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**PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

**WELCOME BACK**
Welcome back to school everyone, a particular welcome to our new students and families. I hope that you will really enjoy your time as part of the New Lambton South family. We have a wonderful school and community - parents and carers and wider community support is valued. The partnership between community and staff is the foundation of a great school and together we will ensure 2013 is another great year.

**COMMUNICATION**
As our school gets bigger we need to work together to make sure communication is satisfactory and everyone understands what is happening. This is a real challenge and we have spent time in 2012 evaluating our communication systems. Our aim in 2013 is to streamline and improve communication. Parents can assist us in this by giving feedback if you see ways we can improve and letting us know. One of the challenges is the audience group - parents - have different needs. New to the school parents and longer term "experienced" parents hear messages differently and staff need to make sure we are sending clear information to all. The school website, Newsflash (newsletter) sent out electronically Tuesdays and published on the website and notes home are the key sources of information. If you still have unanswered questions talking to your child’s teacher or office staff may help. In the next few weeks you will be invited to attend an information session with teachers and this is an excellent forum to seek more information about how your child will learn and what is coming up. The year is busy. The timing of some events have short turnarounds but we do try to give as much notice as possible.

Remember to make an appointment with your child’s teacher when you need to discuss anything. Please do not try to grab their attention when they should be supervising a class at line up or playground or at the end of the day immediately as school ends when
teachers should be ensuring students leave the school safely. You can email the school to request a message be passed to your child's teacher or phone or visit the office and ask that the teacher phone you and give you an appropriate time to meet. Your support in this is appreciated.

**SCHOOL PACKS**
Each year the school requests support from parents in the form of a school contribution. We used to call this a "Bookpack" and it may still be named that but actually it would be better named a "school pack". The contribution covers everything your child will need at school. There is no need for you to buy anything for use in the classroom. Books, paper, pens, paper, erasers, glue, paint, brushes, photocopies, text books, library books, art supplies, sport equipment, staplers, scissors, individual membership fees/access to Mathletics (K-6) and Bug Club (K-2). These supplies are replaced during the year as children need them. This year we have developed a sliding scale for payments of this fee to support parents with several children. The school pack fees are:
- $75 one child
- $130 two children
- $180 three or more children

Your early attention to this would be appreciated. The school office will take money at any time. You can pay by Eftpos, cheque or cash. Invoices will be sent out if payment is not received within a few weeks. Receipts are issued. Your support is valued.

NB Students in the OC class will receive additional information regarding the Notebook program and costs involved, and technology teachers will require you to purchase a memory stick to leave at school.

**COSTS INVOLVED IN OTHER SCHOOL PROGRAMS**
There are many costs that will still come up throughout the year. Parents would like to budget ahead and often we know some of the costs in advance but some opportunities we offer are unable to be costed until closer to the date of the event. Stage leaders have been asked to give as much notice as possible of projected costs.

We also have many fund raising events at our school and your support of these is appreciated. The reason for this is that schools are funded differently. Some schools are on nominated programs that get a lot of additional government funding. Our school is not one of these schools and has not ever been, so parent support, user pays programs and fund raising enables us to continue to provide excellent opportunities and facilities for your child.

Some of the costs to keep in mind:
- Music lessons and band membership - your choice to enrol - we employ additional teachers for this and the programs are self funded.
- Aerobics - an elective sport for Stages 2 and 3. We employ additional tutors for this and the programs are self funded.
- Other elective sport TBA
- School photos (see dates to remember in this Newsflash)
- Swimming carnival (next week -cost for bus and pool entry) Years 3-6 only
- Athletics Carnival later in the year - also bus fare (K-6)
- Fun Run - a fundraiser for the school
- Performances - visiting opera and drama events
- Interrelate and Young Teens (Years 5 and 6) later in year
- Excursions TBA
- Book club (regularly) your choice to purchase books (K-6)
- Leadership program’s
- Whole school performances - usually some form of fundraising involved
- Discos - fundraisers for Band

This list is just to give you some ideas for planning and budgeting.

