Principals Report

Lithgow Show

Why not go and see some of the items our school has entered in this year’s show. See if you can find our paintings, mosaics, photos, cakes, muffins and vegetables. It has been a very busy time getting our submissions organized we hope you enjoy our work.

Congratulations to our colouring competition winners!

Freya Rappard (Kindergarten) 1st
Ebbaney-Rose Page (Year 2) 1st
Leila Romanous (Year 4) 1st
Leyton Barker (Year 6) 3rd

School Photos

This year the date for our school photos is Wednesday 1st May which is also the first day for students in Term 2. Envelopes will be handed out next Thursday and are to be returned by Thursday 11th April.

Head Lice

Please remember to check your child’s hair daily for Head Lice or their eggs. There are a number of commercial treatments available from the supermarket or the chemist. Nit Wit Kits and Sprays are also available from Massage on Main or by contacting Robynne on 0408 411 924 or 02 6355 2936.

School Hats now available

A reminder that we now have small and medium hats in stock. Hats are priced at $8.00 and are available from the office.

Grandparents and Senior Citizens Day

We would like to extend an invitation to all of the Grandparents and Senior Citizens associated with Zig Zag School to come and visit on Friday 22nd March. Visits to the classrooms commence at 10.30am, whole school items at 10.45am and morning tea at 11.00am.

The children really enjoy showing their classrooms and work and performing for these very special visitors.

Thank you!

We would like to extend a very warm Zig Zag thank you to Mr Terry Page, Mr Rob Taylor, Mrs Chloe Rappard, Mr Anthony Rappard and Mr Justin Phillips who helped erect the hothouse for us. Thanks also to Mrs Corney and Ms Simpson for their involvement with this project.

I-extend

i-extend is an online enrichment program designed to cater for the needs of gifted and talented students in the middle years of schooling. Students are selected through school nomination and on-line selection process.

Mrs Ellery will be attending I-extend training next Wednesday 27th March.

Our classes are now using “Class Dojo” an interactive, technology based classroom behaviour management system. Students work towards gaining points for good behaviour, helping others, completing homework.

Netball

The girls have been training very hard and enjoying themselves learning their positions, game rules and chest passes. They are practising in anticipation of competing against other school netball teams. It is not
just the girls who are involved. The boys have been joining in to make up the numbers for a game. Thank you Ms Wright for all of your hard work!

Peer Support
Our peer support program will commence this Friday. The leaders are very nervous and excited about their groups. This year our lessons will focus around the Virtues Program where we aim to develop a culture of character in the children.

The first week we will start with the virtue of Honesty – being open, trustworthy and truthful.

Year 6 High School Forms
The Expression of Interest forms for placement in High School in 2014 are required to be completed and returned to the office by tomorrow Friday 15th March. Please ensure that your form is completed and returned even if your child is not intending to attend a public high school.

Vicki Gillmore
Relieving Principal

P&C News
Easter Raffle Donations
We are seeking donations for our Easter Raffle; Easter soft toys, Easter eggs, rabbit ears, Easter colouring books etc. Please send donations to the school office by Tuesday 26th March. Raffle tickets will be sent home with students next week.

Annual General Meeting
The AGM will be held next Tuesday 19th March at 2.00pm in the kitchen. All Welcome.

CALENDAR

Week 8
Tue 19/3/13 P&C AGM 2.00pm
Fri 22/3/13 Senior Citizen and Grandparents Day

Week 9
Thurs 28/4/13 Easter Hat Parade
Fri 29/4/13 Good Friday

Week 10
Mon 1/4/13 Easter Monday

Week 11
Fri 12/4/13 Last day of term 1

Term 2
Week 1
Mon 29/4/13 Staff Development Day
Tues 30/4/13 Staff Development Day
Wed 1/5/13 First day for students
School photos

Community News

Mendooran and Dunedoo Combined Schools
Horse Sports Day
*Dunedoo- Thursday 8th August 2013
*Mendooran - Friday 9th August 2013

Enquiries -
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Dunedoo Central School, Rosanne Stuart 02 6375 1489

LITHGOW CITY RANGERS
SOCCER CLUB INC
Lithgow City Rangers Soccer Club will be holding a final muster day for the 2013 season on Wednesday 27th March at the Marjorie Jackson Soccer complex from 4pm – 6pm for junior boys and girls.

For further information please contact Lorrae on 02 6351 2697 or 0409 676 019

Lithgow Thistle Soccer Club
Lithgow Thistle Soccer Club still require players in all age groups from Under 6 (players must turn 5 this year) through to Senior Ladies and Mens teams for the Lithgow competition.

Please contact Lorraine ASAP on 0419 621 426