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School Calendar Term 2 – May/June

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
	Grade 4 Camp	Grade 4 Camp	Grade 4 Camp	Playgroup 9:15am-10:45am Regional Cross Country	Assembly 2:50pm	
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			Learning Journey Celebration – Open Classroom 2:30-4:30pm	Playgroup 9:15am-10:45am	Division Winter Sports (Netball & Football)	
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Queen's Birthday – No students		Athletics Day - 7, 8 & 9 age group Prep Sports Rotations	Playgroup 9:15am-10:45am Athletics Day 10, 11 & 12 age group	Assembly 2:50pm	
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Professional Practice Day -No Students			Playgroup 9:15am-10:45am Reports available on uEducateUs	Last day of Term 2 – 2:20pm dismissal	

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Walk to Safely to School Day

What a wonderful way to start the day with 'Walk Safely to School Day' a couple of weeks ago!

So great in fact, that a couple of us have decided to do it every Friday morning (weather permitting), from the corner of Flinns Road at 8:00am.

Please watch the Facebook Page and uEducateUs updates if in doubt of 'whether the weather' will hold us back – we hope to see you this Friday!



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Lucknow Values – Respect: Care: Honesty: Inclusiveness: Commitment



Student Learning

Our whole school focus on improving student writing outcomes through the implementation of the 6+1 Writing Traits has continued with the focus being on 'Sentence Fluency' this fortnight. The 'Sentence Fluency' trait is about carefully and creatively constructing sentences for maximum impact and making sentences flow.

There could well be another song about our focus Trait at our student lead assembly this Friday. Once again, we are making a display board of student writing samples to celebrate high quality samples or attempts of the focus Trait 'Sentence Fluency' from Prep to Year 6. Please come and check out our display boards as they start to take shape. They will be on display in the office foyer or in the courtyard after school days weather permitting.

Staffing

Two of our VIPs are (sadly for us), moving on from Lucknow Primary School to follow new paths in their lives. Adam is moving to Narre Warren P-12 as of 10th June to be closer to family and return to what he feels, has been drawing him back for quite some time now. Karina will be prioritising her university studies for her teaching degree and will be taking leave from the start of Term 3 until the end of the year at this point, potentially longer.

Both of these very important people will be dearly missed at LPS and we do wish them the very best for their future endeavours! Adam and Karina your support has been amazing!

Education Week

As previously mentioned, our classrooms will be open on Wednesday 8th June at 2:30 – 4:30pm for families to come in and see the work students are proud of and to see how they are working towards their learning goals as part of Education Week Celebrations.

There will also be a 'mini-expo' showcasing how we are teaching Mathematics and Writing and what is on offer for Student Wellbeing in the Library with the Principal team also from 2:30 – 4:30pm. Please pop this time and date into your diaries or ask friends or family to come along – we'd love to see you there.

Winter Raffle

The Parents and Friends group have been busily organising a Winter Raffle fundraiser. Keep an eye out for the Raffle books being sent home with the eldest student in the family very shortly. There are some amazing prizes up for grabs with first prize being a trailer load of firewood courtesy of the Estcourt family.

There are many gift vouchers from businesses including Dee Cavanagh Skin Beauty Artistry, Aroma, The Old Grain Store, Seven Sundays, Schoolworks Supplies, Lolli Empor-YUM and Benchelos Indoor Play Centre.

Review

Thank you so much for responding to the survey we put out last week. We had a large number of responses and are currently collating the results with help from Imogen and Marlee of Grade 6 (thanks girls). Here is what we have collated so far:

- Teachers at Lucknow PS school expect my child to do their best: 97.5% agree, 1.25% disagree, 1.25% couldn't answer either way
- My child's teacher has a clear understanding of his/her strengths and areas for improvement: 93.75% agree, 2.5% disagree and 3.75% couldn't answer either way
- I feel our school values parents' contribution: 96.25% agree, 1.25% disagree and 2.5% couldn't answer either way
- Our school gives me opportunities to participate in my child's education: 88.75% agree, 5% disagree and 6.25% couldn't answer either way
- Our school has a consistent approach to promoting positive student behaviour: 91.25% agree, 2.5% disagree and 6.25% couldn't answer either way
- My child feels safe at Lucknow PS: 93.75% agree, 1.25% disagree and 5% couldn't answer either way.

