FRIENDSHIP

Tuesday 13th May, 2014

Dental Health Visit
Last Wednesday Stage 3 received a visit from ‘The Ortho Place’ Kin cumber about Dental Hygiene. We thank Theo, Nicole and Sarah for their informative presentation and gifts to the children.

Kindergarten 2015 Information Night
The interest shown in this night was highlighted by the large number of parents in attendance. Mrs Anderson and Mr Holmes outlined future initiatives and directions for the school, important information about the Kindergarten program and discussed the View Start transition program commencing in term 4.

‘Till next edition

Dave Stitt
Rel. Principal

Notes you should have received this week:
Canberra Excursion Clothing List – Stage 3
New Cross Country Note – 3-6 & Interested 8 Year olds

All notes are now on the school web
Valleyview.p.schools.nsw.edu.au

SCHOOL CALENDAR

TERM 2 2014

Week 3
Wednesday 14/5 NAPLAN
Infants Assembly 1:50pm
Thursday 15/5 NAPLAN
Cross Country – Alan Davidson Oval
Friday 16/5 NSWPSSA Classic Shield KO

Week 4
Monday 19/5 Chicken Hatchery K-2
Cross Country Backup Date
P&C Planning Meeting 1:30pm
Tuesday 20/5 Opera House Rehearsal
Wednesday 21/5 Stage 3 Canberra
Thursday 22/5 Stage 3 Canberra
ICAS Computer Test
Friday 23/5 Stage 3 Canberra
NSWPSSA Classic Shield Semi Finals

Week 5
Monday 26/5 Reconciliation Week
Tuesday 27/5 Girls Netball KO v Gosford
Wednesday 28/5 Whole School Assembly
Thursday 29/5 CC Dance Festival Dress Rehearsals
Friday 30/5 BWPS SA Zone Cross Country

Principal’s Message

Staffing Changes
This term will see some changes to our staffing structure. Mr Holmes has been redeployed to assist in the implementation of new financial and learning management systems across all schools for the remainder of this term. I have been asked by Mr Holmes to relieve as Principal during this time. It is an exciting opportunity for Mr Holmes and we wish him well for the duration of the project and look forward to him returning in Term 3.

The following arrangements have been made in the interim, Mr Smith will relieve as Assistant Principal on Stage 3 and we welcome Mr Mick Curran to undertake teaching duties on 5/6D. Mr Curran is an experienced teacher who has worked extensively in the Touplek area. He has a high interest in 21st Century learning and physical education. We look forward to having such an enthusiastic and well recommended teacher in our school.

I also welcome Mrs Kimberley Mountfort to our staff for the first time. Mrs Mountfort has been working at Ourimbah Public School and has just begun a Masters of Teaching (Teacher Librarian). She has an extensive knowledge of school programs and displayed incredible enthusiasm towards making our library a great learning hub for the school. Mrs Mountfort will be with us until the end of the year.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Margaret Evans for her work on the library. She took the role on short notice and has maintained a consistent library program for the school. We will definitely see Mrs Evans in our school in the future.

Mother’s Day Breakfast, Pink Day and Silence-athon
Thank you to everyone who attended our first Mother’s Day Breakfast. The morning proved to be a wonderful occasion where we could thank our mums for their involvement and support in education. Thank you to all the volunteers, (Especially Dads) who gave up their time to make the day such a success.
Overall the school community raised over $1700 to support Breast and Ovarian cancer. You will agree that this is an outstanding amount and highlights the wonderful support from our families in this endeavour.

Mother’s Day Stall
Our annual Mother’s Day Stall had another wonderful response. We would like to thank all involved especially Deanne Henderson, Tara Cunynghame and Lynette Pemberton who after many years of service have completed their final Mother’s Day stall.

NAPLAN Testing Years 3 and 5
This will take place this week on Tuesday 13 May – Language Conventions and Writing Test, Wednesday 14 May – Reading and Thursday 15 May – Numeracy. We wish all Year 3 and Year 5 students well.
KINDERGARTEN 2015 ENROLMENTS
Please contact our Kindergarten Enrolments Officer, Carol Murch, if you are interested in enrolling your child in Kindergarten 2015. If you know of any other families who are looking to enrol their child, could you please let them know that we are now taking enrolments.

