

Principal: Megan Lockery

Deputy Principal K-2: Katrin Cornell

Deputy Principal 3-6: Angela Mustaca

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 6 December

Mini Fete

Friday 7 December

CB Concert Tour

Monday 10 December

Kindergarten Presentation Day 9:30-11am

Tuesday 11 December

Years 1-2 Presentation Day 9:30-11am

Wednesday 12 December

Years 3-4 Presentation Day 9:30-11am

Thursday 13 December

Years 5-6 Presentation Day 9:30-11am

Farewell Assembly for Mrs Cornell on Pool Playground 2:30pm

Friday 14 December

Year 3 & 4 Picnic Day to 'Moving Bodies'

Year 5 Surf Ed

Year 6 Fun Day and Lunch

Monday 17 December

K-2 Festivity Day

Tuesday 18 December

Lindfield Blue & Sports Assembly 2pm

Year 6 Graduation 6-7pm

Year 5/6 Disco & Year 6 Parents Cocktail Party 7-9pm

Wednesday 19 December

Last Day of 2018 for students

Talent Quest

Clap Out 2:30pm

Thursday 20 –Friday 21 December

Staff Development Days

2019

Tuesday 29 January

Staff Development Day

Wednesday 30 January

Students Years 1-6 commence for 2019

Monday 4 February

Kindergarten commences for 2019

Principal's Message

Presentation Assemblies Next Week

I am looking forward to our Presentation Assemblies in the School Hall next week where we will acknowledge the achievements of students. All students should wear their full summer school uniform with shiny black shoes and white socks for girls and grey socks for boys.

Monday 10 December: 9:30am – 11am for Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten)
Tuesday 11 December: 9:30am – 11am for Stage 1 (Years 1 and 2)
Wednesday 12 December: 9:30am – 11am for Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4)
Thursday 13 December: 9:30am – 11am for Stage 3 (Years 5 and 6)
Please limit your guests to two per family as we expect the Hall to be full. Thank you.

This year, we are changing the award structure for our Presentation Day Assemblies. The change will be that all years from Kinder to Year 6 will be selecting seven award winners per class. This is different to previous years where all students in K-2 received a Certificate of Achievement and only Years 3-6 received class awards. The change reflects our focus on Growth Mindset and Resilience. The seven awards consist of two academic achievement awards, two achievement in any Key Learning Area, two teacher nominated awards (can be for improvement, application, growth mindset or other reason) and one citizenship award.

Mrs Cornell's Farewell Assembly

Everyone is invited to farewell Mrs Katrin Cornell next Thursday 13 December at 2:30pm on the Pool Playground. This is our chance to acknowledge Mrs Cornell's many achievements and celebrate her eight wonderful years at LPS. She will be missed!



Computer Science Education Week

All LPS students are participating in the 'Hour of Code' as part of the Computer Science Education Week. There is a large range of online activities at <https://csedweek.org/> to provide challenges for all age groups. During the year, students in Years 3 and 4 learn to use Scratch, a graphical programming language. Stage 3 students use the Australian Computing Academy Digital Technologies challenges where Year 5 students learn to use the Blockly graphical programming language and Year 6 students use the text based general purpose programming language Python. Our Year 6 students are well prepared for the new Digital Technologies curriculum that will start in 2019 as they enter High School. You can see Year 2 students enjoying the LightBot coding challenge in the photos below.



2019 Student Leadership Team

Congratulations to our 2019 Student Leadership Team members who have been voted in by their peers and teachers. At the Stage 3 Presentation Day Assembly these students will find out their role - captains, vice captains and prefect positions will be announced. The team consists of Anna B, Claire B, Emma F, Sophie H, Maria K, Madi S, Alex C, Zolly C, Ryan K, Max L, Philip M and Spencer T.



What A Musical Week!

It began with the Music Spectacular last Friday and continued into the Music Assembly yesterday! With over a third of the school involved in the Music Program, this popular extra-curricular opportunity showcased the skill of all band and strings musicians. Congratulations on an impressive spectacular!



During the Music Assembly, students were awarded Diamond, Gold and Bronze Awards for outstanding participation in the Band or Strings programs. Each conductor also chose a recipient of a Conductor's Award to reward students for dedication and commitment to their band or ensemble. Thanks to our conductors Tim Ferrier, Megan Lipworth, Sian Joyce, Adrian Mansukhani and Mark Stevens for another year of outstanding music in our school and thanks to our Band and Strings committees for all their hard work behind the scenes. Congratulations also go to our Choir who performed beautifully during the assembly.



