

Principal: Megan Lockery

Deputy Principal K-2: Angela Mustaca

Deputy Principal 3-6: Peter Hayllar

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 4-22 November

Life Education – Healthy Harold

Thursday 7 November

Parent Information and Kindergarten  
Orientation Visit 9:30-11:00am

Wednesday 13 November

Canteen Greek Specials Day

Thursday 14 November

Parent Information and Kindergarten  
Orientation Visit 9:30-11:00am

P&C Meeting – 7:30pm Staff Room

Wednesday 20 November

Year 6 Mini Fete

Sunday 24 November

Lindfield Laps 8am-12:30pm

Tuesday 26 November

Thank You Morning Tea for  
Parent/Carer Volunteers

Monday 9 December

Years 5 and 6 Presentation Day

Tuesday 10 December

Years 3 and 4 Presentation Day

Wednesday 11 December

Years 1 and 2 Presentation Day

Thursday 12 December

Kindergarten Presentation Day

Further upcoming events can be viewed by clicking on  
Calendar on the home page of the school website:  
<https://lindfield-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>



Education

# Lindfield Lines

Term 4 Week 4

6 November 2019

## Principal's Message

### Student Leaders Visit State Parliament House

Our school captains and vice captains Claire, Spencer, Anna and Max, were invited to tour State Parliament House with other local primary school student leaders. The tour was hosted by the Hon.



Jonathan O'Dea, Member

for Davidson. He mentioned the visit in Hansard:

*Mr JONATHAN O'DEA (Davidson) (17:05:15): Every year I invite the primary school captains and vice captains in my electorate of Davidson to attend New South Wales Parliament over two days. This year I am privileged to welcome 72 primary school leaders from 18 local schools to experience this Chamber and the Legislative Council Chamber. These events conclude with an afternoon tea and the presentation of leadership certificates. I always enjoy meeting our young school leaders and thank them for demonstrating leadership within their local school communities. I encourage them to continue contributing valuably to their schools and to the broader community as they transition into high school next year and to encourage others to do likewise.*

Thanks to Mrs Rivera for accompanying the students and congratulations to our leaders for representing our school admirably.



### Welcome Kindy 2020

Tomorrow we welcome our new Kindy students for 2020 to their first Kindy Orientation session. At this stage our intake is around 130 students. On Thursday they will get a taste of 'big school' and will tour the school buddied up with our Years 5 and 6 students. Orientation will take place from 9:30-11am. We can't wait to meet our new students!

### PSSA - Cricket

Week 4 Friday 8 November

Division 1 – Barra Brui Oval, St Ives

Division 2 – Loffberg Oval, West Pymble

## Congratulations Mr and Mrs Tim Elsley!

This week our PE teacher Mr Elsley welcomed twin daughters into the world – Leah Rose and Zara Clare. On behalf of the whole school community, I wish them all the best as they celebrate this wonderful event and enjoy life as a family.

## KC Assembly



The students of KC proudly displayed their castle artworks as part of their Fairy Tale unit. Wearing crowns, they then performed the song 'Living in a Fairy Tale'. Don't they look cute!

## Years 3-6 Assembly

It is fantastic to see so many children working hard in our school and working to achieve their best. Congratulations to all of our blue assembly award winners and our Gold Award winners for this week! You have followed our ROAR expectations and been excellent role-models in our school!



The assembly item from 5C was based on the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. They used the story of Cinderella as an example to demonstrate the human rights that Cinderella was missing out on. The presentation concluded with a short video outlining some of the things 5C are grateful for here at Lindfield PS.



## Chess Tournament

On Monday Lindfield's A Chess team went to Wahroonga PS to compete in the Upper North Shore Primary Schools Teams Tournament. Each of the boys represented our school with great pride and skill. The boys came from behind and finished third. Congratulations to Boris (5/6A), Deves (4A) and Kiran! (4A)



## Year 2 KSP Maths Enrichment Workshop at Killara High School

Year 2 students from the Lindfield, Lindfield East, Roseville, Killara, Beaumont Road and Gordon East Public Schools participated in a Mathematics workshop run by Mr Graham, Mr Yeo and Ms Dixon.

The Year 2 students, assisted by their Year 9 mentors, worked on puzzles that helped the children to understand concepts such as nodes and edges in network systems. Along with these puzzles that challenged the students, they also constructed hexaflexagons which the children really enjoyed creating. Most of the students managed to finish their hexaflexagons and it was clear that both Year 2 students and Year 9 mentors had a great time and learnt a lot about both Mathematics and cooperation from the experience.



Written by David C, Year 9 student KHS

## Mr Brock and Year 5 Students lend a hand to the Canteen at Halloween



With the help of a few keen Year 5 students, the Canteen's Halloween display was enhanced with a burst of light. A watermelon suddenly lit up and looked spooky.

