6 August 2014

Dear Parent and Carers,

On Wednesday 30 August 2014, Ingleburn Public School had a very successful Open Day as part of our celebrations for Education Week. We had a wonderful whole school assembly supported by our parents, displays of learning and video presentations in the hall, morning tea for parents and open classrooms.

This year schools celebrated the 60th anniversary of the first education week back in 1954 and the slogan then was “Lighting the way to a better world”. This is the slogan for this year’s Education Week and is applicable today as much as it was back in 1954.

Four of our students from 5/6U participated in the Campbelltown Academic Challenge with 19 other schools in the local area. We were successful in winning one of the challenges involving library research and cooperation skills. Congratulations to Keshav Bajpai, Deeksha Jagadeesan, Harashada Chaure and Arnav Bansal. They were presented with their medals by our Mr Brian Doyle.

Our students have been involved in many sport knockouts recently and have been commended on their good sportsmanship and manners. Well done Ingleburn!

Congratulations are extended to Mrs Urry who was successful in a merit selection process to be appointed Deputy Principal at Ingleburn Public School.

Teachers and students look forward to continued wonderful learning and parent support as the year progresses.

Graeme Green
Principal
Dear Parents and Carers,

We will soon be conducting a raffle as a fund raiser for Ingleburn Public School. The raffle will be drawn at our Fun Day event on Wednesday 10 September 2014 which parents, grandparents, friends and family are invited to attend.

We have asked local businesses for prize donations and are hoping to have some fabulous items to be won. We request your support by assisting us in donating prizes to be used for our raffle.

If you could donate any of the following items to contribute to our raffle it would be greatly appreciated. The items can be given to your child’s teacher, dropped at the front office or given to Mrs York. The items will be used to make hampers.

Items you may donate to make prize hampers include:

- Vouchers from local businesses
- Any household item that is brand new and could be put into a hamper
- Brand new children’s books, coloured pencils, toys, colouring in, craft or other similar item
- Home-made handicraft items such as knitted scarves, blankets or children’s clothing, crocheted tea towels, or any other similar craft item that could be put into gift hampers
- Brand new toiletry or body care products such as hand-cream, perfume, bath oils
- Luxury or gourmet food items such jams, chutneys, oils, tea, coffee or similar items for a food hamper
- Baskets, ribbons, wrapping to create hampers.

Please send items to school in a plastic bag labelled “Fun Day Prize Raffle” with your child’s name and class so we can publically thank you for your donations in our newsletter.

Thank you for your assistance,

Mrs York
Assistant Principal
MEMORIAL PAVERS
Thank you to all our families and staff that contributed to purchasing pavers for Ingleburn Public School’s 125th Anniversary Garden. The path looks amazing and students and staff have enjoyed walking and viewing the names engraved on the pavers.

You still have an opportunity to become a permanent part of Ingleburn Public School’s history. With your support we can continue to create the path to make it a memorable space for everyone to treasure.

HOW TO ORDER
Please collect an order form from the School Office and return all money and the form to the office by 1st July, 2014

All outside payments can be mailed to: Ingleburn Public School, PO Box 154, INGLEBURN, NSW 1890

All cheques to be made payable to Ingleburn Public School.

Enquires can be made to Hilda Alexander on 9605 1423 or Ingleburn-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

NSW Premier’s Sporting Challenge 2014

This term, Ingleburn Public School will be taking part in the Premier’s Sporting Challenge. The challenge involves students’ recording all of the physical activity they participate in across the week in their personal logbook. This can include any physical activity both in school and out of school, weekdays and weekends.

Students are encouraged to participate in as much physical activity as they can to work towards bronze, silver, gold and diamond awards each week. Each student in Kindergarten to Year 6 will receive a logbook and will have the chance to earn a bronze, silver, gold or diamond certificate at the end of the challenge.

One student in the school will be awarded with a Premier’s Sporting Challenge Medal for outstanding participation and achievement. This is a fantastic initiative which promotes a healthy lifestyle in children by encouraging them to be active. It also provides the school with funding to purchase new sports equipment.

Please support and assist your child in this exciting sporting challenge.

Miss Overell
Sports Coordinator
5I’s Class Report
Which Road Will We Travel?

