

Photo: Student Agricultural success at the Cootamundra Show!

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Your School For Life

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Our Values

Staff and students of LCS are proud to uphold the school values: Respect Others, Respect Property, Respect Yourself and believe that to not do so is completely unacceptable.

One of the easiest ways to demonstrate these values is to speak and act in a respectful manner to others at all times. By using good manners, speaking in a respectful tone and by avoiding inappropriate language or swearing, LCS students demonstrate the values expected by our community.

Our families support our school and encourage these values in our students, reinforcing in them the need to demonstrate this behaviour at all times. They realise that by doing so, their students will become valued and productive community members: this support is very much appreciated.

Mrs Ernest



Photo: Orientation Day - Secondary Sport. Aaron Finnen with Urana student, Hayden Harkness.



Kindergarten Transition

Children starting Kindergarten in 2014 have begun their transition program with P1 students. This is an exciting time for our eight Kindergartens starting next year. They have been enjoying stories, craft, drawing, writing, making new friends and of course the playground equipment.

Kindergarten transition will continue for three more weeks.

Mrs Simunovic

Photo: Holly Murphy – 5th State High Jump



Photo: Holly Murphy clearing 1.40 (PB)

State Athletics Carnival

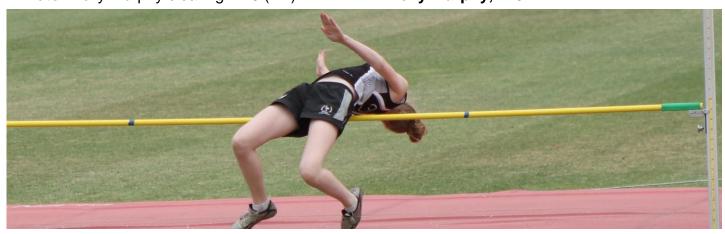
On Wednesday morning, Mrs Peel, Mum, Jack and I travelled to Sydney. It took about 5 and a half hours to get to our motel!. The next morning I got up at 7:30!

We left the motel at about 9:55 and we went down to the stadium where we joined up with the rest of the Riverina competitors. I then had to sign in. At 12:15 I went and did some warm ups with Mrs peel.... then they called my event!!

I said bye to Mrs Peel and a man walked myself and a group of girls out to the high jump mat. The man explained the rules and how the event was going to run and what we had to do. I was first out of the whole group and I was very nervous. No one was getting out – everybody kept jumping each new height set.

Then 1:40 came and they called my name. I jumped it first go and I was thrilled because I beat my PB! A lot of girls got out at 1:40 but I was still in. 1:45 and I missed all 3 jumps. I was a bit disappointed but at the end of the event I asked what position I got and I was told 5th Place! and I said, 'say again please'.

I went over to Mrs Peel and Mum and told them. It was like they had won the lottery!! So overall I got 5th out of 37 girls. Fantastic! **Holly Murphy, Yr6**



W2/3 report

In W2/3 we have 3 new students in our class. Their names are Tristyn, Kaleb and Michael.

Once a week, Year 6 get to go and be a 'Year 7 student' for the day. Year 2 students have also been joining us in W2/3.

In W2/3 we have been focusing on times tables and all other kinds of maths. We have begun reading a book called <u>Edith's Lyrebird</u>. It is cool because it is a true story.

Last week, Years' 4, 5, 6 went to tennis and Year 3 joined P1. Aloura won a certificate because she was in the final!!! We were so proud of her.

Meg Chandler, Year 3

Lockhart Show Success

Various LCS students had great success with their pieces of artwork. Some of the students were Brooke Peel, Kierra Bennett, Mathew McTavish, Josh Taylor and Lachlan Fletcher. Congratulations!

Mrs Cunningham

Student takes opportunity to participate in competitions

Erica Alchin has been filling her spare time this year by entering multiple writing competitions that have been on offer for all students to participate in.

'Dream Big' and 'Written in the Stars' were two of these competitions where Erica entered poems and short stories. Unfortunately, she did not receive a place, but she has received a plaque with her story printed on it.

Congratulations Erica, for your participation and enthusiasm in English.

Mrs James

Photo: The Lockhart Show prizewinning artworks



Photo: Erica Alchin with her short story.



Student Opportunity and Great Success! Agriculture Excursion

On the Thursday and Friday of Week 2, Term 4, 8 secondary students were lucky to participate in an Agricultural Excursion with Mr Talbot and Mr Schneider.

The students got to groom and lead steers and bulls at the Rodd's farm in Wagga. We were very fortunate that Mr Talbot knew someone who had been in that 'area of expertise', so we could find out new and exciting things! (about showing and judging farm products)

Later that day we had the chance to meet Mr Talbot's family and enjoy a game of bowling with Mr Talbot and his wife. We all had a lot of fun at bowling!

