# NEWSFLASH

**NEW LAMBTON SOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOL**

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## IMPORTANT DATES THIS WEEK

**Wednesday 2 April**
Principal’s Morning Tea 10:30am
Year 7 2015 Kotara High School visit

**Saturday 5 April**
School Working Bee

**Tuesday 8 April**
Easter Hat Parade 2:30pm. Easter Raffle drawn

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## UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

**MONDAY 9.00am – 9.45am**
**THURSDAY 3.00pm – 3.45pm**
**FRIDAY 9.00am – 9.45am**

**CASH OR CHEQUE ONLY**

**NO CREDIT CARD FACILITIES AVAILABLE**
PRINCIPAL’S REPORT
LEADERS DAY

Yesterday I had the absolute pleasure of attending the Halogen Leadership conference with 8 of our student Captains and Leaders. What an amazing day. 6,000 plus students from around NSW were there with us! We heard wonderful speakers: Ita Buttrose, Bob Carr and Andy Griffiths. The student reports will follow in a few weeks. I am so proud of our leaders and privileged to accompany them to this event.

VISITING AND SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL

We are indeed fortunate to have the wonderful support of parents and we welcome parents and young people into the school grounds as part of the community. We do, however need to agree on a standard of behaviour we accept from visitors. Last week several high school students walked through the school grounds and were heard to swear. I advised them that it is a privilege not a right to enter our school and if they did not alter their behaviour and use appropriate language they would be restricted in access to our school. Parents would agree that this behaviour is inappropriate. If your child is collected by an older sibling and his/her friends can you please remind them that we have a standard of acceptable behaviour that will be upheld in the school and the Inclosed Lands legislation is there to protect students and the community from inappropriate behaviour.

Parents who are in the school grounds between the time of 9:45 and 3:15 (other than for assemblies or special events) must go to the office, sign in if they are to move around the school and wear a visitors badge. Parents are not to escort their child to class unless they have permission to do this and it is seen as necessary school business. The reason for this is WHS and Child Protection. You could also imagine the confusion if a number of parents were roaming around the school without purpose during before or class time. Supporting classes with reading, canteen or other activities is a highly valued activity at NLS, and we do appreciate the majority of parents follow procedures completely.

If before school you do enter Block B to assist your child hang up a bag, please do this quickly and leave the hallway as soon as possible. Some children are highly anxious and need adults who are not teachers to be gone from the safety of their domains. By Term 2 I would hope to see most Kindy students being able to hang up their own bags. I am sure parents would be working towards this level of independence.

If parents are in the playground before or after school or for any reason during school hours and see any inappropriate student behaviour, the parent must not approach the child unless for an urgent safety response. The behaviour should be reported to a teacher, Assistant Principal or myself. You may also leave a message at the office. Under no circumstances must a parent reprimand a child while at our school.

Dogs must NOT enter the school, even on a leash. Please do not leave dogs tied at the gate as children are fearful.

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to the 3 students Jayden Ashborne, Matthew Novak and Huw Jackson who ran well enough to represent the school at the Regional Cross Country in May. Well done too to our organisers, Mr Edwards and Mrs Holland.

ABORIGINAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Our Aboriginal Education Advisory committee met last week and planned many exciting things including our NAIDOC week celebration which will be on Thursday July 17th at 10:30am. Please put that day in your diary as we will have a special assembly and community will be welcome to stay on for lunch.

GAIL CORNFORD
PRINCIPAL
PRINCIPAL’S AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who received a Principal’s Award at last week’s assembly.

KD  Piper Thurlow – for having excellent work habits and a positive attitude toward school
     Levi Vimpani – for enthusiastic participation in all areas of his learning

KS  Ava Bradica – for trying hard to do her best
     Archie Watson – for positive work attitude

KP  Alisha Beck – for being an enthusiastic and positive class member
     Max Flemming – for being a happy and cooperative class member

KF  Gabby Cook – for always trying hard in class
     Addison Mantle – for being an enthusiastic class member

1W  Erin Ackerman – for showing maturity and resilience
     Sophie Brazel – for trying hard in class

1F  Anise Rodriguez Lovell – for outstanding recount writing in 1F
     Chairlize Airoldi – for improved application in reading

1/2H  Indianna Rypstra – for consistently trying her best
      Louis Cox – for enthusiasm and commitment to learning

2D  Zoe McPherson – for excellent description in partner writing
     Adahaline Jackson – for excellent description in partner writing

