Principal’s Comment

“In the Heights”- School Production
On Wednesday I snuck into The Pav and witnessed a large team of teachers and students in the final weeks of production for our annual show which this year is called “In the Heights”.
I want to congratulate all concerned for the many long hours that they are putting into the production and I look forward to seeing the completed product.
Tickets are on sale through our front office now and are selling fast so I urge you to make contact and book your seats to avoid disappointment.

Caitlin, Emily and Brooke working on a set.

Reforms to P&C Federation
The NSW Parliament has introduced legislation to reform the NSW Federation of Parent and Citizens Associations, which has suspended operation pending Supreme Court action. While these reforms will not affect the day-to-day operation of individual school P&Cs, they will introduce a new executive structure which will ensure the Federation operates as a modern and representative body on behalf of school P&C Associations.
Each school’s P&C Association will be asked to vote for councillors and delegates who will represent their electorate at the Federation’s Annual General Meeting and councillors who will serve on the Federation’s Board of Management. More information will be available on the Department’s website at http://www.schoo ns.nsw.edu.au/gotoschool/a-z/involvement.php.

NAPLAN Testing
The annual NAPLAN test were held this week for students in Years 7 and 9. We look forward to the results later in the year which will be included in our planning for 2015 and we will distribute the individual results to parents as soon as they arrive.

Clothing Pool items
With winter approaching we are in need of winter uniform items. Any items that are no longer required for your child would be greatly appreciated. Items may be delivered to the office at school.

Year 9 BYOD
From this term, all year 9 students are asked to bring a personal computing device to school each day. BYOD Information packs are available from the TSO office. All devices MUST be registered at the TSO office before connecting to the school network.

~Upcoming Events~

Monday 26th—Friday 30th May
Assessment Week Yrs. 7—10

Tuesday 27th May
P&C Meeting
7.30pm Staff Common Room
Combined Wagga Athletics Carnival
Sports News

KHS Cross Country 2014
Our school cross country was held in perfect conditions on Wednesday the 30th April. It was fantastic to see so many students competing and a high percentage of those actually running the course. Congratulations must go to all students as your behaviour and efforts on the day were superb!

A very special congratulation goes to the following students who finished first in their age groups and who took home the title of “2014 KHS Cross Country Age Champion”.

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All students who finished in the top ten of their age group have received an invitation to compete for KHS in the CWWHSSA Cross Country Carnival on Friday 16th May. We wish these students well. When the results were tallied, the points were as follows:

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This means that yet again, Lawson have taken out another sports carnival – well done Lawsonites!
Our thanks must also go to Mr Dave Antill for all his hard work and preparation to make the cross country carnival run so smoothly.
Happy Running....
Mrs Helen Schmetzer & Mrs Liz Davies

Carroll Cup
So far, we have played 2 games in the Carroll Cup series for 2014. Our first game against Wagga High was a quality game. Unfortunately, the boys went down 9-4-58 to 10-12-72. We had our chances in this game, but just weren’t able to capitalise when we had most of the play in the first quarter. Better players on the night were Connor Galvin, Jake Brain and Jacob Sadler-Knight. Jake Brain kicked 3 goals, Connor 2 and singles to Matt Tom, Jack O’Dwyer, ZacBillingham and Fraser Noack. We wish Scott Barlin a speedy recovery from a broken nose that he received on the night.
The round two match was against TRAC and the boys were reasonably confident going into the game. Our first quarter was a solid effort but it was downhill from there. We were to kick our only 2 goals for the night in the first quarter, to finally go down by 2-10-22 to 12-11-83. Inaccurate kicking from both sides was very prevalent! The two goals were scored by Zac Billingham and Matt Tom and the better players on the night were Connor Galvin, Jacob Sadler-Knight and Sam Humphries.

We now have a week off and will play Mt Austin in the 5th v 6th playoff. Once again, we would like to take this opportunity to thank our coaches, Andrew Schmetzer and Josh Larwood who freely give up their time to train and coach the boys. To the many students who have assisted with the running, delivering water etc. and to Mr & Mrs Galvin who have helped with the strapping and on the bench.
Hopefully we will get a win next week!

Mrs Helen Schmetzer
Currie Cup

In the first round of Currie Cup, we met with TRAC. The boys were extremely competitive during the first half, however faded away badly in the second to finally go down 3-4-22 to 8-6-53. (Perhaps we should not have a half time break next game!) Angus McLay scored 2 goals and Zach Pinney chipped in with the other. Better players for this game were Angus McLay, George Kendall and Clancy Galvin.

In the second round we were to meet with a formidable opponent in Kildare. The boys worked hard all game however were just not able to match it at this level. Sadly, we were unable to trouble the scoreboard at all and went down 18-7-115 to Nil. Better players on the day were Clancy Galvin, Angus McLay, Kyle Schmetzer, Jacob Edwards, Jack Moorby and debutante Dylan Arragon with his thumping kick!

We would like to thank the coaches Mr Andrew Schmetzer and Mr John Petts who freely gave up their time as well as our runners, water boys, goal umpire etc.

Year 10 Work Experience

Sam Jenkyn – O’Reilly Truck Repairs

Cameron Hodges – Wagga City Council Engineering Dept.

Rebecca Forbes-Taber – Wagga Christian College

Mathieson Gale – Aitkin Rowe Testing Laboratories
Attention Year 12
Laptop Battery Recall

Electrical Product Safety Recall

ThinkPad® Lithium-ion batteries
For the following models sold October 2010 – April 2011: T510, W510, X100E, X201, X201s, Edge 11, Edge 13 and Mini 10.

Defect: The lithium-ion battery may overheat.

Hazard: If the battery packs overheat, they pose the risk of fire and burn hazard to consumers.

What To Do: Consumers should immediately turn off their computer, remove the battery and only power the computer through the AC adaptor and power cord. Please visit www.lenovo.com/batteryprogram2014 to determine if you are affected and to arrange for a free replacement battery.

Contact Details:
Contact Lenovo (Australia & New Zealand) Pty Ltd (toll free) on: Australia 1800 041 021 or visit www.lenovo.com/batteryprogram2014

See www.recalls.gov.au for Australian Recall Information

This recall applies only to some Vintage 10 (Blue) and Vintage 11 (Green) Laptops.
Find out if your laptop battery needs replacing.
See the TSO for further info