The next day we travelled to Cootamundra to participate in the Junior Judges competition. We judged grains, fruit and vegetables, fleece, meat sheep, merino sheep, heifers and Herefords. Most of our participants from our Lockhart Central School won places in the judging:

Zac Farrall: 1st Merino Judging

Tyler Adnum: 4th Merino Judging, 4th Fruit &

Veg Judging

Ben Schneider: 5th Merino Judging, 5th Fruit &

Veg Judging, 5th Wool Classing Brooke Peel: 5th Merino Judging

Zac McKay: 3rd Wool Classing ,4th Fruit &

Veg, 5th Grain Judging

Erica Achin: 3rd Grain Judging

Unfortunately, Connor and Tom didn't receive a placing even though both did extremely well in the finals of some judging events.

Zac McKay and myself were both fortunate to be given a steer to lead in the Steer Leading competition. We very much enjoyed that! A big thanks to Mr Talbot and Eddie Schneider for assisting us on this trip.

Erica Alchin, Yr 8



Photo: Tom Schneider, Yr 8



Photo: Mr Talbot and Tyler Adnum, Yr8



Photo: Zac Mackay, Yr9



Wonderful School Spirit

At this years' Spirit of the Land Festival, the Lockhart Central School P & C cooked burgers under the verandahs as a fundraiser.

We began at 7.30am with the very popular egg and bacon burger and with the smart thinking of Holly Murphy and help from Janita Nickel the girls boosted our sales by visiting the other stall holders selling our wares.

Lunchtime saw lines of up to 20 people waiting to purchase our burgers with the lot. We sold 230 burgers and 185 egg and bacon rolls. It was such a successful event that we had to hang the 'SOLD OUT' sign by 2pm.

It was a wonderful day, school morale was high and everyone had a fun but busy time. Thank you to the following families for your fantastic community spirit and hard work on the day: the Trethowans, Ronnfeldts, Days, Brockwells, Sheathers, Pithers, Cochranes, Chambers, Tullbergs, Forbes, Woodens, Boufflers and James'. Thank you also to all the egg donations we received.

The fundraiser was very successful raising approx. \$1700 profit and much praise for our delicious burgers. Well Done.

Our next P&C meeting will be on Wednesday 6th November. Hope to see you there!

Mandi Bouffler, P&C President

Congratulations to our Principal PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning)
Award recipients!

Week 2, Term 4

Primary: Vienna Bush Secondary: Tom Schneider

Week 3, Term 4

Primary: Syd Brockwell

Secondary: Connor McKenzie

Meet a Student....

Name: Tristyn Anstee



House: White

Year: 4

Hobbies: Motorbike riding

Future Ambitions: Famous motorbike rider **Anything else interesting:** My last school was Albury West Public School (AWPS)

Name: Tiffany Williams



House: White

Year: 10

Hobbies: Sleeping, hanging out with friends **Future Ambitions**: To work in Child care **Recently:** Shaved part of my head because I

like to be an individual.

By Eliza Chambers, Yr4



Photo: Secondary Transition. Urana Central's Liam Widdup & Hayden Harkness go for the ball!



Pink Ribbon Morning Tea

Wednesday 30th October 2013, 10.30am at Lockhart Community Health. Belinda Schrieber, McGrath Breast Care Nurse will be giving a short presentation. Donations welcomed.

PCYC Halloween Disco

Saturday 2nd November, 2013 6.30pm till 9.30pm, Canteen opens 6pm FANCY DRESS – Prize for best outfit \$4 entry or \$3 if in costume Dinner Packs at \$5 each

Pk 1 - 1x saus in bread, fruit box, popcorn

Pk 2 - 2x saus in bread, fruit box

Upcoming Events OCTOBER

Week 4

Wed 30th – Fri 1st – Year 10 Exams Thu 31st – Kindergarten Transition Day Thu 31st – Year 7 & Urana Transition Day

NOVEMBER

Week 5

Mon 4th – Wed 6th - Year 7-10 Exams Wed 6th – P & C (Yr 12 Formal discussion)

Thu 7th – White Card

Thu 7th – Kindergarten Transition Day

Thu 7th – Year 7 & Urana Transition Day

Week 6

11th – 23rd – Year 10 Work experience Thu 14th – Kindergarten Transition Day Thu 14th – Year 7 & Urana Transition Day

Upcoming Assessment tasks

Year 7. 8. 9 & 10

Week 5 – Yearly Exams

Notes sent home this past fortnight

- Secondary Excursion
- Year 9 & 10 Hunger Games Excursion
- Year 7 English film viewing note
- Year 9 & 10 English film viewing note

Debutantes

Are you interested in making your debut in 2014?

St Mary's Parish are looking at the feasibility of hosting a Deb Ball but require definite numbers. If you would like to make your debut please contact Marg Firman on 0427105942 or Chris Nimmo on 0438737627 before Friday 29th November, 2013.

Do you have children who need extra support?

Join us for an informal meal and chat 7.30pm RSL Club Dining Room Lockhart 29th Oct, 26th Nov – ph 0429976276

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