Principal’s Message

We are now Paperless !!!!!

The newsletter is now available on line from today!!!! A small number of paper copies will be kept in the office for families who cannot access the newsletter electronically. If you wish to receive a paper copy, your child will need to visit the office to get one.

Our newsletter can be accessed electronically three ways. You can download the Skoolbag App onto your smartphone – we currently have 128 families who have this. Each Wednesday the newsletter is sent electronically. You can access the newsletter via our website:

http://www.lakeillaws-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

We are having some technical difficulties setting up the email system but will rectify this as soon as possible. Until this is resolved, if you would like the newsletter emailed to you, please contact the office and provide your email address and we will arrange for the newsletter to be emailed weekly.

If you need more info on how to download the Skoolbag App, please contact the office.

Thanks for your support with our paper free endeavours!!!

Staffing

There have been a few staffing changes this term. Mr Mac is now on long service leave until his official retirement at the end of the year. Mrs Hendriks will replace Mr Mac Monday - Thursday and Miss Alliston will be in this position on Friday, for the remainder of this term.

Mr Richard Evan’s position has been filled through merit selection. Congratulations to Mrs Melissa Gibson-Dean who will begin her role as Assistant Principal in a part-time capacity next term. She will begin fulltime at Lake South from the beginning of 2015. She will assume the teaching load vacated by Mr Mac this term. A big thanks to Joanna Grozdanovski who was the parent rep on our selection panel which was held earlier this term.

Mrs Bowden is taking some leave and will be absent across the next three Fridays. Mrs Hendriks will relieve on her class and lessons will follow the regular classroom program.

Mr Robson will be finishing in his role as General Assistant at the end of this term as he has accepted a position at Warrawong High School. Mr Fell has accepted the position as offered through the Department of Education and Communities. We welcome him to our staff beginning next term.

Finally, Mrs Fuller has begun her maternity leave and Miss Jacqui Koerner will take on the class in a full-time capacity. We wish her the very best in welcoming her baby early next term.

School enrolments for 2015

We are now accepting enrolments for 2015. If you have a child or know of a child who is in area and will be enrolling in 2015, please come to the office for an enrolment form. If you are out of area, you can make an application for kindergarten 2015. A panel will review all applications and will determine at this time if out of area placements are available. Please view the school enrolment policy on our website for more information.

If you will be leaving the school in 2015, could you please let the office know as we are already making plans for the 2015 school year.
**GOTCHA**

**Weekly Class Winners**

For week ending 22/08/14

- Mylee P  K/1GC
- Kai S  KW
- Drake M  1/2E
- Jemma W  2B
- Jorja H  3/4F
- Lisa P  3/4O
- Oscar B  4/5S
- Kasey A  5/6H
- Holly B  5/6R
- Lisa P  Canteen Voucher Winner
- Sean G  Movie Voucher Winner

**STAR AWARDS**

For Week Ending 29/08/14

- Thalia C  5/6H
- Ella D  K/1GC
- Declan DaS  5/6H
- Gabriel T  5/6H

**BRONZE AWARDS**

For Week Ending 29/08/14

- Ethan A  1/2E
- Cooper B  1/2E
- Alicia L  1/2E
- Bowen M  1/2P

**SILVER AWARDS**

For Week Ending 29/08/14

- Avah B  K/1GC
- Sunni L  1/2E
- Lucy N  K/1GC
- Harry S  K/1GC

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**Kindergarten Enrolments**

If you have enrolled your child in Kindergarten for 2015, could we please have all of the paperwork returned to the office as soon as possible, to finalise the enrolment for in area. Thankyou.

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**Shellharbour BIKEABOUT**

Sunday 14 September 2014
STARTS AT LAKE ILLAWARRA PCYC

Take part in a 8km, 10km or 18km ride & be in the draw to win a bike to the value of $500 from Bike Hub Albion Park Rail, Depa, Warrawong and Wollongong.

Plus join us after the ride for a great day of activities for the whole family.

**Family Fun day hosted by Lake Illawarra PCYC includes:**
- Free breakfast 9:00 - 10:30am
- BBQ / healthy breakfast
- Giveaways & raffles
- Stalls
- Music and entertainment
- Jumping castle & Bouncy castle (safety applies)
- Sumo suits & charge applies

For full details and to download a registration form go to www.shellharbour.com/events or find us on Facebook

**Supported by:**
- Healthy Kids Movement
- Lake Illawarra Highway Police
- St John's Rural Fire Service
- St John Ambulance

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**VEGIES FROM OUR VEGIE PATCH!!! Yum**
Thank you for your continuing support of Lake Illawarra South Public School

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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
FUN IN THE SNOW!!!