**STAFF AND NUMBERS**
We welcome some new staff members for the year. Mr Edwards has joined us in Stage 2, Mrs Horner in Stage 1 and Miss Floyd in Stage 3 for Term 1 replacing Mrs Staden who is still working with the NSW Teachers Federation. Many teachers have swapped Stages keeping up to date across the whole K-6 curriculum. Mrs Holland has been promoted to Stage Leader Stage 1 to support Miss Metcalfe who is Assistant Principal (K-2) in that area as it has clearly the biggest enrolment - half of the school!!

The slow announcement of classes was related to the huge mobility of our enrolments. We expected 420 students and after much coming and going we actually have 415. Many of these are new students. Some families left the area over the break so we just had to wait to see who turned up and this impacts on our classes. We held back the announcement in case we needed to reduce classes back to 16 but we do have the 17 we anticipated so the demountable stays! In an area like ours with high mobility, we will probably have this level of uncertainty every year. Thank you to all for your patience. The model we use at the start of the year of children moving around all teachers in the stage to work collaboratively on a unit of work while we sort classes works very well. It really helps students know each other and teachers much better.

We ended up with 3 Kindergarten classes and no K-1 as there was a reduced number of actual Kindies. I do hope that parents and children who thought they would be in the K-1 understand the reasons why we made the change. We thought it important that children coming to Kindergarten know their teacher if possible so we took the risk and named the teachers in 2012. This is such a good example of how tricky that process is. Thanks again for understanding and support.
ASSEMBLIES
This year our first school assembly is on Tuesday 12 February from 2:30 pm. We are trialling a different structure this year and will only have assemblies about each 3rd week. We will rotate School Assemblies (parents welcome) Stage Assemblies (for students only) and Parliament (students only). This is because our School Parliament has become so important we have to allocate more time for it. We will evaluate this model during the year. The Newsflash will advertise dates for Assemblies and parents will be informed in advance if possible if their child is receiving an award.

ANAPHYLAXIS
This year the DEC has introduced a more explicit and comprehensive policy to support the management of anaphylaxis in schools. On the School Development Day all staff were briefed on the new procedures and have undertaken to complete the ASCIA E-training to ensure understanding and competence in response to anaphylaxis. The school has applied for additional training for staff by a specialist nurse educator. When this is scheduled parents will be welcome to attend.
The procedures are very comprehensive and will require us to examine all enrolment records to identify any student who parents have said have an allergy. We will be sending out a note to each of those parents and then further information and requests for information and follow up meetings based on your responses.
If your child develops an allergy it is critical that we know about that. We will take a few weeks to get all new procedures in place. I will keep you informed.

SCHOOL MAINTENANCE
During the holidays one of our casual General Assistants, Bruce, worked tirelessly to paint everything in Block B (other than the Art room). This was a huge job and has been a great result. The junior toilet block in particular is fresh and colourful. The P&C gave us $1000 towards the paint. We had calculated that to cover all but additional paint had to be purchased. A maintenance grant from DEC paid for Bruce’s salary. We still have 2 classrooms and the senior toilet to complete and the library office and other rooms in Block A. We will be short of funds to complete so will be asking the P&C to again fund the paint if possible.
We also had our GA Phil in during the holidays to separate the sick bay with a half wall and shelves to make a Uniform Shop. P&C have wanted a uniform shop for some time so I am pleased to say it is now a reality. We will advertise opening hours soon after the Uniform Committee meets.
The P&C equipment store has been relocated from upstairs to one of the storage bays in the old weathershed so hopefully this will make access much more convenient for parent helpers.

P&C
P&C meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7pm and from this year will meet in Block A in the connected classroom which is the first room near the office downstairs. Please come and join us as this is a great way to support the school. We have a wonderful group of parents and friends and they are my first point of reference when discussing things of importance about the school.

STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
Individual meetings will be organised soon (Learning Support Meetings) for students with special needs. At these meetings, individual plans will be developed and review of past achievements shared. Please make sure the school has up to date information regarding your child.

Have a wonderful week.

