



# Newsletter

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Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020

Term 2 Week 10

## A MESSAGE FROM MRS HUGHES, SOPHIA and ALEXA

This week is the week of Mrs Lobb. At the end of this week Mrs Lobb will be taking leave for the rest of this year, with the intention to retire in 2021. That's why we would like this week to be a little extra special for her. So this week she will be our front-page feature. Our two intrepid reporters, Alexa and Sophia, found out all the facts.

Question 1:

**You have been teaching for 35 years. What schools have you taught at?**

Scone, Sandy Hollow,  
Maryland, Metford, Plattsburg,  
Lambton, Bolwarra and New  
Lambton Heights Infants  
School.



Question 2:

**What was your favourite school and why?**

NLHIS because it specialises K-2. It has amazing children and enthusiastic teachers and staff.

Question 3:

**What do you enjoy most about teaching?**

Seeing how excited children get when they learn something new.

Question 4:

**What have you learnt?**

Being a teacher is one of the most rewarding jobs.

Question 5:

**What are you looking forward to?**

Being able to spend time with family, going on beach walks, playing golf and NOT writing reports!

Question 6:

**What will you miss most about NLHIS?**

The fun and games I have here!



*We will miss you Mrs Lobb. Thank you for sharing all of your wonderful knowledge, skills and great sense of fun with us all.*

*Love from The NLHIS Community (your friends and family)*



*At New Lambton Heights Infants School we acknowledge that we teach, learn and play together on the traditional country of the Awabakal people, who are the custodians of this land. We pay our respects to their Elders past and present.*



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## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HEIGHTS?

<i>Uniform Shop Open</i>	<b><i>Every Monday</i></b>
<i>Library Borrowing</i>	<b><i>Every Wednesday</i></b>
<i>Snack Canteen</i>	<b><i>Every Friday</i></b>
<i>Assembly</i>	<b><i>Fridays – 15 mins for awards and birthdays. Sorry students and staff only.</i></b>
<i>P&amp;C Meeting</i>	<b><i>Zoom meeting Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July - POSTPONED</i></b>
<i>Community Engagement meeting</i>	<b><i>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 6pm via Zoom.</i></b>
<i>Wellbeing PJ Day</i>	<b><i>Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</i></b>
<i>Term 3 SDD (Pupil Free)</i>	<b><i>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July</i></b>
<i>Students return Term 3</i>	<b><i>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July</i></b>
<i>Dance to Be Fit</i>	<b><i>Every Friday starting 25<sup>th</sup> July</i></b>

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT MEETING

All **parents, carers** and **staff members** are invited to join an online community engagement meeting focusing on the New Lambton Public School intake area. The P&C were going to use their Zoom platform, but have been unable to access their account. I will host the meeting via my DoE Zoom account. An online meeting to talk to our community is not our usual or preferred method of communication, but is necessary with the current restrictions. New Lambton Public School and Wallsend South PS will also be hosting meetings.

This is the first time I have hosted a meeting for a larger number of participants, so I apologise in advance for any technical glitches or operator errors! I will do my best. The meeting can be accessed by the following link:

<https://nsweducation.zoom.us/j/68358838573?pwd=MjFLSUYvZDhSaXM2VFNRVmRMeDZHUT09>

A separate Skoolbag notice about this went home this morning. Please join us if you are able to.

## WELLBEING PJ DAY

We are looking forward to our wellbeing PJ day. All students need to do is wear their PJs, joggers and bring hats. Please make sure your child is dressed warmly enough.

We will launch the Premier's Sporting Challenge (PSC) for the students and staff, so we are ready to start Day 1 Term 3.

The classes will be engaging in mindfulness activities and other activities of their choice.

Snack Canteen will be available.

We will finish the day with a special presentation for Mrs Lobb.

## REPORTS

Semester 1 reports will be sent home in Week 2 of Term 3. If you would like to speak to your child's teacher before this time, please contact your teacher via the school's email, SeeSaw or phone the school. Your teacher will organise a time to speak over the phone or may set up a Zoom meeting.

The reports will have a comment for English, Mathematics, Other Key Learning Areas (combined) and a General Comment. There will be no grades (A-E). Teachers will also indicate your child's social development and commitment to learning.

## TREE REMOVAL

In the school holidays we will be having some smaller trees removed that have been deemed as high risk by an arborist. This will mainly be at the Marshall Street end of the playground.

## NAIDOC WEEK, EDUCATION WEEK and BOOK WEEK

This week we will talk about how we will celebrate these special events in Term 3.

**DONT FORGET MONDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY  
IS A SDD.  
NO PUPILS. STAFF ONLY.**





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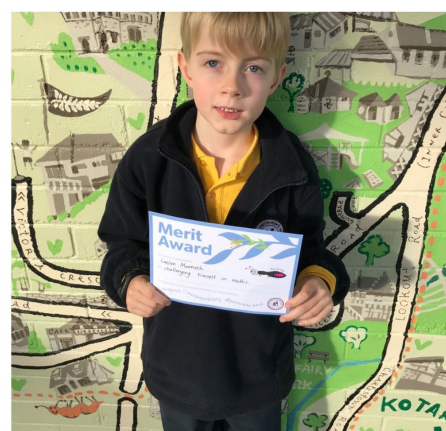
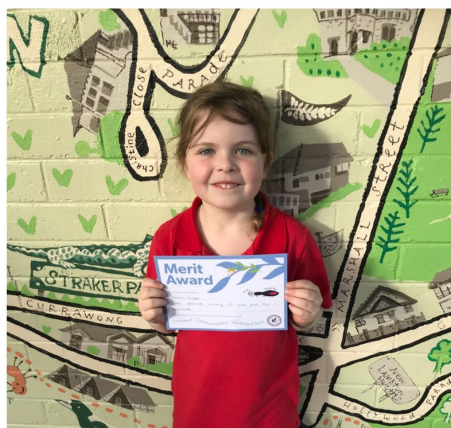


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## AWESOME AWARDS WEEK 9

Congratulations Week 9 award winners.





