

LUGARNO PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 6, 2023

President's Message

Tomorrow night is wine and cheese night at our P & C meeting. Everyone is welcome to come along, enjoy a drink and something to eat and see what the P & C have been up to.

This Saturday is the annual NSW P & C
Federation Conference which I am looking
forward to attending and hopefully get some
new ideas to bring back and share. This year
they added a new category of award being
"Principal of the Year". It was my pleasure to
submit a nomination for Justine in relation to
this award and even greater excitement when
I received the email saying Justine has been
named as one of three finalists. Fingers
crossed for Justine for Saturday when the
winner will be announced!

Don't forget to RSVP via QKR! to our Father's Day breakfast, grandfathers welcome too. This event is funded by the P & C so no payment is needed but please RSVP to help us with catering. Gift stall tickets are also available for purchase via Qkr!. Students will then be issued a ticket/s on the day to exchange for a gift of their choice. All gifts consist of two items and come in a gift bag.

Regards,

Mel Porter (president@lugarnopandc.org.au)

Upcoming dates for the diary

- Wednesday 23rd Aug P & C meeting 7pm (wine and cheese night) – rescheduled from last week
- Thursday 31st Aug Father's Day breakfast and gift stall
- Thursday 21st Sep Colour/Slime Monster Mania Run and pizza lunch (parents/grandparents welcome to watch)
- Saturday 28th Oct Parent's night out

 Comedy night at the Masonic Club –
 tickets on sale now via website (note not via Qkr!)

Next P & C Meeting

Wine and Cheese night - Wednesday 23rd Aug 7pm in the library and via Zoom

Meeting ID: 64476591565

Passcode: 44782

FUNDRAISING AND EVENT NEWS

LPS 90th Birthday Celebration – student artwork display

As part of the school's 90th Anniversary celebration to be held on Monday 30th October, we are inviting students to participate in a student artwork exhibition. This is an optional activity to be completed at home.

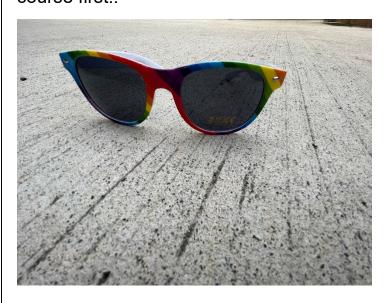
Interested students are asked to paint on a canvas something which demonstrates *What Lugarno Public School means to me/Why Lugarno Public School is special to me.* Artworks will then be displayed at the 90th Anniversary event.

Further details in the note below.



Colour/Slime Monster Colour Run

Have you set up your child online fundraising page? Follow the easy prompts in the booklet sent home. All students will receive a free pair of sunglasses and a head band on the day. The class that raises the most money will get to complete the course first!!





Father's Day Breakfast/Gift Stall/Raffle

Please join us on Thursday 31st August for our annual Father's Day Breakfast under the COLA from 7.30am. Grandfather's invited too. If any mums or dads can help out at the breakfast, please contact Mel on 0405 142 403 or at president@lugarnopandc.org.au.

We will also be holding a fundraising raffle with prizes drawn at the breakfast. Tickets are \$2 each and can be purchased on Qkr!

Students will also get to go 'shopping' on this day at the Father's Day gift stall, with gifts also available for Grandfather's. Please pre-pay for the number of gifts your child wants to purchase via Qkr! Students will then be issued 'tickets' on the day to exchange for gifts. If you have more than one child at the school and want each child to purchase a gift, please order under each child's name as students will visit the stall in class groups to purchase.

Parents' night out/Comedy Night - Saturday 28th October

Have you purchased your tickets yet for the night of the year? Seating is theatre style (row seating) with seats not allocated so no need to book as a group. Raffles and auctions available on the night. See flyer below for more details.

Check out the first of our live auction items ...



UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

Open: Monday's 8.30-9am in the hall

Friendly reminder that Uniform Shop opening hours are Monday mornings from 8:30am to 9:00am 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.

Uniform Shop will be unavailable on QKR! from 8am to 11am on Monday mornings in order to monitor stock levels.

If anyone has any good condition second hand uniforms they would like to donate, please drop them off to the Uniform Shop on a Monday morning or to the office.

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



CANTEEN NEWS

Open: Monday, Wednesday, Friday Canteen Manager: Sharon Steed, 0430 290 077

Find out below a bit more out some of our wonderful canteen volunteers (including one of dad volunteers) and what they like about working in the canteen and what their child/ren like to order.

The NSW Food Authority has also recently made changes to the requirements for school canteens. All our volunteers will need to have completed the free 'Basic Food Handling Course' by 8 December and provide a copy of their certificate to Sharon. This course should only take about 30 minutes and includes a quiz at the end. Thank you to those volunteers who have already completed it.

Next Canteen Committee meeting is 9.30am on Wednesday 8th November in Mrs Williams office.

