**Principal News**

**Mrs Clarke New Position**
At the end of this term, we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Clarke who will be moving to Wollongbar Public School under the department’s staffing transfer scheme. Mrs Clarke will be appointed as Assistant Principal at her new school – a role that Mrs Clarke has successfully fulfilled at Lismore Heights Public School for the past seven years. This is a wonderful opportunity for Mrs Clarke to share her skills, knowledge and expertise with a new school and its community here on the Far North Coast. I would like to thank Mrs Clarke for her years of dedication and hard work here at Lismore Heights Public School, where she will be sorely missed. On behalf of all of the students, staff and families at our school, I would like to wish Mrs Clarke every success for the future in her new school.

**Year 6 Graduation Assembly**
A reminder that Monday next week (7 December) at 10.00am we will be holding our Year 6 Graduation Assembly in the school hall. Parents and carers are warmly invited to come along and join in the celebration.

**Carols Evening & Disabled Parking**
We are all very excited about next week’s Carols by Candlelight evening on Thursday 10 December. Families are asked to ensure that students arrive at school at 5.30pm ready for a 6.00pm start. We have a limited number of disabled parking spots on site for families attending our Carols by Candlelight event. Families requiring a reserved ‘disabled parking’ space are asked to contact the school office in advance. Please bring fold-away chairs and picnic blankets to watch the performances. Our P&C will be running a BBQ on the night.

**Academic Success for Mrs Irvine**
Mrs Irvine, who is the teacher on our ED Support Class, has just completed her Master’s Degree in Special Education (with specialism in behaviour and emotional difficulties). We would like to congratulate Mrs Irvine on her outstanding achievement, and recognise the benefits that her knowledge and expertise will have on securing high educational outcomes for students at our school.

**Calendar**

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**Canteen Roster**

- 7 December – Sally
- 8 December – Stacey
- 9 December – Jamie
- 10 December – Rachael
- 11 December – Maree
P&C BBQ Success

The P&C’s recent Bunnings BBQ (held last Saturday at the Lismore branch of Bunnings) raised a whopping $1381.10. This is a great result and reflects the hard work of our P&C President and the parents/carers and P&C Committee members who volunteered their support on the day. It is worth reiterating that every dollar raised through P&C fundraisers goes directly to the P&C. The P&C Committee use their funds to support school-based projects that benefit large groups of students (and not individuals), such as the installation of the shade cover over the climbing equipment and the installation of bubblers under the Senior COLA.

The final P&C fundraising event of the year takes place during our Carols by Candlelight evening on the 10 December. We still need lots of volunteers to help with the BBQ and a variety of other stalls on the evening. Please give your time and support our hardworking P&C – remember your children are the ones who benefit.

Kindergarten Orientation

We could not be happier with our intake of beautiful new Kindies who have been attending our Kindergarten Orientation program over the past four weeks. And we are very excited to know that they will be joining our happy school next year. Families who have not yet enrolled their children for 2016 may be pleased to know that we are still taking enrolments for all grades. Any interested families should contact the school office to obtain an enrolment form.

In the Classrooms

PBL Rule of the Week

Wear a Hat

With the weather getting warmer it’s important that your child brings a hat to school.

Thank You for supporting PBL