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Message from the Principal

Dear Parents,

We have experienced another week of God's faithfulness in various ways. On Monday night we had the best ever Grade 6 Graduation at the Cranbourne Turf Club. All our students were very nicely dressed and behaved very well throughout the full duration of the proceedings. The items presented were of very good quality and could be clearly heard due to their excellent voice projection. A third of the students gave live speeches and did a superb job. The rest appeared on the screen having pre-recorded their speeches or interviews. This helped conclude the Graduation within the expected time. The workers at the venue were extremely impressed by the speeches and the items. They had expected the enthusiastic and good quality speeches to wane as the night progressed but were very surprised when they kept hearing high quality speeches and items all through the graduation. They had never seen such a high quality Grade 6 Graduation function. It was such a good testimony by the students and staff of LCCC to the workers at the venue and we are proud of them. Thanks to Miss Zoe and the team that organised the video recordings, editing, gifts, the set up and decorating of the venue which enhanced the ambience for the function.

The following morning, we had Orientation and testing for 2023 students. About 100 students accompanied by their parents attended the Orientation and testing which began at 10am. All the reports I have received from the Prep teachers indicate that we will have a good group of Prep students for next year. They were able to follow instructions and the teachers felt that this group was probably one of the most prepared groups. This means that we could have over 70 Prep students in 2023. The book distribution on Tuesday afternoon went smoothly. Thanks to Mrs Cicchiello and Mrs Walker who made sure the books were distributed to the correct families efficiently. Books that were not collected have been stored in the Library to be picked up ASAP. With books for 2023 already in their possession, students can begin to prepare for next year by reading ahead and becoming familiar with the content.

Past year NAPLAN papers have been distributed to students sitting for NAPLAN 2023 which is being held earlier (in March instead of May) next year. Our staff are diligent in ensuring our students are well prepared for any sort of assessment but they will need your cooperation over the holidays to achieve the best outcome.

As for Wednesday, the fun rides and food were thoroughly enjoyed by our students. I'm sure there is no need for me to elaborate as your children would have filled you in already. For most of them it would have been one of the highlights of the year. Depending on height restrictions only certain students were allowed on the larger rides and in total there were 10 different activity

stations. Over the five and a half hours most students were able to go on each activity / ride more than once. It was surprising to see our delighted senior students as they took rides in the trackless train which I would have thought only the little kids would have enjoyed. To top all the enjoyment, we had such a good feed of donuts, ice-cream and sausage sizzle. The event was enriched by good weather which was an answer to prayer and the excellent and orderly behaviour of our students. Thanks to Mr Daniel who negotiated and organised the rides along with the donut and ice cream vans. He and his team of ex-students did a fabulous job monitoring the set up and packing down of all things including the sound system for the day. Thanks also to our staff who helped monitor safety and manage student movement, preparation and distribution of food. This was a reward for the good behaviour and hard work students have displayed over the year.

On Thursday we had our major sports event, the Athletics Carnival. Again God granted us favourable weather because the early morning rain vanished to give a warm but cloudy day. Many records were set by our students and details are included on the second page. It was a well-organised event, a combined effort of many staff members under the leadership of Mr Niles. The bus transportation to and from the event were well coordinated by Mr Cicchiello. Students received water and pizza for lunch. We were able to publically display our faith in God and loyalty to the country by singing songs (including the National Anthem) and beginning with prayer. There was good attendance and participation at the events. Congratulations to all the students who participated and thanks to Mr Niles and the team. Mr Choi who lead the worship with Miss Brenzac at the Athletics Carnival also enthusiastically led worship on Friday night at the Year 12 Graduation. We had one of the best groups of Year 12 this year of whom both Mr Cicchiello and I are very proud of. The Year 12's spoke highly of the school and the staff. Many expressed their gratefulness for having been able to have finished their education at a Godly school like LCCC. The School Council members and Ps Norma were there to pray over the students and to bless them. Thanks again to the many staff who made this a very successful event. Please pray for the excursion with our Year 12 students on Monday. May God bless you with a safe and peaceful weekend in preparation for next week's Presentation Nights. On **Tuesday 6th December students from Prep to Grade 5 will have their Presentation** starting at 6.30pm. That will also be their last official day at school. The last day of school and **Presentation Night for Grade 6 to Year 12's is Thursday 8th December**. Please be punctual and maintain decorum at the Presentation Nights. Thereafter all students will be on vacation. For families travelling overseas we pray God's peace and protection. May He grant you joyful times with your family.

