



Lawrence Legends

Principal: Jacqueline Menzies

Term 1 Week 5, Thursday 23 February 2023

Dates to Remember

Welcome BBQ - Thur 23 Feb
Clarence District Swimming - Fri 24 Feb
Assembly - Fri 24 Feb
Kindergarten Transition program- Fri 3 Mar
Soccer Gala - Mon 6 Mar

Principal's Message

Thankyou to those families who attended our start of year BBQ this afternoon. It was fabulous to catch up, show off our classrooms and share how things are going at the start of the year. We are in the process of setting up individual learning plans and pathways to support the needs of our students and will be contacting parents to consult as part of this planning process. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you would like to discuss your child's progress or needs at any time.

Breakfast club

From Wednesday next week we will have a breakfast club for those children who would like to have breakfast when they get to school in the morning on Wednesday's, Fridays and Mondays. After surveying students we have found some children eat very early in the morning and are hungry when they get to school, and others skip breakfast for different reasons. Students will be able to have a bowl of cereal, toast and a cup of juice when they get to school on these 3 days. This is a **free program** to help support our students. However, we are also happy to accept donations of bread, milk or cereal to help with the program.

Meal Deal

As there is currently no canteen operating the school will provide a pre order meal deal on Friday 3 March. The meal deal available will be 6 x nuggets and a popper for \$6. Notes will be sent home tomorrow for your child to order.

Soccer Gala

Students in years 3 - 6 will be attending a soccer gala day at Rushforth Park on Monday 6 March. This is a great opportunity for students to participate in sport and interact with other schools in our community.

Surfing

Our special surf day last Friday was sensational! We have included lots of photos in this week's Newsletter, because words can not describe how much fun we had. Just about everyone stood up on the boards and surfed the waves. We also had fun paddling in the surf and playing in the sand.

Assembly

Congratulations to our merit award recipients at our last assembly on Friday 10 Feb. Mylee, Evie, Reid, Orson, Blaise and Grace. Our apologies to Evie who didn't have her photo on our facebook page due to a publishing mix up. Her photo is included on the next page.

Our SRC representatives and 2023 house captains received their badges. Our semester 1 SRC reps are Alfie, Levi, Emily, Lahni, Aurellia, Blaise and Tahya. Our 2023 house captains are Blair, Boyd, Willow Grace and Leo. Congratulations on being leaders in our school.

Our Assembly tomorrow will have an item performed by Year 2 and 3. We hope you can come and watch.

Small Schools Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to all our students that went to the SS schools swimming carnival last week.

10yr Girls: 1st Layla , 2nd Addison

12yr Boys: 1st Blair , 2nd Boyd

12yr Girls: 3rd Grace

Relay team: 1st Grace, Blair, Boyd, Layla

The Clarence District carnival will be held tomorrow Fri 24 Feb at Maclean Pool. We wish all competitors the best of luck.



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Transition to School Program.

LPS has decided to start our transition to school program in Term 1 this year

When: Every Friday from 9:15-11:15 starting March 3rd

Where: LPS library

Who: Preschool Children who will start school in 2024

Our teacher is: Mrs Chapman

Please contact Ms Evans in the office for more details and an enrolment form.

P&C News

Grafton Show - Lawrence Public P&C will again be manning the Grafton Show gates. This is a great fundraising opportunity for our school. We are looking for volunteers to help on Friday 28 April and Saturday 29 April. If you can donate some of your time please contact the P&C or the school office.

Easter Raffle - Our annual Easter raffle is coming up!! Donations for the raffle are welcome and can be dropped off at the school office. This year for every donation towards the raffle you will receive 3 free raffle tickets.

AGM - The Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday 13 March 2023. All executive positions will be declared vacant and are open for nominations. If you would like to be part of the executive please ensure you nominate and attend the meeting.



Chickens

Our school chickens are going well, and we have decided to adopt 4 more chickens that are about to be culled, and are therefore being rescued from caged egg farms. We love seeing how happy they become scratching in the yard and enjoying the open spaces. New hens will arrive early in March.

Awards

We have changed what our class awards look like, to align with our leader in me program. Students can receive a class award for displaying those behaviours that help them be a cooperative leader within our school.



1st Maclean Scouts

We are open for fun and adventure.

We meet at the Scout Hall, 15 Union Street, Maclean.

When: Tuesday's from 5.30 pm.

Contact: Joanne Worboys/Dolphin on +61 408063848

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CLARENCE VALLEY

YOUTH WEEK

19 APRIL to 30 APRIL

2023

WED 19 APRIL - 11AM-4PM
KICK FLIPS & TAIL WHIPS
SKATE & SCOOTER COMP
YAMBA SKATE PARK

THU 20 APRIL - 10AM-12PM
WEARABLE ART WORKSHOP
ILUKA LIBRARY

THU 20 APRIL - 5PM-9PM
LIVE 'N' LOUD
GRAFTON LIBRARY CAR PARK

FRI 21 APRIL - 10AM-3PM
BEATS, BBQ & BASKETBALL
JJ LAWRENCE FIELDS, STH GRAFTON

FRI 21 APRIL - 2PM-4PM
GRAFFITI ART WORKSHOP
LAWRENCE MEMORIAL PARK

SAT 22 APRIL - 8PM-10PM
CINEMA NIGHT
YAMBA CINEMA

SUN 23 APRIL - 9AM-12PM
COLOUR RUN
WHERRETT PARK, MACLEAN

MON 24 APRIL - 3PM-6PM
ART IN THE PARK
COUTTS CROSSING SKATE PARK

WED 26 APRIL - 11AM-1PM
YOUTH FORUM - GRAFTON
PCYC GRAFTON

WED 26 APRIL - 2PM-4PM
LASER SKIRMISH
MINNIE WATER

THU 27 APRIL - 11AM-1PM
YOUTH FORUM - MACLEAN
CIVIC HALL, MACLEAN

FRI 28 APRIL - 6.30PM-9.30PM
MONTHLY CAR MEET
GRAFTON LIBRARY CAR PARK

SAT 29 APRIL - 7PM-9PM
CINEMA NIGHT
GRAFTON CINEMA

SUN 30 APRIL - 11AM-2PM
SURF DAY YAMBA
TURNERS BEACH, YAMBA

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ALL YOUTH WEEK EVENTS ARE DRUG AND ALCOHOL FREE.
UNDER 12'S MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A RESPONSIBLE ADULT. ALL EVENTS
ARE FREE AND WILL FOLLOW COVID-19 GUIDELINES. BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL.
PLEASE CONTACT ALLIRA 0428 420 908 FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO MAKE A BOOKING.

