From the Principal

Welcome to Education Week!
Lithgow Public School invites all of the school community to join us on Thursday. The theme for Education Week this year is Local Heroes. During this week our students are also participating in the Education Week Opening in Bathurst. Our Recorder Ensemble and the WGEC Choir led by Mrs Trounce and Mrs Walsh performed. They were fantastic! We take the opportunity in Education Week to thank the many people who make our school what it is for our students. From our expert and caring teachers to our support staff and administration. In my mind they are all Local Heroes. Hope you can join us on Thursday either in the Open Classrooms (11:45am) or for the afternoon concert (1:30pm).

Please note the change of time for lunch. Lunch will now commence at 12:45pm.

Acacia Concert – Sydney Opera House
Great excitement for our twenty nine students who make up our Recorder Ensemble. They are travelling to the Sydney Opera House on Monday to perform as part of the Festival of Instrumental Music. Two of our students will be soloists at the concert and I have been invited to be a guest compare on the night. The students and myself, are very fortunate to be part of such a prestigious event. A very special thank you to our wonderful music teacher, Mrs Belinda Trounce, for creating these opportunities as part of our music program.

Being able to participate in events like these creates life long memories for our students.

Have a great week!

Vicki O’Rourke

Woolworths Earn and Learn
Lithgow Public School are participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn again this year. Stickers can be dropped at the school office between 8:30am and 3:30pm. This program allows our school to get new education equipment. The more stickers we collect, the more we can redeem!!
Scholastic Bookclub

Orders for Scholastic Bookclub Issue 5 are due back to school by Wednesday 5th August.

Premier’s Reading Challenge – Week 3, Term 3
Well done to the boys and girls below who have continued to add books to their PRC lists and to our two latest PRC Champions!
Just a reminder that the PRC finishes on August 21st.
5+ Books: Hayley Wootton-Strickland, Dominic Wilson, Briana Tracey-Gee, Brayden Spittles, Abbey Kirby, Jarred Grose, Joss Arkley-Smith, Samantha Winks, Mohit Kocchar, Ricky Hunter
Challenge Completed: These boys and girls have now finished reading the required number of books for their age group – 30 books for K-2 and 20 books for Years 3-6. Well done!!!!
Year 4: Logan Christie

“A room without books is like a body without a soul.”
Marcus Tullius Cicero

Ms Terpaj 😊

Jeans for Genes

On the first Friday in August each year workplaces, schools and streets become a sea of denim in a united stance against childhood disease. On Friday 7th August Lithgow Public School will be participating in Jeans for Genes Day. Children are invited to wear jeans on the day and donate a gold coin for this very worthwhile cause.

Lithgow Library has recently been successful in gaining a grant to start a Makerspace!
For those that don’t know what that is, a Makerspace is a community place where people can create, design and build whatever they want. We will be creating mostly a kids space with Lego and craft supplies – we will run dedicated sessions in the space but it will also be open to the public, so if you feel like being creative the space will be there to work in.
The Library is asking for the community to donate anything they think might be useful for example boxes, egg cartons, old CD’s DVD’s, any old Lego or construction toys, clean food bottles, jars, shampoo bottles, paper, wool, buttons, old toys, fabric and felt scraps, or anything else that might be able to be repurposed.
Any donations can be dropped at the Library (157 Main Street Lithgow) during opening hours.

LPS P&C

Tasty Tuesday!!!

Next Tuesday the Canteen will be selling Fried Rice for $3.00 per serve.
Please order at the Canteen in the morning with your normal lunch order.

The Uniform Shop is Open Monday afternoons from 2:30-3:20pm. Orders can also be left at the school office with payment.
Cash or Cheque only