FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- Auskick: Wednesday 18th, 25th June
- ArtsLink: Thursday 12th June
- P & C Meeting: Wednesday 18th June
- Sports Day Track events: Friday 20th June - Linville State School
- Readers Cup: Wednesday 25th June
- Last Day of Term 2: Friday 27th June
- School Resumes: Monday 14th July
- Cooyar Sports Day: Thursday 17th July

Celebrating our success and achievement!

Week 6 Term 2
Student of the Week (Kangaroos): Chloe
Student of the Week (Emus): Jesse

Week 7 Term 2
Student of the Week (Kangaroos): Christian
Student of the Week (Emus): Jordan

Linville State School
Improvement Agenda 2014 Update

1. Reading – Reviewing our student’s progress towards meeting regional benchmarks.
2. Behaviour – Working on our school values and expectations for SWPBS
3. Attendance – Every day matters
Hello Linville,

**ArtsLink Performance**
Tomorrow morning we are off to Toogoolawah for our Term 2 Artslink performance. The bus will leave school at 9:00 am and return to school by 11 am. On our return to school Mrs Corcoran, Miss Clellend and Mrs Kusay will be working with the whole school until the end of the day. Mr Mac and Mrs Carey will be heading up to Crows Nest SS for training on the new digital maintenance system the department is putting into place.

**Sports Days**
Our students competed well at the field events at Harlin last week. Now we move onto the track events which will be held at our school next Friday. On this day all students will compete in sprints, relays and ball games. Tuckshop orders for the Linville Sports Day have already been sent out, and are to be returned to school by Monday 16th June 2014.

The South Burnett Small Schools Sports day will be held at Cooyar State School on Thursday 17th July, which is in week one of next term. This is a whole school event. The tuckshop forms for Cooyar have arrived and they have asked that they be returned by next Wednesday. Last year we booked and shared a bus with Benarkin SS, with plenty of room because of the small number of students who came with us on the bus.

At this point in time we have decided not to book a bus. A permission form will go home this week. On this form we need you to indicate whether your student/s will be travelling with you to Cooyar or whether they will need to be taken to Cooyar in a private vehicle. Please return this form ASAP so that we have a clear indication of student numbers and know how many students will need transport to Cooyar SS.

**SWPBS Update**
Our next SWPBS team meeting is next Wednesday morning at 8.00 am. Next week we are working towards having a values and expectations matrix to replace our current school rules. Next term we will be seeking parent and community input into the values and expectations matrix. This is an important part of SWPBS and making sure that the school teaches values and behaviours that are of importance to everyone in our community.

**Audit**
In the last week of the term we will be having financial audit at our school. The department’s auditor will be here from Tuesday 24th June through to Thursday 27th June. The purpose of the audit is to ensure that we are compliant with our legal responsibilities as a school. At various times over the three days Mrs Carey and I will be out of the classroom and working with the auditor. We will attempt to keep any disruptions to our normal routines as minimal as possible.

**Readers Cup**
Our 2014 reader's cup team is ready and raring to go! We have had our last tune up with our expert coach (Ms Benson) and now are looking forward to competing on Wednesday 25th June at Lowood SHS. Parents and family are welcome to attend this event with our team. A permission note will be going home shortly. I will be looking for assistance with transporting the team, as my car can only seat 6 passengers and we have 7 students attending the event. If you are able to attend this fantastic event, please let me know.

**Information evening**
The information evening scheduled in the term planner for next Monday has been postponed to early next term. We would like to present at this evening what we have achieved in our improvement agenda so far this year, particularly our SWPBS progress. Look out for the date in next term's planner.

Keep up the good work Linville!

Mr Mac

This week’s article from https://www.kidsmatter.edu.au/families/enewsletter, is about the huge impact that a positive community has on a child’s mental health.

Creating a positive community

Children who feel included have better mental health and wellbeing and are happier and more relaxed and the same goes for parents too. Having opportunities to get to know other parents, to find out how to support your child’s learning or to get involved in class activities can also help parents feel more connected to their child’s school or childcare centre.

Knowing who your child is friends with, what they’ll be learning about next week and that your contribution is important for example, can not only make you feel a part of your child’s education, but also help you support your children better at home.

Most of us have busy lives so finding the time to be involved in your child’s school or childcare centre can sometimes be difficult. Fortunately, there are lots of simple things you can do to help you and your family feel like part of the community. These include:

• finding out about the school or childcare centre and what your child is learning; participate in information sessions
• attending social activities with other parents to get to know more people in your area
• asking if there are any class activities you may be able to get involved with

Last Monday was the last borrowing day for Term 2, 2014

Reminder:

All Library books need to be returned by Friday, 20th June, please.

Stocktaking is about to begin for 2014.

ENJOY YOUR READING

P & C News

The next P & C Meeting is on Wednesday 18th June at 9:00am. All welcome.

Karen Parker
P&C President