

# Lansdowne Public School

Weekly Newsletter Number 22

Tuesday 29 July 2014

## Principal's Message

*Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,*

### **Uni Discovery Day**

Stage 3 and I will be heading off for Newcastle University this Friday with Chatham High and other local primary schools. We have many members of the students' family joining us. We leave Chatham High at 7:30am and will return at 5:30 pm. The day should deliver an insight into the possibilities for everyone to consider and work towards a tertiary education.

### **Zone Athletics Carnival**

Notes are due in as soon as possible please. It is very important to let Mrs G know if you are not competing so the place can be given to the next successful competitor.

### **Education Week**

We have been busy fine-tuning some of the activities for the day. At last week's P & C meeting it was agreed that the school and the P & C would fund the lunch and afternoon tea. Closer to the date we will send an invitation home and ask that you indicate how many of your family and friends will be joining us so we can make sure we have enough catering and resources for the construction activity.

On Wednesday 27th August we have drafted the following events:

<b>9:00 - 11:00 am</b>	<b>Open classrooms</b>
-9:00 am 34P	Guided reading
-9:30 am KG	iPads
-10:00am 12B	Interactive whiteboard
-10:30 am 56W	Spelling
<b>11:00 - 11:45 am</b>	<b>Community Lunch</b>
<b>12:00 - 1:30 pm</b>	<b>Design and Make Task for all students and families</b>
<b>1:30 - 2:00 pm</b>	<b>Community Afternoon Tea</b>
<b>2:00 - 3:00 pm</b>	<b>Book Fair</b>

Don't forget we will also be having our Book Fair during the week.

### **2015 Kindergarten Enrolments and Orientation**

It is very important as we start to consider our staffing needs for next year, that all possible kindergarten enrolments are known. If you have any knowledge of possible

enrolments for next year please ask the families to contact the school or let our office know so we can forward information.

### **Warming Wednesday Lunches**

Our P & C are providing warm and tasty lunches for the next few Wednesdays as a fundraising activity. All profits will be directed towards our Whole School Swimming program and Stage 3 Excursion. Please support their efforts. Cost is a very reasonable \$3. These lunches were a huge success with the students last year.

*Kind regards, Christine Wild*



Student of the Week. Congratulations Theo Huber, Kiara Guerin, Liberty Wares and Daisy Wares. Well done!



Our Artists this week: Zach Nielsen, Billy Neale, Theo Huber and Graham Morrison



Ashley Newman received her Gold Award. Well done Ashley.



1/2B Awards: Aaron Moore(Class Award), Casey Fletcher(Fast Maths) and Callan Wright (Class Award)



KG Awards Logan Bradley (Class Award) Leslie Roberts (Fast Maths) and Bradley Neale (Class Award)



5/6W Awards: Makenzie Sunderland (Class Award) Jacob Moss (Class Award), Emily McLaughlin (Class Award) and Lee Smith (Fast Maths) Mitchell Lunney (Class Award)



3/4P Awards Brett Worth ( Class Award)Bandy Baker (Class Award), Hayley Callaghan (Class Award) and Maddison Gaul (Fast Maths)

**P&C NEWS** - Next P&C Meeting will be September 16 at 6pm.

**Please note: There will be no meeting in August.**

**P&C Raffle** - The P&C is raffling a Venom Mountain Bike \$1 per ticket.

Tickets available at the front office. See page 4 for information.

**Canteen Request** - The canteen need donations of cakes, slices or anything that can be used for our community afternoon tea on Open Day, Wednesday 27 August.

## 2014.....TERM 3 – CALENDAR OF EVENTS TO REMEMBER

WEEK 3	Wednesday 30 July	<b>Canteen Special</b> – Chow Mien in a bun
	Friday 1 August	<b>56W Discover Uni Day</b> at Newcastle University <i>Notes have been sent home to all the families for permission and details</i>
WEEK 4	Wednesday 6 August	<b>Whole School Assembly</b> commencing at 2.20pm
		<b>Canteen Special</b> – Curried Sausages
WEEK 5	Friday 15 August	<b>Manning Zone Athletics Carnival</b> at Tuncurry today <i>Athletics Permission Notes to be returned as quickly as possible please</i>
WEEK 6	Wednesday 20 August	<b>Whole School Assembly</b> commencing at 2.20pm
WEEK 7	All this week	<b>Education Week and Book Fair</b> - <b>Open Day Wednesday 27 August</b>
WEEK 8	Wednesday 3 September	<b>WOW Day Chatham HS for 56W</b>
		<b>School Assembly 2.20pm</b>
	Thursday 4 September	<b>Father's Day Stall</b>
	Friday 5 September	<b>Moorland Gala Soccer Day</b>



### **REMINDER TO YEAR 56W STUDENTS:**

Don't forget that your Aussie Bush Camp is on in Week 4 Term 4.  
Each student has been invoiced for only \$100 as their contribution towards the camp costs.  
The school will subsidise the remainder of the cost for our students from various fund raising ventures and donations to make this cost so economical for our families.  
Payments can be made towards the student camp invoice at the office any time and for any amount. Regular small payments will whittle down the balance owing very quickly.



### *Lansdowne Growers Group -*

*Local growers are now supplying fresh, organic, seasonal produce you can purchase at the Lansdowne Store.*

*Items you may find include eggs, citrus, lettuce, pumpkin, herbs and lots more produce, all at reasonable prices.*

*Support your local growers and eat well!*

*To become a supplier please contact Meg on 6595 7052 or 0477 911713*

# KINDERGARTEN

## 2015



We are now accepting enrolments for Kindergarten 2015. If you have a child starting school next year, or if you know of anyone, please contact the school for an enrolment form. Complete the form and return it to the school so we can contact you with Kinder Orientation dates and information.

### P & C WACKY, WARM WEDNESDAY LUNCH MASTER CHEF

*Master Chef comes to the Lansdowne School Canteen.*

Wednesday 30 July

**\$3**

Chow Mien in a bun + bottle of water  
and

**\$3**

Wednesday 6 August

Curried Sausages + bottle of water

The funds raised will help with the cost of the swimming program and the school excursion.  
If popular we will be serving hot meals on other Wednesdays.

### P & C RAFFLE

Venom Mountain Bike - Tickets \$1  
available at the school office

The funds raised will help with the cost of the swimming program and school camp.  
Drawn on Open Day Wednesday 27 August