Although the responses are highly favourable for us as a school, there are still areas for improvement that can be identified from this data. Your feedback is so important to us and will help with the framing up of the next Strategic Plan for our school. We will keep you updated with the responses from the highlights, areas for improvement and why families choose LPS for their children.

2023 Prep Enrolments

We are currently taking Prep enrolments for the 2023 school year. If you have any children starting prep in 2023 please contact the office to arrange enrolment forms to be sent home with siblings. Also, if you know of any friends or family members considering enrolling please encourage them to organise a tour by contacting the office.

Student Assemblies

Our student led assembly to celebrate learning achievements and demonstrate our school values will be taking place **this Friday in the Hall at 2:40pm.** We really hope to see you there.

Happy learning everyone!

Carly Miller – Principal

MATHS NEWS

Our Vision for Maths at Lucknow

'To develop creative, confident and resilient learners that have a strong number sense and understand the language of mathematics. They can apply this to become efficient problem solvers.'

In order to achieve this, we strive for all of our students to have a positive attitude towards mathematics and to understand the importance of learning from our mistakes. This ensures that learners are willing to take risks and engage in challenging tasks.

Problem solving is a large component of all of our maths lessons from Prep right through to Grade 6 as it allows students to be challenged in an engaging way! Student's explore concepts through hands-on learning whilst trialling several strategies to solve a problem. Often students work collaboratively with a partner and together, discuss, justify and explain their thinking.

Through this process they are drawing pictures to represent their thinking, using concrete materials to test their theories, recording their thinking using number sentences and gaining a deeper understanding of the mathematical concepts. Teachers are able to rove the room and provide prompts to either extend students' learning or support them.

Reflection time is invaluable during this time as it allows students the opportunity to explain their thinking and listen to others strategies. The teacher can make links between students thinking and tie it all together so that the students can make connections and become more efficient with the strategies they use.

Emily Forbes – Assistant Principal

MATHS SUGGESTION FOR AT HOME

WEATHER

- Children can use the language of the weather e.g. sunny, cloudy, mild, hot etc. to identify the weather and could record this on a calendar.
- Encourage children to read the temperatures on the weather forecast or even use a barometer!
- Calculate the difference between weather temperatures – what’s the difference between the lowest and highest temperature today? What’s the difference between the weather today and yesterday?
- Identify trends in the weather, this could be achieved by tracking the weather temperatures over a period of time.
- Children may also like to investigate the amount of rainfall over a period of time.

GRADE 1 NEWS

On the of 17th May Grade 1 students enjoyed a footy clinic. They learnt handball and catching skills whilst working and cooperating as a team. It was a beautiful day which made it even more special.

Thanks to Turk and some of the boys from the Clontarf program for their time and patience with us. Miss Sima and Ms Downe.



GRADE 6 NEWS

Indie & Jasper from 6DP engaging in a writing conference, using the class constructed editing/revising rubric.



CRASHENDO NEWS

Dain, Phoenix, Jack and Jararah formed a quartet this week at the Crashendo instrumental music sessions. Sometimes they played the same music all together and sometimes they played different parts at the same time, just like a professional quartet does, or like the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra musicians demonstrated last week.

These string (violin and cello) musicians also composed then played a piece about 'Morning'.



Crashendo students have been combining circus and violin/cello skills sessions this term. Crashendo! has contracted Wacky Wombats Entertainment owner/ entertainer/tutor, Ryan Davies to run the circus sessions.

Students were practising balancing a long stemmed flower on their palm. This involves slow, controlled movement with eyes specifically focussed on the flower's head.

This promotes movement competencies, concentration and confidence and is a preliminary to skills needed for juggling, and supports instrument playing too.





