From the Principal

School Photo Day
Just a reminder that tomorrow is School Photo Day. We need everyone, from the oldest staff member to the youngest student looking gorgeous and handsome for their photo.

Hot Weather
We have reached the end of Week 6 and it seems that we are having our summer weather now! Remember to pack a drink bottle and ensure your child has their blue school hat. All classes are busy with their learning and if they are hydrated and cool, it helps make learning happen.

PaTCH Training
The next exciting phase of the school’s Early Action for Success initiative kicked off last week with a group of our parents and School Learning and Support Officers receiving training in the classroom numeracy support program. We have had great success so far from last year’s training with literacy, and students in need of extra support in numeracy will be even better catered for in the coming weeks and months. Today our team were busy preparing games and resources for the Kindies.

Easter Raffle
Our Easter Raffle tickets were sent home yesterday. Further tickets can be obtained from the school office, if needed. Both sold and unsold tickets must be returned to the office by Tuesday 22nd March, ready for the draw on Thursday 24 March.

Mufti Day
Don’t forget we are conducting a ‘mufti’ day on Thursday 17th March and students must provide a gold coin as their ‘fee’ for wearing mufti. This money will be used to purchase the Easter Eggs for the raffle.

Have a great week!

Vicki O’Rourke
Premier’s Reading Challenge
Just a reminder that the PRC has started! Children can easily follow the instructions below to log in and add their books directly onto the Challenge website. If there are any problems with logging on, please see your child’s class teacher or Ms Terpaj in the Library. A link to the Premier’s Reading Challenge website can be found in the Student Portal under the Learning section. Students are also able to add a link to the PRC in the My Link List section to make the PRC easier to find. The URL to use is: http://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc
Public school students can also log in directly to the PRC website using their Department of Education (DoE) username and password. These are the same details a student would use to access the Student Portal and the computer network at school. If you are unaware of our username and/or password, please contact your class teacher and ask for your Student Portal username and/or password.
As an added incentive this year, every child who completes the Challenge will be entered into the draw for a great book prize pack. There will be one book pack for a K-2 and one for 3-6. This is in addition to the usual incentive awards the children can collect along the way. Happy reading boys and girls!

Clean Up Australia Day at LPS
Students and Staff did a wonderful job cleaning up our playground as part of Clean Up Australia Day last Friday. Thank you to everyone involved!

Tasty Tuesday!
New to the Canteen!!
Slams
$3.00 per packet of eight!
Please order at the canteen with your normal lunch order.