**Term 3 Week 4**
**15 August 2014**

**From the Principal**

**Kindergarten enrolments taken NOW for 2015**

**Carnival**
Tickets for this year’s Carnival are **ON SALE** now! There will be two performances; a matinee performance (at midday) and an evening performance (at 6pm), both on Tuesday 16 September. Tickets cost: Adult $5, Child $2, and pre-schoolers sitting on lap FREE. Tickets will indicate specific seating locations with 230 places available for each performance. To avoid disappointment and to guarantee a good seat, buy your tickets early.

**Lismore Performing Arts Festival**
The Lismore Performing Arts Festival is a fabulous event that occurs every year to celebrate the outstanding creative arts performances of public school students. This year’s event takes place on Tuesday 26 August at the Lismore Workers Club. Lismore Heights PS will be represented by two groups of students who will be performing the following items: ‘Alien Encounter’ (a dance routine choreographed by Mrs. Jameson) and ‘Happy’ (a version of the Pharrell Williams song performed by the school choir and arranged by Mrs. Le Sueur). Tickets for the show can be purchased from the Lismore Workers Club box office or online at: www.lismoreworkers.com.au. Tickets: Adults $14, Children $6.

**Before and After-school Care**
We recognise that we have many working families at our school, and this can make it difficult for families to supervise their children before and after school. We are presently exploring the possibility of providing before and after-school care at Lismore Heights Public School. To help us to assess the need, please return the survey forms sent home earlier this week as soon as possible. If a need can be established, we will do all that we can to have a service up and running as soon as possible.

**Goodbye Bronwyn**
We have to say goodbye to Bronwyn King (our Aboriginal Community Support Officer). Bronwyn has been appointed to a new job in the Lismore area, and will no longer be available to continue her excellent work at Lismore Heights PS. Bronwyn has worked hard at Lismore Heights to establish a community ‘Yarning Space’ and hold regular meetings with parents and carers, as well as supporting individual students in class. We wish Bronwyn every success in her new role. The school will meet with Aboriginal consultants at District Office to discuss the prospect of retaining the position of Aboriginal Community Support Officer at the school into the future.
Book Week Dress Up Parade
Monday Assembly 18 August at 2.30pm.
K-6 Students are encouraged to dress as their favourite character from a book they have read at school or at home. The classes will be in the running to win a prize for the best dressed class – including their teacher! First prize is a pizza party luncheon and second prize is an Ice-cream treat!

Making Literacy Fun!
Mrs. Rankin’s class have been getting ‘hands on’ during literacy lessons, making fabulous sentences with ‘human punctuation’. During the lesson the children were experimenting writing complex sentences in a very creative way: a perfect example of making learning FUN!

P&C Greyhound Fundraiser Night
The P&C are holding a Greyhound night on Tuesday 26 August. A note will be sent out next week including 2 free tickets per family. Extra tickets will be available at $5 per ticket. Please ask your family and friends to come along and support this fun night.

Live Life Well
Think about carrots for Crunch & Sip/ Fruit Break. Carrots are:
- Rich in Vitamin A, potassium and fibre,
- They don’t bruise,
- Kids love their crunchy texture and sweet flavour,
- Try something different!

Positive Behaviour for Learning at LHPS

Week 6 Focus Rule
Be SAFE,
Stay in Bounds
Could you discuss with your children the importance of staying in bounds and staying in the right place. It is important that students are in view of the teachers so they are being appropriately supervised.
The PBL Team appreciates your support in teaching children the benefits in following our school rules.
Be SAFE, Be Respectful and Be a Learner
ONYA Day Term 3
Dress up 70’s style for our in-school disco in week 10 on Friday in the middle session.