Tuesday 29th July 2014

Principal's Report

Education Week this week will celebrate 60 years and is an ideal opportunity to take stock and measure progress. The original theme in 1954 was “Lighting the way to a better world”. This is the theme for 2014. Please help us celebrate this Friday with visits to the classrooms from 11.00am, followed by a cuppa with me and lunch with your child. I hope to see lots of parents/community on the day.

Athletics Carnival relays and remaining events were held this afternoon. Final tallies on house groups and placegetters will be known shortly. A note will go home to those students who will compete at the Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival on Friday 15th August at Riverview Park. Students have had a great time competing in all their events.

Sometimes parents picking up students from the school can run a little bit late. If your child/ren are not in their usual meeting place they would have been taken to the bus bay and can be collected from there. This is due to staff on duty needing to be at the bus bay. Thank you. Please observe parking signs as fines apply especially in high street.

A parent note was sent home last week with information about our NED Show next Monday 4th August. To support the program yo-yo’s will be available to purchase. Mr Taylor will purchasing one and has called for a school challenge to see who will be the best yo-yo champion in the school.

Homework Centre starts this Wednesday 3.30pm – 5.00pm. All students welcome. Afternoon tea is provided, please collect your child from the library at 5.00pm. More information see Mrs Newton.

Reading with Kids and having a hot chocolate together is a great way to spend some special time with your children and help with their reading. We will have a wonderful library display that will be happening for Book Week from Monday 18th to Friday 22nd August 2014. Please have a look in today’s newsletter about the program for the week. We hope to see you at school during this week.

Congratulations to all our students who have been working really well in your classrooms. Keep up the good work you are performing well academically our achievements have been excellent.

Our new school uniforms will be ready in a few weeks; a pre order form is attached if you would like to order them from the front office.

Canteen Roster

Weekly Canteen Roster

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Dates to Remember

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A Message From The AEO

AECG meeting is on tomorrow Wednesday 29th July at 12.30pm Cultural and Community Centre, Walker Street. All Welcome.
Book Week 2014
This year we celebrate Book Week in Week 6 starting Monday 18th August with lots of activities.

The theme for Book Week this year is “Connect to Reading”. Many thanks to Felice Patton who has taken lots of photos in the last two weeks of all the ways we connect to reading at Casino West. These photos will be on display in the library during Book Week and everyone is very welcome to come along and have a look.

All classes are busy responding to one of their favourite stories and these displays will also be on display in the library.

There will be a colouring in competition for K-2 and 3-6 competition to redesign the cover of the favourite book.

For those children who love their connecting blocks a special competition to create a scene or figure from blocks that represents a favourite story or character.

On Wednesday 20th August everyone is allowed to come to school dressed as their favourite book, TV or movie character. If you can’t find a costume come in ‘green’ this year and be a part of the day. More news and details next week.

Regards Mrs Bryant

ZONE PSSA ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2014
For those students who will shortly receive a note for the Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival, some information below on date and cost. Thank you, Mr Matthews, Sports Coordinator.

- The carnival will be held at Riverview Park, Lismore on Friday 15th August.
- Total cost for the day will be $10.00 made up of $5.00 PSSA Levy/$5.00 bus fare.
- The bus will leave the school at 8.00am and return by the end of the day. Please return note and money to front office.

ORDER FORM FOR SCHOOL UNIFORM PACKAGE INTRODUCTORY OFFER
PREORDER FORM
EFTPOS IS ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE FRONT OFFICE
1 Shirt/ 1 Shorts/ 1 Hat $35.00
Estimated time for uniforms to arrive at school approximately 11th August 2014

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Signed: ______________________________ Dated:________________________
Primary Assembly Awards Week 2 – Term 3

Principal’s Award
Lincoln C
Josh L
Shania L

Raffle Draw
Annie H
Nicholas S

Class Awards
3/4H
Preston D
Laytasha C

3/4W
Daali V-C
Mahaylia V
Shania L
Trent L

4/5F
Cherakia R
Kassadee A
Tanisha H
Mikie C

5/6M
Bonnie R

5/6TC
Jon C
Madison J
Will V

Westpac Helicopter Day
Friday 1st August 2014
Help support the Westpac Helicopter!

Djanenjam Preschool – Jubunj Market
Ladies are invited to come along and browse the market stalls showcasing local products and businesses.
22nd August 2014, 6.30pm at Casino Public School Hall (Adults only ladies event).
Pre-purchase tickets $15.00 person, includes soups and sweets.
Tickets and more information is available from Casino Public pleae phone: 6662 1113