STUDENT OF THE WEEK WEEK 5



Class	Student
PAS	Molly - for her improved confidence and willingness to have a go at all learning tasks! You are doing such a fabulous job Molly, well done!
PJS	Ariana - for working hard to write all of the sounds she can hear in her writing. You should be so proud of yourself, well done Ariana.
PRI	Aarish - Congratulations on having a go at writing your letters on the line correctly. Well done Aarish!
P1G	Niklas - for demonstrating sentence fluency which is our trait of the week. Niklas was able to create sentences of different lengths and with a variety of beginnings. Well done, Niklas!
1ES	Charlee - for your wonderful reading response to our mentor text Moon Fish. It is exciting to see you making deeper connections and wonderings to what you are reading. Keep up the great work!
1GD	Millie - for her amazing sentence fluency. Millie has really wowed me with her smooth, flowing sentences that give me a picture in my mind.
2CB	Charlie - for being so ready to learn in the past couple of weeks. Charlie has listened attentively, reached some learning goals and produced some great work. You have made us so proud Charlie, keep it up!
2MC	Jayce - for excellent thinking during maths problems solving. Great work.
23P	Henry - for continually demonstrating our school values. Your peers and I all notice how you show commitment to your learning, respect, inclusiveness and care towards others and honesty. Keep it up! Isabella - For always demonstrating a positive mindset and applying a green brain to all tasks and challenges.
3KE	Whole class - for your remarkable focus, concentration and use of strategies throughout NAPLAN testing to really show what you have learned.
3MP	Whole class - for your fantastic efforts and green-brained thinking during NAPLAN
4CM	Mackenzie - for challenging himself to use different strategies in maths this week. Great work Mackenzie!
4CT	Harley - for taking on a book recommendation and choosing a new book genre. Great job Harley!
4RG	Ava - for her hard work and positive attitude to catch up and complete her work to a fantastic standard. Well done Ava.
5CA	Evie - for her kind and caring attitude. You display all of our school values and are a pleasure to be around!
5CM	Jackson - for contributing some interesting ideas when responding to the mentor text in reading.
56W	Alex - for his amazing progress with measurement and geometry.
6DP	Nicky J - for your outstanding growth in our numeracy unit on measurement. Keep up the fantastic effort and mind set.
6FW	Ava - for being an inclusive member of our class.
Principal's Award	Phoebe 2CB - for the kindness she spreads across the whole school. Thank you Phoebe, you bring joy to people's day with your thoughtful comments.
Crashendo	Angus - was actively engaged in both violin tuition and circus sessions
Student Leadership	Bianca - for improving her confidence when speaking in front of an audience.



STUDENT OF THE WEEK WEEK 6



Class	Student
PAS	Lexi - for her smiley and happy nature and striving to do her best with her learning. Well done Lexi, you're making terrific progress!
PJS	Mia - for always trying her best and persevering with her learning. It's great to see you aren't afraid of a challenge Mia, keep up the great work.
PRI	Nayah - your home reading is a credit to you. Congratulations and keep up the good work.
P1G	Liam - Liam has experimented with his maths strategies to support him with his problem solving. A great effort Liam!
1ES	Nathan - for your wonderful mathematical thinking during problem solving. We enjoy listening to you explaining your understanding of subtraction. Keep up the good work!
1GD	Braxton - what an amazing worker you have become Braxton. You are really thinking through your work and trying your hardest. I am so proud of you.
2CB	Blake - for working harder in his reading team. You now have several tasks you can do on your own, well done Blake!
2MC	Paige - for displaying resilience through her willingness to try new strategies to overcome social issues Great effort!
23P	Ruby - For her continual commitment to her learning, working to her best abilities and focusing hard on her work.
3KE	Riley - for challenging 3KE with his knowledge of Roman numerals and helping us to learn so much more.
3MP	Taya and Levi F - for cleaning up lots of people's mess
4CM	The whole class - for being absolute stars on camp! A fun time was had by all!
4CT	Riley - for showing a growth mindset in maths. It is great to see you sharing your thinking and showing others a strategy to try.
4RG	Alex - for his perseverance and positive attitude during camp.
5CA	Jake - for his amazing effort with his writing: hooking his reader in and using persuasive language prompts. I'm so proud of you!
5CM	Ava - for seeking feedback on her persuasive writing and using this feedback to include facts to support her arguments.
56W	Jack - for his amazing progress with measurement and geometry.
6DP	Mitchell - for your outstanding growth in our numeracy unit on measurement. Keep up the fantastic effort and mind set.
6FW	Grace - for being an inclusive member of our class.
Principal's Award	All of Grade 4 students and staff - for demonstrating our school values whilst on camp at Lakewood this week. Well done Team!
Crashendo	Jararah - for practising the difficult music until it became easier.

SEMESTER 1 STUDENT REPORTS

Currently our staff are spending endless hours outside of their normal teaching duties writing student reports. We are extremely thankful for the time and commitment they dedicate to these to ensure they accurately reflect students' achievements in relation to I can statements.