Jacob Mathews
Principal



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL ACHIEVEMENT HIGHLIGHTS - FROM MR NILES

Year 11 Boys – Tashinga Mahuku – 1st place 100m, Shotput, Long Jump & High Jump, 2nd place in the Discus. Almost won every event.

Year 11 Girls – Brandy Carr – 1st place 100m & Long Jump, 2nd place Discus & 400m

Year 10 Boys – Emmanuel Changpiny – 1st place 100m & High Jump, 2nd place Long Jump. Also **Solomona Tagaloa** 1st place Shot Put & Long Jump, 3rd place 100m & Discus

Year 10 Girls – Chanecia Mulenda – 1st place 100m & Shot put

Year 9 Boys – Benjamin Ntumba – 1st place 100m, Discus, Shot put, Long Jump & High Jump. **A clean sweep! All 5 events!**

Year 9 Girls – Selina Toleafoa – 1st place 400m & Discus, 2nd place 100m

Year 8 Boys – Charles Kumara – 1st place 100m & Discus, 2nd place Long Jump, 3rd place Shot put

Year 8 Girls – Amelia Macciocca – 1st place Long Jump, 2nd Shot put & 100m.

Year 7 Boys – Tours Luo 1st place 100m & Long Jump, 2nd place 400m & Shot put, 3rd place Discus. Also **Ariel Taito** 1st place Shot put & Discus, 2nd place 100m & Long jump.

Year 7 Girls – Christina Lucut – 1st place 100m, Discus, Shot put & Long Jump. **A clean sweep! All 4 events!**

Year 6 Boys – Milan Shyjunon – 1st place 50m & Long Jump, 2nd place 100m.

Year 6 Girls – Akuot Kuany – 1st place 100m & Torpedo Throw. Also **Martina Swen** 2nd place 100m, Torpedo Throw and Long Jump.

Year 5 Boys – Champ Jentzen – 1st place 50m & 100m.

Year 5 Girls – Lidija Eid – 1st 100m & Long Jump

Year 4 Boys – Nicolas Pawa – 1st place 50m, 100m & Long Jump

Year 4 Girls – Anabella Miftode – 1st place 50m & 100m

Year 3 Boys – Aaron Cole – 1st place 50m & 100m

Year 3 Girls – Lydia Boro – 1st place 50m & Torpedo Throw



2022 SCHOOL PHOTOS

Majority of classes received their complimentary **2022 LCCC photo booklet** & ordered photo packs today.

For those who didn't, please remember to collect it on Monday.

Praise Points

- ◆ The BEST Gr 6 Graduation yet
- ◆ Orientation was well attended by 2023 Prep families and others on the waiting list
- ◆ FUNtastic Wednesday with rides, donuts, sausage sizzle & ice cream
- ◆ Great Athletics Carnival - in both achievements and weather



Prayer Points

- Health & safety for LCCC staff, students & families
- Upcoming events: Yr 12 Excursion; Presentation Night rehearsals; both Presentation Nights
- Family time over the holidays to make memories
- Pray for our State - we truly need people to turn to Jesus



TERM 4 EVENTS



OVERDUE

2022 School & Bus Fees DUE IN FULL

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| 2 Dec (Fri) | Yr 12 Graduation Dinner - 6.30pm |
| 6 Dec (Tue) | Last Day of School for Prep to Gr 5 |
| 6 Dec (Tue) | Presentation Night - Prep to Gr 5 |
| 8 Dec (Thu) | Last Day of School for Gr 6– Yr 12 |
| 8 Dec (Thu) | Presentation Night - Gr 6– Yr 12 |
| 19 Dec (Mon) | School Office LAST DAY FOR 2022 |
| 12 Jan (Thu) | School Office REOPENS - 9am –3pm |
| 19-25 Jan | Staff Inservice |
| 26 Jan (Thu) | Australia Day (PUBLIC HOLIDAY) |
| 27 Jan (Fri) | First Day of Term 1 2023 |



APPLY
Online Now!

NEED BUS TRANSPORT IN 2023?

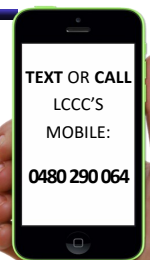


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2023 VCE TEXTBOOK HIRE

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