



## Lake Illawarra South Public School

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Relieving Principal - Richard Evans



# NEWSLETTER

You can do it!

The newsletter is available on the school website, go to: [www.lakeillaws-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.lakeillaws-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

## Dates for your calendar

- 23/10 Application for Selective High School in 2014 available online or at the office
- 26/10 Interest Sport
- 2/11 2nd Kinder Orientation 11.20am—1pm
- 4/12 Lake High School Information Evening for Yr 6 -7pm
- 5/12 Lake High School Orientation Day for Yr 6

## Principal's Message

Dear Parents/Carers

Our first Kindergarten Orientation was held last Friday and the library was packed with interested parents soaking up the information presented by Mrs. Gallagher. A video titled "School A-Z" was presented and it contained information that would be of benefit for all parents/caregivers of children attending school. Fantastic to see so many parents who already have children at the school. This is the greatest recommendation that teachers at the school are doing a brilliant job and you demonstrate your confidence and trust in the educational programs occurring at Lake South.

The LOUD SHIRT day was a huge success. Not only did the school have a huge injection of colour, we also raised \$240 in support of deaf children. CONGRATULATIONS to everyone for their fantastic support.

Have you had a look in our vege garden yet? With the sun and many helping hands watering there are vegetables ready to eat. Col has sampled a few and reports the young spinach leaves are tasty. Encourage your children to start bringing home some samples – Col's recommendation is the spinach!



### Star Awards

Destiny Byron KC  
Reece Castle 3/4O  
Zane Dowel 3/4B  
Ryan Dragarski 3/4B  
Kalani Farquhar 1/2P  
Kye Fleming 1/2P  
Jye Heath 5/6S  
Joshua Kautz 5/6S  
Sunni Lord-Drougas KC  
Ava Moore 1/2H  
Deegan Moore 1/2H  
Jake Moore KC  
Zac Nicholls 3/4B  
Evander Windon 1/2P  
Lilly Windon 1/2H



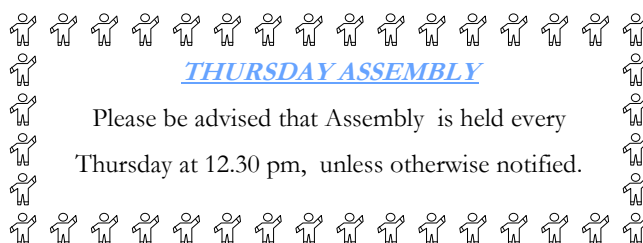
This week and in the previous week, there has been a noticeable increase in the number of children arriving late for school. It is important that children arrive at school on time. It affects the learning opportunities of your child and the children of their class.

Richard Evans  
Relieving Principal

### Uniform Shop

Open Thursdays 8.15—9am in the hall.

Any old uniforms would be greatly appreciated.



### THURSDAY ASSEMBLY

Please be advised that Assembly is held every Thursday at 12.30 pm, unless otherwise notified.



Lake Illawarra South Public School is currently accepting Kindergarten enrolments for 2013.

Please pass on this information if you know of a family in the area with children starting school in 2013.

**PLEASE ENROL NOW!!**

### **PAYMENTS**

Please be advised, that all money for excursions etc needs to be in an envelope, clearly marked with the child's name, class and activity on it, with the correct money. We do not hold money at the office and therefore do not have change to give.

All payments need to go into the money folders, which are held by the class teachers.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

### **PLEASE VOTE FOR US**

Hi all

Lake Illawarra High School is currently applying for a grant from CUA Credit Union to refurbish their Drama Room. The aim is to convert this room into a functional performance space with a stage area and tiered seating which will benefit their current and future students a great deal, particularly in the area of Performing Arts.

This room will also provide a great space to hold events such as the Primary Schools' Public Speaking Competition, Enrichment Days, Sports Challenge Days, and Community of Schools meetings. This grant is given to the school that collects the highest number of votes which can be cast via the CUA website and in any CUA branch.

As one of their Feeder Primary Schools it is asking for our help to increase their votes. You can do this if each student in our school could cast their vote online using their DET email address.

[www.cuacommunitycare.com.au/vote/53](http://www.cuacommunitycare.com.au/vote/53)

Your help is very much appreciated.

## *Lake Illawarra High School*

### Message to our Future Students

## INFORMATION EVENING

*Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2012*

The Principal and teaching staff of Lake Illawarra High School invite Year 6 students and their families to an Information Evening in the School Library from 7pm

## ORIENTATION DAY

*Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2012*

Students of Year 6 are invited to view the school on the day and gain an insight into High School life.

Organisational details will be forwarded from your child's Primary School.

Enquiries can be directed to our Community Liaison Officer:  
*Lyn Lloyd - 4296 3844*

*We look forward to your child's involvement in these events.*

*Tom Sleight*  
Principal

### **ATTENTION STAGE 3**

Money for the Chinese Banquet is due by Friday 26th October, Please give the \$6.00 to your teacher.