Fantastic watermelon Katrina and students Amelia and Oliver from 5V



Megan Lockery  
Principal

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## Deputy Principals' Message

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### Year 5 Leadership Speeches

Congratulations to the 26 girls and 21 boys who gave their short leadership speeches to their fellow students this week. They all described their leadership qualities and explained why they felt they would make a good leader in 2020. On Friday we will announce the top 24 students going through to the next round. Each and every one of these students can be very proud of themselves!



### Year 1 Walking Tour

On Monday our Year 1 students made their way down to Edenborough Park in Lindfield. As part of the Geography unit 'Features of Places', Students explored the natural, human-made and managed features of the park. They considered how these aspects work together to make the park a community space that fulfils a variety of purposes. Year 1 really enjoyed exploring our local environment.



## Nude Food Day

Many, many, many LPS students (and parents) made us proud with the success of our first ever 'Nude Food Day'! So many students brought their lunches to school without the need for plastic or any waste. The bins were practically empty! Thank you boys and girls for REDUCING the waste and protecting our environment.





Angela Mustaca  
K-2 Deputy Principal

Peter Hayllar  
3-6 Deputy Principal

## Planning for 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

We are currently planning classes and staffing for 2020. 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 2020 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 29 January 2020, please complete the 'Late Return' slip. If you will be returning to school later than 11 February 2020, 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 2020

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

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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 2020

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class in 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class in 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of return: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## 5 Easy Steps to Staying Informed

### SkoolBag

SkoolBag is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minute notices, newsletters and all your school's communications.

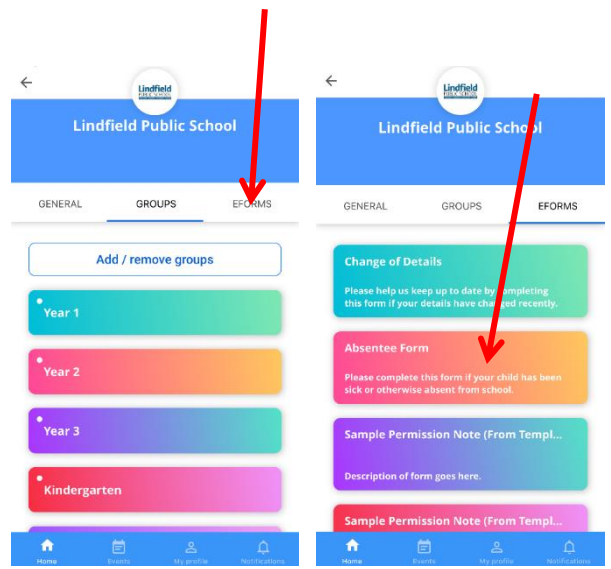
- 1. Download SkoolBag**  
Search SkoolBag in the Apple App or Google Play Store, download the FREE app:  
SkoolBag: School Communication
- 2. Create an Account**  
Follow the prompts to create your account in seconds.
- 3. Add your School**  
Type your school's name and press enter. Tap the plus icon to add.
- 4. Allow Notifications**  
Ensure you Allow SkoolBag to send you push notifications when prompted.
- 5. Subscribe to Groups**  
Select Year Groups / Sports Teams to appear in your feed.



## 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.

1. Simply open the app
2. Select the eForms tab
3. Select the Absentee Form tab



## Medical Alert Updates 2019

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 2019. Thank you for your ongoing support.

## Notes Sent Home

Notes are available to download from the school website:  
<http://lindfield-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>  
 Please look under the 'Notes' tab.

## Work on Display



**Work on display in the office for this week**

**1PT and 5/6S**

## Anaphylaxis at Lindfield Public School

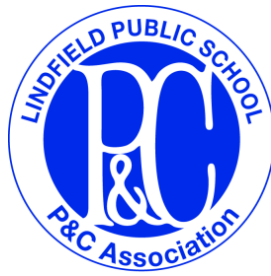
At Lindfield Public School in 2019, we have a small number of children who could have a potentially life threatening allergic reaction. They are found across our school from Kindergarten to Year 6. How can parents help these children?



- Choose alternative sandwich spreads to peanut butter and Nutella. 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 reason**