As part of our HSIE unit, ‘which road will we travel’, 5I are beginning to develop a travel brochure for a place around the world that is of interest.

By allowing the students to engage in their own learning, they are beginning to develop skills to support them in researching and planning their information and work on the different ways of presenting their understandings.

All students have now chosen their place of interest and are working on the information within the travel brochure. This includes costing, famous sites for people to visit, restaurants, hotels, and itinerary. The students aim is to persuade their audience to visit their place of interest.

As the weeks progress, our class will begin to recognise the value of travel in developing an appreciation of other countries, cultures and significant places and the impact it has on people’s lives.
Sydney South West Cross Country

On Thursday 12 June, several students from Ingleburn Public School represented ‘The Fields’ zone at the Sydney South West Area Cross Country carnival. Students travelled to Hurlstone Agricultural High School with the zone team to compete against other zones from the area. We had 7 students attend the carnival and achieve some fantastic results.

To make it to this level in cross country is an outstanding accomplishment and all students should be extremely proud of their efforts.

A huge congratulations to the following students on their excellent achievement: Maverick F, Courtney T, Jessica B, Angus F, Ryna P, Sienna W and Patrick W.

Ingleburn Public School K-4 Choir

Ingleburn Public School K-4 choir has been working very hard to learn some new and exciting performance pieces this year. On Wednesday 18 June, students in the K-4 choir walked across the road to the Country Women’s Association to perform an ensemble at the presentation of the book competition. Students performed the song ‘Let It Go’ from the Disney movie ‘Frozen.’ The choir did a fantastic job and it was wonderful to see our school represented so beautifully and with such pride. Our K-4 choir is now preparing for Education Week and Fire in the Fields next term, stay tuned for upcoming performances.

Miss Issa & Miss Overell
Gloria Jeans Coffee/ Drink cards

All Ingleburn Public School families have been issued with a Gloria Jeans Frequent Sipper Card. Each time you buy a drink from Gloria Jeans Ingleburn branch your card is stamped and your 6th drink is FREE! Once you have redeemed your free drink, please hand in your card to the School Office, or send it in to school with your child. Each full card earns our school $1.00. We appreciate your support with this initiative. See Mrs York or the front office for additional cards.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Mrs York

1st Leumeah Scout Group

Meeting Place: Smith’s Creek Reserve Leumeah
When: 5.30 - 6.30pm Mondays

If you’re aged 6 to 7 and a half, you can jump into Joys and have lots and lots of fun! Boys and girls in Joey Scouts have lots of adventure and make lots of new friends. You’ll learn all about nature, sing songs, go on fun trips, make crafts, play games and even do some cooking!

OPEN MONTH IN AUGUST

All Welcome
Lisa Wenham Mob: 0405996406

TRY BASEBALL / REGISTRATION DAY

Campbelltown Caspers will be holding a Try Baseball Day / Registration Day on Sunday July 27th from 10am to 2pm at Mary Brookes Reserve, Kellerman Drive St Helens Park. Come down, enjoy a free sausage sizzle and sign up for the new season. All of the committee will be on hand to answer any questions you may have. Alternatively, if you’re interested in playing and can’t make it on Sunday, feel free to email Ian at ian@caspersbaseballclub.com or you can ring/text him on 0410 150 614 www.caspersbaseballclub.com
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Would you like to volunteer some time to help local families with a baby who need support?

Focus on Families is looking for women who may have two spare hours each week to volunteer. Volunteers visit families in their home to offer practical & emotional support.

Our volunteer are required to undertake a free preparation course to train them in best practice & current techniques in caring for an infant before being placed with a family.

Preparation classes will be held each Tuesday and Wednesday in August 2014 10.00am – 2.00pm

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This is not a full time role and can largely be done at a time convenient to you.
Could those interested in undertaking this rewarding role please contact Ros or Kim at the Canteen during school hours.

Music Bus
Ingleburn Public School is able to offer Music Bus lessons to K-6 students on Tuesdays after school. These lessons are held within the school grounds. Lessons are available for keyboard, guitar, drums and singing between 3 and 5.30pm. If you are interested, please see Mrs York or contact The Music Bus directly by phone or email. Students will be given an opportunity to perform at a school assembly later in the year.
Contact The Music BUS on:
• 1300 168 742, Email: info@themusicbus.com.au