Reports will be available online via uEducateUs unless a request is made for a hard copy paper print out. The report will include the following:

- A personal comment in relation to your child's learning behaviours and social skills.
- A summary of the concepts learnt in numeracy (maths) and literacy (reading, writing and speaking and listening).
- A summary of the concepts learnt in specialist classes (Visual Art, STEM & Physical Education).
- Student performance marked against I can statements for the relevant level in reading, writing, number and specialist subjects.
- Work habits will be marked against behaviour, effort, work quality, task completion and respect for others
- Teacher judgement scores.
- Student self-reflection.

These reports will be made available to download via uEducateUs on Thursday 23rd June.

If you would prefer a hard copy print out of your child's report you must return the below slip by Friday the 10th of June.

Emily Forbes – Assistant Principal

FORM TO REQUEST HARD COPY PRINT OUT OF STUDENT REPORT (SEMESTER 1).

Must be handed in by Friday the 10th June.

PARENT NAME: _____

STUDENT/S NAME: _____	GRADE: _____
_____	GRADE: _____
_____	GRADE: _____
_____	GRADE: _____

FITNESS FANATICS

Number of participants - Tuesday – 36
-Wednesday - 24

Distance ran and/or walked - Tuesday – 53km
-Wednesday – 34.5km

New members of the 10km club – Evie K, Danielle W

New members of the 20km club – Cooper W

New members of the 30km club – Shaw N

New members of the 40km club – Tyler E

New members of the 70km club – Ethan W

Debbie Dooley

(Fitness Fanatic)

STATE TEAM TRIALS

Congratulations to our very talented children who participated in the State Team Selection Trials in Traralgon during May. Each school is allowed to nominate 3 children who show exceptional skills in the sports of netball, basketball, football (AFL), cricket or soccer.

The children nominated were - :
Basketball – Tanner, Caleb and Rarah
Football – Tanner
Cricket – Xavier, Oakley and Fletcher

Being nominated is certainly an outstanding achievement and we are extremely proud of all children for being involved in this fantastic experience and opportunity.

Tanner was lucky enough to be chosen to progress through to the second and third round of the trials in football.

We wish him all the very best of luck and we look forward to hearing how he goes in the next round. Congratulations and good luck Tanner!! We are extremely excited that you are amongst the best primary school football players in the state.



Debbie Dooley
(Physical Education Co-ordinator)

REGIONAL GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS

On Monday the 16th of May, Darcy J and Tyler E competed in the Regional Golf Championships at the Bairnsdale Golf Course. Darcy had a score of 53 and Tyler had a score of 42, for 9 holes. Tyler placed 1st overall in the competition, and Darcy placed 4th overall.

We are extremely proud of both children's efforts and achievements on the day, especially considering that they were playing against the top 10 best golfers in the Region. As a result of placing in the top 4, Darcy and Tyler now have the opportunity to play in the State Championships to be held at Koorngal Golf Club on the 30th of November.

A huge thank you to the parents who supervised the children on the day and provided lots of words of encouragement and coaching tips during the competition. We wish the boys all the very best of luck at the State Championships in November and we look forward to hearing the results after the event.

Debbie Dooley
(Physical Education Co-ordinator)



LUCKNOW PRIMARY SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

On Wednesday the 15th, and Thursday the 16th of June we will be having our School Athletics Carnival at school. Children in the 7, 8 and 9 year old age groups will compete on Wednesday the 15th of June and children in the 10,11 and 12 year old age groups will compete on Thursday the 16th of June. **A child's age is determined by what age they are by the 31st of December, 2022.**

Prep children (5 and 6 year olds) will have a modified program on Wednesday the 15th of June rotating around a variety of fun organised activities from 11.30am-1.30am. We have a small number of children in Grade 1 who still qualify for the 6 year old age group. These children will compete in the 7 year old age group.

Each day will begin at approximately 9.30am and conclude at 3.00pm. Children will have recess and lunch breaks at the same times during the day.

Each child will be wearing a card that will have their name, age group, grade and list of events on it. This year we are not running a standardised sports, as in previous years. A child will receive 5 house points for participating in the event, 10 points for placing 3rd, 15 points for placing 2nd, and 20 points for placing 1st.

