

Lismore Public School

NEWSLETTER



Principal's Message

Welcome back everyone to Term 2!

We already have lots of events and activities planned for the term. Please remember to keep checking the calendar at the end of this newsletter for continual updates.

- Cross Country Carnival (weather permitting)
- K-2 Mother's Day Afternoon Tea
- School Photos (blue school uniform please)
- GRIP Leadership Day for school captains
- Far North Coast Dance Festival
- Soccer Gala Day
- PSSA Sporting events
- Milkiri Ant Dance visiting performance
- NAIDOC Celebrations
- Stage excursions
- Student Reports and Parent/Teacher interviews

Following the passing of our long serving and highly valued School Learning Support Officer, Brian Walker, family and friends are warmly invited to attend Brian's Funeral Service to be held at The Wilson Chapel—Parkview Funeral Home, Goonellabah on Wednesday 8th May commencing at 10:00am.

Samantha Rowsell

Book Club Issue 3

Book Club has arrived! Look out for your copy of Book Club coming home in your child's schoolbag! It's packed with hundreds of books from just \$3 to help you on your child's reading journey.



Lismore Lantern Parade

This year's Lantern Parade will be held on Saturday 22nd June, 2024. Specifics such as the start time and march route will be advised as we get closer to the event. Please monitor the newsletter for updates. If you are interested in having your child/ children participate, please complete and return the attached note and money to the office by Wednesday 15th May, 2024. Lanterns are \$12.50 each. Parents/ Carers will need to march with their child/ children and be able to pick the lanterns up from Lismore Public School before 3:00pm on Friday 21st June, 2024.

Hoping to see you there.

Jennifer Lumley



We would like to respectfully acknowledge the Elders past and present of the Wijabal Wiyabal people and other peoples of Bundjalung Nation. We acknowledge that they are the first peoples of this land on which our school stands.

School Photos

School Photos are coming up on Friday 17th May. Photo envelopes were sent home this week. Please return them to the office by Wednesday 15th May.

If you require a second envelope or a sibling envelope, please see the office. Please note sibling orders will close Thursday 16th May and will remain closed until after Friday 17th May. Online Sibling photo orders can be placed after photo day only if children have presented to the photographer for a sibling photograph on photo day.

Please wear full school uniform on photo day, not Friday sports uniform.

HOW TO ORDER



EACH STUDENT MUST HAND IN THEIR OWN COMPLETED ENVELOPE

Sibling Envelopes are available at the School Office
PLEASE DO NOT PLACE YOUR SIBLING ENVELOPE INSIDE THIS ENVELOPE

WE ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING PAYMENT METHODS:

1. CASH

Please enclose correct money as **NO CHANGE** will be given

2. MONEY ORDER

All Money Orders are to be made payable to "The School Photographer"

3. ONLINE CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

Simply visit our website

www.theschoolphotographer.com.au

and follow the prompts - Please write your receipt number in the space provided on the envelope (handling fee applies)

NO CHEQUES

Due to a change in bank policy cheques are no longer accepted

COMBINED PAYMENTS

If combining payments for more than one child please complete the 'combined payments' box on the envelope

LATE ORDERS

Any orders placed after school photographs have been delivered to the school will incur a \$15.00 handling fee (includes postage)

ANZAC Day March



Thank you to the students, staff and parents/ carers who represented Lismore Public School at this year's ANZAC Parade. It was great to see all stage levels of our school represented.



Stage 1 Excursion

The Lismore Recycling Centre excursion has been rescheduled to Thursday 30th of May. A note will be sent home shortly.

Healthy Habits

Fun family activities



Kick the footy



Share culture



Play sport



Make Johnny Cakes



Get out on Country



Make art together

**Healthy Eating
Active Living**



Mother's Day Stall



The P&C are asking families to donate an item to the value of \$5 to be sold at the stall. As an alternative, families are able to donate \$5 cash (maximum of \$10 per family) to the P&C and we will purchase a donation for you.

All gifts will be sold for \$5. If your children would like to purchase a gift, please make sure they bring money to purchase on Friday 10 May 2024.

Students who have donated a gift will get the first opportunity to purchase from the Mother's Day Stall. After these students have purchased their gifts, other students will get an opportunity to buy a gift.

No more than 2 gifts can be purchased. If a student would like to purchase 2 gifts, they must donate 2 gifts. This is to ensure that all students get the opportunity to purchase a gift for their mothers and/or carers.

Please bring donations to the P&C tub marked "Mother's Day Donations" in the office. Please ensure that donations of gifts of money are marked with the name and class number of the students donating the item.

The P&C would like to thank you for supporting this fundraising event.



Wear Your Favourite Colour to School Day



Last month, the LPS SRC organized a fundraising event to raise money for the Stage 3 Excursion costs. Our students raised \$238.90! Thank you to everyone who donated.



PBL NEWS

BE SAFE, BE RESPECTFUL, BE A LEARNER



SCHOOL UNIFORM

As the weather is cooling down, especially in the mornings students are wearing jumpers and track pants to school. A reminder to students to wear a blue jumper and trackpants as part of our school's uniform. We are also asking that all clothing please be labelled so we can do our best to make sure any lost property gets back to its rightful owner. Your support in this matter is appreciated.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

WHEN YOUR CHILD MISSES SCHOOL
THEY MISS OUT ON OPPORTUNITIES
TO...



BUILD SKILLS THROUGH



Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be a Learner

Term 2 Calendar

1	29th Apr Staff Development Day	30th Apr Students Return	1st May	2nd May	3rd May	4/5
2	6th May 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 1/2B Item	7th May	8th May	9th May	10th May Cross Country Carnival 2:30pm K-2 Mother's Day Afternoon Tea	11/12
3	13th May 2.20pm K-6 Assembly K/1H Item	14th May	15th May	16th May Book Club Due GRIP Leadership Day - School Captains	17th May School Photos	18/19
4	20th May 2.20pm K-6 Assembly KR Item	21st May	22nd May	23rd May	24th May	25/26
5	27th May 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 5-6H Item	28th May	29th May	30th May S1 Excursion	31st May Soccer Gala Day	1/2
6	3rd June 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 5-6J Item	4th June	5th June 9.10am Year 5 Rivers College Roadshow	6th June Far North Coast Dance - Twin Towns	7th June	8/9
7	10th June 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 3-4C Item	11th June	12th June	13th June	14th June	15/16
8	17th June 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 3-4D Item	18th June	19th June	20th June	21st June	22/23
9	24th June 2.20pm K-6 Assembly 1/2W Item Parent / Teacher Interviews	25th June	26th June K-6 Athletics Carnival - Riverview Park	27th June 9.15am NAIDOC Flag raising and smoking ceremony Milkirri Ant Dance - Visiting Performance	28th June Milkirri Ant Dance - Visiting Performance	29/30
10	1st July 2.20pm K-6 Assembly Bronze & Silver awards	2nd July	3rd July	4th July Lismore City Council - NAIDOC Celebrations - Lismore Turf Club	5th July 11.10am NAIDOC Celebration Community Lunch	6/7