Dear Parents and Carers

We are currently planning classes and staffing for 2019. In order to do this, we need to know who is not returning to our school next year and who will be returning late. Thanks to those parents/carers who have already responded to the newsletter request and returned your slip. You do not need to send another form.

If you are leaving Lindfield Public School and not returning in 2019 and have not yet returned a form, please complete the slip below.

If you will be returning later than the first day of school, which is Wednesday 30 January 2019, please complete the 'Late Return' slip. If you will be returning to school later than 12 February 2019, you will also need to apply for Extended Leave. The Extended Leave form is available from the office and the school website under 'Notes'.

Thank you for your prompt attention. Forms can be submitted to the office or placed in the Administration Box.

Megan Lockery
Principal

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Student/s Not Returning to Lindfield Public School in 2019

Name: _____ Class: _____

Name: _____ Class: _____

Name: _____ Class: _____

The relocation is due to:

- moving overseas or interstate
- moving to NSW Department of Education School _____ (insert school)
- moving to an Independent/Catholic School _____ (insert school)

Student/s Returning Late to Lindfield Public School In 2019

Name: _____ Class in 2018: _____

Name: _____ Class in 2018: _____

Name: _____ Class in 2018: _____

Expected date of return: _____

Reason: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Megan Lockery
Principal

Deputy Principals' Report

Year 6 Mini Fete Tomorrow- Thursday 6 December

Year 6 students have been very busy arranging their Mini Fete for the rest of the school. There will be a range of food and drinks to purchase, as well as activities and games to enjoy. Items range from 50 cents - \$2.50. All K-6 students may bring any amount up to the value of \$10, preferably in gold or silver coins. Please ensure money is in a wallet or bag with your child's name clearly labelled. Please see the detailed flyer later in the Lines with information for all students in preparation for the day.

Year 1 and 2 Swimming Carnivals

The Year 1 and 2 swimming carnivals were a great success with all students getting in the water and trying their very best. We were very impressed with the house cheers, committed students and the team atmosphere of the day. Thank you to all the wonderful parents who helped us with the day and those who supported from the side lines. Thank you to our teachers who coordinated and helped with the event, Larissa and Oleg for their ongoing support with all things to do with swimming and a very special thank you to Mrs Hallinan, Mrs Consalvi and Mrs Poulton for their leadership of the carnival.



End of Year Class Parties

Please see the end of the Lines each week for the date, time and location of end of year class parties that will be held in either Week 9 or 10 this term.

Seeking Ethics Teachers for 2019

Lindfield Public School **urgently** needs new volunteer Ethics teachers. Without new volunteer teachers, LPS will not be able to provide classes to all children who have nominated to do Ethics instead of Scripture or non-Scripture. Ethics teachers need to:

- Be comfortable working with, and be able to engage, with children
 - Have an interest in helping children think about ethics using the Primary Ethics curriculum
 - Have an open-minded, inquiring outlook
 - Have excellent communication skills
 - Be available to teach a class on Tuesday mornings at 10:30 – 11am.
- Training is provided.

For more information about the role, please go to <http://www.primaryethics.com.au/ethicsteacher.html>

If you would like to join the LPS Ethics team, please contact Apple, LPS Ethics Coordinator, on 0452 190 388 or xinyi0702@gmail.com

Katrin Cornell
K-2 Deputy Principal

Angela Mustaca
3-6 Deputy Principal

Lindfield Public School



Presentation Day Assemblies 2018

You are cordially invited to attend our special assemblies to celebrate the achievements of our students in 2018.

Our performing arts groups will showcase their talent and all students will entertain the audience with their grade song.

Kindergarten

Monday 10 December at 9:30 – 11am

Years 1 and 2

Tuesday 11 December at 9:30 – 11am

Years 3 and 4

Wednesday 12 December at 9:30 – 11am

Years 5 and 6

Thursday 13 December at 9:30 – 11am

**Venue: Lindfield Public School
Hall**

Garden Club - Successful Year

Miss Ginges and Miss Sorrell have been working hard with the Garden Club this year and we are ready to sell some of our produce. This Friday 7 December, Garden Club will be selling some of the wonderful vegetables that we have grown this year.

We will be selling lettuce, cabbage and a variety of herbs.

We will be selling our produce in the K-2 playground next to the sunflowers from 8:30am.

A small donation is appreciated- See you there!

We have had a successful year of growing and are already getting ready for next year by planting corn and sweet potato ready for Term 1, 2019.

Hannah Ginges and
Samantha Sorrell



Year 6 2018 Parent Celebration

To all Year 6 Parents and Carers

The end of the year is fast approaching and tickets to the Graduation Cocktail Party are available now. Please purchase tickets via the P&C website in advance to assist with catering for the evening.