Children will participate in sprints, 200m, long jump, triple jump, shot put/beanbag push and discus/accuracy throw, and have the option of participating in high jump and hurdles.

Therefore, all children who participate in the events contribute towards their house points tally. At the end of the two day carnival the house points will be tallied and a trophy will be awarded to the Captains of the winning house at Friday's assembly.

Children, who place first, second or third in an event will receive a ribbon. All other children will receive a well done ribbon to recognise the effort they have put in on the day. Children in the 10, 11 and 12 year old age groups who place 1st and 2nd in an event or 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th in the 100metres event (4x100m relay team) will have the opportunity to represent the school at the District Athletics on Friday the 19th of August.

Please note: Considering that some of our age groups are quite large, and the allocated time for each field event is 30 minutes, children may only have the opportunity to do one or two attempts at the jumping and throwing events.

Children are encouraged to come dressed in their house colours on the day to add to the house spirit. In order for the day to run smoothly, it would be great to have as many helpers as possible. If you are able to assist on the day could you please fill out the form below and return to school as soon as possible.

We look forward to a fun couple of days and we will keep our fingers crossed for sunny weather.

Debbie Dooley
(Physical Education Co-ordinator)

Lucknow Primary School Athletics Carnival

I am able to assist with the Athletics Carnival on Wednesday the 15th of June and/or Thursday the 16th of June. **(Please circle date available)**

I would like to – assist with an event
(Please write down if you have a preference for a particular event)

- walk around with my child's age group
(Please list child's age group next to box)

Name of parent _____

Name of child _____

Wed 15th June - 7, 8 and 9 y.o Athletics Timetable

<u>TIME</u>	7 yr old Boys A	7 yr old Boys B	7 yr old Girls	8 yr old Boys	8 yr old Girls	9 yr old Boys	9 yr old Girls A	9 yr old Girls B
9.30-10.00	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Accuracy	High Jump	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint	200m
10.00-10.30	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Accuracy	High Jump	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint
10.30-11.00	Sprint	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Accuracy	High Jump	Shot Put	Long Jump
11.00-11.30	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess
11.30-12.00	Long Jump	Sprint	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Accuracy	High Jump	Shot Put
12.00-12.30	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Discus	High Jump
12.30-1.00	High Jump	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump	Discus
1.00-1.30	Accuracy	High Jump	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint	200m	Hurdles	Triple Jump
Lunch 1.30-2.20	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
2.20-2.50	Triple Jump	Accuracy	High Jump	Beanbag Put	Long Jump	Sprint	200m	Hurdles

Thurs 16th June 10, 11 and 12 y.o - Athletics Timetable

<u>TIME</u>	10 yr old boys	10 yr old girls	11 yr old boys	11 yr old girls	12 yr old boys	12 yr old girls
9.30-10.00	200m	Triple Jump	Discus	High Jump	Shot Put	Long Jump
10.00-10.30	Hurdles	200m	Triple Jump	Discus	High Jump	Shot Put
10.30-11.00	100m	Hurdles	200m	Triple Jump	Discus	High Jump
Recess 11.00-11.30	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess
11.30-12.00	Long Jump	100m	Hurdles	200m	Triple Jump	Discus
12.00-12.30	Shot Put	Long Jump	100m	Hurdles	200m	Triple Jump
12.30-1.00	High Jump	Shot Put	Long Jump	100m	Hurdles	200m
1.00-1.30	Discus	High Jump	Shot Put	Long Jump	100m	Hurdles
Lunch 1.30-2.20	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
2.20-2.50	Triple Jump	Discus	High Jump	Shot Put	Long Jump	100m

Enrolments for 2023 welcome



**Parent Tours available
call 51524662 to arrange a time**

A promotional poster for COVID-19 vaccinations. It features a blue background with white and yellow text. On the right, there is an illustration of a superhero woman with brown hair, wearing a white suit with a blue mask and a green shield emblem on her chest. She is pointing upwards with her right hand. The text reads: 'Be a COVID Super Hero!', 'Protect your family, friends and the local community this winter.', 'Vaccination clinic details: Lucknow Primary, Wednesday June 22nd, 3.15pm', and 'COVID-19 vaccinations are now available for children aged 5-11'. At the bottom left, it says 'Appointments for all ages, and walk in appointments available.'

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