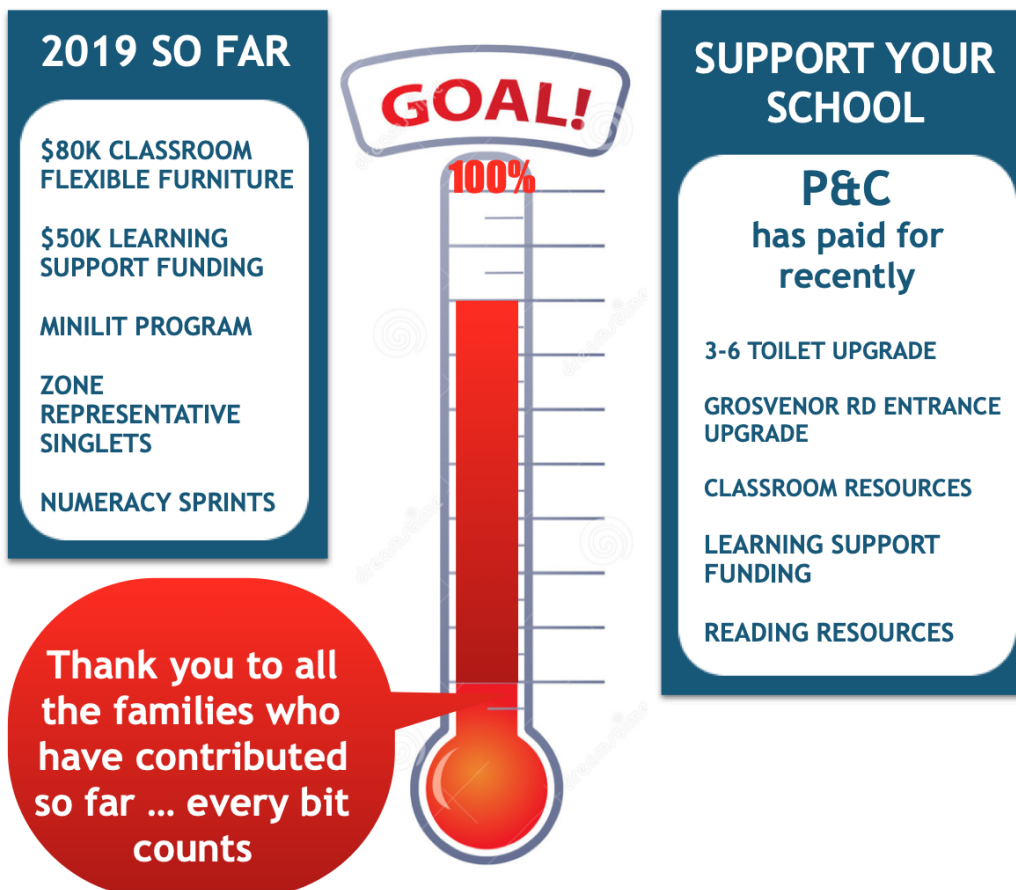




## P&C FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you to all the families who have already paid their voluntary P&C family contribution. The Voluntary Family Contributions are our biggest variable item in the P&C budget and these payments will go towards projects to enhance our school, just as contributions from past LPS families have paid for items and infrastructure that your children are using today. Payments can be made via the P&C website [www.lpspandc.org.au](http://www.lpspandc.org.au). Any contribution would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks for your continued support.

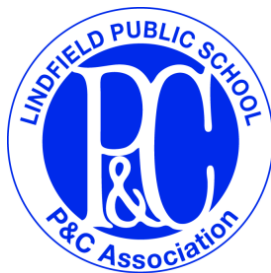
# YOUR P&C CONTRIBUTION IT MAKES A **BIG** DIFFERENCE



**How to Pay**  
[www.lpspandc.org.au](http://www.lpspandc.org.au)

**\$350 per family\***  


\* Suggested amount



## **AGENDA**

### **Term 4 General Meeting**

**Thursday 22 August 2019 at 7:30pm**

**Staff Room, School Administration Building**

#### ***Term 3 General Meeting***

1. Welcome
2. Principal's Report (Megan Lockery)
3. Presentation : The Year In Review (School Executive)
4. P&C –
  - a. *Update on 2019*
  - b. *Motion to increase Canteen Refurbishment Budget from \$30,000 to \$100,000*
  - c. Appointment of 2020 Auditor
5. Sub-committee Updates
6. Review of previous minutes & other business
7. Updating of the membership register
8. Meeting close



# GREEK FOOD SPECIALS DAY

WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER



The Canteen will be having a Greek Food Specials Day where you will be able to order:

***Greek Salad \$2/\$4***

***Greek Zeus Wrap (chicken wrap) \$4.50***

***Greek Trojan Triangles (x2)\$4.50***

***Hommus, Tzatziki & Carrot Box \$4***

***Frozen Watermelon columns & Grape Balls \$3.50***

You can order any combination of the above choices plus Greek Special Meal Deals.



Please order on ***Flexischools*** by ***Friday 8 November*** to avoid disappointment and so that we will be able to cater appropriately





# GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING IN OUR SCHOOL CANTEEN

## What is happening

There is a NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy and our school canteen has worked hard to achieve this and create a better school community for our students.

The strategy aims to promote health and well-being for children in all NSW primary and secondary schools, by providing healthier food and drink choices to encourage healthy growth and development.

All NSW government schools are required to meet the criteria before the end of 2019. Independent and Catholic Schools are also strongly encouraged to achieve the Strategy.

## What you may notice

- At least 75% of our menu is "Everyday" foods and drinks.
- Promotion of better food and drink choices.
- Removal of sugary drinks and unhealthy food.
- More fresh food available.
- Changes to portion sizes of food and drinks.
- 3.5 Health Star Rating (HSR) being applied to all "Occasional" packaged food.
- A new attitude towards food.

