GOING FOR GOLD

Students are striving to get as many Gillo Golds as they can. Each Friday the classes are tipping their Gillo Golds into the BIG TUB. Lines will be drawn on the tub and the whole school will be rewarded as they reach each level. The children have voted for what they want most as a whole school reward. The student choice for Reward Day One (when we reach the first level) will be a mini hot dog at lunch eating time.

Go For Gold Gillo!

From the Principal

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our new breakfast program has been such a hit in its first week that we have had to continuously buy more food. The toast and cheese is particularly in high demand! Our morning bell goes at 9:05 so we really can’t serve any more food after 9 o’clock. Children arriving before 8:40 are asked to sit in the playground as there is no teacher on duty until then. Congratulations to our students who were invited to audition for the Australian Youth Choir. If you are interested in auditioning and want to know more there is information later in the newsletter.

Next week our Year 3 and 4 students head off to the Aussie Bush Camp. I would like to wish them well and look forward to hearing lots of great tales from camp when they return.

Mrs Karen Johanson - Principal
We have had a great start to Term 4, working hard during literacy groups and maths. In maths we have been working on our number skills. Kindergarten have been concentrating on ordinal numbers and having fun playing “Teddy Bear Races” to see which teddy comes first, which comes second and so on. Year 1 have been whisper counting and percussion counting by 2s, 4s, 5s, 10s and 3s. We have also been playing a board game that helps us to count back to solve subtraction problems.

This week Possums have been learning all about the Green and Gold Bell Frog. We have been researching the Green and Gold Bell Frog and writing sentences about all the new things we have learnt about them. We had lots of fun drawing and painting our own Green and Gold Bell Frog.

“They can eat mice!” – Paige

“They are green and gold.” – Declan

“I used lots of gold glitter on my frog!” – Cooper
Classroom Capers

BILBIES and QUOLLS

Our last day of Term 3 was spent working together in combined groups to create a structure using our knowledge of “Built environments” and a variety of building materials such as Base 10 blocks, Unifix cubes and LEGO. We all had fun building but it was difficult because we were given a limited time to create and build. Here are some of the buildings we created. The groups all voted that the tall building was the best structure because it had a thick base, making it very sturdy, and was the tallest building created in the time allowed.

The PBL focus this week is Being Safe - Keep hands and feet to self

SKOOLBAG APP

Did you know you can send an absentee note through this App. Use the Parent eForms.

“Save time do it online!”

We are safe, respectful learners.
Positive Behaviour for Learning

We are safe, respectful learners striving for personal best in a happy and friendly environment.

Last week students learned the importance of Walking on hard surfaces.

This week the focus is on Keeping hands and feet to self.

These are the Universal Expectations. That means everyone everywhere is expected to behave this way, students, teachers, parents and carers.

Teachers will be looking for students following this expectation and rewarding them with Gillo Golds.

Parents and carers can assist at home by talking to their child about the importance of being safe at school.

Our Next Community PBL Meeting–To Be Advised

INTENSIVE SWIMMING LESSONS - URGENT!

All notes need to be returned by this Friday. At this point there doesn’t seem to be enough interest to run this program. Any money paid will be returned if this program is cancelled.

Enrol now for 2015

If you have or know of any children intending starting school next year, please see our school office. Names are being taken and enrolment forms are available now.
LIBRARY STOCKTAKE

Our Library will begin stocktake soon so we ask that all books be returned. There will be no borrowing at the moment.

All students who return their Library Books will be receiving a raffle ticket with their name on it. The tickets will go into a draw during stocktake. If your name is drawn then your class members will receive an ice block.

Week 1 Award Winners

KOALAS  
Tye O  
Joshuah J  
Madi P  

POSSUMS  
Dallas J  
Amelia H  
Mia S  

WALLABIES  
Tahlia C  
Jaiden F  
Zac S  

BILBIES  
Flinn  
Matthew  
Cory  
Koori  

QUOLLS  
Marko  
Tyson  
Jake  

DUGONGS  
Ainsley  
Hollie  
Shaye  

MRS HENNEN  
Chelsea W  
Blair O  
Jake M  
Caleb E  
Riley H  
Byron K  

Make sure you bring your bank book to the office each Tuesday to be involved in this great competition!

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Telarah Public School Preschool

Now Taking Applications for 2015

Applications for a place in our Preschool are now being taken. If you have any questions regarding our programs please take the time and call the school to make an appointment to chat to one of our experienced educators or the Principal. Phone number is 49328477.

Our Preschool is open between 9am and 3pm. Children attend 5 days each fortnight, 2 days one week and 3 the next.

Fees are simply $15 per day for non-concession card holders and $7 per day for concession card holders and Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander children. The school has the capacity to provide fee relief if families are having difficulties meeting the costs of attending Preschool.

Please call in at the office to pick up a form or visit the link below to download a PDF version.


Applications are open to all families in the Maitland Area, we will support you and your child to transition to Transition to the local school of your choice for Kindergarten 2016.

All applications need to be dropped in to the school or emailed to the school at the address below.

telarah-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

Tony Gadd
2014
Saturday 1st November
On the school grounds, Honan Road, Gosford

- Mega slide rides (unlimited purchased rides available)
- The Pretty Amazing Jonathan
- Delicious Food: BBQ, Coffee Van, Dutch Pancakes, Snow Cones
- Raffle – great prizes!
- Face painting & Stalls
- Enjoy a night of live music from local young talent
- Fabulous MEGA AUCTION including signed Knights jersey, signed Jets football, holiday packages & much more!
- Free Shuttle Bus

Gates open 4pm
$5 adults, $2 child or $10 family (up to 4 children)
Bring a chair or blanket
For more information Ph: 49672596

All children must be accompanied by an adult.
Amplified is a family & community event and is strictly drug and alcohol free – we want to offer a safe environment for everyone to enjoy.

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Lochinvar Public School
Fundraiser Trivia Night
31st October 7PM
The Bradford Hotel
Rutherford

$10 per person max 10 per table
Halloween Theme dress up for points
GREAT PRIZES

Contact Tony to book your table or seat: 0423230888

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The Australian Youth Choir celebrates over 30 years of vocal training and performance for boys and girls aged 7 years and up.

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Perth (08) 9485 1466

For more information check our website: www.nypaa.com.au

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Fabulous Singing and so much more...
Just For Fun!

Q. What is a frog’s favourite year?
A. A leap year!

Q. What animal keeps the best time?
A. A watch dog!

Q. Why was everyone so tired on April 1st?
A. They had just finished a March of 31 days!

Q. What does a clock do when it is hungry?
A. It goes back for four seconds!

Q. What is the shortest month?
A. May, because it only has three letters!

I was going to look for my missing watch, but I could never find the time!

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 Diary Dates

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Diary Dates

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CLOCK MAZE

Find number 1 first and then visit each number around the clock dial in order.