2O  Lucas Doherty – for excellence in writing
     Holly Martin – for improvement in reading

2/3M  Piper McGorey – for excellence in spelling
      Cooper Symons – for a great news presentation

3/4T  Keishya Abhirupa – for showing great commitment to her learning
      Toby Fraser – for having a positive attitude towards his learning

3/4D  Riley Trevett – for excellent artwork
     Minsu Lee – for an excellent attitude in all areas of his learning

3/4C  Emily Martin – for consistent application in all areas
     Sarah Yang – for always trying hard to produce her best

4/5M  Jack Fraser – for outstanding work in science
      Bella Petraello – for excellent writing in English

5/6C  Olivia Inja – for excellent work ethic
     Ashden Burns – for displaying continued resilience

5/6E  Rachael Kershaw – for amazingly descriptive writing
     Harpanh Powell – for an excellent attitude and high application across all subjects

5/6G  Rick Bhattacharyya – for showing enthusiasm in all classroom activities
      Kyah Burrell – for being an active learner throughout the school day

5/6S  Eunsu Lee – for an excellent promotional poster for the Lion King
      Ella Beddow – for an excellent project on the Daintree Rainforest

Band  Bailey Kidd – for fantastic effort in Senior Band

Music  Reef Ellem – for persistence and hard work in guitar lessons

Visual Arts  Early Stage 1 – for “Red” painting

Visual Arts  Stage 1 – Angus Bosworth – for “Every Second Friday” mixed media artwork

Visual Arts  Stage 2 – Imogen Davies – for excellent skills in dog drawing

SCHOOL WORKING BEE

A working bee has been planned for Saturday 5th April from 8am until midday. We have lots of jobs to do around our school including the moving of mountains of mulch, weeding, adding soil to our vege garden beds, planting, building more compost bins and general tidying up. All welcome! Bring your gardening gloves and tools, hats, sunscreen and water bottle and come along!

LINDY MCCALLUM
COORDINATING TEACHER

EASTER RAFFLE

Tickets for the Easter raffle will go home with students on Thursday. There will be a first, second and third prize and the raffle will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on Tuesday 8 April.

KOTARA HIGH SCHOOL – HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE DAY

WEDNESDAY 2 APRIL 2014

Kotara High School will hold a “High School Experience Day” on Wednesday 2 April 2014 between 11:30am and 2:30pm for Year 6 students.

The purpose of this day will be to provide Year 6 students with the opportunity to experience the richness and variety of student life at Kotara High School.

Year 6 students will have the opportunity to:
• Meet the Principal and members of the teaching staff of Kotara High School
• Hear from teachers and students involved in specialist programs including:
  o Student Representative Council (SRC)
  o Music and Band Programs
  o Gifted and Talented Programs (GATS)
  o Student Welfare
  o Public Speaking and Debating
  o Sport
• Meet with and ask questions of students currently enrolled at Kotara High School
• Attend two forty minute lessons conducted by teachers in high school subject areas

Students may wish to bring their lunch or purchase food from the School Canteen.
The day promises to be both enjoyable and informative.

PLEASE NOTE – it is the responsibility of parents to transport their children to and from the high school.

LAP A THON
The New Lambton South Public School families are amazing! You have helped us to raise approx. $7000 (less prizes) in the Lapathon. This money will be used to replenish playground balls, hoops etc as well as purchasing some bigger resources and infrastructure for the playground.

Congratulations to the following children who raised the highest amount in their stage by the closing date and were awarded a $20 Smiggle voucher each.

ES1 – James Cassidy $160
S1 – Anise Rodriguez-Lovell $165
S2 – Michael Yalung $121
S3 – Nikeisha Young and Tara Collins $65.50

Below is the amount that each class has raised.

Congratulations to KP who were the class who raised the most and will be enjoying a pizza party soon.

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SANDRA HOLLAND
COORDINATING TEACHER

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY
Congratulations to all the children who participated so well at the Zone Cross Country last week. We have 3 children who finished in the top 6 in their race and have been selected to run at the Regional Carnival next term. Congratulations to Jayden Ashbourne, Matthew Novak and Huw Jackson.

SANDRA HOLLAND
COORDINATING TEACHER

ATTENTION KINDERGARTEN PARENTS
50 DAYS OF KINDERGARTEN
This Friday is the last day we can accept your RSVP’s for the 50 days of Kindergarten breakfast bbq. We need to get our catering organised and need the week to do so. Please hand your slips to your child’s class teacher if you haven’t already done so.

