Calendar

10/9/14—P&C meeting
7pm

16/9/14—Carnivale Matinee— 12pm
Night—6pm

19/9/14—ONYA Disco
70’s theme

19/9/14—Last day of Term

7/10/14—Students return to school.

7/10—10/10—Sydney Excursion. Year 5/6

Canteen Roster

8 Sept—Sally
9 Sept—Karen C, Judy
10 Sept—Jaime
11 Sept—Rachel
12 Sept—Leanne, Marette

From the Principal

Travel back in time
A huge thank you to Caitlin for bringing in this fabulous photograph from 2008 showing our then Kindergarten class. Take a minute to scan the faces and see how many of these little cuties you can name from among our current Year 6.

Head Lice
Head lice is a perennial problem in schools and Lismore Heights is no exception. There have been a few isolated cases in the school recently and so we recommend that all families carefully check their children’s hair. Remember, anyone can get head lice. People get head lice from direct hair to hair contact with another person who has head lice. Head lice do not have wings or jumping legs so they cannot fly or jump from head to head. They can only crawl. Head lice are found on the hair itself and move to the scalp to feed. Louse eggs (also called nits) are laid within 1.5 cm of the scalp and are firmly attached to the hair. They resemble dandruff, but can’t be brushed off.

The easiest and most effective way to find them is to follow these steps:

**Step 1**
Comb any type of hair conditioner on to dry, brushed (detangled) hair. This stuns the lice and makes it difficult for them to grip the hair or crawl around.

**Step 2**
Now comb sections of the hair with a fine tooth, head lice comb.

**Step 3**
Wipe the conditioner from the comb onto a paper towel or tissue.

**Step 4**
Look on the tissue and on the comb for lice and eggs.

**Step 5**
Repeat the combing for every part of the head at least four or five times.

If lice or eggs are found, the hair should be treated. This can be done by buying and using a head lice lotion or shampoo and following the instructions on the product. Remember, no treatment kills all of the eggs so **treatment must involve two applications, seven days apart**. The first treatment kills all lice; the second treatment kills the lice that may have hatched from eggs not killed by the first treatment.

Keeping hair tied up and not sharing hats helps reduce the risk of catching head lice.

Lost—one gold ring with 3 stones was lost at school by a parent. If found please contact the office.
Class 1/2EB
Our class has been working on Cinquain Poems. Here is a selection of our works.

Web
Sticky, thin
Scary, fluttering, moving
The web is moving in the wind
Home
Kaitlyn

Whales
Blue, grey
Flapping, squirting, jumping
Sweet sounds they make
Mammal
Georgina

Queen
Beautiful, royal
Sitting, ruling, loving
Sitting on her throne and ruling
Her kingdom
Majesty
Caleb

Clown
Big feet, crazy hair
Funny, silly, weird
Big hat, big pants, hilarious
Entertainer
Josephine

Before/After School Care Surveys
— Please return to school asap.
More forms are available at the office if required.

Week 9 Focus Rule
Be SAFE, Be a Learner
Active Listening

Could you discuss with your children the importance of why we encourage children to listen carefully to instructions. We also encourage students to wait their turn to talk. If you are needing to talk to a friend or teacher and they are already talking to someone else, wait your turn, say excuse me and when they look at you, they are ready to listen to you.

The PBL Team appreciates your support in teaching children the benefits in following our school rules.

Be SAFE, Be Respectful and Be a Learner