PICASSO COW

Kids, a cow, paint and glue. Curious? Over the next few months Leongatha Primary School is bringing the farm to the classroom once again with the Picasso Cows Makeover program.

The program celebrates one of Australia’s biggest agricultural industries, the dairy industry, and also teaches kids that milk doesn’t just come from the supermarket!

Our students get to make-over our existing life-sized fibreglass cow themed Farm to Plate – documenting their findings from start to finish in a learning journal. It’s interactive, fun with an important educational message.

Students here’s your opportunity to get involved….Grab a paper cow template from Mrs. Hodges, in the art room and start designing. Please return your fabulous designs to art room no later than Monday 6th June 2016.

Your designs will need to consider the following questions:

- What jobs does a dairy farmer do in a typical day on the farm?
- What do dairy farmers do to protect the environment and care for their animals?
- What technology is used in the journey between the farm and the plate?

As part of an independently judged competition, LPS will be in the running for a chance to win $2,500 if announced the prestigious national winner, $1,000 for second prize and $500 for third prize! We look forward to keeping you updated on the program.

LPS values Tolerance and Understanding, Respect, Responsibility, Excellence, Inclusion, Honesty, Care and Trust.
A typical Cross Country atmosphere with rain blowing in sideways and students trudging through the mud and soaked grass. Many students displayed plenty of determination to run the entire 2 or 3km tracks in the tough conditions and still have a smile on their faces at the end of it. The overall winners of each race were Mia Burt and Jude Fixter (9/10yo), Tyler Richards and Hannah Kleeven (11yo) and Cody Quinlan and Milla Fixter (12/13yo). In an unprecedented set of circumstances, there was a draw between 2 Houses for the House Shield. Wightman and Johnston won with 180 points each, proving that every student counts when it comes to participation in whole school sporting events. Thanks to all the parents that volunteered around the track for supervision and all the teachers that helped with recording, setting up and packing up the event.

Photos of top 4 places in each age group and all 6 medal winners
COMING EVENTS - 2016

MAY
Friday 27th Grade 6 Winter Sport – Round 4
Grade 3 Melbourne Zoo Excursion
Monday 30th Grade 1 Wildlife Park – Philip Island Excursion

JUNE
Wed 1st 2017 Prep Information Evening - 7:00pm – tour of Prep rooms then to the PAC for information session
Thursday 2nd Division Cross Country – Stony Creek Race Course
Friday 3rd Grade 6 Winter Sport Round 5
Monday 6th Grade 2, 3 & 4 Footy Clinic
Thursday 9th Gr 6 Lightning Prem.
Thursday 16th Regional Cross Country
Friday 17th Curriculum Day – No School
Tuesday 21st Division Winter Sport Team – Sport Day
Friday 24th End of Term 2

JULY
Monday 11th Term 3 begins
Thursday 14th State Cross Country

UNIFORM
The uniform is now available to purchase online from Buxwear
Here is the link to their website
http://shop.buxwear.com.au

VACANCIES FOR UNITING CARE AFTER SCHOOL CARE – Held in the LPS Gym
Wednesday – 2
Thursday – 1
Friday – 1
Phone Uniting Care 5662 5150

GUITAR LESSONS
Guitar lessons with Maria Tehan have commenced at the school on Fridays in Term 2.
For bookings or any other information, contact Maria directly - email: mariatehan14@gmail.com or by phone: 56552886.

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.

CAiente DUTY- FRIDAY – Term 2

MAY
27th Janine Lowe Gaynor Greenaway

JUNE
3rd Leonie Dean Tori Martin
10th Mel Heber Robyn Colwill
17th Fabio Dal Pozzo Tori Martin
24th Tina Allen Phil Munro

More helpers required. If you have a spare 2½ hours on a Friday please contact Kerrie in the canteen.
Hi my name is Maddi Campbell, I am 9 years old and live in Leongatha. I am raising money for Kids with Cancer by collecting donations AND shaving off my really really long hair! I think it’s unfair that kids get really sick with cancer and end up losing their hair. I hope the money we raise together can help some sick children and their families. Please support me so we can help to put a smile on the children’s faces. All money raised will be very much appreciated by many.

*** LET'S GET FUNDRAISING ***

If you would like to donate to Maddi’s Big Shave please go to https://www.everydayhero.com/au/ and search for Maddi’s Big Shave.

Maddi’s Big Shave will take place at our last assembly for Term 2 on Friday 24th June, at 8:55am in the PAC.