<http://lpspandc.org.au/product/year-6-parent-celebration-2018/>

We look forward to celebrating the achievements of Year 6 Class of 2018 with you all on Tuesday December 18. The formal Graduation Ceremony at school will begin at 6pm followed by the Year 6 parent Cocktail Party from 7pm.

Kind Regards
Alix Rivera
Assistant Principal Stage 3





YEAR 6 MINI-FETE

It's on Thursday 6 December 2018!

There will be a range of food and drinks to purchase, as well as activities and games to enjoy.

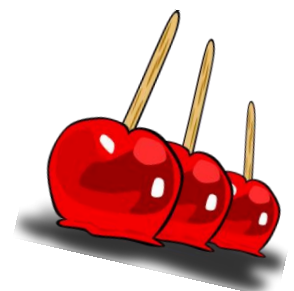
Items range from 50 cents - \$2.50.

All K-6 students may bring any amount up to the value of \$10, preferably in gold or silver coins. Please ensure money is in a wallet or bag with your child's name clearly labelled.

**Kindergarten classes 9:15-10am
Year 1 and 2 classes 10-11:00am
Year 3 and 4 classes: 11:30-12:15p
Year 5 classes: 12:10-12:45pm**



We congratulate our Year 6 students on the preparation they have done for this event. Money raised will go towards the Year 6 gift to the school.



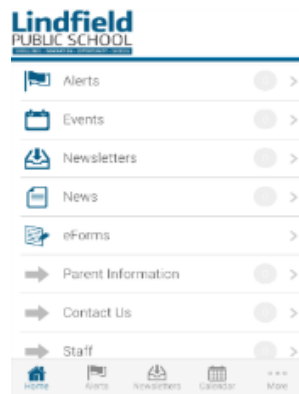
Absentee Notification

We would appreciate it if you record student absences via the **Skoolbag app** which can be downloaded from the app store. Just search for Lindfield Public School.

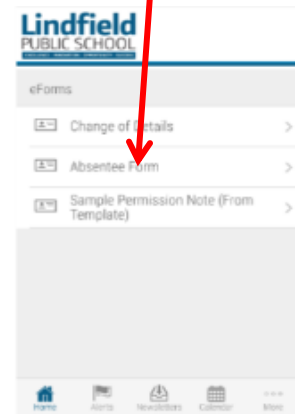
Simply open the app



Select the eForms tab



Select the Absentee Form tab



Community Notice Board

All community notices/flyers can now be found under the Parent and Community link on our website.

<http://www.lindfield-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/p-c-website/community-notice-board>

Medical Alert Updates 2018

Please ensure all children with anaphylaxis and other medical conditions hand in their updated Action Plans. Kindly ask your doctors to sign, stamp and date them. The school needs to receive a coloured copy of the Action Plan for our health records. All students with a known medical condition must provide updated health plans for 2018. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Notes Sent Home

Notes are available to download from the school website: www.lindfield-schools.nsw.edu.au

Please look under the 'Notes' tab.



Work on Display



Work on display in the office for this week

KB and 5K

Anaphylaxis at Lindfield Public School

At Lindfield Public School in 2018, we have a small number of children with a potentially life threatening allergic reaction. They are found across our school from Kindergarten to Year 6.

How can parents help these children?



- If possible, choose alternative sandwich spreads to peanut butter and Nutella. If you have no alternative, inform your child that these foods can trigger an anaphylactic reaction.
- Reinforce the school's **NO FOOD SHARING** message.

Please note, no students are allowed to bring glass bottles to school for safety reasons

Student Writing Samples

Please enjoy some writing samples from our wonderful students in 5K who have been using the 'Seven Steps to Writing Success' program.

A Poet's Lament by Katelyn C

*To my frustration
I have to write
Words in relation.
Narratives are bright,
But poems are dark.
When a dog hears it,
They get angry and bark!*

*Poems are just infuriating
Why do we have to write them?
A poem is like a bee sting.
It gives goose bumps to a flower stem.*

*Poems are bad
So when I hear one,
I feel angry and sad.*

The door of Adon by Neel M

The hottest day of summer was closing into a drowsy silence to the inhabitants of Adon. The normally washed cars that had once sat there gleaming, now stood dusty in their driveways, and the lawns that once had lush, short green grass were yellowing as the drought had hit. Every person in Adon retreated for shelter in their cool houses, except for an unusual boy who had black hair and green eyes that reflected through his glasses that bespectacled his face.

Michael sat down quite unusually on the hard ground. As he laid on the ground he stared into a blank space, as if he reflected on a mishappening, a mishappening that had shattered his life into pieces. It was hard to understand where he was lost, though his skinny, beautiful mother knew exactly what happened.

