

NEWSLETTER TO STUDENTS

As part of Liston College's continued effort to fund raise in order to provide for facilities and equipment, it is necessary for parents and students to involve themselves in a fundraising project for the year 2019. This year funds will go towards assisting in the cost of the new AstroTurf outside the TA Block. A new Astro Turf the size of two tennis courts costing approximately \$125,000 is to be installed in the school. Funds have been raised so far to the tune of \$100,000. This year's Workday will allow this project to be completed.

REMEMBER THAT THE FUNDS RAISED GO TO BENEFIT THE COLLEGE, like those funds that have been raised by students before you.

In previous years students have participated in successful Workdays. Previous Workdays have raised in excess of \$25 a student, with the whole school participating in the spirit of the day.

This Workday will be held on Tuesday 17th September. You are required to work that day (9.00am to 3.00pm), or during previous weekends, and donate the proceeds from your work to the school, according to the following scale.

Suggested pay: Years 7, 8 \$20 ie. \$4 per hour

Years 9, 10 \$25 ie. \$5 per hour Years 11, 12, 13 \$30 ie. \$6 per hour

You are asked to start <u>looking for work now</u>, asking neighbours, local businesses or your present employer. If you are unable to find work (the school is able to organise and supply some work) you may be required to attend school from 8.40 am until 3.20 pm on this day, <u>in full school uniform</u> (school work will be provided). I hope this would be the exception, not the rule.

As a school we encourage you to find a job and not expect your parents to just give you the money. Ask your relatives, neighbours, local businesses etc for a day. You have just five weeks to find work and should start looking now, not a few days before the workday.

Some jobs you may consider are;

section clearing painting hedge trimming pruning

window cleaning gardening lawn mowing etc

You will be given a sheet for you to enter the details of work you have found, to be returned to your Form Teacher by **Tuesday 3rd September.**

Rob McKenty
Director of Pastoral Care/ Work Day Organiser