

# Lake Grace District High School NEWSLETTER #19

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**Thursday 27th November** 

## Term 4 Upcoming Events

Final P & C Meeting for 2025 Walkers Hill Winery

Monday 1st December @ 6.30pm (RSVP to Amanda Desmond)

**Year 6 Highschool Transition Day** 

Tuesday 2nd December @ 8.30am-3pm

Parent Teacher Meetings (Half Day Closure)

Thursday 4th December

P & C Fun Day

Monday 8th December

Year 10 Graduation Dinner Thursday 11th December

PP/Yr 6/Yr 10 Celebration Assembly

Thursday 11th December

**Reports Emailed Home** Tuesday 16th December

Concert Awards Night Wednesday 17th December

Last Day of Term 4
Thursday 18th December



#### **SCHOOL HOURS**

Wednesday (early close)

8.45am—2.30pm

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

8.45am—3.00pm





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#### Message from The Principal: Mrs Mary Griffiths

Hello to everyone in the Lake Grace DHS Community, now that I have been here for seven weeks, I have begun to connect and feel a part of this community. As per usual at any school, Term Four is full of busy days planning for the new year and organising all of the end of year celebrations and graduations. Please see below for an overview of the upcoming events.

#### 2026 Kindergarten Orientation and Pre-primary Transition

The 2026 Kindergarten students attended their final orientation day on Wednesday the 26th November and the Pre-primary students attended their transition morning in the Year 1/2 class. The students had a great day and lots of fun was had by all. Thank you to all staff involved who made it a special day for our students

#### **Work Experience For Ex-Student**

This week ex-student Payton Callope has been completing work experience in the Year 1/2 Class with Miss Brooks. It is always great to see the progress and growth in students who start their learning journey at LGDHS, to then complete work experience here with the intention to explore the possibility of furthering studies to become a teacher.



#### Secondary Excursion to Kodja Place

Mrs O'Neill and the Secondary students spent the day today exploring Kodja Place in Kojonup. Kojonup's Noongar-Indigenous and Wadjela (non-Indigenous) communities worked together to create The Kodja Place. For several years the communities talked, gradually building relationships and trust and gathering the stories and materials to include in the displays. The creation of The Kodja Place by the Kojonup community was an extraordinary exercise in cross-cultural reconciliation and participation, planning, teamwork and lots of talking! Local skill development, community-led curating and locally-driven project management were other vital elements that inspired and enriched the project. Hundreds of local people helped, as well as people from outside the district. We can't wait to hear what the student took away from the experience.

#### P & C Pizza Day

Don't forget that tomorrow, Friday the 28th of November is the P & C Pizza Day- so get your orders in now! You can order via the Flexischool app, as you would on regular canteen day.

#### Final School Board Meeting 2025

On Tuesday the 25th November, the final school board meeting was held in the Padley at 7.00pm. Thank you to Aaron Wooldridge and the amazing committee members who have volunteered their time this year to serve on our School Board.

#### P & C Meeting at Walkers Hill Winery

On Monday 1st of December the final P & C Meeting for the year will be held at Walkers Hill Winery. Thank you to all P & C Committee members for yet another successful year. The volunteering that goes in to raise much needed funds for our school is beyond amazing and we can't thank you all enough for all you do. We have an amazing little school that is made better each year with the help of the volunteering and fundraising done by the P & C each year. Thank you to committee members who have taken on jobs on top of your regular every day jobs.

#### **Year 6 Transition Day**

The Year Six students will be leaving primary school behind for a day on Tuesday the 2nd December, to experience what it will be like next year commencing high school. Our LGDHS year sixes will be joined by two Year Six's from Newdegate and we look forward to showcasing our amazing high school.



Period 3 & 4 - Cooking with Mrs Slarke

Period 5 - Music with Mrs Klein

Period 6 Sport with Mrs Trevenen

Lunch (provided)



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#### Parent Teacher Meetings-Half Day School Closure

On Thursday the 4th of December, we will be conducting our parent teacher meetings in the same format as last semester with a half day closure to accommodate them prior to reports going out. Please ensure you have booked your appointments with appropriate teachers via the SOBS link here: <a href="https://sobs.com.au/pt3/">https://sobs.com.au/pt3/</a> parent.php?schoolid=2499. There will be supervision for children provided, in the undercover area if required.

#### Pre-primary, Year 6 & Year 10 Celebration Assembly

Thursday the 11th December, we will be holding an assembly to celebrate the Pre-primary, Year 6 and the Year 10

students who will be making milestone transitions in their education journey. This is our final assembly for the year and we would love to see you all there!

#### **Year 10 Graduation**

On Thursday the 11th of December the year 10 class will be honoured with a graduating dinner at the Walkers Hill Winery. Thank you to the amazing staff who organised what is always a beautiful event, to commemorate our Year 10 students on their graduation.

#### P & C Fun Day

On Monday the 8th of December, the P & C are generously hosting a colour run and foam festival! Lunch will be provided so the only things you will need to bring is a recess, a change of clothes, light coloured clothes, towel and hat! Thank you to the P & C for such an exciting event, the students can't wait!