Please continue to support your school canteen during this period of change, as we strive to create a **healthier school community** for all. Volunteers are always welcome and if you are interested please contact our canteen manager.

For more information on the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy please visit the website

<https://healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au>



**Health**

Northern Sydney  
Local Health District

Developed by Central Coast Local Health District

# Canteen



**Great news! The Canteen has passed the Menu Check and meets the requirements of the Healthy Schools Canteen Strategy!** This a crucial achievement and the result of many hours of behind the scenes work. Big clap for Kat, Sarah and Claudette!

It's been a huge week! Special thanks to the Halloween madness helpers: Jane D, Ting-Ting, Evon T, Kieu R, Shachi P, Chrissy G, Nadine N, Janice Y and Karen R. Record takings!



To volunteer please text Cara on 0402057462 or email <a href="mailto:lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com">lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com</a>			7-Nov	8-Nov
			Jane Downey (K, 3)	Shane Blewitt (6,6)
			Erin Yoshie Shoemaker (K)	Shankari
				Vasantha
			HELP 9-12PM	
11-Nov	12-Nov	13-Nov	14-Nov	15-Nov
Jodi Norton (1, 5)	Jane Sim (3, 5)	Ashleigh Breen (2)	Jane Downey (K, 3)	Elizabeth Sullivan (3)
Catherine Yu (5)	Hemna (K)	HELP 9-2PM	Naomi Reiter (1, 4)	Catherine Chai (2, 5)
HELP 11-3PM			Kellie O'Keeffe (5)	Dan Oiu (5)
			GREEK SPECIALS DAY	
				Hamish Boots

[Click here](#) to view the Term 4 roster:



**Are you ready  
for Greek  
Specials Day?**



Sarah Burnett  
Claudette Mann  
Katrina Tottenham  
**Canteen Managers**  
[canteen@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:canteen@lpspandc.org.au)

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## Dance – Extracurricular Troupes with REDed

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Expressions of Interest are being called for students who would like to audition for the 2020 Lindfield PS Dance Show Troupes - Infants Show Troupe / Junior Show Troupe / Senior Show Troupe / Boys Hip Hop Crew (all competitive/performance focused).

All students in Years 1-5 in 2019 are encouraged to audition regardless of whether or not they receive dance tuition as an extracurricular activity.

### Audition Dates:

**Week 8, Term 4 2019** - School Hall

Year 3-4 Junior Show Troupe - Monday 2 December - 7:45-8:45am

- open to students currently in Years 2-3 (2019)

Year 3-6 Boys Hip Hop Crew - Monday 2 December – 1:15-2:00pm

- open to students currently in Years 2-5 (2019)

Year 5-6 Senior Show Troupe - Wednesday 4 December - 7:45-8:45am

- open to students currently in Years 4-5 (2019)

Year 2 Infants Show Troupe - Wednesday 4 December – 1:15-2:00pm

- open to students currently in Year 1 (2019)

Complete online audition registration here: <https://forms.gle/pMANWGQQoucTgrbA9>

Contact: Ms Dale Pope - e: [dale@reded.com.au](mailto:dale@reded.com.au)



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## Clothing Pool

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**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. **PLEASE** include your child's name and class. The Clothing Pool is plastic bag free. Please bring along a bag to carry your items home in.

**Please label your belongings!**



### Kindy Orientation – VOLUNTEERS needed

Our 2020 Kindergarten children are coming to visit the school in November. We are therefore opening the Clothing Pool for them to try on and buy their new uniforms – please come and help us assist the Kindy families on Thursday 7 Nov – please reply to Jessica's email or sign up in the sign-up genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a044ba9a722abfc1-kindy>

### Lunch boxes

These have removable panels that go in the freezer overnight and keep lunch cool for up to 8 hours! (My spies tell me they are great for cricket!!) We can order in the bigger size to fit the Tupperware or Nudie lunchboxes! Come and have a look at our sample. <http://www.fridge-to-go.net.au>



### Our Upcoming Volunteers' roster:

	Wednesday 6 Nov	Thursday 7 Nov	Thursday 7 Nov
<b>Week 4</b>	Greti Lindsay Lesley Glass Tash McArthur	Greti Lindsay Michelle Ellis Ann Wang	<b>Kindy Orientation</b> <b>11:00 - 1:00pm</b> Greti Lindsay <b>Volunteers needed</b>

	Wednesday 13 Nov	Thursday 14 Nov
<b>Week 5</b>	Greti Lindsay Jason Zheng Katrina Tottenham	Greti Lindsay Brenna Roumanos Nguyet Nguyen

**Convenor** – Jessica Gregg

**Clothing Shop Manager** – Greti Lindsay

[orders@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:orders@lpspandc.org.au)

# Swimming



## SIGN UP NOW FOR LINDFIELD LAPS! SUNDAY 24 NOVEMBER

Join us for the Pool's major fundraiser of the year. We need the whole school community involved – students, ex-students, parents, teachers and friends of LPS.

