

The Newsletter of Vacy Public School



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“Friendship and Learning”

Quote of the Week

Education is the most powerful weapon
which you can use to change the world

~ Nelson Mandella

2014 School Captains



2014 Sports Captains



Principals Message

Congratulations to all of our award recipients for 2013. The Presentation Night certainly showcased the outstanding achievements of the students and the talents that exist in our school. The dance, choir and drumming performances were highlights and thanks go to our tutors, Miss Corrigan, Mrs Percival and Col Hatchman.

This newsletter includes an ‘honour roll’ of all of the award winners as well as our School Captains and House Captains for 2014.

I would like to especially applaud the role that our current School Captains performed as chairpersons for the Presentation Night. They did a marvellous job as they have done at every occasion during 2013 and have continued a great tradition of being excellent role models for all students. Well done, Zoe and Liam.

This will be our last newsletter for 2013 and a reminder that school resumes for students in Years 1 to 6 on Wednesday, 29 January 2014 and for our new Kindies, big school will start on Thursday, 30 January 2014.

To our departing families, thank you for contributions to Vacy Public School and all the best for the future.

I would also like to take this opportunity to farewell Ms Makenzy Fay and thank her for her dedication and commitment to the students of Year 2/3 and Vacy Public School. We do hope to see Ms Fay return at some stage in 2014.

To all families, on behalf of the staff, I would like to wish you a merry Christmas, a happy New Year and a safe and enjoyable holiday. We look forward to another exciting year in 2014.

Regards,

Graeme



Dates to Remember

December

Wednesday 18

Last day for students
Class Parties

January 2014

Tuesday 28

Teachers return

Wednesday 29

Years 1 to 6 return to school

Thursday 30

Kindergarten starts

Canteen News

Thank you to all our wonderful canteen helpers for 2013. At time during the year we have struggled to find volunteers and your efforts and support in keeping the canteen operating has been greatly appreciated.

Special thanks to Sian Jones who filled in on short notice last Thursday.

Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas and a wonder 2014.

Kind regards,

Mel Lutschini ~ Canteen Committee

Platinum Award Winners Outing



Gold Award Winners lunch



2013 Major Award Winners



Samantha Cowley
Dr Don Stammer Award
Recipient 2013



Ellie Waight
2013
Dux



Zoe Butler
Sportsperson of the Year
2013



Mackenzie Peirce
Outstanding Sporting
Achievement 2013

Matthew Shilcock Rotary Encouragement Award, Madison Hack—The Arts Award, Tom Priestley—
Leadership Award



Citizens of the Year—
Amy, Tia and Jack Magri

