Dear Parents and Carers

Firstly I would like to extend an enormous thank you to all parents who supported us last night in celebrating the achievements of our children at La Perouse School. It was absolutely terrific to see so many smiling faces out in the crowd and all children were thrilled to receive their medallions, awards, certificates and prizes.

Publicly I would like to extend a huge thank you to Yvonne Clarke, Instructional Leader, who coordinated the events of the night. Celebrations like these take a phenomenal amount of energy, time and effort and Yvonne did a wonderful job in making sure that the night was memorable! Thank you Yvonne!

Botany Splash

Just a reminder to all parents that the Botany Splash School Picnic and Fun Day is on next Tuesday and is open to all parents. We welcome you to join us and celebrate the end of the year.

Classes in 2015

As a school we always try to respond to the feedback of parents and in 2015 we will be establishing a 3 class structure at La Perouse Public School. This will initially be for a 12 month period and then the structure will be reviewed dependant on school finances for 2016. The exact composition of classes isn’t known as yet but these will be announced in the new year. The 2015 La Perouse PS class structure consists of;

Girawaa class taught by Mr Shaun Ninyo (Kindergarten, 1, 2 & 3);

New Class name (to be decided) taught by Ms Rebecca Cassel (Years 2, 3 & 4); and;

Buriburi class taught by Mr Rodney Jarius (Years 4, 5 & 6)

In closing for the year on our final newsletter, I would like to thank all parents and friends of the school for your ongoing support throughout 2014.

On behalf of the staff I extend to you our best wishes for the holiday period and wish you all a happy and safe New Year.

Dace Elletson
Principal

To those of you who will be leaving at the end of the year, we wish you all the very best in your new homes and schools and I look forward to welcoming those of you returning in 2015 for an exciting year at La Perouse Public School.

CALENDAR

Tuesday 16/12/14
Botany Splash
Year 6 Farewell

Wednesday 17/12/14
Last day of school

School resumes 28/01/2015

Merry Christmas
Girawaa

We have started making lots of Christmas art as well as writing lots of letters to Santa. We were lucky enough to see Santa yesterday and he gave us a present each. THANK YOU SANTA

Girawaa has been working really hard on our mathematics. We have been working on measurement from shortest to tallest as well as knowing all our numbers. We have been finishing off our workbooks ready to send home.

In the next couple of days we will be sending home all textbooks and writing books. Please go through these with your child as they have worked very hard on these all year.

Buriburi

Buriburi would like to thank everyone who attended the Presentation night for 2014. We had such a wonderful time, celebrating all of our successes for the year and showcasing our performances. It was a lovely send off for the leaving year 6 group and a chance to give our new year 5 leaders their induction for next year.

Presentation night was also a great chance for us to show some of the poetry we have been working on this term. We have been having a blast learning about and writing all different types of poetry. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did!

RADICAL READER OF THE YEAR

Name: Caleb
Class: Girawaa

Caleb is blitzing it up the reading levels ladder this year climbing a whopping 15 levels. He is reading a variety of books including factual texts with good comprehension and improved expression. He is now working towards his goal of improving fluency. Keep up the good work, especially during the holidays!!!

Well Done Caleb!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Buriburi