#### 2026 Booklists

Yesterday the 2026 booklist were sent out via school stream. Please let us know if you have not received them.



# COLOR RUN FOAM FEST MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2025 2 SESSION TIMES AS FOLLOWS: KINDY/PRE-PRIMARY 12PM-1PM IN EARLY LEARNING AREA

LEARNING AREA

YEARS 1-4 12PM-1PM ON SCHOOL OVAL

YEARS 5 TO HIGH SCHOOL 1PM-2PM ON

SCHOOL OVAL

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Please bring: a change of clothes with a light coloured shirt, towel and a bucket hat.

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SUNDAY

Due to insurance reasons: Children that do not attend LGDHS are unable to participate. Please understand that they will not be allowed to enter the school



#### **Sponsors Required for End of Year Awards**

As our end of year concert approaches, we are still looking for sponsorship for end of year student awards! If you would like to sponsor an award this year, please get in touch with the front office on 9865 4500.

As you can see, there are not many days left in the year without a significant event! It is an exciting time of year for everyone, busy but still exciting.

Kind Regards

Mary Griffiths | Principal





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#### Message from P&C President: Sarah Clarke

#### Canteen Update

Our upcoming Pizza Day is happening tomorrow, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> of November, so remember to get your orders in via the Flexischool app, drinks and frozen treats will also be available.

As we wind up the school year, the remaining canteen days will have a limited menu to ensure there is limited stock remaining at the end of the year. This will mean that some items may not be available and we apologise for the inconvenience.



Thank you to all the amazing volunteers throughout 2025, we simply cannot do it without you – as always, we can't wait to have you back and welcome some new volunteers in 2026!

#### P & C Fun Day

The P&C is excited to be hosting the first LGDHS Colour Run Foam Fest on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> of December, and we will be supplying everyone with a free sausage sizzle, thanks to the kind donation from McKenzie's Home Hardware, and an ice cream sundae. No orders are required to be placed for the free lunch – no usual canteen menu orders available this day.

#### **Art Auction**

We are proud to be hosting a Silent Auction featuring artworks created by each class. From Kindy to High School, every group has produced a one-of-a-kind piece that showcases their creativity and teamwork. All funds raised will support projects and resources that benefit our students.

Bidding is easy! Just click the link to access the auction site, create your account, and browse the amazing artworks. Once you're ready, place your bids and keep an eye on your favourites! Happy bidding!

The art pieces will be displayed in various locations over the next few weeks for your chance to view them in person.

Auction live from 20th November – 18th December: https://www.32auctions.com/LGDHSPandCart

**Date of next meeting:** Our final meeting for the year is on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> of December at 6.30pm and will be held at Walkers Hill Winery, dinner is \$25 per person, all are welcome to attend, however we request that you RSVP for catering purposes.

Kind Regards
Sarah Clarke | P & C President



Download the *flexischools* app to get started today!

#### **Canteen Roster**

Date				
28/11/2025- (Pizza Day)	Carey Higgins	Lisa O'Neill	Aaron Wooldridge	
1/12/2025	Jocelyn Brandis	Sam Argent	Taneeka Morgan	
8/12/2025- P & C Fun Day	2/2025- P & C Fun Day Nicola Kuchling		Chloe McDougall	
15/12/2025	Elise Bell	Teneeka Morgan	Tor Desmond	



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**End of Year Concert Awards Night** 

LAKE GRACE DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

DOORS OPEN

6PM

WEDNESDAY

17

DECEMBER

LAKE GRACE

SHIRE HALL



### Lake Grace District High School Parent Planner | Term 4 2025

Please note: This Planner is subject to change

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT	SUN
1	13 SDD START OF TERM	14 Students Commence Term 4	15	16	17	18	19
2	20	21 School Board Meeting	22 ZAP Circus Yr 1-6	23 Interschool Athletics Carnival (Jerramungup)	24	25	26
3	27 P & C Meeting	28  Book Fair	29	30 MSP School Photos	31	1	2
4	3 Year 10 WPL Perth	4 Book Fair —	5 Yr 9/10 Cadet Hike <u>TBC</u>	6 Yr 1/2 Assembly & Open Class 2026 Kindy Orientation	7	8	9
5	10	11 Cadet Remembrance Day Ceremony	12	13	14	15	16
6	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
7	24	25	26 2026 Kindy Orientation	27 Kodja Place Excursion High School	28 P & C Pizza Day	29	30
8	1 P & C Meeting @ Walkers Hill Winery	2 Year 6 Transition Day	3	4 Parent Teacher Meetings (Half Day Closure)	5	6	7
9	8 P&C Fun Day	9	10	11 Year 10 Graduation PP/YR 6/Yr 10 Celebration Assembly	12 Good standing Reward High School	13	14
10	15	16 Reports emailed home	17 Concert Awards Night	18 END OF TERM	19 SDD Harvest Festival	20	21