GAIL CORNFORD
PRINCIPAL

CAR BOOT SALE
We will be conducting a fund raising CAR BOOT SALE on Saturday 9th March, Week 6, in the Primary Playground between 10am and 3pm.
If you would like to sell from your ‘car boot’ on this day, the cost of a site will be $25, and is payable to the administration office at New Lambton South.
The proceeds from the car boot sale will assist with the continuation of the 007 leadership program and other leadership activities within the school.

NATALIE CLARKE
COORDINATING TEACHER

SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2013 – YEARS 3 TO 6 ONLY
The school swimming carnival is on this Friday 8 February 2013 at Charlestown Swim Centre. All students from Year 3–6 received their permission note last week. Notes and money need to be returned by Thursday this week.
It is very important that you fill out the bottom section of the note on your child’s swimming competence. Non-swimmers will be wearing a yellow wrist band as a safety precaution.
All students in Year 3-6 are expected to attend. No student should stay at home to avoid this carnival. The main purpose of the carnival is to have fun and to select students for the zone carnival to be held at Lambton Swim Centre on Wednesday 27 February 2013.

Students must come prepared for the day regardless of the weather - rain, hail or shine - and a decision will be made on Friday morning, if the weather looks ominous. Please ensure your child has adequate sun protection and enough refreshments and drinks. Students are encouraged to stay in their House areas such as the grandstands whilst not competing to stay safe and to show sportsmanship for their House.

It is important that all students be at school by no later than 8.50 so names can be marked off and be on the buses by 9.00am. If you would like your child to leave early, you must ensure that their names are marked off from class rolls and you will be advised on the day where you will be able to do this. Also if you would like your child to go home with another parent/adult you must write a signed note that gives permission for your child to be released into another adult’s care and give it to their class teacher.

All parents, family and friends are most welcome to attend.

If you are able to assist as a timekeeper or lifesaver or in any other capacity, please fill out the note below and return to me at school.

Thank you.

ANNE MAREE DREW
COORDINATING TEACHER

NAME:_____________________________________________________________

STUDENT’S NAME:___________________________________________  CLASS:________________________

TICK PREFERRED OPTION

Timekeep _______ Lifesaver_________ (need cossies)  Preferred time (eg. 10-12)__________

BOOK CLUB

Welcome back and welcome to our new parents and children. Book Club comes out twice a term. The first Book Club of the year goes out this Thursday and is due back at school on Thursday 14 February. Due dates are now written on the front page.

All orders and money are handed to the classroom teacher and it is then collected from the classrooms. Big bumper issue for Lucky and Extra.

If you are ordering books for presents (birthdays etc), please make a note on your order and we will contact you to pick up from the office.

MRS DOLEY & MRS MOYLAN
BOOK CLUB COORDINATORS

EARLY STAGE 1 NEWS

WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN

All Kindergarten children have settled in well. We are very proud of the way they lined up today at morning assembly. Kinder teachers will be at lines just before the bell so that your child can see where they need to sit. If you have any concerns regarding your child, could you please make an appointment to chat with your child's teacher rather than trying to speak to them at lines when they are busy organising their class. If it's urgent, you could always leave a message with the office, they will phone the teacher in their classroom.

We look forward to working with you this year to make your child's first year at big school exciting.

SANDRA HOLLAND
EARLY STAGE ONE LEADER

KINDERGARTEN PARENT MEETING/INFORMATION SESSION

On Wednesday 13th February there will be a meeting for Kindergarten parents. This will be held at 9am in the hall. There will be a teacher on playground duty so your child can be left there to play. We will be providing a handout if you are unable to attend.
Individual meetings will be scheduled for parents soon after the information session to share Best Start results.

SANDRA HOLLAND
STAGE LEADER

KD NEWS
Welcome to the students and their families in KD. The beginning of the year is a busy time where we get to know each other and learn the class and school routines. Yesterday we learnt about the 5L’s, which guides the students on the behaviour expected when they are sitting on the floor. These are Legs (crossed), Laps (hands in lap), Lips (closed), Listen (to the speaker) and Look (at the speaker). The students are encouraged to use the 5L’s so they are best ready to learn. The students also met the puppet Gabby Get Along and will be learning the importance of working cooperatively with others, following rules and making friends.

