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Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> December
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Snack Canteen</li> <li>• Final transition sessions – Kinder and Year 2 to NLPS</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Swimming</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Banking Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uniform Shop open at morning drop off</li> </ul>

What an amazing school community we have at NLHIS. Our disco last Thursday night, was another shining example of how families support our school. Despite the less than desirable weather so many families joined in the fun. It was fabulous to see everyone – parents, kids and teachers, all busting their moves on the dance floor! Thank you to the P&C members, who worked hard to organise invites, lighting and the canteen on the night.

I thank the P&C for their contributions this year. The P&C at this school are so keen to support our school and are always willing to fund initiatives where they can. I am really looking forward to working together in 2019. The TTFM Parent Survey has given us lots of good ideas to upgrade our playground. We are also going to focus on Strategic Direction 1 on our school plan – future focused learning – by developing a school framework for teaching STEM and Project Based Learning. I am certain that we will have a wish list ready for the P&C to help us resource this strategic direction. I have also discussed with the P&C a joint funding application with the DoE to fund the building of a retaining wall near our play equipment to improve drainage and stabilise the embankment in that area.

All of this will require some fundraising ... so please help kick off the year by helping out at the Bunnings BBQ on 13<sup>th</sup> January. I know it's the holidays, but if you could help that would be fantastic. This is one of our best fundraisers and you can be assured we will be putting the money towards resources and playground improvements for your kids in 2019. An hour or two of your time is all that is needed.

Enjoy the rest of your week.

Lisa Hughes  
Principal



*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.*

## 2019 ENROLMENTS – IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please be aware that we are still in a position where we can consider accepting non-local enrolments. If you know of any friends or family or new neighbours that are seeking enrolment in K, 1 or 2 in 2019, please ask them to contact the school as soon as possible.

If you believe your circumstances may change before next year, or early next year, and there is a chance that you are not returning in 2019, please let Mrs Hughes know ASAP.

## FINAL TRANSITIONS

This week is the final week of our Kinder transitions and Year 2 transitions to New Lambton Public School.

Our Year 1 students are very excited to be meeting their buddies on Thursday and will be making a special piece of bunting that will be hung in our COLA area. We are starting a tradition that, when the Kindergarten student graduates in Year 2, he/she will receive his/her piece of bunting back to keep.

## WORLD VISION DAY

On Monday, students are asked to bring a coin donation to 'pay for a spray'. Mrs Dowman's Year 2 children are organising this and have come up with the concept of paying a coin to spray a teacher with a water bottle!! Please send your child with a coin (amount is up to you) on Monday. All money raised will go to our World Vision Child Sponsor, Jesman.



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## TERM 4 WEEK 7 MERITS

### MERIT SYSTEM

4 Merit Awards = 1 Gold Award

4 Gold Awards = 1 Blue Principal's Award

1 Blue Principal's Award and a Citizenship Award = 1 Gold Principal's Award

Please have all awards in by the Friday before assembly on Monday.

Congratulations Week 7 Winners!







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**P&C News**

**P&C MEETING**

The last P&C meeting for the year is scheduled for next Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

The meeting will be held at 7:30pm in the Resource Room. All members of the school community are welcome! It is a great way to learn about the behind the scenes happening of our school, and to get to know some of the other community members. Hopefully we’ll see you there ; )

**BUNNINGS BBQ**

We are still looking for volunteers for the school Bunnings BBQ coming up on **Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> January 2019**. The BBQ runs from 8:30am–4pm, which is split into 4 x 2hr shifts.

If you can spare two hours to help please email the BBQ co-ordinator Dylan Gavin on [dylan.gavin14@gmail.com](mailto:dylan.gavin14@gmail.com) or the P&C via email [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@gmail.com).

These BBQs are a great way to meet other parents and are generally great fun.

Please note: This BBQ is during the school holidays – it would be a great help if Dylan could have volunteers **before school breaks up**.

**DISCO**

Thank you to everyone who helped make the disco last Thursday night such a great success. We raised just under \$600 profit for the school. A special thanks goes out to DJ Hughes who rocked the dancefloor with her funky dance moves!

**THURSDAY SNACK CANTEEN – Updated Term Roster**

Due to swimming on Fridays this term, from this Thursday snack canteen will be happening on Thursdays. The roster for this term is:

29 <sup>th</sup> November	Louise Erikson & Edwina Carle
6 <sup>th</sup> December	Megan Knott & Melinda Holme
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Marion Brennan & Patrice Wallace-Smith

***Our canteen volunteers for this Thursday are Louise Erikson & Edwina Carle.*** Canteen is held from 12:45pm to 1:10pm. Please make sure you can setup at 12:30pm ready for this time. Thank you.

If you find yourself unable to make your rostered day please arrange a swap with someone and notify Melinda Holme at [melindaholmedesign@gmail.com](mailto:melindaholmedesign@gmail.com) via email and copy P&C [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@gmail.com). If you are unable to find a replacement, please advise Melinda and copy P&C so that a substitute can be organised.

If you have any queries you can contact the P&C via email [nlhipandc@gmail.com](mailto:nlhipandc@gmail.com)

New Lambton Heights Infants  
'The Family School'

## School Newsletter



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### Dates for your Diary 2018

<i>Term 4 Events</i>	<i>Date</i>
<i>Library</i>	<i>Every Monday</i>
<i>School Banking</i>	<i>Every Tuesday</i>
<i>Uniform Shop</i>	<i>Every Wednesday am</i>
<i>Snack Canteen</i>	<i>Every Thursday</i>
<i>Swimming – Students come to school wearing sports uniform with swimmers underneath</i>	<i>Every Friday until 7<sup>th</sup> December</i>
<i>Kindergarten Orientation Session and Year 2 Transition to NLPS</i>	<i>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November</i>
<i>World Vision Week “Pay for a Spray” Year 2 leaders organising</i>	<i>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December</i>
<i>P&amp;C Meeting</i>	<i>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 7:30pm</i>
<i>End Week 9</i>	<i>Semester 2 reports home</i>
<i>Christmas Concert</i>	<i>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December</i>
<i>Presentation Day</i>	<i>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December</i>
<i>Party Day</i>	<i>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December</i>
<i>Final Day of Term 4 (Staff and Students)</i>	
<i>Year 2 farewell (Year 2 parents and students) 2:30pm</i>	<i>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December</i>
<i>Year 2 clap out (whole school community) at 3pm</i>	
<i>School non –operational</i>	<i>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> and Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December</i>
<i>Share Our Space</i>	<i>Playground open over the summer break.</i>

### Dates for your diary 2019

<i>Term 4 Events</i>	<i>Date</i>
<i>Term 1 Commences SDD – Staff Only</i>	<i>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January</i>
<i>Year 1 and Year 2 students return to school</i>	<i>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January</i>
<i>Kinder transition – selected students over 3 days – Wednesday, Thursday and Friday</i>	<i>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February</i>
<i>First day for all 2019 Kindergarten students.</i>	<i>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February</i>
<i>Final day for 2:45pm finish for Kindergarten.</i>	<i>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February</i>





NEW LAMBTON HEIGHTS INFANTS SCHOOL

P&C BUNNINGS BBQ FUNDRAISER

I \_\_\_\_\_, parent of \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_ would be happy to assist at the BBQ on Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

My preferred time is: (please circle)

8.30am to 10.00am

10.00am to 12.30pm

12.30pm to 2.30pm

2.30pm to 4.00pm

I can be contacted on:

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (phone contact for the day)

***PLEASE RETURN SLIP TO THE CREAM P&C LETTERBOX OUTSIDE THE OFFICE BY FRIDAY 8<sup>th</sup> December 2018***