Principals Report

Central Coast Conservatorium Band Program
Today our students in Years 2-5 will be entertained by staff from the Central Coast Conservatorium of Music. The tutors will be demonstrating to the children the range of instruments that they will have the opportunity to learn and play if they choose to become part of our school band program next year. Be prepared for the children coming home and pestering for them to join. Please consider their requests very carefully as there are a great many reasons why children should learn to play music. Some are:

- Kids who study music from an early age can do better at a range of subjects.
- Children who play music learn there are rewards from hard work, practice and discipline.
- Playing a musical instrument helps develop kids’ creative thinking and fine motor skills.
- Music helps kids become more active listeners.
- It can also enhance their health and wellbeing and increase their stamina.

The following link provides you with further information about what the research says about children learning music:


Band Program Interested Families Meeting – 7:00 pm 2nd December 2015
If you are interested in your child learning an instrument and becoming part of the school band or if you just want to know more, there will be an information session here at the school next Wednesday evening commencing at 7:00pm – you will learn about the costs, how the program operates and the opportunities provided for the children. You will also be able to express an interest in your child becoming part of this program. Please try to come along.

Family Fun Night – Tonight
A great night ahead with many stores rides and activities on site for you and your family to enjoy. The work by the P&C and staff in putting this event on has been extraordinary and as a major school fundraiser we hope that many of you can come along and join in on the fun. The gates open at 5:00. See you there.

Presentation Day Assembly
I look forward to seeing many of you at the high school next Thursday to join us in acknowledging our high achievers at the annual presentation day assembly. It will commence at 9:30am.

Year 6 2015 Graduation
I also look forward to seeing the families of the Year 6 students on the same day to watch the students graduate from Year 6. This ceremony commences at 12:00 midday, in the hall.

Lake Munmorah Public School Out of School Hours (OoSH) Program
The site visit occurred yesterday with many prospective service providers being interested in the tender for the program. They were most impressed with the amenities and the facilities of the site and I sensed that the tendering will be very competitive with a lot of interest.
Community Satisfaction Survey
To further assist our work in ensuring that we are offering the best possible service to our school community we are again asking that you complete a quick and easy survey about our school. It will only take you 5-7 minutes but the information you provide will be invaluable in assisting our planning and having some base line data to measure our effectiveness over the coming twelve months. The survey can be found at the following link:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CJQMYYQ

Please take the time to offer your ideas about your school.

Primary Ethics
We are still looking for volunteers to become teachers and there is a non-teaching coordinator position. If you might be interested in being involved in our ethics program. I ask you to contact Ms Julie Bell, Regional Manager, Wyong LGA Primary Ethics Ltd  Mob: 0415 697 109. Alternatively enter your details onto the Primary Ethics website under the becoming a teacher tab and that will be sent through to Julie. Full free training will be provided.

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Mr Graham Holmes
Principal

Quality Workers/High Achievers This Week

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Vege Garden Update

Our little gardeners have been busy planting seeds and seedlings into our garden. 1BT have planted cucumbers and baby beetroot, 5/6C planted beetroot, coriander and basil and 3/4B's tomato plants are ready to plant. Also, thanks to Rennae (Shannae Watsons Mum) for her kind donation of tomato seedlings. We will have tomatoes everywhere soon (ready for summer salads).

Don't forget Fresh Food Friday where all of the veges, fruit and herbs grown by your children are on sale for $1:00. So come along at 2:45 on Friday under the COLA and grab a bargain and give the opportunity for your children to grow some more. All money raised goes back into the garden. If you would like a special plant grown- bring along some seeds to your child's teacher and we will get them growing.

Tracey Caban
Dear Student/Parent/Guardian

Commencing Monday 7th December 2015, many school bus numbers will be changing as shown below. It is important that you make yourself aware of the new bus number for the morning and afternoon trip, as both will be different.

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This change to 4 digit numbers is required to ensure Busways can meet guidelines set by Transport for NSW in terms of reporting and ticketing functionality.

Detailed school bus timetables (including all connecting services) are available on the Busways website at www.busways.com.au or for further information, please contact Busways Customer Service on 9497 1870 or 9497 1887.

Busways wishes to apologise for any confusion this critical information upgrade may cause.

Yours sincerely

BUSWAYS WYONG PTY LTD
(62) Lake Munmorah Public School (28/10/2015)
Playing With Colour Workshop

We will explore:
Colour in our Daily Lives
Aura and Chakra Colour Meanings
Colour Meditations
Healing with Colour - Chakra Balancing
Art Therapy - Colouring in for Adults

When: Sunday, 22nd November 2015 and Sunday, 29th November 2015
Where: Community Hall, Valhalla Village, 25 Mullenay Road, Chain Valley Bay 2259
Time: 10am to 4pm
Cost: $20.00 - includes Morning and Afternoon Tea, Mandala Colouring Book and Coloured Pencils, Course Notes. Please bring your lunch. Tea, Coffee and refreshments will be provided.
To Register: Call Robyn on 0408214378 or Email: robynsorrier@bigpond.com
Register by: Friday, 20th November, 2015 by 6pm or Friday, 27th November, 2015 by 6pm

2016 Registrations are now open!

2016 junior registrations are now being accepted for boys and girls turning 8 next year to u17s.
Get in early and grab your spot in the team!

Registration fees $120
Includes affiliation fees, umpire fees, club shirt, shorts and socks.

For more information call 0428 196 667

Before school child minding
Fun in a safe environment
Breakfast if needed
Your child gets safely to school on time
I have 2 children at Lake Munmorah Public School
Approved Working with Children & National Police checks
Call Kathy to secure your spot for Term 4
0416 090 593
School Diary

Please stick me on your ‘fridge’

TERM 4

November
26  5:00 - 8:00pm MARKET & FUN NIGHT TONIGHT!!!!

December
01  Stage 1 @ Alison Homestead Excursion
03  9:30am - End of Year Presentation @ LMHS Hall
    12:00pm - Year 6 Graduation @ LMPS Hall
04  Year 6 Luna Park Excursion
08  Year 5 SURF FUN DAY
10  Kinder - Year 5 Class Parties
16  Last Day for Students

Kindergarten 2015

Week 10
Last Day of Trading for the Canteen
Friday 11th December

Week 11
Closed Monday 14th
Closed Tuesday 15th
Closed Wednesday 16th