



Lake Grace District High School NEWSLETTER #14

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Thursday 7th September

Term 3

Upcoming Events

Cadet Camp
Thursday 7th September
-9th September

**In Your Head
Conference Highschool**
Friday 8th September

**Faction Athletics
Jumps Day**
Monday 11th
September

**Faction Athletics
Carnival**
Wednesday 13th
September

Kindy/PP Assembly
Thursday 14th
September @ 2.20pm

Crazy Hair Day
Friday 15th September

Narrogin Ag Open Day
Friday 15th September

Country Week
Monday 19th-21st
September

Last Day of Term 3
Friday 22nd September

1st Day of Term 4
Tuesday 10th October

P & C Meeting
Monday 16th October

SCHOOL HOURS

Monday (early close)
8.45am—2.30pm

Tuesday to Friday
8.45am—3.15pm

YEAR 10 Work Experience

Krystal Pawsey
Lesmurdie Primary
School P1 Class

Dee Pretorius
LGDHS Kindy/PP &
4/5 Class

Joe Lankford
Shire of Kalamunda
Youth and Community
Development

Savannah Trevenen
Bickley Outdoor
Recreation Camp

Makayla Griffin
John Septimus Roe
Anglican Community
School Yr 2

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Message from Principal: **Kerriane Mills**

Hello LGDHS Community,

Welcome back to Week 8, Spring is finally here and the school is a hive of activity.

My first piece of very exciting news is that I am thrilled to announce that I am the recommended, successful applicant for the LGDHS Principal position. I am looking forward to continuing to get to know you all, whilst spending time in and about the community and school. Working with all parties involved in the school, I intend to ensure the high standards of LGDHS are embedded throughout and we make our school a place that parents want to send their children, and students are proud to attend. I look forward to a bright and successful long term future working with you all.

Constable Care is visiting our school today and the information with students is always helpful and informative. The students are looking forward to the shows and the interactions with the team of presenters.

The staff attended a School Development Day with the Lakes Network schools in Newdegate on Wednesday where we were presented with the benefits of High Impact Teaching. The strategies used and the information shared is always beneficial to staff and it is important that our staff keep up with the latest research around their profession. Another wonderful benefit of this day is the networking with other staff from our Lakes District, this is a great way to discuss what is happening in each other's school and reset for the remainder of term.

The planning for the upcoming Athletics Carnival next week is well and truly underway. Thank you to all those that have volunteered their time and services to both the jumps day and carnival, without volunteers such events cannot go ahead and be the success they are. Thank you also to Vicky Klein and Amanda Trevenen for all their efforts, dedication and commitment to our students and preparation for the days. A big thank you also to the Carruthers family and McKenzie family for our long jump and triple jump sand pits.

Last week we had some of our high school students head off on work experience to Perth. It was a wonderful opportunity for them and the feedback from their work placements was amazing. These students were offered further work placement opportunities, part time jobs and the opportunity to really show off their skills and talents. They each excelled in their job opportunities, making their school, families, communities and most importantly themselves proud. Dee worked in our ECE area at the school and was welcomed everyday by a bunch of excited smiling faces who were very pleased to see her. Thank you again to Mrs Trevenen for all her hard work, organising this wonderful opportunity for our Year 10 students.

The Year 7/8 students are currently on a Cadets Camp in Dwellingup. Once again an experience of a lifetime making memories with their peers and facing some challenges of nature. Camping in tents, cooking and hiking will make for some very exhausted students returning on Saturday. I hope they have a wonderful time and I will think of them as I enjoy the luxuries of civilisation! Need I repeat myself but another huge thank you to Mrs Trevenen for her dedication to ensuring this camp went ahead.

Our final assembly for the term will be held next Thursday 14th September when our fabulous K/PP's entertain us and host the assembly. I look forward to seeing as many faces at the assembly as possible, the cuteness factor usually draws a significant crowd.

Reminder, we are still short on voluntary contributions, we have Pre-Primary still in the lead with 100% payments received, Kindy at 90%, Year 1-6 at 85% and Year 7-10 at 32%. Payment of these contributions enrich your child's learning experience here at LGDHS. If you have not yet paid, it would be greatly appreciated if you could please ensure that payment is made as soon as possible.