**How does it work?** A team of swimmers complete as many laps of the pool as they can in 40 minutes. There is no minimum or maximum number of laps that each team member may swim.

**Who can be in my team?** Anybody! A team has a maximum of 5 members and can be your friends, mum, dad, grandparents, aunt, uncle, siblings...

**Do I need to be a good swimmer?** No! We've had young ones on noodles, fabulous grandparents and everyone in-between. It's about having fun with friends and family and raising much needed funds for our school pool.

**HOW TO SIGN UP:** <http://lpspandc.org.au/product/lindfield-laps/>

*Join us for a morning of swimming, cheering and fun!*

## 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 lessons starting in Term 1. Please email [swimming@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:swimming@lpspandc.org.au) to register your interest.

IMPORTANT DATES Term 4	
Friday 8 November	Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Friday 15 November	Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Friday 22 November	Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Sunday 24 November	Lindfield Laps 8:00am-12:30pm
Friday 29 November	Grading for new students 3:00 pm
Friday 29 November	Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Friday 6 December	Grading for new students 3:00 pm
Friday 6 December	Seahorses Club 4:45pm
Friday 13 December	Grading for new students 3:00 pm
Friday 13 December	Seahorses Club 4:45pm – FUN DAY
Saturday 14 December	Last Day of LTS and Squads

Stefanie Kazaglis

**Swimming Co-ordinator**

[swimming@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:swimming@lpspandc.org.au)



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## Strings

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### Mozart's first performance is this Thursday 7 November

Come support our marvelous Mozarts at their inaugural performance at this Thursday's K-2 Assembly. **MOZART** – Please remind your child to bring their **lunch, instrument and music folder** to the **COLA** (the shaded area outside the Hall) at the start of lunch (**1:10pm**). For more details on logistics for Thursday, including special instructions for celloists, please read Monday's email from the Mozart rep.

### Hired instruments required Monday 11 November

If you've hired an instrument through the Strings Program, please remember to deliver these instruments to the School Hall COLA between 8:30am and 9am on Monday 11 November. We will be using these instruments for the Strings Trial. In addition, we will use this opportunity to check all the instruments and flag them for future maintenance (bows, strings etc). The instrument can then be picked up again at the School Hall from 3pm in time for the afternoon rehearsals.

### Strings Trial Day – Monday 11 November

If you've signed up for Strings Trial Day, you will receive an email shortly with details about the day.

### Music Spectacular – Friday 29 November – volunteers please!

We thank Helen H (from Strings) and Geraldine W (from Band) for kindly agreeing to help organise our LPS Music Spectacular to be held Friday 29 November. In order for the event to run smoothly, we are asking for several parent volunteers from each ensemble to help in the lead up to the event and/or on the day.

### Taking care of your instrument

With the advent of warmer weather and some recent incidents, please remember to loosen bows completely after use to avoid irreparable damage to the bow. Also, instruments should not be left in the car as the heat can damage the instrument. Please also remind your children to watch where they leave their instruments so people cannot trip or step on them.

### Upcoming Events

TERM 4	
Week 4	K-2 Assembly – <b>MOZART</b> (Thursday 7 November)
Week 5	Strings Trial Day (Monday 11 November, 2-3pm) – <b>all hired instruments to Hall COLA between 8:30am and 9am.</b>
Week 7	LPS Music Spectacular (Friday 29 November) – all
Week 8	Strings' Christmas Concert (Sunday 8 December)
Weeks 9 and 10	Auditions for 2020 (Mondays, during ensemble rehearsals)

The Strings Committee

[strings@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:strings@lpspandc.org.au)

# STRINGS

*Trial Day*

**MONDAY  
NOVEMBER 11**

**SCHOOL HALL**

COME and be part of the fun in Strings Ensembles

Registrations  
Open  
October 16 until  
November 1

**STARTS  
2PM**

*Come  
join the  
fun!*



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Bookings by Registration Only:

<https://forms.gle/ngGX3K7BsPxNesKd9>

[strings@lpsandc.org.au](mailto:strings@lpsandc.org.au)



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## Band

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### Concert Band performing at the Chatswood High School Spring Concert - Sunday 10 November

CB will have the wonderful experience of performing alongside CHS's Wind Orchestra and Senior Concert Band at this weekend's 'Spring Concert'.

Could CB please convene at 1:40pm outside the CHS Hall in preparation to rehearse with Chatswood High School's Senior Concert Band prior to the Concert commencing at 2:30pm. We wish CB a fantastic afternoon!

### Save the date - the annual Music Spectacular is coming! Friday 29 November.

Put it in the diary now - our showcase event will be held on Friday 29 November starting at 6:00pm in the Killara High School Hall. All of our Bands are now busily preparing their pieces for this amazing evening of music.

Please look out soon for the Sign Up roster to help make this night a success - your help is greatly appreciated!