School Student OPAL Applications for 2019 are now open



School students and

The smarter way for students to travel to and from school.

Visit [transportnsw.info/school-students](https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/school-students)

Transport

The image shows a hand holding a School OPAL card. The card is white with the 'opal' logo in blue and green, and the word 'school' below it. In the background, there is an illustration of a bus stop with a blue bus and several people waiting.

Introducing the School Opal card

The School Opal card gives eligible students free or discounted travel between home and school using the train, bus, ferry and light rail services you nominate in your application.

Who can apply?

To be eligible for a School Opal card, students may need to live a minimum distance from their school:

Years K-2 (Infants)

There's no minimum distance.

Years 3-6 (Primary)

More than 1.6km straight line distance or at least 2.3km walking.

Years 7-12 (Secondary)

More than 2.0km straight line distance or at least 2.9km walking.



If you live too close to be eligible for free travel, you may still qualify for a School Term Bus Pass, which offers travel on buses between home and school at a discounted rate for the whole school term.

Who needs to apply

A new application is only required if the student has not had a School Opal card before.

If the student already has a School Opal card and is changing schools, campuses or home address, you will need to update their Opal card for the new school year before mid-December at apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts

How to apply

Applications for next year open at the start of Term 4 this year.

Step 1

Once the new school has confirmed your child's enrolment, complete the application at transportnsw.info/school-students

Step 2

The school endorses your application.

Step 3

Once Transport for NSW has approved the application, a School Opal card will be sent to the address provided on the application.



A parent or guardian must apply for students 15 years and under. Students 16 years and over must apply for themselves.

Students progressing to year 3 and year 7 **do not** need to re-apply **if** they:

- are continuing at the same school
- are residing at the same address
- have not been sent an expiry notification from Transport for NSW.

Where a student meets the new distance eligibility, the system will automatically update their entitlement. If they do not meet the new eligibility, they will receive an expiry notification.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If students need to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to

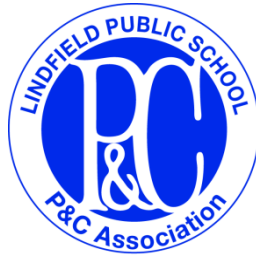
<https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>

Applications need to be submitted **before 31 December 2018** to ensure student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2018, the system will automatically cancel a card and a new one will need to be issued. Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out during December 2018 and January 2019.

For further information visit <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts>

Regards,

Transport for NSW



Notice of Special General Meeting

The P&C will be holding a (short) special general meeting on **Monday 17 December 2018** at **7:30pm** to deal with two items that need to be finalised before the end of the year.

1. **Approval of debit cards** (with a capped expenditure limit) for particular P&C staff (e.g. Canteen) so they are not out of pocket when purchasing supplies.
2. **Amending the By-Law about sub-committee bank accounts** to allow Swimming to have two committee signatories instead of one.

The formal change is to By-Law 17, which would have the words "and in the case of Swimming, two" added to it.

These are the only two items to be considered, so it is likely that the meeting will go for half an hour (or less).

Each of these items needs the approval of a P&C general meeting, and dealing with them in December will allow us to start the 2019 school year with these in place.

When: Monday 17 December 2018, at 7:30pm
Where: Staff Room, School Administration Building

If you have any questions or feedback, please call or email me.

Have a great week.

Bill Steenson, P&C President
president@lpspandc.org.au
Phone: 0478 617191



Canteen

MENU IN WEEKS 8, 9 & 10

As the Canteen prepares to close over the holidays, some foods will not be restocked, saving spoilage over the holidays. In Weeks 8 & 9, some items will start to reduce, so please order early if your children have a favourite!

Week 10 is our last week and we are offering some great specials;

- **Monday:** Chicken Charger or Consalvi plus milk or sparkling water, only \$5.50.
- **Tuesday:** Lasagne or Fried Rice plus milk, only \$5.50.
- **Wednesday:** Chicken Fingers or Sushi with milk, only \$5.

PLEASE NOTE: In Week 10 there will be no butter chicken, burgers, twisty pasta ABC muffins, pizza, toasties, hot rolls, sandwiches, fruit tubs or veggie pieces.

COOLING DOWN IN SUMMER

As the weather heats up, there are refreshing options in the Canteen to keep the children cool:

- Watermelon tubs for \$2.50,
- Seasonal fruit salad tubs for \$3.00,
- 99% frozen Juicies for only \$1.20,
- Frozen orange quarters & watermelon slices for only 70c each
- Fizzy flavoured water in lime, lemon or berry for \$2.

