



Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2020

Term 3 Week 1

## A MESSAGE FROM MRS HUGHES

It was so lovely to have happy smiling faces back at school yesterday. We have lots of great learning planned for this term and it was wonderful to see students engaging on their first day back. Mrs Austin and I were excited to start our Science topics, which will be digital technologies. We will be utilising the robotics kit that was purchased last year.

This term a big focus in our school plan will be Wellbeing. We started off the term with training in a social and emotional program known as 'Second Step'. Second Step is the universal part of a program known as 'GOT-IT'. Staff from Hunter New England Health are delivering the program and it also involves a small group component that involves parents. A note and questionnaire have been sent home with every child today. It would be greatly appreciated if you could please complete and return this by next Wednesday. Each week in the newsletter I will be featuring what we are teaching in as part of Second Step. Teachers will also be using SeeSaw to share information and lessons with parents.

This week also saw the start to our 10 week Premier's Sporting Challenge – students and staff!! Challenge happily accepted. I'm going for gold. I know I am going to have one happy dog! Don't tell them, but I am secretly going to challenge the teachers! Miss Castle poses no threat – she thinks stirring her porridge counts as exercise! If you see us walking around the streets give us a wave as we pass by. As for the students, we have 150 minutes planned for them each week:

- Dance2Bfit
- Class PE
- Daily Go-Noodle
- Thursday Recess playground activities

Hopefully by the end of the term we will all be feeling fitter and healthier.

Lisa Hughes

Principal

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HEIGHTS?

<i>Uniform Shop Open</i>	<b>Every Monday</b>
<i>Library Borrowing</i>	<b>Every Wednesday</b>
<i>Snack Canteen</i>	<b>Every Friday</b>
<i>Assembly</i>	<b>Fridays – 15 mins for awards and birthdays. Sorry students and staff only.</b>
<i>P&amp;C Meeting</i>	<b>Zoom meeting Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August</b>
<i>Term 3 SDD (Pupil Free)</i>	<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>
<i>Dance to Be Fit</i>	<b>Every Friday starting 25<sup>th</sup> July Cost \$35</b>
<i>SRE re-commences</i>	<b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>
<i>Beanies For Brain Cancer Bonanza</i>	<b>Friday 31<sup>st</sup> July</b>
<i>Education Week</i>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> August</b>
<i>School Photos</i>	<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> August Prices for packs vary</b>
<i>Athletics Carnival</i>	<b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September TBC</b>

## WHAT IS A BEANIE BONANZA??

On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> July we will be raising awareness and funds for The Mark Hughes Foundation. All students are encouraged to wear a beanie to school and donate a gold coin to The Mark Hughes Foundation. Year 2 students are organising some special activities for the afternoon in place of our assembly. We may also have something special planned through the P&C. Once all the details are finalised I will send home more information. For now, get those beanies organised.



*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*



# Newsletter

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## NLPS INTAKE AREA CHANGE

As per communication sent home earlier this week, the intake area for NLPS has now been changed. I appreciate the comments that our community put forward and I understand that many families are disappointed with this decision. I encourage you to ring me or email the school if you would like to talk more about this.

## 2021 ENROLMENTS

I will be seeking enrolment information for 2021 early next week and will be starting to organise both our Kindergarten and Year 2 transition programs for next year. If you know of anyone who is seeking enrolment for next year, please tell them to contact the school.

## REPORTS

Semester 1 reports will be sent home next week. 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.

## SCHOOL PHOTOS

School photos will be on Tuesday 11 August. Students are to wear winter uniform. Details and prices for packs can be found attached Envelopes will go home next week.

## SCHOOL BANKING

We have received some information from the CBC that school banking may be able to start again. I am currently checking that this complies with the current guidelines from the DoE.

## DANCE2BFIT

Dance2Bfit starts this week. **Please ensure your permission notes have been returned by Friday.** Payment is due this week. Please contact the school if you need any assistance with paying.

All classes are in the morning session, starting with Kindergarten.