### Band timetable 2020

We appreciate that many families are planning for 2020 - we are pleased to confirm that the current Band timetable for rehearsals will remain unchanged. We hope this assists you in firming up your schedules. The current timetable can be found in the Band section of the P&C website.

### Spooky shenanigans on Maple!

Our Halloween Flash Mob was a huge success last Tuesday morning as our ghoulish musicians entertained K-2 - thank you to Megan L for conducting this musical 'treat'!



### Calendar

Term 4	
Week 4	Chatswood High School Spring Concert - Sunday 10 November - CB
Week 7	Music Spectacular - Killara High School Hall Friday 29 November - all Bands
Week 8	Diamond Awards Assembly - Tuesday 3 December - SB
Week 9	CB Tour - Friday 6 December

Seiko and Mark Ruff

**Band Co-Convenors**

[band@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:band@lpspandc.org.au)



## Chess



*In 2002 Steven Bradbury came from behind to take Gold in speed skating. In 2019 our Lindfield A team came from behind to.....*

On Monday our vaunted machine cranked into action with 13 parents and Miss Maclaine transporting 39 of our best and fairest (organised in 13 teams of 3) into the cauldron of the NSW Junior Chess League (Upper North Shore) playoffs (44 teams total) for the State Final. This is one of the toughest divisions in the State and one we have not been to for years (Castle Cove being closer.)

There are two aims for our teams - one is to give as many of our children an experience in competing against other schools (and usually doing very well) and the other is to get one of our teams to qualify for the State Final (the top team from the top three schools getting to go) - generally our A's. For a long time it looked like we weren't going to achieve the second aim.

It was an extremely strong field of nine schools. Knox fielded one of the top juniors in the State - they came 11th, overwhelmed and never with a chance. St Ives North fielded three extremely strong and evenly balanced teams who duly came 4th, 6th and 7th. Lindfield East are extremely strong this year and Sydney Grammar are back to their winning best. Wahroonga are also very handy. We fielded a modest (for us) A team - outranked by 6 other teams. In other words - it looked unlikely.

With two rounds to go in a seven round competition, our A's found themselves in 10th place with 9.5 wins, with Sydney Grammar in first with 15 wins out of 15, St Ives Norths A with 12 wins and 4 teams on 11 wins. We had been beaten by St Ives North A and also by St Ives North C. In other words - way out of contention as the 5th best school.

One of the 'advantages' of that is that you avoid the top teams. And so it proved - Round 6 saw a really good 3-0 win against a strong Sydney Grammar B (9th) which took our A's to equal 5th with St Ives North A (who had beaten us soundly 2.5 wins to 0.5 wins) and but still looking unlikely to qualify- as St Ives North B and Lindfield East A and B were all ahead. Wahroonga fell slightly behind us at this point.

The final round is critical as if you lose you don't have another round to come back. Here the draw pulled out a quirk as Sydney Grammar A got to knock out St Ives North B, the two other St Ives North teams (both having beaten us) cancelled each other out and only one of the Lindfield East teams (the A's as it turned out) ahead of us could qualify. And our A's were given our G's (a good team) - who they managed to beat 3-0.

So from 10th and out of contention in Round 5 our A's scraped into 3rd and qualified for the State Finals. Congratulations! Our Bradbury moment.....

To get there the team avoided playing 1st or 2nd place. If there was another round the result would likely have been different. The result is even more remarkable as barring a win by our A's against eventual 9th, none of our teams managed any win against any teams in the top 10. The competition was that strong.

Results for all our teams:

Lindfield A (Boris, Kiran, Deves) - 15.5 wins (out of 21) - 3rd

Lindfield B (Curtis, Tiago, Ethan) - 11 wins - 20th (a double forfeit adjudicated against our I's in Round 6 unfortunately)

Lindfield C (Alex, Max, Daniel) - 11 wins - 17th

Lindfield D (Kyle, Timothy, Aimee) - 8.5 wins - 33rd (Aimee substituting in on the day)

Lindfield E (Wansi, Emily, Consuela) - 10 wins - 22nd

Lindfield F (Vedant, Ethan, Peter) - 9 wins - 30th (Peter having a field day with 5.5 wins.)

Lindfield G (Wyatt, Isaac, Yiheng) - 12 wins - 13th

Lindfield H (Landis, Xavier, Ethan) - 9 wins - 31st

Lindfield I (Theo, Sid, Jayden) - 11.5 wins - 16th

Lindfield J (Jiaqi, Elizabeth, Viviana) - 8.5 wins - 35th

Lindfield K (Billy, Thomas, Connor) - 9 wins - 32nd

Lindfield L (Hayson, Jeremy, Rusi) - 9.5 wins - 28th

Lindfield M (Max, William, Justin) - 8 wins - 36th



Thank you to the parents, the school and Miss Maclaine for your ongoing support!

Next week we will report on our School Championships (preliminaries held last Friday.)

