Wednesday 22/4/2015
Term 2 Week 1

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NEWSLETTER

The newsletter is available on the school website, go to: www.lakeillaws-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Principal’s Message

Welcome Back!!

What a soggy and windy start to the term. We have seen a variety of gumboots and raincoats adorning children on their arrival at school, a great way to dress for these conditions!!! Children are encouraged to wear their wet weather gear and bring a change of shoes for the classroom on days such as these as there is nothing worse than wet feet!!

Please be aware that we have a number of large trees in the school and being careful when walking under them in these conditions is important. While we had 17 trees removed and a large number of branches trimmed over the summer break, you never know what will happen when the rain is pouring and the winds are howling.

Next week, all the stages have excursions or school camp. If there are any cancellations, we will let you know via Skoolbag or Facebook so please keep an eye out if the weather is looking dubious.

Head Lice

Can I remind all caregivers to please regularly check your child's hair for head lice. We had a number of infestations in term one and we can only reduce outbreaks if all caregivers are checking and treating their child’s hair.

ANZAC day

This Friday, we will hold an ANZAC Service at 10:00am in the school hall. Parents and caregivers are welcome to attend the service.

Year Six Information

The ‘Expression of Interest’ Form for Year Seven 2016 went home with students today. We apologise for the quick turn around but are asking that forms be returned to your child’s teacher by this Friday 24th April. I have explained how to complete the forms to students and most will require name, address and a signature.

If you have any questions, please give Mrs Piggott a call!

Excursion / Camp Money

All money for excursions and events need to be paid before the excursion or event occurs. The correct money needs to be placed in an envelope as we do not hold any change at the office and also bank daily.

If you are experiencing financial difficulties, a payment plan can be arranged by speaking with Mrs Piggott. Contact with Mrs Piggott needs to be made early so an individual plan can be organized well in advance of the event.

Reminders may be sent home by teachers with money owing for a school excursion or event, especially for school camps. If you are not sure about your payments, please contact Miss Mayo in the school office for assistance.

Have a wonderful week!!
GOTCHA
Weekly Class Winners
For week ending 27/3/15

Liam S     KM
Jye J      KP
Lucy N     1/2B
Jasira D   1/2T
Marnie B   2H
Jack T     3S
Kimberley M 3/4R
Ben M      4/5G
Adam Y     5/6K
Bryanna L  5/6O
Marnie B   Bouncy Ball Winner
Keera K    Movie Voucher Winner

Sports News
DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY 30TH APRIL, DUE TO THE WEATHER.

The District Cross Country will take place next Thursday 30th April at Blackbutt Reserve. Please ensure students arrive at school promptly, as buses will need to leave ASAP. The layout of the course and the seating locations for schools has changed slightly this year.

Mid South T-shirts will be available on the day ($25) for successful students going onto Regional. There will also be a slushy van available for purchasing drinks.

A reminder that ribbons and age champion medallions, from our school carnival, will be handed out at next Friday's assembly.

Well done to Riley Curry who has been selected to train with the Regional Touch team.

Well Done & Good Luck to all our sportspersons.

Miss Hale

Shellharbour Child Safe Workshop
28 May 2015
Register Now

The Office of the Children’s Guardian is running a free workshop to assist participants with implementing best practice principles for Child Safe Organisations in their workplace.

The session is being held at the Shellharbour City Council – Council Chambers Room, Ground Floor Lamerton House, Lamerton Crescent, SHELLHARBOUR CITY CENTRE on 28 May at 10am to 4.30pm.

What you will learn:
- Creating a child safe culture
- Codes of conduct
- Situational prevention and effective risk management
- Effective recruitment and selection tips
- Obligations under the Working With Children Check
- Complaints management techniques

Participants will receive a workbook with helpful information and templates.

Participants who remain for the entire duration of the workshop will also receive a certificate of attendance.

Like to know more? Register Now for the information sessions or visit our website http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au to view other available sessions.

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 MERIT AWARD WINNERS

To be presented at the weekly Assembly on

Friday 24/4/15 at 12.30pm

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