Thank you



### **YEAR 6 GRADUATION**

Please be advised due to the closure of 'Seaspray Function Centre' our new venue for the Year 6 Graduation dinner is:

The Links at Shellharbour Golf Club  
on Tuesday 18th December, 2012

Please note, time and cost to be advised.

Mr McNamara (Year 6 Coordinator)







### Vegetable Garden Update

10 weeks and our growth is  
Looking Fantastic!

With continued TLC the children  
will be tasting the delights of this  
vege patch.



The New Canteen is  
under way,  
We look forward to  
operating next year!



## Shellharbour City Stadium

Croome Road Albion Park Rail

Is taking registrations for

### **Basketball**

Girls and Boys 7 - 14 years

Sunday mornings - make up a team and register

For information

Ph: 42573468





## CLEOPATRA'S HAIR ON THE NILE SALON

80 Addison Ave, LAKE ILLAWARRA

Phone: 4296 4470

Prices as follows:

Childrens hair cuts—\$10.00

Primary age hair cuts—\$ 14.00

High School age hair cuts—\$18.00

Ladies hair cuts—\$25.00

All waxing 10% off

Spray Tan 10% off

We look forward to seeing you in our salon



## SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL APPLICATION PROCESS FOR YEAR 7 2014



Education &  
Communities

Educational Measurement and School Accountability Directorate  
Selective High School and Opportunity Class Placement Unit

### Information bulletin for primary schools

#### Important dates

Online application opens	16 October 2012
Application information and forms available in schools	23 October 2012
Parents who are applying on paper return application forms to schools	16 November 2012
Online application closes	19 November 2012
Unit* emails schools to advise of online applications. Schools begin processing applications	26 November 2012
Non-government principals complete application processing and return paper forms to the Unit	by 11 December 2012
Test centre advice received by parents or carers	28 February 2013
Selective High School Placement Test	14 March 2013
Parents advised of outcome	July 2013

Information bulletins, sample letters and forms are available on the Directorate's intranet site:  
[detwww.det.nsw.edu.au/directorates/schoimpro/EMD/shs.htm](http://detwww.det.nsw.edu.au/directorates/schoimpro/EMD/shs.htm)

Information for parents is published on the internet at:  
[www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement](http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement)

The Selective High School and Opportunity Class Placement Unit can be contacted at:

Telephone: (02) 9707 6249

Fax: (02) 9707 6265

Email: [ssu@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:ssu@det.nsw.edu.au)

Post: Locked Bag 5001 BANKSTOWN NSW 1885

Note: In this document 'selective' includes fully selective high schools, partially selective high schools and selective agricultural high schools as well as the virtual selective class provision.

\*The Selective High School and Opportunity Class Placement Unit is referred to as the 'Unit'.

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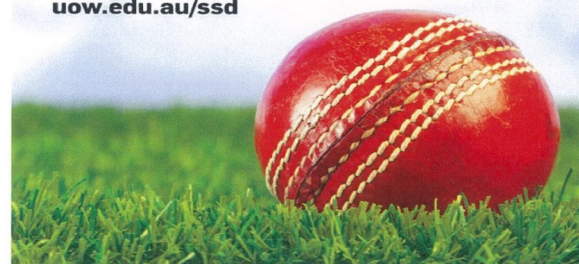
## Change of Date Sunday 18th November 2012

This year's Stumping Serious Diseases event will be held at the University of Wollongong on Sunday 18 November, 2012.

Stumping Serious Diseases will take on a new format this year by featuring **not one but two** Twenty20 games. The doubleheader will include a **celebrity match** between some of the most famous faces of the entertainment and media worlds followed by an **International All Stars** game led by Test cricket hero **Adam Gilchrist**, who will take the field alongside current professional players and legends of the sport.

**Don't miss out!** Visit the Stumping Serious Diseases website for further information and to buy your tickets now.

[uow.edu.au/ssd](http://uow.edu.au/ssd)



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# HALLOWEEN

## Grandparents Family Day

**Sunday 28 October - 11am to 1pm**

*Grandparents and their little ones  
are invited to our free 'Spooky' but friendly  
fun day filled with halloween crafts.  
Come dressed as 'Spooky Character'  
for a chance to win  
\$50 Bunnings Gift Voucher for best dressed  
Treats, giveaways  
free face painting on the day*

**Bookings are essential on 4220-8200**  
Email: [shellharbouractivitiesorganiser@bunnings.com.au](mailto:shellharbouractivitiesorganiser@bunnings.com.au)

Thank you for your continuing support of Lake Illawarra  
South Public School



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### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Students should not enter the school grounds until 8.15am
- The School Office is opened at 8.15am
- Students must be collected from school by 2.40pm
- Parents must send in a note or call the school when students are absent
- Notify the office of any changes to phone numbers or address
- Pets are not permitted on the school grounds