From the Principal...

**School Board 2016-2017**
The newly elected School Board for 2016-2017 had its first meeting on Monday and elected Julie de Vos as its chairperson. To help explain the difference between the functions of the P&C and the Board, I have attached a document Independent Public Schools to explain that BOTH the P&C’s and School Boards have valued, but different roles within Public Schools.

**Year 6 Parents.**
Ms Cheryl Townsend, Principal of Ballajura Community College will be attending the P&C meeting on June 14 to meet parents and answer any questions. This will be a great opportunity for Year 6 parents to meet her.

**School Development Day**
Students are reminded that Tuesday June 7 is a School Development Day therefore a pupil free day. School commences on Wednesday June 8 for Students.

Michael King
Principal

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**DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES LAUNCH**
On Monday 23 May, 2016 students from Illawarra Primary School attended the Department of Education launch of Digital Technologies. Our students showcased these technologies to the Minister for Education, Hon Peter Collier, MLC.

(above) The Minister for Education, Hon Peter Collier, MLC with Leyah N

**Year 6 Camp**
Our Year 6 students are thoroughly enjoying their time at Point Peron. They have participated in activities including raft building, completed a low ropes obstacle course, star gazing, made movies on ipads, took on the challenge of prusiking (rope climbing), tested their knowledge at a quiz night and had a delicious lunch of fish and chips at Cicerellos in Fremantle. Daily dorm inspections have been surprisingly positive. Archery and kayaking are on the agenda for today with an evening of spotlight and roasting at the fire pit. Mr Kelly acknowledges the children are sleeping very soundly as their days have been packed with new adventures. Before their departure home tomorrow, morning activities will include orienteering and mountain bike riding. They are expected back to school at approximately 3.00pm.

Arrival time will be confirmed via sms tomorrow afternoon.

**Enrol now for Kindergarten for 2017**
If your child was born between 1 July 2012 and 30 June 2013 they can start Kindergarten in 2017.

For further information please contact the school office or call in to collect the enrolment documents.

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Mr Collier with Wilson C

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**Year 5 and 6 Interschool Sports Carnival HELPERS WANTED Friday 10 June**

**Can you help?**
We are looking for any parents who can help in the umpiring of soccer, football and netball, also assisting on the day.

If you are able to help please contact Mr Kelly.

Notes will be going home next week.
Have you downloaded our SchoolApp?

Parents can now access school information via our new School app. The app can be downloaded from the iTunes store and Google Play and is suitable for Apple or Android devices. Search for Illawarra Primary School.

Families are strongly encouraged to download the app and subscribe to the lists (in particular, year lists) to receive timely and current school information.

Information is regularly updated and school notifications and reminders are sent to parents regarding important events.

From the P&C…

School Banking
Due to Staff Development Day on Tuesday 7 June School banking will be on Wednesday 8 June in the uniform shop. Look forward to seeing everyone there. Information packs are available from the front office or school banking.

School Disco
YEEHAW!
Friday 10 June 2016
Kindy, PP, Yrs 1 & 2 – 4.30-6.00pm
Yrs 3-6 – 6.30-8.00pm.
$6.00 entry per child.

Please don’t forget to place your order and payment for sausage sizzle, hot pies or sausage rolls by Friday 3 June in the Green Letter box. Order forms at front office.

Tasty treats, sweets and drinks will be available on the night.

Resources to Support Safe online Privacy Practices

The Office of the Australian Information Commissioner has developed two resources to educate Australian youth and parents about their rights and how to protect personal identity and data online.

The release of these resources supports this year’s Privacy Awareness Week (15 to 21 May). For more information visit www.oaic.gov.au

SCHOOL DIARY
TERM TWO 2016

JUNE
2  Newsletter
3  Year Six Camp return
6  WA Day Holiday
7  Staff Development Day
PUPIL FREE
10 Winter Carnival
Yrs 5 & 6
P&C Disco
13 P&C Meeting 3pm
14 K/P parent workshop
No2. 7pm
15 Kindy 1 Obstacle-a-thon
16 Kindy 2 Obstacle-a-thon

Newsletter
17 Assembly Room 11
22 Choirfest Performance
BCC
30 Newsletter

July
Rms 18&19 Assembly

LAST DAY OF TERM 2

Rainbow Playgroup Centre
Open Monday through to Thursday from 9am to 11am.
Come and join us for craft activities, story time and singing.
Contact Julie-Marie Hay on 040 820 963 for more information.

UNIFORM SHOP:
Open every MONDAY 8:15 – 9:00am
Order forms are available at the front office or on the school’s website. If the hours are not convenient, please leave your order form together with your payment at the office.

COSTUME SHOP:
Open on THURSDAYS between 2:30pm-3:15pm.
Lisa: 0412 950 462 Leave a message and I will return your call ASAP.
Email: illawarracostumes@gmail.com

SCHOOL BANKING:
Tuesday Mornings
8.15 – 8.45am in the Canteen.

CANTEEN: Open Monday, Wednesday and Fridays