Reminder
No school for children this Monday
14th March - Public Holiday and Tuesday
15th March - LPS Curriculum Day

Grade 6 at Wilson's Prom
From all reports Grade 6 are having a great time down at the Prom. Below is a photo of Courtney Embury at the rocks, showing off her abseiling skills.

Royal Children's Hospital Fundraiser
This year we will be having a fundraiser to support the Royal Children's Hospital and the Air Ambulance Service.

Many of the children at our school have had to go to the RCH and have received fantastic care and support. Last year we had one of our students who was very unwell and because of the excellent efforts of the AAS and the RCH he made a wonderful recovery.

To show our gratitude and with the annual RCH appeal this Easter we thought it was an appropriate time to hold a fundraiser.

Therefore on the last day of term THURSDAY, 24th MARCH we will be having a casual dress day and students can dress up in their Easter best. Students will give a gold coin donation and we will be sending a cheque to each of these charities.

Immunisation Notification
Letters have been sent out to families of students who have not provided an Immunisation Statement to the school. If you have received an Immunisation Notification letter could you please provide your statement or contact the school ASAP. Failure to respond to this request could result in your child being excluded from school if there is an infectious disease outbreak.

Rob Higgins
Principal

LPS values Tolerance and Understanding, Respect, Responsibility, Excellence, Inclusion, Honesty, Care and Trust.
We are increasingly concerned about the number of cars entering the Administration Carpark to drop off students. There are two designated drop off zones (apart from Horn Street and the front of the school) which can be seen clearly on the attached map. Both of these areas are being under-utilised at present.

We are working together with the Secondary College on expanding the gravel drop off area near the ECA Centre and are also looking at a more long term solution.

We understand that car-parking is limited around the school but congestion in the Administration Carpark is dangerous. We ask for your cooperation in using the designated drop off zones.

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**STUDENT DROP OFF AREAS**

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**PUBLICATION OF STUDENT WORK and/or PHOTOS**

At Leongatha Primary School we celebrate the efforts of our students by mentioning their participation in school events and their achievements in our school newsletter and local media. Occasionally photographs of the students are included. We also use photographs of students in our school magazine along with examples of their work. Photographs of some students are on our school intranet site. This site is protected and can only be accessed by school students and staff.

On the school website [www.leongathaps.vic.edu.au](http://www.leongathaps.vic.edu.au) there may be images of individual students and group photographs. The purpose of our school website is to promote the quality education that takes place at our school and to allow parents and the community another avenue through which to connect to our student’s learning.

Students named work, and/or their named photograph are often included in our school newsletter or magazine, local and State newspapers.

We are currently updating our records. If you DO NOT wish for your child to have their work and/or photos published please contact the school office either by telephone (03) 5667 4600 or email leongatha.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Thankyou for your assistance.
LPS EASTER EGG RAFFLE
Each family should have received a book of raffle tickets worth $10.00
Please bring your Easter Egg donations and tickets to the LPS Office.
The Raffle will be drawn at Assembly on Thursday 24th March.
Over 80 prizes were won last year
Good luck everyone!

LOST PROPERTY
*There are currently quite a number of UNNAMED jumpers, lunch boxes etc. in the Lost Property boxes at school.
*Please note that all clearly named items will have been returned to your child.
Could you please check that ALL your child’s belongings are clearly named, including jumpers, lunch boxes, lunch box lids, drink bottles, etc.
They can then easily be returned to their owner.
*There is a Lost Property box near the Prep rooms and another at the end of the Grade 2/3 rooms (Building B).
You/your child are encouraged to check these boxes by the end of the term for lost items.
*All unclaimed items will be displayed near the Performing Arts Centre (PAC), on Thursday, 24th March from 8:30 am till 10:30 am.
Unclaimed items will then be donated to Op. shops. Edith Jackson 2J

SAUSAGE SIZZLE!
Tuesday, 22nd March
10.30 – 2.00pm
$2 Sausage in bread
$1 Prima drinks
The whole school is welcome to COME AND BUY
If anyone would like to help out for an hour or more
Please contact Michelle.
michelle.1128@live.com

SUSHI FOR LUNCH ON THURSDAY
Youki’s Sushi Shop – Leongatha is supplying LPS students via our school canteen, a choice of 7 different sushi rolls each Thursday only.

- Salmon California
- Teriyaki Chicken
- Chicken Schnitzel
- Tuna, Mayo & Corn
- Crab Stick California
- Vegetarian Salad
- Avocado

Each roll will cost $2.90
Sushi orders must be placed in the canteen basket each WEDNESDAY for Thursday’s lunch.

