“Remember, happiness doesn’t depend upon who you are or what you have; it depends solely upon what you think.”

- DALE CARNEGIE

School Plan

The first half of the School Plan has been completed. If you would like to read it and make some suggestions/comments, please see Mr Leayr.

Lake Keepit

Parents, if you have not completed the online booking form, please come to the school and we will help you complete it.

It is important that this is finalised before the holidays so Lake Keepit has time to prepare for our arrival in Term 2 Week 2.

Thank you!

Happy Holidays!

They’re not too far away, now!

It’s been an extremely busy term and everyone deserves a break. Personally, I’m taking time to catch up with family and get some long overdue jobs ticked off my ‘to do’ list.

Well done to all our wonderful students for doing their very best this term.

Thank you to the parents for your cooperation, ongoing support and encouragement. It means a great deal to all of us.

To my dedicated staff, it is a privilege to work with you on a daily basis. You always conduct yourselves in a professional manner and strive to provide a nurturing environment for our students while encouraging them to be active participants in their own learning. Thank you for a fabulous start to 2015!

WHAT’S ON THIS WEEK

Monday, 30th March – Wednesday, 1st April
Parent/Teacher Interviews

Thursday, 2nd April
World Vision Morning Tea – Amanda & Kath
Assembly at 2:15pm in the Primary classroom

Last day for Term 1

Friday, 3rd April
Good Friday

Upcoming Dates For Your Diary

TERM 2 2015

Monday, 20th April
Staff Development Day

Tuesday, 21st April
Students return to school

Monday, 27th April – Wednesday, 29th April
Lake Keepit Camp

Friday, 1st May
Visit from Peter Butler: SCORES PE
From the Little Room.........Week 10

A Peek at the Week:-

Leader: Lucas
Sounds: K - b
1 - revision (an, at, ag)
2 - revision
Tricky Words: revision
Number: 7
Maths Focus: Assessment

We made it! The end of Term 1 and what a term it has been. Our 6 beautiful kinder students have made amazing progress since they started and so deserve (and need!) a restful holiday break. A huge thankyou to my "big kids". Your patience and kindness has made the kinders' transition that much more successful and helped to keep Mrs Campbell smiling. I so admire your sensible approach to independent tasks while I am working with the kinders, a fabulous skill you will benefit from throughout your lives.

So have a happy and healthy Easter break and make lots of lovely family memories.

Much Mrs Campbell

K,1,2 STUDENT AWARDS – WEEK 10

Chloe Moores – Amazing application to all areas.

Achievement Award:

Ben Baker – Great progress with his word attack skills.

3,4,5,6 STUDENT AWARDS – WEEK 10

Student of the Week:

Daniel Payne – Beautiful Bookwork.

Achievement Award:

Jordyn Melville – Well mannered and cooperative.
**Important Feedback from last week’s events!**

**Life Education Van**

Last Thursday was a fabulous day! Every child seemed to have a smile on their face. There will be a photo collage, showing a broad range of activities that Ellerston and Belltrees students participated in on the day, sent home attached to our newsletter next term.

**Swim Team**

Congratulations to our wonderful 4x100m freestyle relay team. We are extremely proud of you. Coming 5th in the state was an amazing result!

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### Cross Country Runners

It was a privilege to watch our runners compete last Friday. Well done, Sarah, Jack, Cody and Blake! You all ran the best that you possibly could.

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**Regards**

Colin Leayr