CANTEEN - FUN FACTS

Hi, my name is $Song$
GRANDCHILD My child/children
Is/are in Class/Classes
GRAND CHILD My child/children love the Canteen because he loves the food
and our Friendlness and their favourite lunch order is Banksia Brunch & yummy Drumies as well as TNT'S
I work in the Canteen on a Fried gand have worked in the canteen for

The things I enjoy most about working in the canteen are :-

with a bunch of niera Friendly people

If you would like to help and work in the Canteen please contact Sharon on 0430 290 077

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My child/children ANIKA EASHAN
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I work in the Canteen on a MONDAYand have worked in the canteen for
The things I enjoy most about working in the canteen are: PEOPLE WDRK WITH AND SEEING THE KIDS SMICING PACES RECEIVING THEIR TREATS.

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LPS P & C 90TH ANNIVERSARY STUDENT ARTWORK DISPLAY

LPS students are invited to take part in the P & C kids artwork project with all artworks to be displayed at our 90th Anniversary celebration on Monday 30th October. The theme for the artworks is What Lugarno Public School means to me/Why Lugarno Public School is special to me.

This is an optional activity to be completed at home. All money raised going back to our school. Artworks will be returned.

How to order:

Jump onto Qkr! and select your items:

Canvas: \$9 (10 x 10inch)

Acrylic paint: \$10 (pack of 5)

Order cut off: Monday 11th September

Artworks to be returned to the office dur<mark>ing Week 3, Term 4 (week starting 23rd October).</mark>





P & C Father's Day Celebrations—Thur 31st Aug Breakfast

Join us to celebrate Father's Day with all the significant men in our children's lives (Father's, Grandfather's, male carer's). There will be coffee/tea/hot chocolate available to purchase care of 3 Wise Beans coffee carts and juice, muffins and bacon/egg rolls provided free by the P & C.

Time: 7.30am—8.45am (as usual there is no teacher supervision until 8.30am so only

those children attending with an adult can attend before 8.30am)

Location: COLA

RSVP: Please RSVP with numbers (adults and children) via QKR! (no payment

required) by 9am Tuesday 29th August.

If you can help at the breakfast please contact Mel on 0405 142 403 or president@lugamopandc.org.au

Raffle

Jump onto Qkr! and purchase your tickets for our Father's Day raffle. Tickets are \$2 each. Winners will be drawn at the Breakfast.





Gift Stall

How it works

Where: School Hall - classes will be brought in during the day by their class teacher. Siblings can view the gifts at recess to work out who purchases what to avoid doubling up.

Cost: \$8.50 per gift (multiple gifts can be purchased; all gifts come in a gift bag; gifts also for Grandad).

How to purchase: Purchase your gift tickets online <u>via Qkr! no later than 9am Tuesdav 29th August.</u> Students will then be issued "tickets" on the day of the stall, corresponding to the number of gifts pre-purchased. Students will then get to shop and choose gifts for Dad/Grandad.



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much for supporting our school to be the best it can be, especially through fundraising. This term we are fundraising with a Colour Splatacular School Fun Run with Australian Fundraising!

The Colour Splatacular School Fun Run will be on <u>Thursday 21st September 2023 from 1.30pm.</u>
Parents/carers/grandparents are invited to watch and are also invited to join the students for a **pizza lunch beforehand from 12.30pm** (see Qkr! closer to the date).

- Students are encouraged to wear a WHITE shirt to show up the colour.
- Students will be given free sunglasses and a rainbow headband for the event and an iceblock afterwards.
- Students will be covered in non-toxic, biodegradable colour powder from head to toe.
- Students will also be covered in non-toxic water-based slime as well!
- Colour Powder is made of high-quality corn starch and permitted food colours. Safety data sheet is available upon request for Colour and Slime. Should any student wish to complete the course without getting coloured or slimed, please just let your classroom teacher know.

How Do We Fundraise?

Follow the instructions in your child's sponsorship booklet to create a cybersafe, online profile page at www.australianfundraising.com.au. At the end of our fundraiser students can order up to a total of 5 prizes based on their donations received. They can even mix and match!

Please note: online donations are preferred, or simply add up any cash donations and make a personal online donation at the end with that total amount. Should this not be possible, please return cash in an envelope to the office with the student's name, class, and prize choice.

Extra Incentives to Fundraise!

- ★ Online Golden Coins complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.
- ★ Monty the Monstar's Bonus Prizes achieve milestones to unlock Monty's bonus prizes.
- ★ \$10,000 JB HI FI Spending Spree for one organisation's highest fundraising student it could be you!
- ★ Our school will win an extra \$5,000 if we have the highest average fundraised amount per student in 2023.
- ★ A Play Station 5 Gaming Bundle see your child's sponsorship booklet for more!

For further information or if you would like to volunteer on the day, please contact Mel Porter at president@lugarnopandc.org.au or Natasha Jankulovski at fundraising@lugarnopandc.org.au.



Comedy for a Cause

Saturday 28 October 2023

Doors: 7pm / Show: 8pm / 18+

Featuring comedians from Sydney & Melbourne International Comedy Festivals

Book your tickets at: comedyforacause.net/LPS

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St George Masonic Club 86 Roberts Avenue, Mortdale

In Support of:

Lugarno
Public School
Annual
P&C Fundraiser