BOOK CLUB - ISSUE 2
DUE BACK
March 11th

VACANCIES FOR UNITING CARE
AFTER SCHOOL CARE –
Held in the LPS Gym
Wednesday - 2
Thursday - 1
Friday – 1
Phone Uniting Care 5662 5150
CANTEEN DUTY - FRIDAY – Term 1
March 11th Robyn Colwill – Phil Munro
18th Janine Lowe – Mel Heber
Thursday 24th Leonie Dean – Tina Allen

More helpers, only required once a term, Friday 11:00am – 1:15pm. Dads are more than welcome. – Please contact the office or Kerrie in the canteen Phone 5667 4600

COMING EVENTS - 2016

MARCH
Tuesday 8th – 11th Gr 6 Prom Camp
Wednesday 9th – 11th Cowes Camp – Grade 3
Tuesday 15th Curriculum Day – No students at school
Thursday 17th Regional Swimming Sports Sale (Combined Primary and Secondary)
Tuesday 22nd Senior School House Athletics
Thursday 24th Last Day of Term One Early Dismissal 2:00pm

APRIL
Monday 11th First day Term 2
Tuesday 12th School Photos
Tuesday 19th State Swimming MSAC

Leongatha Town Netball Club
Leongatha Town Netball Club
Invites players to join our 2016 season.
Starts on Saturday 16th April at the Leongatha Netball Courts.
For all enquiries please phone Rebecca Arnason (President) on 0438002999 or Helen Drury (Vice President) on 0428624494

VOLLEYBALL: Come and join SPIKEZONE a volleyball program for 8 yrs old and up where you learn skills how to play volleyball.
Thursday nights 6-7pm at Leongatha SPLASH stadium. For more details phone Tom BH 5658 1043 or Mandy AH 5662 4395 / 0418 361 240.

Kids in the Kitchen
School Holiday Activity Program
Booking is open for the Easter school holiday cooking classes!
Classes available these school holidays include creating burgers, making lollies and a MasterChef Cook Off and a MasterChef Bake Off.
To book, or for more information, visit the Jacican Food Studio website or call 56682475.

www.jacican.com.au
Jacican Food Studio - 32 Giles Street, Milboro North

Double School Points
THIS MARCH
In support of Michael’s Special Cafe, Leongatha and surrounding area are supporting local community by conducting our school point program.
Please get in touch with our office for more details or to order our products.
Visit our Facebook page for more information.

Customer Donation Form
Please transfer: ALL POINTS $ ( 1 or POINTS $pp.
Customer Name: ( eg: Smith )
Supplier Code: ( eg: 100000 )
Amount: ( eg: 0.50 )
Signature: ( eg: John Smith )
Please present this completed form to the register operator at Michael’s Special Cafe for processing.

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Don’t forget to use your Card on every purchase!
School photo envelopes have been handed out to all children. Family photo envelopes are available at the office. Please feel free to return your photo envelopes prior to the day, they will be handed back to your child on Photo day. **PLEASE NOTE:** If paying by cash option, change will not be given, you need to place the correct money in the envelope provided.

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School Photo Help Station

Information about your upcoming photo day!

1. If you are placing an order please ensure each child has their own envelope.

2. Do **not** place another child’s envelope inside their siblings envelope.

3. Please collect a family envelope from the school office if you wish to have a family photo taken.

4. All children are photographed regardless if you are paying or not. This is for the school’s records.

5. When the photos are returned to school, those who did not place an order on the day will be given a second chance to order via a new form distributed when photos are returned to school. **You won’t miss out!**

6. The school does not give change nor do the photographers. **PLEASE** ensure the correct money is enclosed.

7. If you lose your envelope the photographers and the school carry spares.

8. Only parents who are paying on the day and requesting it will have a family photo taken.

9. Ordering online is the only way you can pay with credit cards.

10. We do not have control over the way your child’s name appears in the photo - any changes or requests are strictly handled by the school.

For more information

**FREECALL: 1800 750 586**

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Leongatha Auskick 2016
Commencing Friday 15th April 2016 - 5pm
Leongatha Recreation Reserve
Registrations now open...
Contact: Marshall Livingstone 0419625229 for more information.

AFLAUSKICK.COM.AU
PARENTS

NAB AFL Auskick is a great way for kids to have fun, make friends and learn skills of Australian Football.

Through weekly coaching sessions with our passionate coaches and coordinators, your child will be part of a great team, learning new skills and playing non-contact AFL games.

PLUS Each participant will receive an awesome benefits pack full of gear when they join.

CREATE MEMORIES THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME.

TO REGISTER FOR NAB AFL AUSKICK, FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE STEPS ONLINE:

1. Visit aflauskick.com.au
2. Enter your postcode in the centre locator
3. Select the centre you would like to attend
4. Complete the registration process

INSTAGRAM

KIDS

Play & Post! Colour in the NAB AFL Auskick image for your chance to WIN an AFL prize pack to the value of $250.

