



Lord Howe Island Central School

'Today for Tomorrow'



August 13th, 2014

Upcoming Events

15/08 Assembly - Public speaking presentations
16/08 Sch Working Bee
29/08 Community Breaky
29/08 RFW - Raffle draw
01/09 P&C Meeting
10/09 Airport Celebrations
12/09 Athletics Carnival
13/09 Pinetrees Garage Sale fundraiser event

Canteen Roster

15 August

Dani Rourke

22 August

Natania Drew

29 August

Liz Wright

5 September

Janice Ong

Historical Movies Roster

August 13

Andrew Logan

Hamish Logan

Jake Wright

August 20

Andrea Young

Marnie Young

Keyah Crisp

August 27

Kelly Galloway

Isaac Mason

Ryan Galloway

September 3

Anthony Wright

Jake Wright

Hamish Logan

The term is heating up and we have a lot of news for this fortnight. All of the students have been engaged in virtual excursions via video conferencing with teams of educators from the Royal Botanical Gardens and the Australian Museum. The technology has enabled our students to collaborate, problem-solve, communicate and experience learning beyond the boundaries of Lord Howe Island.

We fare-welled Ethan last Tuesday week. In the previous newsletter we reported that his family was leaving the Island which isn't actually the case. I apologize for the confusion this caused. He really enjoyed his schooling and especially loved exploring the environment. Ethan was the school vice captain and also the Lidgbird house captain. We wish him well on his next adventure!

The Parents and Citizens Meeting was held on the 4th of August and was well attended. The discussion was vibrant and passionate with many ideas put out for discussion. I always enjoy seeing the strong community voice in action.

I would like to give a special acknowledgement to Wilson Hickey as our new house captain for Lidgbird. Congratulations Wilson! He will be very busy as a new school leader especially for our upcoming Athletics Carnival which is fast approaching, week 8 Friday 12th of September. This is always a super special day and everyone is invited. We still need some helpers so if you are able to support on the day please contact Ms Roberts at the school.

After School Tennis is back in the swing of things with Mrs Wilson leading the way on Monday. A huge thank you to Mrs Wilson for providing some great lead up work and experience before the P&C intensive school holiday Tennis Camp with Greg Alchin.

Our next School Assembly is on this Friday, the 15th of August where our students will be presenting their Public Speaking skills. This Saturday the 16th of August, we will be holding a school working bee from 9:00a.m to get our school path covered. Please come along and help on the day.

Lots of raffle tickets have been returned for our Royal Far West Charity fundraiser. Tickets are \$1 each and we have some wonderful prizes. A special thank you to Island Elegance, the Coral Café, Arajilla, Pinetress, and Capella for offering to sponsor our fantastic prizes. If anyone requires anymore tickets they are available from the office. The prizes will be drawn at our community breakfast on the 29th August. What an exciting event this will be.

We were lucky enough to have a personal guided tour on the Navy boat on Monday. This was another super hands on experience for our students.