KG NEWS
What a wonderful start to Kindergarten it has been! KG have been busy reading Smarty Pants. It is about a silly clown. We are making some clown craft which will be displayed in our hallway and in the classroom. We also visited the library and we will be able to borrow books every Tuesday starting next week. It’s going to be a great term!

Mrs Garis

KS NEWS
KS have made a great start to the year. We are learning about our school routines. We are learning to be Gabby Get Alongs and about the colour red.

Our library day is Tuesday.

STAGE 1 NEWS

1H NEWS
My name is Mrs Horner and I will be teaching 1H this year. I am very excited to be at New Lambton South Public School and look forward to a great year of learning. 1H are settling nicely into their new class and into the routines of year 1. If you have any questions please don’t hesitate to contact me to make an appointment.

1O NEWS
Welcome back to school year 1. This term our library day is Friday. Sports day is also on a Friday. If you could supply a box of tissues and either wet wipes or hand soap it would be much appreciated. I look forward to an exciting 2013.

1W NEWS
It was very nice to have our class confirmed yesterday and for all the students and me to begin getting to know each other. I think it is going to be a great year and I am looking forward to meeting as many parents as possible soon. Please don’t hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns or questions at any time.

1/2M NEWS
Welcome back everyone to the new school year. I hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday. Yesterday the Stage One students each took home a note to notify you of their classroom teacher. If you have any questions or concerns about your child’s placement please call the office and arrange for a meeting with either myself or the classroom teacher.

Stage One will be having an information evening for parents within the coming week. A note with the time, date and location of this meeting will be sent home by the end of this week. At this information session we will be discussing the programs that your child will be involved in this term, sport, homework, home reading, classroom routines and information about the Stage One curriculum. We would love to see you all there.

I am looking forward to another wonderful year at our amazing school with our amazing children.

2CN & 2O NEWS
Welcome! Welcome Welcome! back to another fantastic year at NLSPS. This year 2CN will be taught by both Mrs Neinert and Mrs Campbell while the teacher for 2O will be Mrs Osland. We look forward to meeting with many of you at the Stage information evening in Week 3. The Year 2 rooms are the little standalone rooms near the fixed equipment in the primary playground. All 2CN and 2O students can be collected from 2 places either: out the front of the Year 2 classrooms with Mrs Campbell, or walked over to the infants playground by Mrs Osland. Please tell your child where you intend to collect them from each day.

STAGE 2 NEWS
Welcome to the 2013 school year! The Stage 2 teachers this year are:

Mrs McCallum – Year 3 – Assistant Principal
Mr Edwards – Year 3/4
Mrs Thompson – Year 4
Mrs Drew – Year 4

We are looking forward to a great year of learning in Stage 2. This term we are reading “Tales of Fourth Grade Nothing” by Judy Blume. In HSIE we are learning about British colonisation and Aboriginal perspectives of white settlement. We have brand new
maths equipment to support our learning in Maths and are looking forward to using the brand new Notebook computers throughout the term!

STAGE 3 NEWS
Welcome back to 2013. Our Stage 3 classes are settled and beginning to work with their teachers. The classes are 5/6D – Mrs Dennis, 5/6C – Miss Clarke, 5/6S – Miss Floyd is replacing is replacing Mrs Staden for Term 1 and 5/6G – Mrs Gunness is our OC class.
The theme for Term 1 across Stage 3 is Global Connections which involves learning about Australia’s place in the global community and understanding significant global issues – war, poverty, natural disasters and refugees. During the term we will be reading and viewing texts – Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes, Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs and We are All Born Free. The unit also looks at world agencies – World Vision and the United Nations.
Teachers are testing students this week to formulate appropriate learning programs for students.
Parent information sessions will be held in classrooms on Wednesday 13 February from 5pm until 6pm.
If you have any concerns or queries, please contact class teachers or myself.
We are all looking forward to working with our classes this year.