Kind Regards,

Kerriane Mills | Principal





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Year 10 Work Experience: **Mrs Trevenen and the Yr 10s**

On Sunday the 27th August, Mrs Trevenen and the Year 10 group headed to the big smoke (Perth) for Work Experience.

Our students were required to research suitable work places that would interest them and organise, with the help of Mrs Trevenen, to attend some work place learning.

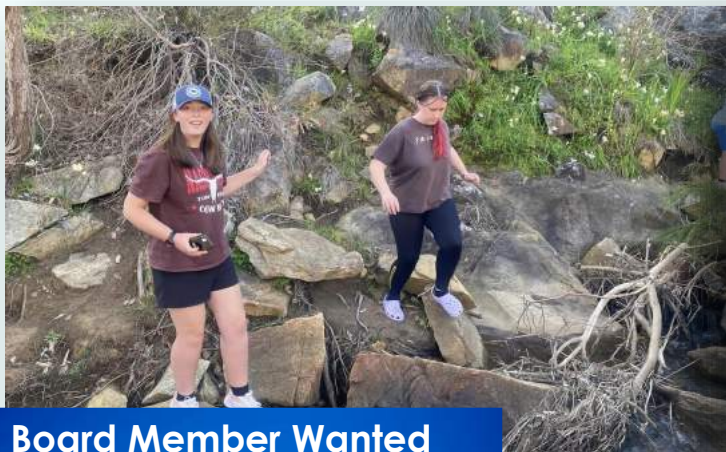
Makayla Griffin headed to the Year 2 class at John Septimus Roe Anglican Community School. Makayla was a little apprehensive with the potential job choice but after a week at John Septimus Roe Anglican Community School, she "really wants to be a Primary School Teacher now"!

Savannah Trevenen attended work experience at Bickley Outdoor Recreation Camp and decided "It really didn't feel like I was at work, it was so much fun!

Krystal Pawsey chose the P1 class at Lesmurdie Primary School. Teachers don't have favourite students, but Krystal found it hard not have a new favourite every day!

Joe Lankford spent his week in the Youth and Community Sector at the Shire of Kalamunda. Unsurprisingly Joe's expertise was required and his advice was implemented when he was consulted on a section of the Shire Of Kalamunda's official social media pages! Joe also made a pamphlet on mental health awareness! Well done Joe!

Dee Pretorius became a local celebrity in the Kindy/PP and Year 4/5 Class at Lake Grace District High School. A big thank you to Mrs Trevenen for organising and taking the group, what an incredible opportunity for our future generations. Well done to the students, your professionalism was commendable and will be a great attribute to building your portfolio for future employment opportunities!



Board Member Wanted



Calling all Parents! Would you like to have a voice when planning for the future of the school your child attends? Are you passionate about promoting our School? If this sounds like you, please contact the school to nominate yourself as a parent representative on the School Board.

Some of the roles included as a Board Member are:

- Attend a meeting once or twice a term
- Review school policies and processes
- Promote the school in the community
- Approve contributions and charges
- Provide advice
- Code of conduct for students
- Business and strategic planning



Breakfast Club is open to all students each Tuesday and Thursday at **8.30am** in the Home Ec. Room.



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P & C Update: **Nikki Lewis**

Dear LGDHS Community,

Please see below a few points of note:

Rabobank catering – Newdegate Field Day - Thank you to everyone who kindly donated a platter of food for the catering for Rabobank at Newdegate Field Day. Following feedback from community members we will discuss options of how we can restructure the catering slightly. Thank you again to Amanda Trevenen for kindly coordinating this catering, it's a busy time of year and your contributions are greatly appreciated.

Camp fund donation - At our most recent P&C meeting on Monday 21 August, it was agreed that the camp fund of \$1,144.22 which has been sitting in reserve for many years would be donated back to Lake Grace DHS to go towards the upcoming Country Week and year 5/6 camp.