LPS CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS: TERM 4, Weeks 8, 9 & 10

Only a few more volunteering days left in Term 4!! See below for free slots and if you can help, email Cara Rogers at lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com

Week 9	10-Dec	11-Dec	12-Dec	13-Dec	14-Dec
spot 1	HELP PLEASE	Zihua L.	Sunny	Jane D.	Karen R.
spot 2	HELP PLEASE	Apple H.	HELP PLEASE	Adelaide K.	Elizabeth S.
spot 3				HELP PLEASE	Catherine C.
spot 4				Craig N.	
spot 5					HELP PLEASE
Week 10	17-Dec	18-Dec	19-Dec	20-Dec	21-Dec
spot 1	Lynn McC.	Nguyet N.	Sunny	PUPIL FREE DAY	
spot 2	HELP PLEASE	HELP PLEASE	Shankari		
spot 3			HELP PLEASE		
spot 4			Nadine N. from 11am		
spot 5			HELP PLEASE		

Please note: if you can't attend on your allocated day, please find a replacement and/or email Cara at lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com. In a last-minute emergency please phone the school on 02 9416 1903 and ask for the Canteen.

Sarah Burnett, Claudette Mann and Katrina Tottenham

Canteen Managers

canteen@lpspandc.org.au

Clothing Pool



Clothing Pool Opening Hours: 8:30 am - 9:30 am Wednesdays and Thursdays

Don't forget the **ONLINE ordering** option – easy and secure via the P&C website. Orders are then delivered to your child's class, usually on Wednesdays or Thursdays. The Clothing Pool is going plastic bag free. Please bring along a bag to carry your items home in.

PLEASE LABEL YOUR BELONGINGS



News

- **Please label your belongings**

I know I harp on, but please label your belongings – We need to be able to read your child's last name to return things to you! Also encourage your precious one to look after them.

- **Christmas break**

Please everyone remember: the Clothing Pool is only open during school time – Our last day is Wednesday 12 December.

- **New hats**

As some of you might have noticed in the playground – we are selling double sided hats now: all hats are still royal blue on one side, but they now come with your house colour on the inside. You may wear the coloured side when you are wearing your sports uniform.



Our Upcoming Volunteers' roster

	Wednesday 5 Dec	Thursday 6 Dec
Week 8	Greti Lindsay Katrina Tottenham	Greti Lindsay Mary Alonti
Week 9	Wednesday 5 Dec	Thursday 6 Dec
	Greti Lindsay Catherine Liu	Greti Lindsay Jodi Fielden

Convenor – Jean Nightingale

Clothing Shop Manager – Greti Lindsay

orders@lpspandc.org.au

Strings



A spectacular Spectacular

Thank you to all the young musicians and their conductors for a fantastic evening last Friday. The children were beautifully behaved both on stage and back stage.

Thanks to the hard work and well planned organisation of Sarah Robinson from the Strings Committee and Geraldine Wallbank from the Band Committee the evening was a true success.

We also want to use this opportunity to thank all the parents who brought their children on Friday night. You were a wonderful audience!



Strings Christmas Concert - 9 December 2018

We are looking forward to celebrating the end of the year at this years Strings Christmas concert on Sunday. Performers will receive their Strings patches at this events.

When: 2:45pm for a 3pm start

What to wear: please wear Christmas clothes

Where: LPS Hall

What to bring: a plate of food to share after the concert

Like every year we will be running a Christmas raffle with many great prizes. Tickets for the raffle will be sold at 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5 on the day. So please bring some change!

For your Calendars: Term 4

- 9 Dec - Strings Christmas Concert, 3-5pm, LPS Hall, all ensembles
- 10 Dec - All ensembles: second auditions for ensemble positions 2019
- 10 Dec - **LAST rehearsals for all ensembles: no rehearsals in Week 10**

Verena Conti and Mary Alonti
String co-conveners
strings@lpsandc.org.au



Band

Congratulations on a marvellous Music Spectacular!

What a wonderful night of music we have all just enjoyed! Our warmest congratulations to all of our Band members for entertaining the audience with a series of great performances - it was a true celebration of a year's work.

Of course, a night like this does not happen without the hard work and dedication of parent volunteers. Our sincere gratitude to our amazing Organisers - **Geraldine Wallbank** and **Sarah Robinson** for their incredible efforts over the last few months pulling the event together and carefully managing the logistics of our musicians on the night - thank you!

A huge thank you also to *all* of the parent helpers on the evening - without your valuable contribution, such special events are simply not possible.

And of course, our deepest appreciation to our superb Conductors, Tim Ferrier, Megan Lipworth, Sian Joyce and our hard working, behind-the-scenes Tutors for another busy year shaping our musicians into what they are today. Bravo!