Eric Tse

Chess Co-ordinator

[chessclub@lpspandc.org.au](mailto:chessclub@lpspandc.org.au)



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## 2020 School Travel Applications Now Open



To assist with any enquiries you may receive regarding student travel applications, we have provided some information below.

Applications for student travel in 2020 opened on Friday, 11 October 2019.

Students progressing to year 3 and year 7 no longer 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 via email.

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 2019 to ensure student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2019, the system will automatically cancel an entitlement/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 from January 2020.



# LINDEM

LINDFIELD'S NETBALL CLUB  
CLUB OF THE YEAR 2018, 2019

## FREE Netball Skills Clinic

Term 4, 2019

A FREE clinic for children aged 7 - 10 who are 'new' and 'old' to Netball. It's a chance to learn the netball basics, get outside and make some friends.

The clinic is a 6 week program held at Lindfield Public School every Wednesday afternoon from October 23 - November 27, 2019.

**WHO:** Open to girls and boys who will be turning 7, 8, 9 or 10 years of age in 2020

**WHERE:** Lindfield Public School, Multi-purpose court

**WHEN:** Wednesday afternoons from  
October 23 - November 27, 2019:  
Turning 7 and 8 in 2020 - 3.30-4.30pm  
Turning 9 and 10 in 2020 - 4.30-5.30pm

**HOW:** Book your FREE spot via the following:  
<https://www.trybooking.com/BEQNK>  
OR  
Via the link at [lindemnetball.org](http://lindemnetball.org)



Any questions?  
Please email  
[netsetgo@lindemnetball.org](mailto:netsetgo@lindemnetball.org)



# GINGERBREAD HOUSE

Come and spend the afternoon decorating your gingerbread house with us! There will be afternoon tea, a short talk about Christmas for the adults and a puppet show for the kids.

**Date & Time**

Sunday 1st December 2019  
2:00pm for 2:15pm start

**Venue**

St Barnabas Anglican Church  
Corner of William & Macquarie St

**Cost**

\$30 per gingerbread house kit and lollies for decoration plus \$5 per person (additional booking fee)

**Registration**

[www.trybooking.com/557579](http://www.trybooking.com/557579)  
Registration closes 17th November 2019 or when tickets are sold out

**Contact**

Lesley via [lesleyglass@gmail.com](mailto:lesleyglass@gmail.com)

*Please note: Children currently in preschool and above are welcome. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.*



St Barnabas Anglican Church, Roseville East



# Donate a gift for children in need



It's only  
**Christmas**  
when we  
share it

**Collection dates:** Now until 4 December

**What we need:** New toys and books - ideas in Lindfield Lines! Thank you

**Collection location:** Please drop unwrapped to marked box in LPS office foyer

**Contact:** Sarah Rosewell Easdown - 0413 450 329 - Social Justice Committee

[thesmithfamily.com.au](http://thesmithfamily.com.au)

**TOY & BOOK  
APPEAL**

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GIFT SUGGESTIONS			
AGE	TOYS	BOOKS	EDUCATIONAL TOYS
0-2 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Push and walk toys</li> <li>• Building blocks</li> <li>• Push and pull toys</li> <li>• Pretend play toys Eg toy keys, phone, kitchen sets</li> <li>• Large balls</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Soft material bath books</li> <li>• Counting books</li> <li>• Alphabet books</li> <li>• Board books</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Musical toys</li> <li>• Eg toy keyboard, guitar, maracas</li> <li>• Tangible 'feeling' toys</li> <li>• Sensory toys with mirrors, sounds or textures</li> </ul>
2-3 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Toy trucks, tractors and cars</li> <li>• Pretend play sets Eg tea party set, plastic golf sets</li> <li>• Building and construction blocks</li> <li>• Dolls Eg Barbie, La Newborn</li> <li>• Duplo (larger blocks)</li> <li>• Sand toys Eg bucket and spade</li> <li>• Water toys</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Picture story books Eg Possum Magic</li> <li>• Educational books Eg alphabet, numbers or colours</li> <li>• Lift the flap books</li> <li>• Golden Books</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Matching games Eg cards</li> <li>• Simple puzzles</li> </ul>
4-5 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Magnetic toys</li> <li>• Transformer toys</li> <li>• Dolls or figurines</li> <li>• Matchbox cars</li> <li>• Barbie dolls or My Little Pony sets</li> <li>• Throw and catch Eg grip ball</li> <li>• Skipping rope</li> <li>• Pool toys Eg inflatable toys</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repetitive books Eg Dr Seuss Cat in The Hat</li> <li>• Books with an educational focus Eg Titch</li> <li>• Fairytale books Eg Goldilocks and the three bears</li> <li>• Activity and colouring books</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Imaginative play - dress ups, puppets</li> <li>• Fine motor skill games Eg Operation, Barrel of Monkeys</li> <li>• Creative activities Eg Playdough, colouring activities</li> <li>• Easy jigsaw puzzles</li> <li>• Board games Eg Snakes and Ladders, Guess Who</li> </ul>
6-8 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creative sets Eg Paint set, textas, crayons, chalk</li> <li>• Active games Eg bowling set, catch ball set</li> <li>• Imaginative play Eg action figurines, Monster High, Shopkins, Duplo</li> <li>• Outdoor toys Eg kite, frisbee, yoyo</li> <li>• Lego</li> <li>• Remote control cars</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Picture story books Eg The Day the Crayons Quit</li> <li>• Small chapter books Eg Aussie Nibble</li> <li>• Educational Picture Story Books</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Board Games Eg Connect Four, Pop N Hop, Mouse Trap, Hungry Hippo, Jenga</li> <li>• Art, craft and bead sets</li> <li>• Jigsaw puzzles</li> </ul>
9-10 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports toys Eg netball, basketball, football</li> <li>• Board games Eg Cluedo, Trivial Pursuit, Monopoly, Family Feud</li> <li>• Beach sporting goods</li> <li>• Remote control car</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter books Eg Aussie Bites, 75th Story Treehouse, Rainbow Magic</li> <li>• Educational picture story books Eg Just another Ordinary Day, Count on Frank</li> <li>• Children's novels</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Board games Eg Chess, Checkers, Guess Who?</li> <li>• Art and craft sets</li> <li>• Interactive board games Eg Twister, Pictionary</li> <li>• Meccano sets</li> <li>• Lego</li> </ul>
10-12 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports toys Eg netball, basketball</li> <li>• Beach sporting goods</li> <li>• Stationary Eg diaries, notebooks, glitter pens</li> <li>• Interactive board games Eg Twister, Pictionary</li> <li>• Board games Eg Cluedo, Trivial Pursuit, Monopoly, Family Feud</li> <li>• Meccano kits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter books Eg Books by Judy Moody</li> <li>• Short novels</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Board games Eg Game of Life, Scattergories, Scrabble</li> <li>• Science kits</li> <li>• 500-1000 piece jigsaw puzzles</li> </ul>