We have moved the venue to the hall so that we can use the seats and have shelter if the weather is inclement.

The children who are coming to the breakfast bbq will be entertaining you with some songs and a dance.

SANDRA HOLLAND
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL EARLY STAGE ONE
PARENT ONLINE PAYMENTS – EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

We are looking at participating in a program which enables parents to pay directly into the school’s bank account via a Westpac secure online payment portal. This payment portal is accessed via the school’s website and allows parents to pay using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card. The payer enters the student’s name and class and what they are paying for. They can pay for excursions, sport activities, resource packs. We would still accept EFTPOS, cash or cheques at the front counter but this would offer an alternative for busy parents who are not always able to come into the school.

If you are interested in the school participating in this program, please complete the form below and return to the office or phone/email us with your Expression of Interest.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – PARENT ONLINE PAYMENTS

I am interested in the Parents Online Payments Program.

Parent Name: _______________________________________________

Student Name: ________________________________________________

Class: ____________________________

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ICAS TESTING

Notes went home yesterday about the University testing program (ICAS). Please have your notes and money returned to school as soon as possible.

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

MRS DENNIS
COORDINATING TEACHER

KD NEWS

Welcome to week 10! This week we will be making our Easter hats on Thursday morning with 5/6 C. Please bring in some easter material eg stickers, cotton wool plus a piece of coloured cardboard. Please don’t send in a lot of things as we usually have more than enough. In phonics we are learning the sounds ‘f’ and ‘b’. Please revise all past sounds with your child. In phonemic awareness we will be learning to segment words into sounds eg. What sounds are in dog? d-o-g = 3 sounds. In maths we are learning to recognise, describe and create continue repeating patterns. Don’t forget to have a look at the kindergarten blog! Have a great week!

KF NEWS

Wow, Week 10 already! KF have hit the ground running this week. We are already busy learning our new sounds this week, ‘l’ and ‘b’. Through our revision it is great to see how much the students have improved in identifying, using and writing the sounds that they have already learnt. We have been working hard in literacy groups to develop our skills in; rhyming, s-t-r-e-t-c-h-i-n-g words to us help write them, identifying syllables in words and our reading strategies. In maths this week we will be learning to recognise, describe, create and continue repeating patterns. We will also be making our Easter Hats this week!

KP NEWS

Don’t forget about our 50 Days of Kindergarten celebration on Friday 11th April. All Kindergarten classes have been very busy preparing a special performance for their families, so please come along, enjoy a lovely breakfast and meet some other families. Please send in the RSVP by this Friday if you haven’t already done so.

Thanks to those parents who have sent in some craft materials for KP to use in the construction of their Easter hats. If you are available, please come into the classroom this Wednesday afternoon from 2.20pm to help make the hats.

This week we are learning all about the sounds f and b. In Maths we have had lots of fun recognising, continuing and creating patterns and we are now revising the many new things we have learned in Maths so far this year.

KS NEWS

KS have been exploring and making patterns in maths. We are doing the sounds ‘f’ and ‘b’ this week. We will be making our Easter hats on Thursday morning in our room. Please read the note sent home on Friday for more information. Also please return your blue Fifty Days of Kindergarten note if you have not already done so as we need to cater for this.

KS NEWS

KS have been exploring and making patterns in maths. We are doing the sounds ‘f’ and ‘b’ this week. We will be making our Easter hats on Thursday morning in our room. Please read the note sent home on Friday for more information. Also please return your blue Fifty Days of Kindergarten note if you have not already done so as we need to cater for this.

IF NEWS

1F have been writing some amazing descriptions. Can you guess who this person is? ???? is a tall lady with blue eyes and fair skin. She is a happy teacher and she has a big smile. She has blonde hair and always has a pony tail. (written by Laura)
This week 1F had a game of “Guess who?” with their adorable baby photos they brought in from home. They had to pick up a baby photo and examine it carefully to see if they could guess who it was in our class. We have been looking at the differences between how we change as we grow, compared to how our Mealworms are changing. 1F realised they still had a lot of similar physical characteristics as they did when they were young infants. Some of the students’ observations:

Coen chose Anise’s photo correctly because her face looked the same.
Charlize chose Ziggy’s baby photo correctly and we all thought Ziggy’s eyes and mouth look like they do today.
Kyeisha chose Coen’s photo correctly because she thought Coen had the same skin and the same eyes. Riley and the whole class got tricked with Laura’s photo, as Mrs Talbot put a photo of Laura’s sister in.....
Nikoli chose Lucas’s photo correctly, as had has the same colour hair as he does now. Asha thought Maddy’s photo looked like her as her hair was the same colour.
Belinda guessed Olivia correctly as her hair and eyes were the same.
Maddy guessed Virginia was the same as her lips were the same shape.
Eli guessed Belinda right because she had the same shaped mouth.