A very fond farewell to Tim Ferrier - Conductor

It is with great affection that at the end of 2018, we will bid a very fond farewell to our highly respected Stage & Concert Band Conductor Tim Ferrier. Tim has made an invaluable contribution to our Band Program over the last decade, and this was evidenced at a memorable Stage Band Performance this week attended by past and present students of LPS who wanted to perform with Tim one last time.



We thank Tim very much for inspiring so many generations of musicians with his skill, patience and expertise and wish him the very best and warmest wishes for his future musical ventures. Thank you Tim.

Band Calendar

Term 4	
Week 8	Last week of Rehearsals for the year
Week 8	Friday 7 December CB TOUR
Week 9	Wednesday 12 December Stage 2 Presentation Day IB Thursday 13 December Stage 3 Presentation Day CB
Week 10	Band end of year party in their PM rehearsal / Hire Instrument returns - all Bands
Week 10	Tuesday 18 December Lindfield Blue Assembly JB

For questions or feedback regarding any aspect of the Band program at Lindfield, please e-mail band@lpspandc.org.au.

Seiko and Mark Ruff
Band Co-convenors
band@lpspandc.org.au

Swimming



JANUARY HOLIDAY PROGRAM – OPEN FOR BOOKINGS

Existing swimmers may now be booked into our holiday intensive programs. Learn to swim lessons are held over 5 consecutive days and squads may be booked either weekly or per session.

Squad students will be coached in stroke improvement and stamina as well as starts, turns and finishes. The holiday program will be an important lead-up to the school swimming carnivals being held early in Term 1 (for Years 3 to 6).

Week 1: Monday 7 to Friday 11 January

Week 2: Monday 14 to Friday 18 January

Week 3: Monday 21 to Friday 25 January

Please go to our website to book your place: <https://lpspandc.org.au/sport-and-swimming/>

SIBLING OR FRIEND STARTING SCHOOL 2019?

We are now taking registrations for new students starting next year. They may join our January holiday program or start in Term 1, 2019.

All new students must attend a grading session prior to joining the program. Assessment takes a few minutes. Students should wear swimmers, cap and goggles. See dates below for when to attend.

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 7 December	Grading for new students 3pm Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Friday 14 December	Seahorses Awards & Fun Night 4:45pm
Saturday 15 December	Last day of Squads & LTS for 2018
Tuesday 29 January 2019	Squad and Learn to Swim Lessons Begin
Friday 1 February 2019	Grading for new students 3pm

Michele McCarthy

Swimming Administrator

swimming@lpspandc.org.au

Chess

On Sunday 25 November our A team (Asher, Matthew, Trent) went to North Sydney Boys High School to compete in the Primary Schools One Day State Finals, having qualified on the Wednesday before.

There were 54 teams from all around the state (for example teams came from Dubbo, Deniliquin, Tamworth) and 7 rounds were played. All teams had to qualify in their local area first.

Our team came a very strong 4th with a score of 14.5 wins out of 21, with wins over Woy Woy, Westport (12th), Scots, North Rocks (3rd) and Epping Heights (8th), and losses to Sydney Grammar St Ives (5th) and Neutral Bay (1st.) Matthew was again undefeated.

It is a sign of how strong chess is in our region that the top 6 teams are all in Sydney North, and three of them (St Ives North, Sydney Grammar St Ives, Neutral Bay) we play on a regular basis.

Well done team! It has been a joy to watch you develop as very strong chess players with a seriousness not often seen at this level.

Eric Tse

Chess Co-ordinator

chessclub@lpspandc.org



Social Justice

BOOK AND TOY APPEAL FOR THE SMITH FAMILY

LAST CALL: Would you like to help brighten the lives of 25,000 disadvantaged children by supporting the Smith Family Appeal?

You are invited to share some joy for those in need. Thank you for any gifts you are able to donate!

What: New toys and books
Where: Office foyer collection box
When: Until **THIS FRIDAY** 7 December
How: Unwrapped please

Suggestions: For ages 6 to 12 – board games (Twister, Pictionary, Monopoly, Jenga, Connect Four), activity-based (football, netball, yoyo, kite), chapter books, art and craft or beading sets, Lego, Duplo, textas, crayons, paint, jigsaw puzzle or frisbee

Challenge: What will be long lasting, fun, educational and ready to play with or read?!

Note: NO battery operated, second hand, handmade, food, clothes, shoes, costumes, CD, video game, items with liquid, calendars, weapon like, beauty products, breakable, religious or branded items. Smaller than a school bag please.

Thank you for helping to make a difference.

