



LUGARNO PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Term 1, Week 6, 2023

President's MessageThank you to everyone who came along to our first P & C meeting of the year. It was great to see so many people attend, including Mrs Williams and all the executive team (Mrs Malakonakis, Mrs Bartley, Mr Walker and Mrs Loh) along with some new parent faces.

This year our fundraising focus will be on funding additional iPads for K – 2 and Chromebooks for years 3 – 6 along with secure storage. The P & C agreed at our meeting to donate \$31,000 towards this project and hope to make another similar donation later in the year with everyone's support.

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to help out at the Election Day BBQ and cake stall. Please sign up via the link in the note below if you are available.

In other exciting news our P & C was successful in receiving a grant of \$50,000 in the NSW Community Building Partnership Grant for the installation of 2 new shade sails over the nature play space and 3 outdoor seating sets with roofs.

Regards,

Mel Porter
(president@lugarnopandc.org.au)

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- Canteen: over the counter sale of ice blocks Mondays and Wednesdays
- New banner donated to the school

Upcoming dates for the diary ...

- Wednesday 15th March 2023 – P & C meeting in the school library and via Zoom: Meeting ID: 64476591565 Passcode: 447827
- Friday 17th March – Paver wall orders close
- Saturday 25th March 2023 – Election Day BBQ and Cake Stall Fundraiser – helpers needed

SUB-COMMITTEE NEWS

FUNDRAISING NEWS

Committee convenor: Natasha Jankulovski

Memorial Paver Wall fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who has already ordered their memorial paver. Just a friendly reminder that orders close Friday 17th March on Qkr! Single (\$55) and double (\$95). Any questions please contact Natasha on 0400 576 520.

Election Day BBQ and Cake Stall

The State Election will be held on Saturday 25th March and we will be running a BBQ and Cake Stall to raise funds to purchase new technology for K – 6. Please see details below and help out if you can. Thank you also to one of our LPS parents, Sandor Molnar, who will also be bringing his coffee cart along on the day.



Parent night out

Put Saturday 28th October in your diaries for the LPS parents night out!! This year we will be holding a comedy night in the Masonic Club auditorium. More details to come... get those babysitters booked in!



CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen Manager: Sharon Steed

Committee convenor: Janette Allardyce-Walker

BIG NEWS!!! We know you all enjoyed the opportunity to purchase ice blocks with cash \$\$ at the end of last term. Let's keep it going. On Mondays and Wednesdays during lunch, we will be selling TNT's for \$1.20 and Snap Stix for \$1. To keep this as easy and efficient as we can for our volunteers, we ask you to send correct money where possible and avoid sending notes.

The canteen is open every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for lunch orders. Place your order via QKR! by 9:15am. A late lunch order option is available after 9:15am up until 11:30am with a limited menu available. If your child comes to the canteen without lunch, our volunteers have a School approved process to follow, this ensures no child goes hungry. Should this happen, a note will be sent home with your child with details on how to make payment. Please ensure you are selecting the correct date for your child's lunch order, as we have had an increase in the number of children presenting without lunch.

Due to circumstances beyond the canteens control, you may notice that some items become unavailable. Our suppliers are also having issues with stock supply. Thank you for understanding.

Did you know, even if you only have an hour to spare? We'd love to have your assistance. For example, at 12 there is a flurry of activity as the lunches are all checked, packed and checked again before they are collected. If you could help with this ONE task, it would make a huge difference. We'd love to talk to you. It is easy and great fun. Contact Sharon Steed on 0430 290 077 for more information.

UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

Committee convenor: Janette Allardyce-Walker

Uniform Shop opening hours are Monday and Thursday mornings 8:30 to 9:30 in the School Hall. QKR! is still the best way to order if you know exactly what you want, and orders will be filled and delivered to your child's classroom. Back to School Vouchers are accepted in person, unfortunately QKR! doesn't have the ability to process them for us.

Most summer uniform is in stock. Qkr! will be updated as new items arrive.

Don't forget to join the private LPS P & C Facebook group.

Any uniform shop enquires can be emailed to: uniformshop@lugarnopandc.org.au

New school banner

As a result of our P & C being a finalist last year in the NSW P & C Federation, 'P & C of the Year' Awards we won a voucher for a new school banner. Here is the new banner showcasing the LPS values.



Lugarno Public School P&C Fundraiser

SATURDAY 25TH MARCH

STATE ELECTION DAY **BBQ AND CAKE STALL**



BBQ & CAKE STALL

With the State Election being held on Saturday 25th March and our school hall being a polling booth we will be holding a BBQ and cake stall to help raise funds for new technology for K – 6 consisting of new iPads for K-2 and new Chromebooks for Years 3-6 with associated storage.

This day is only possible with the help of volunteers. We need helpers to cook the bbq, serve at the bbq and serve at the cake stall. All volunteers will be provided a free drink and BBQ item. Please sign up for a 2hr spot via the link below:

<https://signup.com/go/NQJRmpz>

The LPS P&C is also requesting your family's support by baking or providing a sweet or savoury treat to add to our spread.

Ingredients:

Please ensure all items contain an ingredients label/sticker.

Drop Off Date/Time:

Please deliver your cake stall donation, to the hall on either Friday 24th March (from 8.30 – 9am or 2.30 - 3pm) or Saturday 25th March (Election Day) from 7.30 - 8.30am direct to the stall.

THANK YOU LPS
YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT IS APPRECIATED



Lugarno Public School P&C Association Paver Wall Fundraising



Your family's name will go down in history on the paver wall located at the front entrance of our school. This is a unique and lasting record of your time at Lugarno Public School.

We offer the choice of a single or double paver for you to fit your details on. (It is OK to put the name and dates of future children starting at the school.) Maybe you attended the school, worked or volunteered at the school or you know someone who did and would be interested.

** Each square represents 1 letter, number, space or punctuation mark **

Single Paver \$55



Your payment of \$55 entitles you to a single paver with the names and/or dates of your choice engraved into a paver. All information must fit into the following boxes (16 characters per line)

Double Paver \$95



Your payment of \$95 entitles you to a double paver with the names and/or dates of your choice engraved into a double paver with a border around the edge. All information must fit into the following boxes (14 characters per line).

Paver 1

Paver 2

To complete your order:

Simply pay and provide details for printing via Qkr!. No need to return this form.

For information contact Natasha Jankulovski on 0400 576 520. **Orders close Friday 17 March 2023**