Easter Hat materials – Could each student please bring in some craft goodies to decorate their Easter Hat this week! Some ideas would be; cotton wool, ribbon, old wrapping paper, pipe cleaners.

Please return notes if you are available to assist the class with cooperative literacy and numeracy games on Tuesday afternoons.

Thank you.

1F TEACHERS

1W NEWS

Our class has been looking at sharing and grouping of objects this week and we know the groups have to be equal, but there can be “left overs” as well.

We have been looking at life cycles and comparing the stages of a mealworm life cycle with humans.

Next Tuesday is the Easter Hat Parade so we will be making our hats after lunch on Monday. Any parents who are able to assist are very welcome. It would be appreciated if you could send in some Easter craft items and cardboard or a hat for your child to decorate. Please no chocolate!

1/2H NEWS

1/2H students are very focused and working hard right now on all things literacy, numeracy and other. They were all quite surprised actually when I mentioned the end of term disco was coming up and then it was holidays. Disco notes went out yesterday, however I noticed a number left over so if your child didn’t get one please encourage them to ask as soon as possible. Thank you to all the parents that have helped with reading this term. Your support is really showing in the amazing progress students are making in their reading. This week will be the last week of reading for the term. A new note asking for parent helpers will go home in week 1, with reading beginning again soon after in term 2.

Our Easter hat parade is coming up in the last week of term. We will be making the hats in class. Please supply the following - 1 sheet of cardboard (any colour your child would like) plus a range of Easter craft type decorations that can easily be glued or attached to cardboard. We will be making the hats on Monday 7th April so please ensure all supplies are brought into school ready for this date. Please label cardboard with your child’s name and please place craft decorations in a plastic bag also labelled with your child’s name.

2D NEWS

A note was sent home yesterday to ask students to think about their Easter hat design and bring in some cardboard and any simple decorations. Students will be constructing these hats on Thursday this week after lunch at 12.30. If you are able to assist for that hour or so it would be appreciated.

We have been very clever in constructing some character descriptions independently using adjectives and similes to enhance writing. Please read some of them below:

**By Oliver** - The frightened worried monster has drill-like horns. He also has furry skin. He has giant poppy white and brown eyes. The monster has a white and spiky light and dark purple tail. The monster also has dark purple spots all over his body and round purple ears.

**By Austin** - The vampire monster looked scared. He has pointy sharp vampire razor teeth. He has claws as long as a tiger’s claws. He has a pony tail.

**By Zoe** - The frightened monster has three sharp pointy horns on his round purple head. His eyes are white and poppy and his tail is purple and thorny. His has a pale pink tummy and claws as sharp as a shark’s tooth. His ears are like human ears.

**By Cameron** - The frightened terrified alien has a sharp pointy tail and he has razor sharp teeth. He is as furry as a rabbit. His eyes are as big as horns and his ears are as tiny as a mouse.

**By Ben** - The scary terrified alien vampire monster has a pointy sharp horn. He also has knobbly knees with razor sharp toes. His claws are very sharp.

**By Ava** - The terrified monster has three white pointy sharp drill-like horns. His eyes are giant poppy eyes. He has very sharp pointy teeth. The monster’s tail is very long and it is purple and white. The monster’s arms are as purple and long as octopus legs.

**By Macy** - The frightened monster has cone looking horns on his round head. He has knobbly knees and turned-in toes. The monster has big white eyes with red circles on it. He has a pink and purple tail that looks like a pony’s tail. He has white pointy claws on his
little fingers. The monster has circle like ears and he has purple dot all over his body. He has two tusks on his jaw. He has big black eyebrows above his eyes.

2/3M NEWS
This week in 2/3M we have been learning about length and the different ways that we can measure items. We have been measuring items using both formal units such as a ruler and informal units such as paperclips. We found out that Emma is the longest person in our class and Darcie is the shortest person in our class. In the photos below you will see the students using paperclips to measure each other’s arms.
Next Tuesday the 8th of April we are holding our Easter Hat Parade. To make our hats can I please ask that every child in our class brings in a sheet of cardboard and any items that they would like to use in decorating their hat. Please do not send in any chocolate Easter eggs as they are too hard to attach to the hat and often melt. Can all students have all of their items at school by this Friday the 4th of April so that we can begin to make our marvellous hats. Thank you for your support.

