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Principal’s Message

This Friday is National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence. Our school will participate in activities related to this national program in addition to the normal school learning about relationships and anti-bullying. We will be sharing this learning and information from the program with parents as well.

This week we have four students travelling with Mrs Gibson to Deniliquin to participate in the Creative Catchment Kids Program. Students will enjoy a 2-hour workshop to prepare them for this year’s projects. We look forward to being involved in this valuable project again this year.

On Thursday this week, we have two students representing our school in the District AFL side competing in the Western Riverina Trails in Barooga. We hope they and their team mates have a great day.

Catherine Peach

NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION AGAINST BULLYING & VIOLENCE

The 2014 National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence is on Friday 21 March 2014.

This annual day provides a focus for all schools to say Bullying. No Way! and to strengthen their existing everyday messages that bullying and violence at school are not okay at any time.

Our school has registered for this program. Students will discuss the importance of learning how to get on with each other and will participate in learning activities to support their social and emotional development.
Students will learn what constitutes bullying and skills to deal with social and emotion situations. Incidents of disagreements, not getting along, or one-off acts of social rejection or aggression are not bullying but these conflicts still need to be addressed and resolved.

Bullying is repeated verbal, physical, social or psychological behaviour that is harmful and involves the misuse of power by an individual or group towards one or more persons. Bullying will not be tolerated at our school.

Bullying. No Way!

The National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence reminds us that everyone has a role in creating safe and supportive places for children and young people. Parents, community groups and our school play a vital role in creating these safe places for our children.

To support the National Day of Action, focus on activities to help young children learn about how to get on with others and how to solve their problems without physical or verbal aggression.

RIISING GENERATION LEADERSHIP FORUM

Year 5/6 students and Miss Hulands attended the Rising Generation Leadership Forum in Deniliquin last week. It was an inspirational day full of presentations, discussions, team challenges, role plays and activities. Thank you to Deni South PS for hosting the day and to Lakes Buses for getting our students there.

Students will be putting what they learned into action with leadership projects back in school.
SRC MEMBERS TO BE INDUCTED

Last week, our Student Representatives met for the first time this year to introduce themselves and to discuss the role and responsibilities of a Student Representative.

The Student Representative Council gives students a voice in school programs and operation. SRC has members elected from Years 1 – 4 and includes all Year 5 and 6 students. The SRC will work with Miss Hulands and Mrs Peach throughout this year on school projects and fundraising efforts.

Student Representatives will be inducted at our Assembly in Week 11.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Our school Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday, 4th April, the second last Friday of Term 1.

Due to the scheduling of re-furbishment of the ground where Riverina Athletics are held, the scheduling for PSSA Athletics has had to be brought forward to earlier in the year. This has meant that our Athletics Carnival has had to be brought back into Term 1 so that our District carnivals and selections for Riverina happen in time.

Students are already practising for their Athletics events. Wakool Burraboi and Clare Public School students will join us for this carnival. Information will be sent home closer to the day.

P&C AGM

TONIGHT

Tuesday 18th March

6.30pm

Parents are invited to attend and become members of the P&C.

P&C is a parent representative body that supports and promotes your school.

P&C meetings are a forum for information sharing between the school and its families and community.

P&C is more than just fundraising – it is a way to be involved in the operation of your school and planning for the future.

P&C works for the benefit of all students at your school.

So come along - all ideas and contributions are welcome.