**Principal’s Message**

It is wonderful to be back. I enjoyed a very restful holiday in Fiji where snorkelling and swimming took up most of my days. I made a very interesting visit to a local school where I discovered that children are not allowed to watch TV Monday – Thursday or swim in the sea during the school week. As well as this, all students stay back 1/2 hour every afternoon to clean the school and do the gardening!!! Wonder if that would work here….

**Farewell Mr Evans**

Yesterday we said farewell to Mr Evans who has moved on to retired life. We had a wonderful celebration assembly coordinated by Mr Mac where many memories of Mr E’s teaching career were shared with children, staff and parents. Stage Three then sang a wonderful, original song to the music of “Let it Go”.

We all wish Mr Evan’s well in his retired life. He will be greatly missed by everyone here at Lake South.

**Lolly Alert**

At Lake South we promote healthy eating by encouraging children to bring in healthy lunches and snacks. Over the past weeks it has been noted that a large number of students are bringing in sherbert straws, candy dummies, large packets of chips and similar unhealthy snacks. Students are consuming these foods in large quantities before school and at recess. The resulting behaviour of these students is often very hyperactive and disruptive both in the playground and classroom.

We are asking that parents not send these foods to school for consumption. I understand a number of students are purchasing these foods at the local store on their way to school and we are requesting that parents speak to children about their food selection. If students are seen eating these foods during break times, will be asked to put them away for eating after school hours. We appreciate your support in this matter.

**Winter Jumpers**

As the weather finally cools down I would like to remind students that the colour of our school jumper is navy blue. We are working together as a team to ensure students are wearing the correct school uniform so our school is represented with pride.

School jumpers are available for purchase in the uniform shop. There are also a number of second hand jumpers available.

*Please make sure your child’s jumper has their name in it.* Children often leave clothing behind and if it has a name can be returned. Last year we filled three Stewart House Bags with unclaimed clothing.

See you around in the playground!!

**Dates for your Calendar:**

- 29/5 School Athletics Carnival
- 2/6 P&C Meeting in Library at 7pm
- 20/6 School Disco’s

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

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**Uniform Shop News**

**Open**

Mondays & Thursdays
8.15—9am in the Hall.

The Sport shirts in size 8 are now in ($25).

The secondhand items are in desperate need of Polo shirts and Sport shirts. These items are available for a gold coin donation.

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Students should not enter the school grounds until 8.15am
The School Office is opened at 8.15am
Students must be collected from school by 2.40pm
Parents must send in a note when students are Absent or Late. Notify the office of any changes to phone numbers or address
Pets are not permitted on the school grounds
**Weekly Class Winners**
For week ending 23/5/14

- Avah B  K/1GC
- Mia-Lea M  KW
- Imogen Y  1/2E
- Jaylinta B  1/2P
- Matthew D  2B
- Lauren T  3/4F
- Kalani F  3/4O
- Will H  4/5S
- Chantelle B  5/6H
- Chenoa H  5/6R
- Mia-Lea M  Canteen Voucher Winner
- Brandon H  Movie Voucher

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**BRONZE AWARDS**
For Week Ending 23/5/14

- Charlie D  1/2P
- Robert K  1/2E

**STAR AWARDS**
For Week Ending 23/5/14

- Holly A  1/2E
- Cooper B  1/2E
- Kye B  5/6R
- Reece C  5/6R
- Trinity C  1/2E
- Shanae C  5/6R
- Riley C  5/6R
- Charlie D  1/2P
- Maddison D  5/6R
- Zane D  4/5S
- Ryan D  5/6R
- Khalani H  1/2P
- Jaelan H  1/2E
- Kaitlen H  5/6R
- Brandon H  1/2E
- Daniel K  5/6R
- Keeley K  1/2P
- Robert K  1/2E
- Ty Lowe  5/6R
- Bryanna L  5/6R
- Sadi M  5/6R
- Remy M  5/6R
- Jye McK  5/6H
- Logan O  5/6H
- Miranda P  5/6R
- Oskar S  1/2E
- Nicolas S  5/6H
- Ned S  1/2P
- Andre T  4/5S
- Courtney T  4/5S
- Andrew T  5/6H
- Katrina T  5/6R
- Lochlan W  5/6R
- Jordyn W  5/6R

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**BIGGEST MORNING TEA**

Firstly, A BIG Thankyou to the students, parents/carers and whole school community for your support of our Biggest Morning Tea, held last Thursday.

A special thankyou to all the wonderful parents that cooked cakes and slices.

And a very BIG thankyou to “Queen St Bakery” and “Leisure Coast Bakery” for their generous donations towards our morning tea.

Together, we raised an amazing $428 for the Cancer Council.

Thankyou again,
Mrs S Fuller

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**P&C MEETING**

Please be advised that the next P&C Meeting will be held on Monday 2nd June 2014 at 7pm in the school Library.

We look forward to seeing you all there.

P&C Committee

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**ATTENTION**

Please be advised that there has been a case of German Measles in the school.

Symptoms include: mild fever, runny nose, swollen nodes, pink blotchy rash that lasts a short time.

Your child will need to stay home for at least 4 days after the rash appears.

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**PREVOCATIONAL PROGRAMS**

The Prevocational Programs Unit at Tafe NSW Wollongong Campus will be conducting an Employment and Training course for people who want to develop skills for employment or further study. The course will commence in July 2014.

This course is suitable for women and single parents and covers employment and further study skills. The course is the Certificate 111 in Employment and training.

Please contact Antonia Balding on 4229 0036 for further information or attend one of the information sessions:

- Wed 18/6/14 4pm - 5.30pm
- Wed 25/6/14 4pm - 5.30pm

At Wollongong Campus, Building L, Room L.2.17.

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**SCHOOL DISCO NIGHT**

The P&C will be holding a Disco for all years, on Friday 20th June 2014, in the School Hall.

Years K - 2  (4.30pm - 6pm)
Years 3– 6  (6.30pm - 8pm)

Entry fee: $6 per child—**Payable on the night, at the door.**

The Canteen will be open on the night for the purchase of food and drinks.

Thankyou and we look forward to seeing you there.

Fundraising Committee
MR EVANS' RETIRES!!