in the wider community.

‘Odd Sock’ day is this Friday so all students at LPS are invited to wear ‘odd socks’ to school and contribute a gold coin donation towards the fundraising efforts for the students participating in Schools Spectacular. There will also be a bbq providing sausage sandwiches for $2 each. On Sunday the movie ‘Oddball’ is screening at the Lismore Cinema at 3:00pm. Tickets are $17.50 each and children will receive a popper and packet of chips. All LPS families are encouraged to attend to enjoy a family afternoon together. Movie tickets are available from the front office at school. Schools Spectacular students please return unsold tickets and movie ticket money to the front office. A car wash, bbq and cake stall have been organised for Friday, 9th October and Saturday, 10th October in the grounds of LPS. This is at the end of week 1 next term. Sedans and hatches are $10 each and 4WD vehicles are $15. Bookings and payments are able to be made at the front office at school. Get in early to ensure you don’t miss out. If anyone is able to contribute home-made baked items for the cake stall please deliver them to school on either Thursday, 8/10/15 or Friday 9/10/15. All items must have a list of all ingredients included. Posters will be displayed this week of the raffle to be drawn on 30th October. More details will be included in the newsletter next week.

Thank you for your support of the fundraising endeavours.

Heather Cole - Music Coordinator
**Computer lessons Term 3**

Students have been actively participating in computer lessons this term. Kindergarten have been accessing their portal and using links to undertake various activities. They have also been using Microsoft Word to publish their writing.

Stage 1 have been putting together PowerPoint presentations based on their work on ‘Insects’.

Stage 2 have been working on Popplets and Weeblys based on their research on ‘animals’.

Stage 3 have been working with Google apps to write and share fractured fairy tales or dreamtime stories. They have then used Photostory or Movie Maker to publish their work.

Students will also be discussing cyber safety as part of their lessons in the coming weeks. Please follow this link to reinforce the importance of safety online.


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**I am going to Black Heath on the 14th and 15th September to represent the North Coast in the State Golfing Championship.**

I hope to play well and exceed all of my dreams And try to make the team.

By Ethan W - 5/6D

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**Woolworth Earn and Learn**

This fundraiser is coming to an end. Please send any stickers you have collected into the school as soon as possible. Thank you to all the families who collected stickers for our school.

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**Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)**

- Be Respectful
- Wear correct uniform
- Speak politely
- Follow staff instructions
- Be punctual

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

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**Vegie Crunch Thursday**

On Thursday our school had vegie crunch day.

The canteen ladies enjoyed vegie crunch day as well. Thanks sharna for organising vegies we all enjoyed vegie crunch.

By Maia B
RESPONSIBILITY - Be Accountable

Principal Awards

Infants White Awards:
KC: Jai P
KM: Zara G, Jaxon M
1D: Oliver W, Cleo B, Samuel G
2H: Neala T-W, Harrison T

Primary White Awards:
5/6D: Julian T, James F, Danielle B, Rory P, Kiarna B, John G

Silver Awards:
KM: Jayson J
1D: Alex S, Ajay W, Tayla C, Charlie L, Cameron F
5/6D: Bianca K, Ethan W, Mikayla K, Jasmine C-D, Cooper Mc-E, James F

Gold Awards:
KM: Yumiko A
5/6D: Max A

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

Bronze Awards:
KC: Jordan J
2H: Jesse A, Brody W, Kyrra H
3/4C: Gemma F
5/6R: Josh R

Lismore Vacation Care
Is now taking bookings for the Sept-Oct 2015 School holidays
ENROL NOW
Phone 66217397 or email kids@lnci.org.au  lnci.org.au

Come and see the special screening of “Oddball” for LPS Students, families and friends...
Based on a true story, Oddball is a Maremma dog who becomes a hero for protecting a colony of little penguins from wild cats and dogs.
Cost is $17.50 per ticket which includes a packet of chips and a drink!

13 SEPTEMBER 2015 - 3PM
BIRCH CARROLL & COYLE LISMORE
FUNDRAISING SCREENING OF “ODDBALL”

Proceeds go to supporting the Lismore Public School Choir (Students who will be travelling to Sydney to perform at the QPACQ Credit Union Arena (Sydney - QPACQ Credit Union Arena (Sydney - Entertainment Centre) in the School Spectacular. Thank you for your support.

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