Mini-Fair Success!
Thank you to all students, families and staff members who made our annual Mini-Fair such a success last Tuesday. It was wonderful to see our community celebrating together and enjoying a fun filled day. Over $9000 was raised which will go towards; the Year 6 present to the school, Year 6 Farewell and resources to support student learning. One of the many highlights was the face painting stall. Below is Maisara and her sister Aneesa who were looking fabulous on the day. Congratulations to the students who entertained us during the Talent Quest, which was held at the end of the Mini-Fair. Below is a photo of Sharon Warmate who sung a brilliant rendition of the song ‘Somebody Like You’ by Adelle.

Stage 3 Career Day
Congratulations to our Stage 3 students who yesterday participated in a Career Day with the local community. Students prepared outstanding questions for our guests, who included members of the NSW Police Force, Fire and Rescue NSW, NSW Health, University of Western Sydney and Ambulance Service NSW. All our students were extremely well-mannered and now have a better idea of options available to them in the future.

### CALENDAR

**Week 4**

**Thursday, October 30**  
Kinder Orientation 9:10-11:00am

**Friday, October 31**  
Summer PSSA Round 10

**Week 5**

**Tuesday, November 4**  
Snr Choir performing at Summit Care Nursing Home

**Wednesday, November 5**  
P&C Ice cream and Mufti Day  
2.20pm P-2 Assembly (ESS)

**Thursday, November 6**  
Milo Cup Carnival - Jnr Cricket Team  
Kinder Orientation 9:10-11:00am

**Friday, November 7**  
Summer PSSA Round 11

**Week 6**

**Tuesday, November 11**  
Remembrance Day Assembly

**Wednesday, November 12**  
2.20pm 3-6 Assembly (S2I)

**Friday, November 14**  
Summer PSSA Round 12

**Week 7**

**Tuesday, November 18**  
K-2 Responsible Pet Education Program Visit 1.

**Wednesday, November 19**  
2.20pm P-2 Assembly (Pre.)

**Thursday, November 20**  
LC2 Aboriginal Celebration Assembly at LWPS

A message from Mr Hawker…..

**Digital citizenship**

We’re the first generation of parents responsible for equipping our children with digital citizenship skills – how to use technology safely and responsibly, and how to evaluate, manage and use the information and tools they find online.

Here are some tips to get you started:

Commitment to Stage 3 Student Projects
It is wonderful to see the commitment to home learning by our Stage 3 students. Below are pictures of PJ with a solar powered car he designed and made at home with his Dad and Mohammed who created a model of the Solar System. Both students were clearly able to explain their projects and the learning that they have achieved.

School Planning for 2015-2017
At Liverpool West Public School we are busy developing a School Vision and three Strategic Directions which will guide our school planning over the next 3 years to support student success. Below is a photo of staff yesterday working on our Draft School Vision. Next week a note will be sent home with our Draft School Vision and Strategic Directions to provide an opportunity for parents and care givers to give feedback to ensure it reflects the expectations of our learning community.

Student Leadership 2015
At Liverpool West we are committed to giving opportunities and building capacity in our students to become leaders. Tomorrow Year 5 students will be given information regarding the process of becoming School Captains and Prefects for 2015. Information will include expectations of our student leaders and the timeline for electing our 2015 student leadership team.

Bug Club
A reminder to families that Bug Club, our online reading program, has begun. Students now have their username and password to access e-books at home. If you have any questions, please see your child’s classroom teacher.

Recorder Group
Congratulations to Dunia and Amy (pictured below) who last week played two songs they have been learning, to Mr Hawker. Both Dunia and Amy are part of Mrs Young’s recorder group who meet twice a week to learn the recorder.

LLAE CG News
Liverpool Local Aboriginal Education Consultative Group (LLAECG) is an organisation that has a relationship with NSW Department of Education and Training schools around the local area to support Aboriginal students. I am pleased to announce that two of our staff members have been elected to the LLAECG Committee. Congratulations to Uncle Brad our Aboriginal School Learning Support Officer who has been elected President and Aunty Michelle our Aboriginal Education Officer who will take up the position of Treasurer.

Selective High School for 2016
Year 5 students received a letter last week about selective high school placement procedures for 2016. Parents have until Thursday 4 November, to apply online. Selective high schools cater for highly achieving academically gifted students. Please see Mrs Sotiropoulos for further information.

Little Leapers 2015
Little Leapers is a ‘Prior to School Program’ that is run at Liverpool West PS on Tuesdays and Wednesdays for students who are 4 years of age and will be enrolling in our Kindergarten classes the following year. Enrolments are now being taken at the School Office for 2015 placements.

Mr Jason Hawker – Relieving Principal & Staff