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Term 1 Week 9

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Principal’s Message

Stage Two and Stage Three enjoyed a wonderful day yesterday at the “Colonial Show”. So many children dressed up and they looked fabulous. A great incursion was had by all. Thanks Miss Hale for all your work in bringing this excursion to school.

Dates for your calendar

31/3 Parent helper afternoon to make Easter raffle baskets 1.40pm—2.40pm
4/4 School Cross Country
9/4 Easter Hat Parade Day - 12pm under the COLA
11/4 Recognition Assembly

Please note:
More information and notes to follow, closer to the events.

Road Safety

A reminder to parents who pick up and drop off children by car. Rangers are constantly monitoring both Reddall Pde and Pur Pur Avenue. Parents have been booked for picking up and dropping off children in no stopping zones as well as making U-Turns over double lines. Please be mindful of the road rules when driving near schools. It is about the safety of all the children!

Uniform Shop News

Open Mondays & Thursdays 8.15—9am in the Hall.
More Caps ordered, awaiting delivery.

We have secondhand items available for a gold coin donation.

Skoolbag

Thanks to those families who have downloaded the skoolbag App. We have received some great feedback so will look to purchase this app so all smartphone users can access. I’ll let you know when it is available for android and i-pad users.

Have a great week.
Are your kids eligible for FREE dental?

The Child Dental Benefits Scheme is here!

Make an appointment with one of our friendly Dentists 4296 2246 or 4296 7230

Canteen Availability

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Phone: ____________________________

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EASTER HAT MAKING AND PARADE

Wednesday 9th April 2014

The children in K/1GC, KW, 1/2E, 1/2P & 2B will be participating in our Easter Hat making and Parade on Wednesday 9th April.

Parents and Carers are invited to come to our classrooms at 11.10am to assist the children in making their hats. They will then parade them in the COLA at 12.00pm. Pre school children are also invited to participate in the parade. The children in K - 2 classes can wear sensible play clothes - ie a Mufti day.

EASTER HAT PARADE

The Easter Hat Parade is on Wednesday 9th April, only 2 weeks away!!

Please don't forget next Monday 31st March, when we will have a Working Bee in the staffroom at 2.45pm to make up Easter Baskets for the Easter Raffle.

If you forgot to send in donations, they are still welcome.

Please keep those raffle tickets coming in!

Thank you
Trudi Gallagher

EASTER RAFFLE TICKETS

Tickets were sent home last Thursday, for our HUGE EASTER RAFFLE.

After returning books of ‘Sold’ tickets, extra books may be picked up from the Office.

We ask that books of ‘unsold’ tickets be returned to school please.

Please place tickets and money in an envelope with your child’s NAME, CLASS and amount of money, clearly written on the front.

Please return all tickets by Monday 7th April.

Thank you for your continuing support of Lake Illawarra South Public School

More Colonial day Fun!!
### School Zone Parking Offences

**Current as at 1 July 2013**

**NO STOPPING**
- Means that in the area in the direction of the arrow, you must **NOT STOP your vehicle** at any point on the road or kerb, unless there is a medical or other emergency.

**Maximum Penalty**
- $405
- + 2 Demerit Points

**Penalty**
- $169
- + 2 Demerit Points

**BUS ZONE**
- Means that in the direction of the arrow or arrows you are not allowed to stop your vehicle unless you are driving a bus.

**Maximum Penalty**
- $304
- + 2 Demerit Points

**DOUBLE PARKING**
- You are **NOT PERMITTED** to stop or park your vehicle alongside another vehicle that is already parked parallel to the kerb.

**Maximum Penalty**
- $304
- + 2 Demerit Points

- **STOP in a NO STOPPING zone:** $304 + 2 Demerit Points
- **STOP on or near a Children’s or Pedestrian Crossing (within 20m on approach & 10m on departure side of crossing):** $405 + 2 Demerit Points
- **STOP on path/strip in built up area:** $169 + 2 Demerit Points

**Please Note:** Fines subject to change without notice. These penalties apply to offences in school zones only while the zone is active.

### School Zone Traffic Offences

**As at 1 July 2013**

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**Maximum Penalty**
- $3,612
- + 7 Demerit Points

**Penalty**
- $405
- + 4 Demerit Points

**MOBILE PHONE USE**
- Drive using a hand-held mobile phone in a School Zone.

**Maximum Penalty**
- $405
- + 4 Demerit Points

**CHILDREN’S CROSSINGS**
- Disobey hand-held stop sign at Children’s Crossing or approach Children’s Crossing too quickly to stop safely.

**Maximum Penalty**
- $506
- + 4 Demerit Points

**U-TURNS**
- Make a U-Turn without giving way to pedestrian or vehicle in a School Zone

**Maximum Penalty**
- $405
- + 4 Demerit Points

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For a full list of all new penalties and offences, please visit: www.rms.nsw.gov.au or phone the RMS on: 13 22 13

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