Attention: Principals, Business Managers, Database Administrators, IT Coordinators, Valuing Safe Communities Trainers

All Principals

Principals’ and Business Managers’ Day

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Concurrent session on Board for Studies registration requirements for NSW schools
Jonathan Krause: Communications Manager, Australian Lutheran World Service
It is assumed that you will be in attendance on this day.

Reminder to print out the three documents sent through via email for reading prior to the meeting tomorrow. Draft Principals Salary & Conditions, Principal Appraisal.

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HP Pricelist for Lutheran Education
November 2013 update is attached for school reference

Useful information received from Derek Bartels LEQ
National Lutheran Microsoft EES Agreement –
If you have questions or concerns please email Matthew and CC me

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Starting December 1, 2013, a new benefit called Student Advantage will be available for EES and OVS-ES customers that have enrolled in the academic volume licensing programs, Enrollment Education Solutions (EES) and Open Value Subscriptions-Education Solutions (OVS-ES). Academic institutions licensing Office 365 ProPlus, Office 365 A3 or A4, or Office Professional Plus organization-wide for all faculty and staff via EES, OVS-ES or School programs will be eligible to offer Office 365 ProPlus to their students at no additional cost. To take advantage of this benefit, institutions will need to order the $0 Office 365 ProPlus SKU for students through your Licensing Solution Partner (LSP) or an Authorized Education Reseller (AER).

Paid Student Option remains available and can be leveraged by institutions that don’t have complete staff and faculty coverage on Office or who would like to provide their students with Office Professional Plus.

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News from Telstra

Some slight changes to submitting faults/modifications etc to Telstra Corporate for LCA (Lutheran Church of Australia) and departments of the Church including Education.

As we always say – the TRN (Telstra Ref No.) which you get back automatically via email or quoted over the phone from Telstra is the key to getting the situation resolved – without it you may become lost in a very large black hole.

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We have the whole Escalation team in the back grown direct now.
This change has been occurring for some time.
This process provides an escalation path once the TRN has been provided.

All enquiries should start with Service Delivery as per the attached.
From there an e-mail or call will engage the Escalations team.

Service Delivery Team to escalate to the ‘Not For Profit Escalation Group’ or email direct to
NFP.servicessupport@team.telstra.com
If the matter requires urgent attention please call 1800 729 349

I have a direct contact relationship with the Team Leader if further assistance is required.

Regards

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Attention LEXICON Data Base Administrators

Early Reminder – END OF YEAR STAFF CHANGES

We wish to thank you for your efforts this year in assisting us with this important task. It is vital that the information provided from LEXICON is the most up-to-date.

Recording of Pathways training in LExICON

During the year it is likely that you have delivered the Pathways program – Pathways Spiritual and/or Pathways Theological. Could you please now ensure that this information is entered into the LExICON database?

If you encounter difficulties with the database please contact me immediately so that I can work with the person who enters the data. My aim is to have accurate, up-to-date accreditation information entered for all staff in schools by December 1, 2013. This will assist my planning for 2014. Thank you.

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Valuing Safe Communities

Reminder

1. This is a reminder that Valuing Safe Communities 2 training must be delivered by the end of 2014.

2. Many schools have delivered VSC2 during the course of this year and have entered completion into the LEXICON database.

3. If some teachers were absent when it was delivered, they will need to be trained.

4. If you have not undertaken Valuing Safe Communities 2 training in your school please consider delivering it during teacher days either at the end of this year or at the beginning of 2014.

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