Dear Parents / Caregivers

Wow what a week that was at LPS with a variety of events and happenings taking place at our wonderful school. Last Monday and Tuesday we held a very successful Athletics Carnival at the LHS ovals followed by a “Read More In May Day” last Friday which saw our grounds overflowing with parents, carers, grandparents and uncles and aunts.

Our wonderful dance groups thrilled audiences and our students looked amazing in their bright and colourful PJ’s. To top the week off our new playground equipment arrived and has been installed. What a busy week!

**SCHOOL SPECTACULAR SUCCESS**

To continue with the Performing Arts theme LPS received the fantastic news that students from the choir have once again made it into School Spectacular for the 6th Year in a row. To add to our excitement our dancers also made it into School Spectacular for the first time. This is a wonderful example of our Performing Arts program at LPS. Congratulations to Mrs Ryan and Mrs Thomason who have both put a lot of hard work into our students to ensure that they shine.

**P&C FORT**

As you may already know we have a new addition to our wonderful playground facilities at LPS with the installation of new playground equipment which was installed early last week. This equipment was purchased to replace the popular old wooded fort and is a welcomed addition to our playground facilities at LPS. The equipment looks fabulous and will become a hub of activity when it is available for the students to use later this week when the finishing touches are put in place.

A big thank you to the LPS P&C who raised funds for the new equipment through a variety of fundraising events including the 2014 School Fete.
Last Week at LPS

Athletics Carnival

Last Monday and Tuesday LPS held its annual Athletics Carnival. The carnival ran over two days and was a great success with the students having a terrific time.

Congratulations to our two record breakers, Demi and Sari. Demi broke a long standing record in discus while Sari broke the record in 8yr old 100 mts.

Congratulations also to our age champions -:

Junior Boy - Beniel Dakunabulbuli
Junior Girl - Rosite Smith
11 year Boy - Riley Arnold
11 year Girl - Brooke Eglinton
Senior Boy - Nathan Baulch
Senior Girl - Demi Leighton
Cook House was the winner on the day with 527 points, 2nd Flynn House – 478 points, 3rd Sturt House – 330 points and 4th Parkes House with 298 points. Well done everyone!

A big thank you to all of the parents who helped out over the two days of the carnival. Without your help and support we would be unable to hold a carnival such as this.

Read More in May Day

On Friday we celebrated the end of “Read More in May Day” with an afternoon of reading and fun activities at LPS.

The day started with three wonderful performances by our Infants, Stage 2 and Stage 3 Dance groups. The performances were a credit to the students and the teachers who have worked so hard in putting the items together.

This week at LPS

Aboriginal Community Meeting – Thursday 3:30pm

On Thursday June 4th we will be holding an Aboriginal Community meeting in the Leeton Public School Library commencing at 3:30pm.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Aboriginal Initiatives at Leeton Public School for 2015 and beyond. This includes the Dance Group, NAIDOC celebrations and other Aboriginal programs that could possibly be implemented at the school to strengthen ties with our community as well as deepen the understanding of local culture.

Riverina Dance Festival – Friday June 5th

Dance Festival

This Friday our Dance group will be taking part in the Riverina Dance Festival at the Albury Theatre. The dance group will be performing a contemporary dance under the watchful eyes of Mrs Thomason, Mrs Pearce and Mrs Johnston. Good luck to all of our students performing at the festival.

Up Coming Events at LPS

P&C Meeting – TUESDAY JUNE 9

The Next P&C Meeting will be held in the Primary Staffroom commencing at 7pm on Tuesday June 9. All interested parents and Community members are invited to attend and become involved in the LPS P&C.

KINDERGARTEN 2015 - INFORMATION SESSIONS 10TH JUNE

Information sessions for parents wishing to enrol students in Kindergarten or other classes in 2015 will be held on Wednesday June 10 at 2pm and again at 7pm in the KF classroom.

At Leeton Public School we encourage open channels of communication between home and school. If you have a concern regarding your child or education please make an appointment through the school office to see the classroom teacher or appropriate Assistant Principal at a mutually convenient time.

Jayne Gill
Principal

Approaching Students and Teachers

Parents are reminded that under no circumstances are you to approach another child regarding any issues that you may have, even if you know the child well. If you have an issue please ensure that this is addressed through the proper channels by contacting the office to make an appointment to see the appropriate classroom teacher, Assistant Principal or myself.