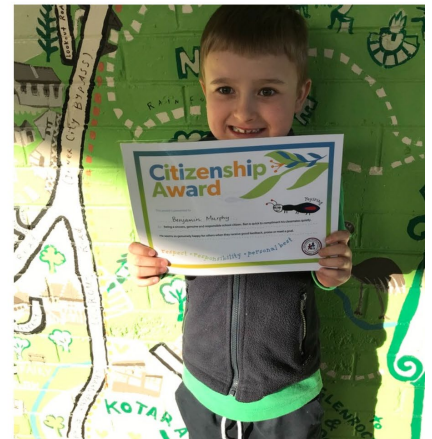


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## HIGH TEA WITH HUGHSEY

We had a beautiful high tea with a very special guest this week. Mrs Lobb has been waiting 35 years to get her Gold Principal's award and she is lucky she made it just in time!







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## P&C NEWS

Our next meeting will be postponed until Wednesday 5 August and details will be sent out to all registered P&C members during the school holidays as we are waiting on our P&C Zoom account to be set up. We hope to see you there!

If you would like to join, please email [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@gmail.com) and we will email you a membership form.

To keep up to date with P&C activities and news, please follow our Facebook page; 'New Lambton Heights Infants P & C'.

## P&C ACTIVITIES

### BEANIE FOR BRAIN CANCER DAY – TERM 3

Once again, we will be supporting the Mark Hughes Foundation with a special 'Beanie Day' in Term 3.

If you would like to purchase a Beanie for Brain Cancer to further support this cause, Kids Beanies are \$20 and available online only at [www.shop.markhughesfoundation.com.au](http://www.shop.markhughesfoundation.com.au), adult beanies can be purchased at IGA or Lowes stores for \$25.



## ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Thank you to those families who have already purchased their Entertainment Books!

Entertainment Memberships can start anytime and are packed with thousands of substantial savings on dining, travel and fun family activities. The digital membership is easy to download to start using instantly. New offers are added weekly for ongoing value all year round.

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/342j57>

## P&C SERVICES

### FRIDAY SNACK CANTEEN

Canteen is held between 12.45pm and 1.10pm. Please make sure you can set up at 12.30pm ready for the rush!

Also, at the conclusion of canteen, please ensure that you restock ready for next week to make it easier for next week's volunteers.

If you can't make your rostered day please arrange a swap with someone and notify [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@gmail.com). If you are unable to find a replacement, please advise Kate via the P&C so that a substitute can be organised. If you have any queries, you can contact the P&C on [nlhipand@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipand@gmail.com)

If you would like to fill any of the shifts for next term please visit our signup page:

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

### Term 2 Roster

Friday 3 July	Andrea Stig & Patrice Wallace Smith
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### Term 3 Roster

Friday 24 July	Kate Murphy & Janette Collins
Friday 31 July	Sally Munnoch & Susie
Friday 7 August	Megan Knott & Andrea Stig
Friday 14 August	Marion & Emily Maksimovic
Friday 21 August	Katie Draper & Kate Bone
Friday 28 August	Janette Collins & Megan Collins
Friday 4 September	Janette Collins & Kate Murphy
Friday 11 September	Megan Knott & Janette Collins
Friday 18 September	Katie Draper & ONE MORE VOLUNTEER NEEDED
Friday 25 September	TWO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

## UNIFORM SHOP

We are still looking for two volunteers to assist in the Uniform Shop and get trained up for when our current volunteers move on next year. If you are available or have any questions, email the P&C.

You can order your uniforms online at our Square Shop <https://new-lambton-heights-infants-school-pc-association.square.site/>

There is a wide range of second-hand uniforms for the sale in the Uniform Shop. Please email or phone to make an appointment.

Please email any other Uniform Shop enquiries that you may have to the P&C Uniform Shop email or P&C email. Sue and Shehr are coming in each Monday to process orders. They will be given to your child to bring home.

[nlhiuniform@gmail.com](mailto:nlhiuniform@gmail.com)

- Teachers will mark a line to make sure there is distance between the students and volunteers.



## CANTEEN SET UP

- Volunteers to sanitise hands as they arrive and keep a bottle of gel at the tables with you (school will provide).
- **You will need to now sign a visitor acknowledgment form. Please see the office.**
- Ensure distancing is happening when you are in the library getting items ready and packing up.
- Wipe over tables with antibacterial wipes (school will provide).
- Two tables to be set up in front of stage to allow for distancing between volunteers, please see photo for set up.
- Please fill up all 4 plastic containers with chips and snacks plus a box with spares to fill up if required.
- Pre-cut approx.. 20 ice blocks ready to serve.
- Please let children take their chosen items so you handle money only during canteen.
- Please use gloves provided while handling money. If you touch anything else please be sure to change gloves.