

New Lambton Heights Infants 'A Family School'

School Newsletter



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Principal's Message

Dear Parents, Guardians, Carers and Friends of New Lambton Heights Infants School,

Staff have been finalising and editing reports ready to be sent home at the end of term. I enjoy reading the reports for each class. It gives me the opportunity to read all about how well each student has worked this year. Well done!

Christmas Concert

With only one week and two days left to go before our Christmas Concert. The students are putting the finishing touches on their act and are very excited to show you. I hope you have put the event into your calendar. It is scheduled for Friday 13th December. It is sure to be a great family occasion.

Families are invited to bring a BYO picnic to have on our grass area from 6pm, followed by our Christmas Concert which will be held under the COLA from 7.15pm until approximately 8.30pm.

If you have any questions about the night or your child's costume for the concert, please see the classroom teacher.

School Banking

Unfortunately Sally was unable to do the school banking today. It will be completed Thursday.

Please remember to bring your 10 Tokens next week to claim your prize.

Classes 2014

Due to the nature of school enrolment and the ever changing numbers we cannot set in stone the classes for 2014.

Once numbers have been finalised early next year, we will form classes catering for the needs of *all* children in our school.

Year 2 Farewell

Our Year 2 students will graduate on Wednesday 18th December.

To celebrate their time here at the school parents are invited to attend an afternoon celebration and reflection in the Year 2 classroom, commencing at 2.30pm. The whole school will 'clap out' the lovely Year 2 at approximately 3pm.

Presentation Day

Our Presentation Day will take place on Monday 16th December at 11.00am. All parents and grandparents are invited to watch the children as they are rewarded for their efforts and contributions for 2013. Parents are again encouraged to bring along a picnic to share with their child after the presentation.

Discmans wanted

Kate has a request you to look through your old bits and pieces to see if you have an old Discman to donate.

Party Day

The end of year party day is set for Tuesday 17th December 2013. The children can come dressed in their party clothes with a Christmas theme. Please be sure that the children have shoes or sandals on their feet. No thongs are to be worn. They will need to bring their swimmers, sunscreen and a towel as we will be having 'sprinkler play' at some time during the day. They will also need to pack themselves a party day lunch. This is for them to eat, not share. They will still need Crunch & Sip and recess food packed. More information in next week's newsletter.

Talent Quest

On the last day of school, Wednesday 18th December, all students are invited to participate in our school's talent quest. Have the children bring their talents with them and have some fun. I ask please that the content be carefully monitored and that the music be appropriate for infants aged children.

Water Fun Day – Year 1 Science

Year 1 had a Water Fun Day today to learn all about the properties of water. They had a wonderful time! A very big thank you to the volunteers who help make these activities possible.

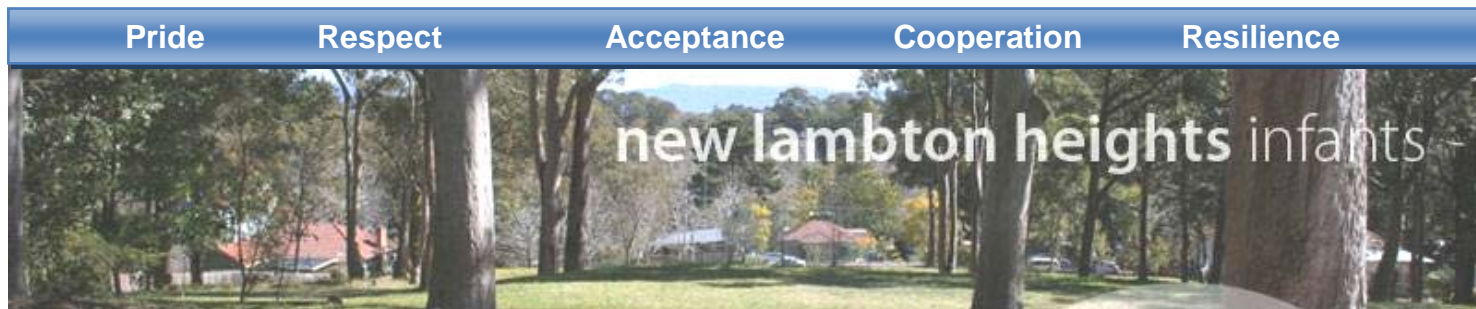
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Awards

Congratulations to all award recipients:

KB	KE
Laura Alvaro	Oliver McGavin
Luka Derkenne	Archie Vandenberg
Ronan Brown	Millie Raymond
Robert McDowell	Isabella Ormiston

Year 1	Year 2
Alyssa Griffiths	Riley Davis
Ben Alvaro	Alex Jones
Kaidi Shao	Nicholas Pascoe
Isabella Burchell	Zayden Richards

Citizenship Awards

Riley Brook
Lacey Evans

Gold Awards

Samien Dowman



School Leaders

Congratulations to our new school leaders for Weeks 9 and 10 of Term 4. They are **Toby Lorien** and **Nathan Miller**.



Dates for your Diary 2013

TERM 4 Event	Date
IGA Christmas Stall	Saturday 7 th December
Kindergarten Orientation 3	Wednesday 11 th December In groups – times to be advised
Christmas Concert	Friday 13 th December
Presentation Day	Monday 16 th December
Party Day	Tuesday 17 th December
Last Day of School Year	Wednesday 18 th December
Talent Quest	Wednesday 18 th December
Year 2'Clap Out'	3pm Wednesday 18 th December

Dates for your Diary 2014

TERM 1 Event	Date
Australia Day Public Holiday	Monday 27 th January
Staff Development Day	Tuesday 28 th January
Years 1 and Year 2 First day of the School Year	Wednesday 29 th January
BEST START Assessment (individual appointments)	Thursday 30 th and Friday 31 st January
Kindergarten First Day	Monday 3 rd February
Gymnastics	Wednesdays 5 th Feb – 9 th March
Kinder Photos	Friday 7 th February