New bank accounts - A big shout out to the amazing staff at Westpac Narrogin who recently came to Lake Grace to meet with our P&C and other community groups to assist us to open new bank accounts.

It is a huge help to our committee of volunteers to not have to travel to Narrogin together to open these accounts. Moving forward we will be able to continue to do all our banking online or via Australia post with our new Westpac accounts. Thank you to our executive committee for taking the time out of your busy day to come meet with Westpac on short notice.



Faction Athletics Carnival - With the faction athletics carnival and jumps day next week don't forget to let the school office know if you're able to help on the day. Remember you don't have to commit to the whole day every little bit helps.



As per previous communications, lunch orders are to be placed by **Thursday 7th September** as requested by Roma and Kay café.

Canteen – Annie Argent has begun drafting up the final roster for Term 4. Please contact Annie directly if you can assist and pick up a roster.

Uniform Shop: - If you have any queries regarding uniforms email Deb Carruthers via lgdhs.uniforms@gmail.com

If you haven't already please scan the QR code and sign up for Flexischools app and search for Lake Grace District High School to access our Uniform and Canteen ordering.



Download the *Flexischools* app to get started today!

Our next P&C meeting is scheduled for Monday 16th October at 7pm.

Please send any agenda items or apologies to lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com

Best wishes,

Nikki Lewis | P & C President



Canteen Roster Term 3

11/09/2023	Jumps Day - No Canteen	Jumps Day - No Canteen	Jumps Day - No Canteen
18/09/2023	Elizabeth Castaldini	Sarah Clarke	Kelly-Anne Gooch

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Vac Swim Enrolments 2023



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Shaping the future

VacSwim

Enrolments now open!
Places are limited, so get in early.

Help keep your child safe in the water.
Enrol now for the school holidays.

education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



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Early Years Notice

WANTED

Our Early Years classrooms are seeking any of your unwanted items listed below. If you have any of the items that are in a **hygienic and good condition** please drop off to the PP or Year 1 classrooms.

- Baby clothes, rugs, sheets, bottles
- Small figurines eg. animals, people, characters
- Pet carriers
- Duplo, Lego
- Matchbox like vehicles
- Hair dryers, hair tongs (cord cut off)
- Dress up accessories such as bags, jewelry, scarves,
- Glasses etc.
- Baskets (any size)
- Artificial flowers, plants

Junior Tennis Coaching

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

JUNIOR TENNIS COACHING

TARIN ROCK: FRIDAY
13TH, 20TH, 27TH
OCTOBER AND 3RD
NOVEMBER

CONTACT: KRISTIE STANTON

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LAKE GRACE: DATES TO
BE CONFIRMED

CONTACT: JEMMA BAIRSTOW

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Parent Planner | Term 3 2023

Please note: This Planner is subject to change

Wk	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
1	17 July	18	19	20	21	22/23
2	24	25	26 Careers Camp	27 Newsletter	28	29/30
3	31 P&C Meeting @7pm	1 August	2	3	4 Bendigo Bank Netball Yr5/6	5/6 Denmark Ag Open day
4	7	8	9	10 Newsletter Yr 5/6 Assembly	11	12/13
5	14 Shearing Demo	15	16	17 MPS School Photos	18 RUOK Day	19/20
6	21 Psych P&C Meeting @7pm Bookweek	22 Bookweek Parade/ Dress up Day	23	24 Newsletter	25	26/27
7	28 Yr 10 Work Experience - Perth	29 Board Meeting 7pm in Padley	30	31	1 September	2/3
8	4	5	6 SDD Newdegate Field Day	7 Newsletter Constable Care Incursion Carnival Lunch Orders via Flexi School App Close Yr 7/8 Cadet Camp	8	9/10
9	11 Athletics Faction Carnival Jumps NO CANTEEN	12	13 Athletics Faction Carnival ROMA AND KAY CANTEEN	14 K/PP Assembly	15 Narrogin Ag Open Day Crazy Hair Day	16/17
10	18 Country Week	19	20	21 Newsletter	22 Last Day of Term 3	23/24