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NEWSLETTER

14th June, 2017

UPCOMING EVENTS AT LONSDALE

19/6/17	Monday	Governing Council
1/6 – 29/6	Thursday's	Cricket Clinics Junior Primary and Preschool classes.
8/6 – 5/7	Thursdays	Deadly 7's Rugby Clinics Years 2/3, 4/5, 5/6 & 6/7
7/7/17	Friday	Last Day School Term 2.30 p.m. dismissal

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

ATTENDANCE

If your child is away from school due to illness or family reasons, please contact the school as soon as possible in the morning to notify us of the reason for the absence. All unexplained absences will be queried via email and text message.

EARLY PICK UPS

We are having a considerable amount of phone calls in the afternoons wanting staff to get their children organised for early pickups. This is quite disruptive to the classes and Front Office staff having to find the children in their different areas. Can early pickups please be organised with your child's teacher and your child in the morning before school starts, and can phone calls be made only when there is an emergency pickup please.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

There are a number of children out of school uniform especially now the colder weather has hit. Please make sure your child has a navy blue jumper on, children with jumpers with logos will be offered another top from the school in school colours.

PARENT / TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent/Teacher interviews will be held this term during the week of **26th to 29th June, 2017.** Appointment sheets will have come home with your children by now, and you can either fill out the form and return it to school or phone to make an appointment time. Please remember that school reports will be handed to the parents/caregivers during this time, so it is important that all families make a time to see their child's teacher.

Confirmation time's letters will be sent home prior to the appointments.

I HAVE READ THE NEWSLETTER DATED 14/6/17 PLEASE ENTER ME IN THE NEXT RAFFLE DRAW IN THE WEEK 8 Term 2 ASSEMBLY.

NAME:

CHILD'S NAME:

CHILD'S CLASS:

FEEDBACK ON THE NEWSLETTER:

SCHOOL PRODUCTION/BAND: "A HISTORY OF ROCK MUSIC"

As you may be aware a number of students from grades 3 to 7 have started rehearsing for this year's Rock Musical called "A History of Rock Music". The production is combining with the band so all the music will be performed live by the "Kings & Queens of Lonsdale." Most of the pieces are medleys of songs from different eras from the 1950's to today. The students have now learnt all the medleys and now working on fine tuning and polishing. This should commence around the middle of this term. The performance will be at the Hopgood Theatre in week 7 of term 3. We will be performing the 90 minute show over a three day period late in term three at the Noarlunga Hopgood Theatre. As we get into this I will give you updates on developments.

HEAD LICE

We have had a number of reported cases of students with head lice. Can we please ask parents/caregivers to check your child's hair on a regular basis and treat if you see any lice or eggs in their hair? If you require any assistance with this please speak to one of the Front Office staff who can either check if you are concerned. Please read below for the treatment method recommended by the council nurse.

How to get rid of head lice using the wet combing technique

Step 1

Generously apply conditioner to dry hair to cover the scalp and the full length of the hair.

Step 2

Untangle the hair with a wide-toothed comb.

Step 3

Put the fine-toothed head lice comb flat against the scalp and draw the comb through

each section of hair from the roots to the ends.

Step 4

Wipe the comb after each stroke onto white tissue or paper towel, checking each time for head lice and nits.

Step 5

Comb each section of hair at least 5 times.

Step 6

Wash the hair as normal.

Step 7

Scrub the comb with an old toothbrush to remove any eggs or lice that may be present.

REPEAT. If you find live head lice, repeat steps 1-7 every 2 days until no lice have been found for 10 days.

The whole technique is extremely

5 CENT CHALLENGE

The 5 cent challenge fundraiser is progressing very well. To date the **Reception class collected \$29.25 the 1/2 class \$18.35 the 2/3 class \$79.80 the 4/5 class \$39.10 the Small Class \$12.15 the 5/6 class \$21.90 and the 6/7 class \$3.00, totalling \$203.55.** Keep those 5 cent pieces coming.

CIRCUS QUIRKUS 2017

We have been offered tickets again to Circus Quirkus on **Sunday 13th August, 2017** at the Thebarton Theatre for either a 10.30, 1.30 or 4.30 show. **Circus Quirkus** is guaranteed to amuse, astound and delight both young and old. **90 minutes** of fun and fantasy! The **complimentary tickets** are "**sponsored**" by local businesses to allow your clients and their families the chance to enjoy this engaging performance for free. If you would like tickets for your family please call into the front office for an order form. All orders must be back in the office by Tuesday 4th July, 2017. You can order tickets for families who attend this school only, not for friends and relatives.

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