Sarah Rosewell Easdown
Social Justice Convenor



End of Year Class Parties



Date	Class	Venue	Time
Monday 10 December	4K	Ginkgo (Garden End)	12.25-1.10pm
Monday 10 December	KM	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Monday 10 December	KB	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Monday 10 December	1R	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Monday 10 December	3Z	Ginkgo (Car Park End)	2:15-3pm
Monday 10 December	4N	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Tuesday 11 December	2T	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Tuesday 11 December	1/2E	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Tuesday 11 December	4T	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Wednesday 12 December	1P	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Wednesday 12 December	KC	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Wednesday 12 December	1C	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Wednesday 12 December	4BR	Ginkgo (Car Park End)	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	5/6A	Ginkgo (Garden End)	12.25-1.10pm
Thursday 13 December	6N	Ginkgo (Car Park End)	12.25-1.10pm
Thursday 13 December	6D	Flag Pole	12.25-1.10pm
Thursday 13 December	2A	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	2G	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	KS	Ginkgo (Car Park End)	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	5/6S	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	3CL	Palm	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	2HK	Next to room on Palm shade	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	KV	In own Classroom	2:15-3pm
Thursday 13 December	5R	Flag Pole	2:15-3pm
Friday 14 December	KL	Adventure	2:15-3pm
Friday 14 December	1PT	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Friday 14 December	2M	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Monday 17 December	5K	Ginkgo (Garden End)	12.25-1.10pm
Monday 17 December	3G	Ginkgo (Car Park)	2:15-3pm
Monday 17 December	3S	Ginkgo (Garden End)	2:15-3pm
Monday 17 December	1H	Level 1 Camphor Laurel	2:15-3pm
Monday 17 December	3B	Flag Pole	2:15-3pm
Monday 17 December	6R	Multipurpose	2:15-3pm

IT'S BEEN GREAT FUN!

*End Of School
Party!*



FUN FOOD AND FRIENDS!

YEAR 6 2018

Date: WEDNESDAY 19 DECEMBER

Time: AFTER CLAP OUT (3:30ISH)

Location: LOYAL HENRY PARK

Monday 7 January	Tuesday 8 January	Wednesday 9 January	Thursday 10 January	Friday 11 January	
<p>Excursion: Taronga Zoo Today we will be exploring Taronga Zoo exhibits.</p> 	<p>Incursion: Laser Tag Today children will participate in laser tag challenges.</p> 	<p>Excursion: Manly Surfn'Slide Today children will have fun on the water slides.</p> 	<p>Incursion: Bricks4Kidz Today children will participate in LEGO challenges.</p> 	<p>Excursion: EcoXplore Bush Detectives Today children will be Bush Detectives at North Head Sanctuary.</p> 	
Monday 14 January	Tuesday 15 January	Wednesday 16 January	Thursday 17 January	Friday 18 January	
<p>Excursion: Cables Aqua Park Today children will get to have fun on the inflatables course.</p> 	<p>Incursion: SlidenSplash Fun Sports Day Today children will participate in lots of water-based activities.</p> 	<p>Excursion: Royal Botanic Gardens Today children will get to participate in a Garden Bug Hunt.</p> 	<p>Incursion: Science Day Today children will watch a science show.</p> 	<p>Excursion: Strike Bowling Today children will get to play laser tag & bowling.</p> 	
Monday 21 January	Tuesday 22 January	Wednesday 23 January	Thursday 24 January	Friday 25 January	Tuesday 29 January
<p>Excursion: Archie Brothers Today children will get to play arcade games.</p> 	<p>Incursion: Jumping Castle Today children will get to play on various inflatables.</p> 	<p>Excursion: Hoyts Cinema Children will have the option of watching a G or PG movie.</p> 	<p>Incursion: Planetarium Children will get to head into a planetarium to learn about space.</p> 	<p>Excursion: Centennial Parklands Children will get to participate in different games and activities.</p> 	<p>Incursion: PJ Movie Photo Booth Day Today we will be watching movies and using a photo booth.</p> 



LAC Family Christmas Party



BBQ
SNACKS & DRINKS
PHOTO BOOTH
CHRISTMAS MUSIC
JUMPING CASTLE



*Join us at the centre on Friday 7th
December from 6-8pm.*



SIGNATURE BEARS

ORDER NOW

You can now order your Signature Merchandise online via the P&C website at www.lpspandc.org.au (preferred option) or by sending in the reply slip below, together with your payment (cash only, no cheques please) to the front office. Please contact Natascha Pereira directly via taschapereira@gmail.com if your child is leaving LPS before the end of term to arrange an alternate delivery date.