3/4C NEWS
3/4C has been busy finishing off units of work. Thank you to Riley for bringing in a frog for everyone to look at. We researched the frog and identified it as being a striped marsh frog. Please remember to send in odds and ends that may be useful for decorating hats for the Hat Parade. We will begin working on the hats towards the end of this week. Congratulations to Esther and Matt who competed in the Zone Cross Country Carnival last week. Best of luck to Matthew who qualified for regionals well done!!

3/4D NEWS
3/4D were very excited to have the team from Blackbutt visit our school today. We are enjoying our study of marine turtles. We would like thank Miss Davis and Mrs Hinder for helping us learn about turtles’ habitats, life cycles and environment. We got excited when Mrs Dennis turned the lights off during our school Earth Hour and can’t wait to analyse the data using Webgraphs.

3/4T NEWS
This week the students in 3/4T have been busy learning about multiplication and division. They have had calculation races and used arrays to write number sentences. Students have also enjoyed playing Salute. They also learned about onomatopoeia and wrote some fantastic Sound! Cause sentences. 3/4T is also very excited because the seeds they planted a couple of weeks ago have sprouted.

4/5M
Thank you to everyone for bringing your notes and money in for our Blackbutt incursion, Alder Park local excursions and end of term disco. Don’t forget to bring in your homework and also your supplies for our Easter Hat making session later this week. We are starting our local weather watch this week, with thanks to Jenny Musika for giving us an amazing template that she created to use.
Question – do blue tongue lizards lay eggs or give birth to live young???
5/6C NEWS
5/6C had an experience of what it would be like to be a vision impaired student for a short time last Friday. We wore blindfolds to simulate what our classmate Nathan experiences on a daily basis, due to his real life visual impairment. We were asked to watch BTN which was difficult. We had to locate our fruit for fruit break, some of which was in the canteen. Some people even had to go to the toilets and the office while wearing the blindfold. It was an enlightening experience.

5/6E NEWS
5/6E have been continuing to learn about how to write amazing sentences and improve their writing by using description. Recently, they have been writing sentences with adverbial phrases and metaphors. This week in Maths we are moving on from 2D shapes and looking at aspects of measurement, which includes measuring using trundle wheels, metre rulers and Google Earth’s ‘ruler’ tool. Using Google Earth’s ruler, they can find out the length or perimeter in km, m, cm or mm etc. Today and tomorrow’s task is to find the length of Redhead to Newcastle Beach coastline and the perimeter of Broadmeadow Race Ground and the school.
As the end of term approaches it is important to remember that we must continue with positive behaviour and follow school rules. Mrs Cornford has asked that students move sensibly through the corridors when not in class, keep their voices down and make sure they’re always being sensible indoors.

5/6G NEWS
In Maths this week 5/6G have received their new maths grids. The focus for the last two weeks of term will be data. This will involve the children looking at a range of different graphs and being able to explain what they show. They will also get the chance to conduct their own surveys to find out about people in the class.
In Literacy 5/6G have been analysing the film The Lion King, they have learnt about different filming techniques and thinking about the impact of these techniques on the viewer. Now, they are going to use what they have learnt to create a storyboard for a missing scene.
On Friday we will be making hats ready for the hat parade in the final week of term. The children have been asked to bring in any materials they need to make the hat from home.

5/6S NEWS
Last week in 5/6S we had an anti day. We finished our bullying posters and started our Harmony Day posters, but before finishing those posters our class then did Aboriginal message stick art works. Well done 5/6S.
In Maths our class made a circle using straight lines on some grid paper. We also learnt how to load and use a compass. We also used compasses in maths to draw a flower. We named the parts of the circle and some of the names are: radius, radial arms, sectors, circumference, diameter, quadrants, arcs and we learnt that \( \pi \) (pi) means. \( \pi \) (pi) means 3.1415. It will help later on in work.
Vincent Mellon
VISUAL ARTS NEWS
STAGE TWO VISUAL ARTS
This term students have been drawing dogs, different breeds and different sizes. The following display which is in the hall recognises the work of students from 3/4 C. Children were placed into groups and had to enlarge an image of a dog. Once drawn the artwork was painted using acrylic paint. Lastly lines were retraced and brenex paper added to create an extra dimension to their dog artworks. As you can see the students were quite proud to show their work. Next week the students are creating their own three dimensional dog with clay! Thank you to parents and relatives that drop off plastic containers etc.