LINDA GUNNESS & STAGE 3 TEACHERS

5/6C NEWS
5/6C are off to a flying start for 2013! We are having a great time in our new classroom and are now connected to the wi-fi and excited by all the new skills we are able to share in our class.
Our current HSIE topic is Global Connections and Multiculturalism. We will soon begin CAPA groups which will incorporate dance, drama, mask making and multicultural cooking! Don’t forget our car boot sale in the primary playground on Saturday 9th March from 10-3pm.

VISUAL ARTS NEWS
Visual Arts Welcome back to everyone and our new families. Our school has a specialist Art Teacher and an art room providing a wide range of experiences in Visual Arts. As part of the Release from Face to Face (RFF) program within the school, each student in Kinder to Year 6 will participate in art lessons each week. While artwork is usually displayed in classrooms and corridors, kinder will have their work contained in a folder and Years 5 and 6 an A3 size sketchbook. Art appreciation is incorporated into each art program with emphasis on famous artists as well as Australian art - including local and indigenous artists. Parents are welcome to assist throughout the year with different activities or share their own artwork with classes. If interested in anytime throughout the year please place your name and contact number in an envelope at the front office labelled Mrs Drinkwater. If anyone has buttons (any size) or polystyrene trays for relief printing to spare, please send in to the office or the art room. Thank you.

Sienna Stebbins, Samantha Stubbs & Isabella McPherson
Lunch time art room assistants

MRS DRINKWATER
VISUAL ARTS TEACHER

ENVIRONMENT NEWS
Our place, our planet, our responsibility, was recognised by last year’s ‘Clean up Australia’ campaign and relates to our school’s aim in monitoring and reducing energy consumption, promoting water efficiency and also waste management. Climate Cam recognises schools that are taking a positive role in management of their environment and have awarded stars to our school in 2012. We will be participating in this program this year with each stage responsible for monitoring within the school. Our vegetable garden has become an environment within the school grounds where everyone can experience the life of a plant. We have a worm farm,
compost bin, water tanks, garden tools and other items which are all watched over by our two farm animals - the fibreglass cow and pig.

This year Amanda Gregory who is the Learning Officer at Central Rivers Catchment Management Authority - Paterson, will be working with the school to implement Vegewatch 2013 which includes a bird survey and Waterwatch. This program involves the monitoring of water from Styx creek. **We will need the assistance of two parents in this program.** If interested please leave your name, contact number and times available in an envelope at the front office by week three of this term.

Finally, our Environment programs are for ALL students and they are able to participate in class environmental activities as well as volunteering at lunchtimes and in whole school events such as Clean Up Australia day and Earth Hour. There are also a number of students selected as Enviro Rangers (students from Year 1 to Year 6) who assist with specific, regular jobs in the school such as collecting fruit scraps to compost etc. They will meet regularly with Mrs Drinkwater.

ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

![Image of Samantha Edwards and Rebecca Mason in the garden](image)

COMPUTER ROOM NEWS
This week students from Stage 1 to Stage 3 will be revising the Acceptable Usage Agreements for Technology. We have provided information on the agreements in this newsletter.

Please note that students who bring memory sticks to school need to abide by the agreement. Students in Stage 2 will need a memory stick for use in the computer room. Please label the memory stick with the student’s name and ensure it has no content which is in breach of the agreement. Memory sticks stored in the computer room from last year will be returned to students for use this year.

P&C NEWS
Welcome or welcome back to NLSPS for 2013. I hope everyone enjoyed their holidays but I am sure that some of you are very happy to be back for another year! And also, a very warm welcome to our new families with children starting Kindergarten. I hope they are settling well into the routines of “big school”!

The first P&C meeting for 2013 (which will also incorporate the AGM) will be held next Wednesday 13th February, starting at 7pm.

The NLSPS P&C strives to be representative of the entire NLSPS community. Please feel free to contact me if you would like some more information about the P&C or simply come along on the night. It will be great to see lots of people come along and support our great school.

Finally, the fundraising committee have some exciting things planned for this year, the first being a cake stall at The Blackbutt Fair on the 10th March. There will be more information to follow, however if you are able to donate cakes/slices &/or assist by manning the stall on the day, please contact Michelle Stevenson on 0409 360 334.