# THERE ARE SOME GIFTS WE CAN'T ACCEPT...



## NO CLOTHES INCLUDING SHOES PYJAMAS AND COSTUMES

We can't be sure of the size of the child.



## NO FOOD PRODUCTS

This includes perishable and non-perishable items. We're unable to guarantee food safety or be aware of children's special dietary needs.



## NO GAME CONTROLLERS OR COMPUTER GAMES

We don't know if they'll be able to set up at home.



## NO CALENDARS

Where possible, it's great if gifts can last for more than one year.



## NO GIFTS THAT REQUIRE BATTERIES

Unless you include the appropriate size and quantity of batteries in your gift donation.



## NO TOYS THAT LOOK LIKE WEAPONS

Or any toys that suggest violence.



## NO BEAUTY PRODUCTS

Some children may be allergic to perfumes, makeup or other toiletries.



## NO PRODUCTS THAT REQUIRE FLAMMABLE LIQUID OR GAS

This includes candles and lamps.



## NO SECONDHAND ITEMS OR DAMAGED GOODS

Something new will be greatly appreciated on Christmas morning.



## NO BREAKABLE ITEMS

They could be damaged during the packing and delivery process.



## NO ITEMS OF A RELIGIOUS NATURE

We are not aware of the religion or beliefs of each family.



## NO BRANDED ITEMS

We are unable to officially endorse another company or brand.

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NOW!



# BARE CREEK TRAIL RUN

Garigal National Park, St Ives, an adventure playground, is just 30 minutes from Sydney's CBD. It's a brilliant way for little and big kids to experience our beautiful bushland. Whether you're just starting out, or an experienced runner there is a run (or walk) that is ideal for you. From the 2km Dash, 6km family walk/run, to the challenging 12 km and 20 km courses.



Garigal National Park

Sunday 10th November, 2019 • [www.barecreektrailrun.com](http://www.barecreektrailrun.com)

 [facebook.com/barecreektrailrun](https://facebook.com/barecreektrailrun)

2km Dash • 6km Family Walk / Run • 12km Run • 20km Run

# IS YOUR CHILD USING A HANDHELD DEVICE ?

This research will involve a two-part online survey that is expected to be completed in 2019 and in 2020. Each survey will take approximately 30 minutes.

If your child is born between 30/10/2013 to 28/02/2015 and engages in handheld device use, we would like to hear from you!

Screen time is a popular pastime activity in children today. We are interested in exploring the effects of parental wellbeing and handheld devices (e.g. iPads, tablets, mobile phones) on development.

**YOU WILL GO INTO THE DRAW TO WIN 1 OF 4 \$100 COLES/MYER GIFT CARDS!!!**

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

SCAN THE QR CODE



OR

[https://bit.ly/st\\_survey19](https://bit.ly/st_survey19)

ON THE WEB AND ENTER PASSWORD SCREEN19

This proposal has been approved by the UTS Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC#: ETH18-2354)

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