An update on everything at New Lambton South Public School



TERM 4 WEEK 8			
Monday 28 th Nov	KHS SWAN Program		
Tuesday 29 th Nov			
Wednesday 30 th Nov	Year 6 KHS Orientation Day		
	Year 5 2023 Opportunity Class Orientation		
Thursday 1 st Dec	Stage 3 Game Changer Presentations		
Friday 2 nd Dec	Semester 2 reports published		
TERM 4 WEEK 9			
Monday 5 th Dec			
Tuesday 6 th Dec			
Wednesday 7 th Dec			
Thursday 8 th Dec	Stage 3 Game Changer FINAL		
	Stage 2 Talent Quest Long Recess Party		
Friday 9 th Dec	CANTEEN CLOSED		
TERM 4 WEEK 10			
Monday 12 th Dec	Early Stage 1 Presentation Day		
Tuesday 13 th Dec	Stage 1 Presentation Day		
Wednesday 14 th Dec	Stage 2 Presentation Day		
Thursday 15 th Dec	Stage 3 Presentation Day Year 6 Farewell Dinner		
Friday 2 Dec LASE DY OF 2022	Whole School Party Day Year 6 Clap out		

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

Harrison C last week took out the under 10's high jump title clearing a whopping 1m 43 cm at National PSSA Athletics Championships.

He is now officially the NATIONAL CHAMPION!

What an amazing sporting feat!

Hot on his heels in the under 12 high jump was Thomas S who placed second nationally!

Again, another incredible effort!





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2023 START DATE

Students will return to school on Tuesday 31st January 2023. Please pop this date in your calendars.

LEADERSHIP UPDATE

Our prospective school leaders have given their speeches this week and adorned the school with their how to vote marketing!

This has been a great group of leaders who are very positive and keen to make some improvements in our school. The new leadership team will be announced at the Stage 3 assembly 15 December. Parents of successful candidates will be invited to the assembly.

CLASS PLACEMENTS 2023

Over the coming weeks teachers will be working together to place students into classes for 2023. There are many complexities involved in placing students including social, emotional academic and behavioral.

Class placements are always designed to maximise the potential of all students. Parental requests for students to be placed with friends or with specific teachers are not considered in this process.



Class placements will be available to parents via the SENTRAL parent portal late in January, prior to the commencement of school.

REPORTS

End of year reports will be published to the parent portal on Friday 2nd December. This will give parents the opportunity to speak with their child's teacher regarding the report should there be any issues that arise.



ON OUR WAY TO NATIONALS FOR LEGO LEAGUE

5/6T participated in the Regional Lego League Australia Challenge last Sunday at University of Newcastle - Ourimbah Campus. This challenge includes a robotic element and a design project innovating on energy.

Team Gliders came 2nd in the Innovation Award designing a wave machine that would generate power form the ocean. The Flabbergasted Flamingoes placed 6th / 25 in the robotic challenge. Spike George placed 4th in the robot challenge and won the Engineering Design Award which includes robot design with coding and innovation design of portable solar panels with many features. Spikey George are going to the National Challenge, held at Macquarie University on Saturday 3rd December.

A very special mention to Mrs Tweedale who was



NFL

This week we hosted Mr Bob Harrison at our school. Mr Harrison is the Hunter Sports Coordinator and he gave up some of his time to teach the kids NFL style flag football. Thank you for coming along and providing this opportunity for our students.

YEAR 6 FAREWELL

As we near the end of year we look forward to celebrating our year 6 students. We will be hosting the farewell at school on Thursday 15th December. Students have received their invitations and parents have received a permission note and fee request for the evening. Permission and payment are due by Friday 2nd December to provide time to finalise catering for the evening.

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to help on the evening.

RUGBY 7'S

Today Mr Jackson took a team of students to Walters Park at Speers Point to participate in the Under 12's Rugby 7's gala day hosted by Hunter Rugby Union and PSSA. The boys won 75% of their games which is an outstanding effort.







RAFFLE TICKETS

Remember to keep selling the raffle tickets. We still have a number of books in the office if you need a 2^{nd} or 3^{rd} book to sell.





BLACKBUTT HOTEL RAFFLE



The Blackbutt Hotel has kindly offered to donate all proceeds from their annual Christmas Raffle to our school. If you are thinking about heading out for a meal or a drink why not head to the Blackbutt and support the school whilst you are there!

The raffle will be conducted on Friday 16th December so head on over for dinner or drinks and buy some tickets.

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS

We require some helpers over the coming weeks for our canteen to remain open.

Unfortunately, if we are unable to get parent helpers, even for 1 hour, we will need to close the canteen.

DAY	THURSDAY 1st DEC	FRIDAY 2 nd Dec
VOLUNTEER	Jason K	Mel H
	Nanoya B	Emma Mc
DAY	THURSDAY 8th DEC	FRIDAY 9th DEC
VOLUNTEER	Amanda F	CANTEEN CLOSED
	Jane C	
DAY	THURSDAY 15th DEC	FRIDAY 16 th DEC
VOLUNTEER	HELP NEEDED	1. MelH
		2. Emma Mc

WEEK 10 CELEBRATIONS

As we near the end of the year we understand parents like to make arrangements to allow them to attend these events. Parents will be sent an invitation next week if their child is receiving a "unique" award or if they have been successful in the leadership process for 2023.

Presentation Days will take place on the following days for each stage:

Monday 12 th December	Early Stage 1 Presentation Day commencing at 9.45am
Tuesday 13 th December	Stage 1 Presentation Day commencing at 9.45am
Wednesday 14 th December	Stage 2 Presentation Day commencing at 9.45am
Thursday 15 th December	Stage 3 Presentation Day commencing at 9.45am
Friday 16 th December	Whole School Party Day Year 6 Clap Out Final Day of 2022

YEAR 6 LONG RECESS

Year 6 will be hosting a long recess for the whole school on Thursday 8th December. More information will be released soon.





P & C UPDATE

RAFFLE

Sell Sell...Christmas raffle tickets have gone out to all families. Tickets must be returned to the office by Friday 9th December. Tickets can be returned to the office before the final return date.

You can also collect extra tickets from the office if you require more.

Who wouldn't want a trip to Mudgee or Dubbo or use the \$1000 for a location of your choice

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