Natasha Andrei
P&C President - 2012
Phone: 4957 3821 or 0413 188 945 or
Email: markandnatasha@bigpond.com
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Please note: * denotes a vacancy – please drop by the canteen if you are able to assist. Canteen phone no. 0417 571168

**CANTEEN NEWS**

Welcome back to all students, teachers and parents. We hope that everyone had a wonderful holiday. Any parents wishing to lend a hand in the canteen at any time you are most welcome. Just call in and let us know what day suits, even if it is only a once a term and we will place you on our roster.

Reusable Lunch Bags are now available to purchase from the canteen. The regular bags are $8 and the insulated bags are $12. Each bag has a zipped compartment to hold the students’ money, are extremely easy to wipe clean and most importantly they reduce paper waste.

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**New Lambton South**

![Drama Club Logo]

**DRAMA CLUB**

**ONLY $10 for 1 hour class!**

**Kindy to Year 6**

Come learn performance skills, build confidence & have fun with friends!

**Straight after school in the hall**

**OOSH kids can be taken to and from care if needed.**

Taught by instructor with over 8 yrs exp.

**LINDA: 0419 161 178**

[Institute Email]

nlsdrama@live.com.au
BLACKBUTT TWILIGHT
SUNDAY 10 MARCH 2013
2PM – 7PM – ORCHARDTOWN ROAD NEW LAMBTON
Food, unique clothing, giftware, wine tastings, jumping castle, face painting and more
Plus live entertainment
Blackbutt Reserve wildlife shows and kids activities
Mega Raffle – drawn at 5pm on Sunday 10 March
Tickets available at shops in Orchardtown Road

The Waratah Junior Rugby club will be hosting RUGBY NSW ‘TRY RUGBY DAY’. Children can come along to an organised session to explore rugby skills at no cost.
Thursday 7th & 14th Feb 5pm-6pm Waratah Oval
Join us for a free FAMILY sausage sizzle at 6pm
Club Registrations will be Friday 8th & 15th Feb 5pm- 7pm Waratah Oval
The club registration fee for all players is $50 which includes club shorts and socks.
Questions/enquires – Bruce 4960 1659
bakerbtkd@optusnet.com.au

NEW LAMBTON FOOTBALL CLUB
are now welcoming registrations for the 2013 season.
For information on how to register go to www.nlfc.org.au
Registrations for U7-U18 close 10 February
Registrations for U6 (age 4-6 years) close 17 February
U6, U7, U8, U12, U14 and U16 All girl teams available.
New Lambton South Public

Acceptable Usage Agreement

for Technology

Students agree to:

1. Be responsible for what happens in their e-learning accounts.
2. Keep their password secret, not to try and learn other people’s passwords and not use other people’s passwords.
3. Take care with and not modify any Department of Education and Communities technology without permission.
4. Use technology, the Intranet and Internet for learning and with the approval of a teacher.
5. Not give out personal information about themselves or others.
6. Not search for or forward inappropriate sites, information or images.
7. Not to cyberbully or forward cyberbullying messages or images.
8. Comply with copyright laws and acknowledge the creator or author of work.
9. Use a memory stick as part of a class set. No memory stick brought to school is to contain games or be used to upload to the school network without teacher permission.
10. Publish, send or upload information only with teacher permission.
11. Report: cyberbullying, inappropriate content, damage to equipment or breaches of security as soon as possible.

Students understand that:

The content of their logon can and will be accessed by teachers and IT staff as needed.

The consequences for breaching the policy will be in line with our school discipline policy and can result in the student’s account being locked for an appropriate amount of time.
The Password Promise K-2

I will never **share** my password.

I will never try to **learn** someone’s password.

I will never **use** someone’s password.

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The Internet Promise

When going online I agree to the following rules:

- **NO**
  to looking for, reading, sending or linking to anything rude, scary or unkind

- **GO**
  to a responsible adult if I see anything rude, scary or unkind

- **TELL**
  a responsible adult about anything I receive, send or read that makes me feel uncomfortable

I will take **care** of the computers and do my **best**.