FROM THE PRINCIPAL
August 29 2014

When obstacles arise, you change your direction to reach your goal; you do not change your decision to get there.

LEARNERS CLUB BAR-B-Q
It was great to see so many parents attending Tuesday’s barbecue for the families involved in the Smith Family’s Learners Club. It is a fantastic initiative, which has seen 20 students partnered up with a highly qualified and passionate tutor assisting students with their reading. We are delighted to have the Smith Family partnering the school to provide this program; it has had a positive impact on the students and has seen a dramatic improvement in the classrooms. It was an enjoyable afternoon that saw the students, their tutors and the parents come together to celebrate the success of the program.

GRUFFALO EXCURSION
On Wednesday, the PREP and Year One students travelled to Brisbane to watch the stage production of the Gruffalo. There was a great deal of excitement as students and teachers boarded the bus. This was a great way to culminate the students’ study of the Gruffalo, and for many it was their first time watching a live performance in a theatre. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the performance and I am relieved to report that all came back safely, escaping the scary Gruffalo!

BAND CAMP
Next week, Alexandra Hills State School will be hosting the Redland District Senior Band Camp. More than 100 student musicians will be attending the 3-day camp participating in a series of tutorials, performances and extension opportunities. It is a great opportunity to showcase our school and highlight our welcoming school community.

HIP HOP DANCING
Next week, parents are invited to come along to the school to watch their child perform what they have learned this term with Dance Fever. Students will perform during their normal lesson times. Everyone has been working extremely hard to learn their routines and have thoroughly enjoyed the term’s dance focus. Students will be taking home a timetable prior to Thursday’s performance identifying when classes will be dancing. We would love to see you there!

TRIVIA NIGHT
The upcoming Trivia Night has been postponed due to limited bookings. There are plans afoot for Mega Trivia Night for a future date so start organising a team of 6!

GOLDEN BEHAVIOUR TICKET
Next week, students who have exhibiting exemplary behavior this term will be receiving a golden ticket. This ticket will entitle the students to attend a celebration event to be held at Sky Zone. Along with the Golden Ticket will be additional information and permission notes. There is no cost to the students. It is a great opportunity for Alexandra Hills State School to acknowledge our students who are outstanding ambassadors for our school. This will be an ongoing initiative, celebrating exemplary student behavior each term.

Have a great weekend everyone!

Wayne
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SCHOOL CAMP
Yrs 5, 6 & 7
Lake Moogerah
13 - 15 October

Second payment of $77.00 now due
Total cost of the camp is $230.00.

PERSISTENCE
PF  Kiarn
1R  Samuel
1/2WZ  Dylan
2C  Kyle
3B  Zane
4J  Zeke
5D  Lee-Navu
5/6VN  Selina
6PS  Noah
TIC  Roselani

ZUMBA® KIDS
Zumba® Kids will be held every Tuesday and Thursday at 4pm in the Lester Centre and runs for 45 minutes. The class is open to ages 5 - 11yrs.
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