## LIHIR INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL Week 1 Term 3 2018

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome back to all LIPS families for Term 3. It was great to see children eager and enthusiastic on the first day back. Please remember school begins at 8:15am and children are able to start arriving at school from 7:45am onwards. Please do not send your child to school before 7:45am as teachers will be busy preparing for the school day and supervision of children will not be available. All children are expected to be collected from school no later than 3pm unless they are involved in a pre-arranged after school activity.

#### School Hats and Uniform

Please ensure your child has a school hat to wear during playtime and other outdoor activities. Please make sure hats are clearly named. If you require any item of school uniform, please see Rose in the front office.

#### **Term Three Overviews**

Teachers will send home term overviews this Friday to provide you with an outline of the learning your child will be involved in this term.

#### <u>Term Three Calendar</u>

The final Toksave of second term included a calendar of term three events - if you do not have a copy of this calendar please contact Rose in the front office. Any additional important dates will be brought to your attention as they arise.

#### **Public Holiday**

Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> July is a Public Holiday for Remembrance Day– there will be no school on this day.

### **Congratulations Good Sports Award winners from Swim Week!**



Joachim Malele – Year 3

Peninah Gabong – Year 5

Ben Likia – Prep

**Rose Barip – Year 2** 

Please join us for our Term 3 Student Council Induction at assembly tomorrow at 8.15am

#### **Staffing News**

Mrs Kelele, Assistant Teacher of our 3/4 class, has resigned from her position at Lihir International Primary School due to personal reasons. We thank Mrs Kelele for her time at LIPS. A process to employ a replacement for Mrs Kelele is currently underway.

#### Term Three Canteen

Canteen will be available from Friday of week two and information regarding term three canteen will be forwarded to all families when it becomes available.

#### Meetings

The first Parents and Wantoks meeting for this term is scheduled for Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> July at 6:30pm and the first School Council meeting will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> of July at 7pm.

#### TERM 3 PE

During Term Three, all PE classes will be participating in Swimming and Water Safety classes during their allocated PE time. Students are to come prepared with appropriate swimming attire, towels, underwear, thongs and sunscreen.

## Term 2 Music Assembly – what great musicians we have!!



#### <u>After school activities</u>

In Term 3 on a Monday, starting in Week 3, Miss Collins and Mr Neville will hold optional **Religious Education** classes from 3pm until 4pm, in the Year 7/8 class room. These classes are optional, but any students from Years 1 - 8 are invited. Although all students are welcome, please note that they will have a focus on Catholic teachings.

In Term 3 on a Wednesday, all Year 8 students are to come to extra tutorials in preparation for the upcoming **National Exams** in October. These will be held from 3pm until 4 pm, in the Year 7/8 classroom. This is compulsory for Year 8s and Year 7s are welcome to come along.

#### After School Activities:

Monday:	Religious Education Lessons: Years 1-8, 3pm-4pm, Year 7/8 classroom
Tuesday:	Travel Art Club with Nicole Wilson and Leigh Patterson-Kane: Years 1-3, 2.45pm-4.00pm
Wednesday:	Homework Club: Years 3/4 and 5/6, 3.00-4.00pm Exam Prep: Year 8
Thursday:	Media Club: Years 4-8, 3.00pm-4.00pm Touch Football with Mr McKeiver: Years 1-4, 3.00pm-4.00pm
Independen	ce Day / 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary

There will be a meeting for the **2018 Independence Day Committee** on **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July, 9am-10am**, **school assembly area**. **All PNG parents** and any other interested parents or wantoks are encouraged to attend.

We would also like volunteers to teach the children traditional PNG dances. Please contact Rose at the front office as soon as possible if you are able to assist or know of someone who can.

**Date Claimer:** This Year's Golden Orchid Ball will be held on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> August. The theme is "80s Prom Party".

## SWIM WEEK FUN



# Congratulations

Congratulations to Mrs Neale for attaining her 5 year service award!





Lihir International School staff with some of the staff from Kopkop College

Regards, Greg Neville



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#### Lihir International Primary School Student Health Information Update July 2018

You are only required to fill in this form if you have medical information about your child that you need to share with Lihir International Primary School.

Child's name:

Medical diagnosis: (e.g. allergy, asthma etc.)

Health Plan: (Medical Professional)

First aid response: (as directed by doctor)

Additional important information:

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to Rose in the front office, no later than Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July.