MRS DRINKWATER
VISUAL ARTS TEACHER

P&C NEWS
FUNDRAISING NEWS
The NEW 2014 | 2015 Newcastle Entertainment™ Membership will be released in early April, and this year you now have a choice of:
- The traditional Entertainment™ Book Membership that comes with the Gold Card and vouchers,
-OR-
- The new Entertainment™ Digital Membership that puts the value of the Entertainment™ Book into your iPhone or Android smartphone!
Selling for just $60 each, purchase your new Entertainment™ Membership before 2 April 2014, and you can choose your favourite six additional offers, valued at up to $245!

Have a great week!

DATES TO REMEMBER:
P&C MEETING
Wednesday 21st May
Connected Classroom, BLOCK A
7.00pm

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P&C PRESIDENT
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# CANTEEN ROSTER

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    | Sally Newell  
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| 8/4  | Roberta Stephens |  |
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| 10/4 | Melissa Carr  
    | Nerida Bradica |   |
| 11/4 | RED DAY       
    | Sally Freeman  
    | Leanne Goodchild |   |

**Please note:** * denotes a vacancy – please drop by the canteen if you are able to assist.

Canteen phone no. 0417 571168

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### CANTEEN NEWS

On Friday 11th April, to coincide with the school disco, the canteen will be holding this term’s RED DAY. Lollies, cakes and other goodies will be sold at lunch time with prices ranging from 20c to $2.

Fruit available this week include red and green apples, oranges, watermelon, white grapes and strawberries.

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Family Day Care & OSH Care

Home based Family Day Care for toddlers to pre-schoolers in New Lambton / Kotara area, currently registered with Newcastle Port Stephens Five Star Family Day Care Service and operating Tuesday to Friday 8am – 5.30pm.

Current vacancies for permanent bookings on Wednesday and Friday.

Casual bookings available on Mondays.

OSH Care for New Lambton South Public School students on Mondays beginning August 2014.

Child Care Benefit claims welcome.

Contact Virna Rodriguez on 0423 158 086 during business hours or by email at virna.c.rodriguez@gmail.com.
Sunny Side Kids

Family Day Care & OSH Care

POSITION VACANT
FAMILY DAY CARE CLEANER

Sunny Side Kids is a home based Family Day Care for toddlers to pre-schoolers in New Lambton / Kotara area, currently registered with Newcastle Port Stephens Five Star Family Day Care Service and operating Tuesday to Friday 8am – 5.30pm.

Cleaner required to provide regular cleaning services for five hours per week onTuesday and Friday 3:30pm – 6:00pm.

Applications due Monday 14 April 2014 3:00pm.

Contact Virna Rodriguez on 0423 158 086 during business hours or by email at virna.c.rodriguez@gmail.com.

The Conservatorium Youth Choir

“Life is a song worth singing...why don’t you sing it?”
Are you interested in: singing better, working as a team, developing your harmony singing, making new friendships and having fun?
Then join in the fun!

Entry:  No audition – enrolment through Conservatorium Office
Ages:  from 8 years (Year 3 onwards)
Rehearsals:  Monday’s 4.00pm-5.30pm, Peter Martin Studio at The Conservatorium
Description:  The Conservatorium Youth Choir endeavours to foster excellence in musicianship and a love of music as well as to nurture young voices. It is available to all children from the age of 8 years from public and non-government schools and welcomes new members throughout the year. The CYC participates in various activities around the region and in the life of the Conservatorium. Students who join can expect to perform in a range of Conservatorium and community events often in collaboration with the Conservatorium's other choirs. They experience music from a variety of cultures, exploring many styles and incorporating different musical and vocal techniques. New members are welcome at any time throughout the year.
Director:  Christopher Blake
Cost:  $99.00 per 9 week term
Contact:  the office on (02) 4921 8900 or email: conservatorium@newcastle.edu.au
Ben Read’s

School of Tap

EACH WEDNESDAY

$10 per student per 1 hour class!

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Classes conducted for the benefit of learning, the enjoyment of challenge and reward of individual success.

* Class held in the school hall after last bell
* Tap shoes not initially required
* OOSH kids can be taken to and from care if needed.

CONTACT Ben: 0438 699 095 or schooloftap@live.com.au