## FAREWELL MRS LOBB ...

Farewell to the beautiful Mrs Kate Lobb. We loved giving Mrs Lobb a traditional NLHIS send off at the end of last term. The students all contributed to a special book for her, which she loved. Thank you to the P&C for organising a gorgeous bunch of flowers and to all the parents who contacted the school or sent in cards and gifts. She was very grateful for the well wishes and kind words.







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## **AWESOME AWARDS WEEK TERM 2 WEEK 10**

Congratulations to our award winners. We only presented catch up awards and Gold awards. Our first assembly will be this Friday.

### **Our Merit system**

4 Merit awards = 1 Gold award

4 Gold awards = Blue Principal's award +  
High Tea

Blue Principal's award + Citizenship award =  
Gold Principal's Award + High Tea

Citizenship award = High Tea







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## WELLBEING PJ DAY

What a wonderful way to finish Term 2. We were all snug and warm in our PJs and settled down for a day of mindfulness and movies. We finished our day with an assembly to farewell Mrs Lobb and gave her the traditional NLHIS clap out. She just loved it.





## P&C NEWS

Our next meeting and AGM will be Wednesday 5 August and details will be sent out to all registered P&C members later this week. 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 – Friday 31 July

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.

## NLHIS 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE COOKBOOK

2021 marks the 70th birthday of New Lambton Heights Infants School!

To celebrate and commemorate this special occasion, the P&C are publishing our very own NLHIS cookbook which will be available to purchase. We are hoping to fill it with much loved, tried and true family favourite recipes to share with each other and the wider community.

If you have a recipe that is thoroughly enjoyed in your home, we invite you to contribute it. It could be a cultural dish, or a recipe that you love to bake. Maybe it's a lunchbox hit, a favourite family dinner or a special occasion recipe that's been shared for generations.

Whatever it is, we would love to showcase it in the commemorative cookbook for other NLHI families to enjoy. When considering your recipe, please make sure it:

- Lists ingredients that are readily available
- Contains clear instructions that are easy to follow
- Is not a direct copy of an already published recipe (if you have adapted or changed a recipe that is OK).

### What to do:

- Decide with your family which recipe you would like to contribute and why.
- Test the recipe out, pretending you are cooking it for the first time and checking the instructions are accurate and helpful.
- Style the finished recipe and take a fabulous photograph of it.
- A layout to use as a guide will be made available shortly. You can either: email your recipe in word or .pdf format to [nlhicookbook@gmail.com](mailto:nlhicookbook@gmail.com) OR fill the form







out drop and it into the cream P&C box near the office.

Thanks everyone and happy cooking!

## 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/orderbook/s/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 [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@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 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 & Talisa Thiering
Friday 25 September	Vimbayinesu Timba & Kate Bone

## 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)



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





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**A**  
Pack

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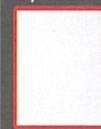
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4-Wallets with an extra set in B/W & a 8x12" Enlargement  
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Cover, Traditional Class Photo, Composite Class Photo.



Softcover Album 8x10"  
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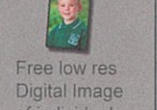
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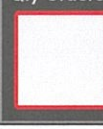
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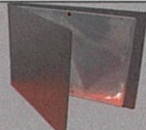
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Or Payment enclosed with siblings.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**Family photo envelopes are available from  
your school office or order online.**





# NOTICE OF AGM

## NEW LAMBTON HEIGHTS INFANTS SCHOOL

The Annual General Meeting of New Lambton Heights Infants School Parents and Citizen's Association will be held on Wednesday 5 August 2020 commencing at 7.00pm via Zoom.

All current office bearer roles will be declared vacant and nominations called for the following positions:

- President
- 2 x Vice Presidents
- Secretary
- Treasurer

Proceeding the Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be the April General Meeting at 7.30pm.

The AGM is open to all parents and carers who wish to attend, however only financial members are eligible to vote and/or nominate for vacant positions.



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