This also applies to approaching teachers regarding issues that you may have. These also need to be dealt with through the proper channels.

Parents who do approach students may be asked to leave the school grounds. In serious situations parents will be issued with a formal warning regarding breaching the Enclosed Lands act.
**Leeton Public School P&C Lucky Loot**

Would you like to win $10000 cash? Buy a ticket in the P&C Lucky Loot competition which is now being run. The lucky winner will walk away with $10,000 (maximum of 1200 tickets being sold).

Fill in green Lucky Loot application forms and send back to school with money enclosed. Tickets will be issued by the P&C.

Prize for the highest ticket seller.

Draw will take place on September 5th at P&C Gala night.

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**Merit Award Winners**

KB  Halima Bushra, Harman Gill  
KF  Zara Lamont, Phoenix Kember  
KV  Marley Rook, Andrew Sherlock  
1M  Matilda Sidebottom, Tate Tabain  
1S  Zoe Smith, Jez Lashbrook  
2Mc  Daniel Bridge, Max Blyton  
2MG  Vula Wate, Mackenzie O'Loughlin  
S2K  Lily Hodges, Taine Pauls, Charlotte Edwards  
S2S  Rhiannon Jagers, Kalem Thompson, Madeline Sachs  
S2T  Hayley Bull, Abbie Doyle, Kiesha Poulson  
S2/3B  Campbell Fields, William Aliendi, Jayden Broadbent  
S3O  Hayley Sloan, Sarah Seymour, Tyson Melvin  
S3RA  Dylan Gordon, Rachael Wahba, Jayden Gill  
S3RY  William Murphy, Alexandra Glenn, Austen Tiffin
Pyjama Day

On Friday the SRC hosted a PJ Day. It was wonderful to see so many students and staff, getting into the spirit of the day and wearing their favourite PJ's to school! The staff and some LPS families provided some ‘cereal based’ treats for a bake sale. The money raised from the PJ Day and Bake Sale was $485.95 a fantastic effort! and will go towards purchasing Creative Learning resources. Thank you to everyone for their support!

Pyjama Day Treat Stall

Thank you to the terrific staff at LPS for supporting my idea of a cereal based treat stall last Friday. The children enjoyed the chocolate crackles, honey joys, anzac biscuits etc. The money raised was added to the gold coin donations for PJ Day. The SRC will be able to buy a few more games for use in the class rooms. Thank you also to the parents who supplied the cash for their child/children to support the stall.

Mrs Jenny Tiffin

CANTEEN NEWS & ROSTER

A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING LADIES WHO HELPED OUT AT THE CARNIVAL. WE HAD A REALLY GOOD COUPLE OF DAYS - Belinda Fairweather, Jenny Ryan, Jodie Lee, Liz Tynan, Sue Mundy, Leanne Chaffey and Robyn Mahalm...what a great team!

Week 7

Monday 1st June - Margie
Tuesday 2nd - Leanne Chaffey
Wednesday 3rd - Belinda Fairweather
Thursday 4th - Karen Kalon
Friday 5th - Sue Mundy

Week 8

Monday 8th - Margie
Tuesday 9th - Robyn Mahalm
Wednesday 10th - Jenny Ryan
Thursday 11th - Jodie Lee
Friday 12th - Tammi Ryan

Week 9

Monday 15th - Margie
Tuesday 16th - Liz Tynan
Wednesday 17th - Nadia Gerhardy
Thursday 18th - Sue Mundy
Friday 19th - Amanda Sidebottom

©Week 10

Monday 22nd - Margie
Tuesday 23rd - Robyn Mahalm
Wednesday 24th - Belinda Fairweather
UNIFORM SHOP

NOW OPENED TUESDAYS 1.00pm-5.00pm - For your convenience! or by appointment
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SPRAY JACKETS STILL ON SALE FOR $30 and are now available to order through online canteen for $30. These have been discontinued so all must go.

CASH OR CHEQUE ONLY!!

*Please don’t hesitate to send a note with money with your child for any uniform requirements. I am usually quite busy in the mornings but will get the order to them in class later in the afternoon.

Photo Gallery – Athletics Carnival