To enter, ask your parents to

1. Follow @aflauskick on Instagram
2. Take a photo of your colouring in and post it on Instagram with #aflauskick

For more information and terms and conditions, visit aflauskick.com.au/playandpost

*Prizes based on club of supporter
Easter School Holiday Craft & Science Workshops

2 hour sessions $25 or ALL DAY $65
Includes all craft materials and drinks.
Children can stay all day for $65
- please bring own lunch,
  avoid any products containing nuts.

$5 MULTIPLE CHILD DISCOUNT
when booking more than 1 child in at a time for a full day session.
Please wear clothes that can get messy.

For children Aged from 4 to 12 years.

Find your nearest centre offering
Holiday Workshops, School Readiness Classes & Primary Tutoring at
www.beginbright.com.au

NSW: Bella Vista, Bondi, Burwood, Cronulla, Engadine, Erina, Gynnea, Harrington Park, Miranda Park, Liverpool, Macarthur, Marskville, Menai, Newcastle, Padstow, Port Macquarie, Ryde, South Hurstville, St George, Thirroul
QLD: Aspley, Burleigh, Cairns, Sorrento, Tugun
VIC: Croydon, Doncaster, Leongatha, Preston
WA: Berton

Full program available at selected centres only.

Call 1300 234 462

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- 2 Weeks of fun filled activities and excursions. Ages 4–12
- BYO Lunch & Drink Bottle, Morning & Afternoon Healthy Snacks Provided
- Please ensure appropriate closed footwear & broad brimmed hats plus a change of clothes is always a good idea just in case!
- Daily Fee is $77.50 (Eligible Families may receive between 20% and 50% rebate)

For Bookings or more information Please call: 56552121

Week 1 Program of Activities

Tuesday 29th March Chefs Hats, Cookies & Milkshakes
- Morning Session - Decorate your own authentic Chefs Hat to keep and wear, while we will bake an assortment of yummy, healthy & delicious cookies.
- Afternoon Session - Make authentic, fresh & healthy milkshakes to have with cookies.

Wednesday 30th March Galaxy Jars & Rockets
- Morning Session - We will learn about the planets while making your own sensory Galaxy Jar to take home and keep. Research a planet using GOOGLE to collate & collect.
- Afternoon Session - Rockets - this super fun and educational activity will keep children entertained whilst engaging in elements of science thinking and experimentation.

Thursday 31st March Kung Fu Panda 3 (PG)
- Excursion Day - Bus ride to Leongatha Stadium 4 cinemas to see 'Kung Fu Panda 3' Popcorn & treats provided. We will do Kung Fu Panda origami paper cranes & craft. Cost will be $20 per child. Numbers are Limited to 20 Children.

Friday 1st April Kite Making & Flying
- Morning Session - Make your own kite to design & decorate to take home.
- Afternoon Session - Fly our kites on the school oval/pony paddock.
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Week 2 Program of Activities

**Monday 4th April**  Lip Balms & Bath Bombs
**Morning Session** - Make your own amazing pot of lip balm to take home.
**Afternoon Session** - Make your own bath bomb to keep and take home

**Tuesday 5th April**  Inverloch Dinosaur Experience
**Excursion Day** - We will visit the unique Inverloch Shell Museum, walk on the beach, then have lunch at Rainbow Park. The Dinosaur Experience will take place at low tide, to visit caves, the dinosaur archaeological dig site, fossilised dinosaur footprint plus every child will be breaking rocks looking for fossils and bones. **Cost is $20 per Child. Numbers are limited to 20 Children.**

**Wednesday 6th April**  Dream Catchers & Baseball Caps
**Morning Session** - Make your own Dream Catcher for peace and prosperity
**Afternoon Session** - Design and decorate your own Baseball Cap to wear and keep

**Thursday 7th April**  Phillip Island Adventure
**Excursion Day** - Walk the treetop boardwalks to see Koalas in their natural habitat. Visit the Nobbies Centre for the new Antarctic Experience, then the Penguin Parade to have lunch on the beach. Travel to Churchill Island Heritage Farm. Activities include sheep shearing, working dogs, cow milking & whip cracking. **Cost is $25 per child. Numbers are limited to 20 Children.**

**Friday 8th April**  Chefs Hats and bake cupcakes from scratch
**Morning Session** - Chefs Hats! Decorate your own chefs hat to keep. Learn to bake fluffy cupcakes from scratch using fresh & real ingredients.
**Afternoon Session** - Turn your freshly baked cupcakes into Butterfly or Bug cakes.