VALLEY VIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL APP
Our school app is now available in the Apple app store and the Google Play store. Please search for Valley View Public School. The username is community. The password is valleyviewps. If you have any problems come into the office and we will help you download it.

YEAR 5 OPPORTUNITY CLASS PLACEMENT 2015 APPLICATIONS
Applications for Year 5 Opportunity Class Placement in 2015 opened online on Monday 28 April and will close on Friday 16 May. Paper applications are available to parents from the school on request, who do not have internet access but the preferred application process is online. The school can provide you internet access and facilities to apply online.

GARAGE SALE
WYOMING COMMUNITY HUB
289 HENRY PARRY DRIVE
WYOMING
CAR BOOT SALE
SAUSAGE SIZZLE
FACE PAINTING
DEVONSHIRE TEAS
PLANTS, CLOTHES AND VARIETY STALLS
AND MUCH MORE
Date: Saturday 31st May 2014 Time: 8.00 till 14.00

LISAROW HIGH SCHOOL TARGETED PROGRAMS 2015
Applications for these programs are now open with the forms being available on Lisarow High School website and from our school office. The three programs are Elite Sport, Dance and Technology.

CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations Kellie-Anne Hodge for receiving the Commonwealth Bank Certificate of Attainment. Kellie-Anne does our school banking every Tuesday and we thank her for her efforts.

P & C NEWS
What an exciting week last week! A very big thank you to all involved in preparing, organising and running the Mother’s day breakfast. It was a huge success and will definitely be the first of many. Another huge thank you to Mrs Deanne Hendrie and Mrs Tara Cunynghame for preparing, organising and running the wonderful Mother’s day stall. We would also like to thank all the lovely ladies who volunteered their time to help make the stall a success; Lynn Pemberton, Emma Wilson-Alvarez, Karen Purvis, Melissa Mainsano, Alison Stanbury, Sharlene Nelson, Tracey Brown, Karen Gadsby, Michelle Roberts and Barb Pugh. A special thank you to Anissa Phillips for her very kind donation of gifts. Our wonderful students managed to raise over $850 profit for your school, well done!

Upcoming events:
• Monthly P & C meeting Tuesday 7pm in the staffroom — all welcome.
• Fortnightly planning meeting — Monday, 19th May 1:30 in the planning room — all welcome.
• Community fete 31st August 10am-2pm. We are currently seeking donations for prizes on the day, if you help in any way please let us know!

Another action packed week this week with a couple of big events for the school. Good luck to year’s 3 and 5 who participate in Naplan! Hopefully the weather will be kind for the cross country.

Trish Clark
P & C President (0426 212 766)

SOCCEROOS
In preparation for the upcoming World Cup, the Socceroos are hosting an open training day and fan signing at Central Coast Stadium on Sunday from 10:00am.

Did you know...
• One of soft drink contains 13 teaspoons of sugar
• Sports drinks are also high in sugar and are very acidic. This can cause decay of children’s teeth
• Although juice contain vitamins and minerals, they can contain as much sugar and acid as sports and softdrinks

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Class Awards Term 2 – Week 3 - 2014

Congratulations to our award recipients.

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Soleil Page – 2D
For winning the Treasure Hunt at the Mother’s Day Stall

School Pride
Have You Got it!

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Unity

I dreamed I stood in a studio
and watched the sculptors there.
The clay they used was a young child's mind,
and they fashioned it with care.

One was a teacher;
the tools he used were books, and music, and art.
One, a parent with a guiding hand,
and a gentle, loving heart.

Day after day the teacher toiled,
with touch that was deft and sure,
While the parents labored by his side
and polished and smoothed it o'er.

And when at last their task was done,
they were proud of what they had wrought.
For this thing they had molded in the child
could neither be sold nor bought.

And each agreed he would have failed
if he had worked alone,
For behind the parent stood the school
and behind the teacher, the home.