The cut off date for orders is Wednesday, December 12th, 12noon, and your order will be delivered directly to your child's classroom during the last few days of school.

REPLY SLIP

CHILD'S NAME _____

CHILD'S CLASS _____

SIGNATURE BEARS (\$20 each) QUANTITY _____ TOTAL PRICE _____

RUGBY BALLS (\$15 each) QUANTITY _____ TOTAL PRICE _____
(ONLY 11 LEFT SO BE QUICK!)

PARENT SIGNATURE _____

PAYMENT ONLINE OR BY CASH ONLY PLEASE!



Rotary Club Christmas Appeal 'Tree of Joy'

Again this year, the Rotary Club is seeking donations of gifts to give to those less fortunate.

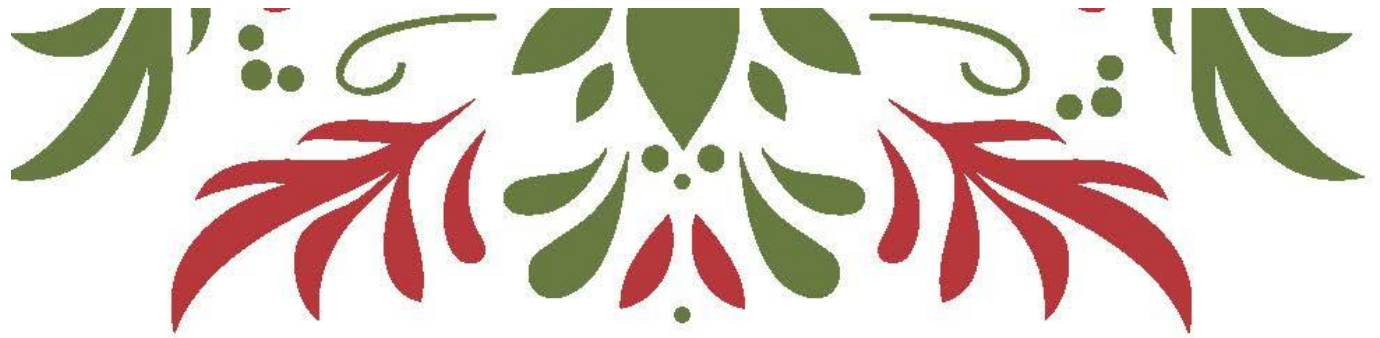
This year, the organisations nominated to receive these gifts are the Royal North Shore Hospital Children's Treasure Chest, and local Nursing Homes.

The Christmas tree is in the school office foyer, with gift tags attached, suggesting suitable gifts to give.

Simply choose a tag, place it on the gift and place it back under the Christmas tree by

Thursday 13 December.

Your generosity and support is appreciated



LAC Christmas Food Drive

WE ARE COLLECTING FOOD TO DONATE TO THE
HAMPER OF HOPE DRIVE.

YOU CAN DONATE:

- TINNED SALAD & VEGETABLE ITEMS
- PASTA SAUCE
- CRACKERS, BISCUITS, CHIPS & BISCUITS
- TINNED FRUIT, JELLY & CUSTARD
- CHRISTMAS CAKE & PUDDING
- TEA, COFFEE & SOFT DRINK
- CEREAL



*We will be taking donations until
Tuesday 11th December.*

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LINDFIELD'S NETBALL CLUB
CLUB OF THE YEAR 2018



Lindem Netball Club is part of the Ku-ring-Gai Netball Association and fields teams from Under 7 to Opens.

Our younger teams are made up from children from Lindfield Public School, Holy Family School, Lindfield Learning Village, Lindfield and other local schools. We welcome new players of all ages.

For more information about the Lindem Netball Club please visit: www.lindemnetball.org



come & try NETBALL!

If your child would like to start playing Netball in 2019, Lindem Netball Club is conducting a "Come Try Netball" session for all interested young players.

Net Set Go is a modified version of netball designed to develop basic netball skills and introduce participants to the rules of netball. Qualified netball coaches will conduct the session.

WHO: Open to girls and boys who will be turning 7, 8 or 9 years of age in 2019.

WHERE: Lindfield Public School, Multi-purpose court

WHEN: Come Try Netball session
Friday 8th February 3.15 - 4.00pm

HOW: Please contact Lindem's Net Set Go Convenor, Lucy Basten at Netsetgo@lindemnetball.org to register your interest

REGISTRATION DAY: Saturday 9th February
10.00am – 12.00pm at Lindfield Public School

Registration Opens
1 JAN 2019
lindemnetball.org

Don't forget to utilise
THE ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHER.
You will need your voucher prior to registration to receive the discount.

