

# Lugarno Public School P&C Newsletter.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Sept** Final Day to bring in sponsorship money and forms.
- Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Sept** McGrath Ninja Warrior Athon
- Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Oct** Movies Under the Stars at Lugarno Public School. Save the date.



### **P & C Meeting**

**Date:** Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2018

**Time and Location:** 7.00pm in the staffroom, all welcome

If you are unable to attend but would like something discussed please email your discussion item to the secretary Glenn Dogao [secretary@lugarnopandc.org.au](mailto:secretary@lugarnopandc.org.au) and we will add it to the agenda.



### **Ideas on Improving Lugarno**



Rita from The Georges River Council has contacted the P&C to ask for some ideas on how the council can improve Lugarno. Phillip Walker, the P & C Assistant Secretary, will be putting together a letter of reply to the council on the schools behalf but would love to give everyone the opportunity to have their say in what you think Lugarno as a suburb needs or needs to improve. This can be anything in the suburb and can include the school. Some ideas that have already been given include: a skate bowl and bike track at Evatt Park, fixing the cricket nets and half tennis court at Evatt and building a new natural playground in our school grounds - this is just one person's thoughts. You do not need to repeat these ones they are already included but if you have anything more please email Phill Walker with your suggestion [phil@allardycewalker.com](mailto:phil@allardycewalker.com) or email the P & C and we will pass on your ideas to Phill to include in the letter, email [committee@lugarnopandc.org.au](mailto:committee@lugarnopandc.org.au)

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## Ninja Warrior Athon

Proudly sponsored by Hayden and Olivia Duncan from McGrath Real Estate

Only 9 days to go until The Ninja Warrior Athon takes place at our school. Let's get excited Lugarno and start the countdown.

- All sponsorship money must be in this week for your child to be able to take part on the course and to be eligible for all the prizes.
- Any child not bringing in any money to participate on the course will still have fun in the classroom watching a movie.
- For every \$10 you bring in you will receive a raffle ticket in the draw for the iPad (for example, if you bring in \$100 you get 10 tickets in raffle etc). All other prizes are listed on the sponsorship form.
- There will be a special guest attending the day - an actual "Ninja Warrior" from the TV show 'Australian Ninja Warrior'.
- See flyer at back of this newsletter for all info.
- If your family is experiencing financial difficulty at this time please contact the school.



Save the date and ask your friends, families and neighbours to join our school in an outdoor movie night on the school grounds.

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October**

This will be a community event, so all welcome.

More information to follow closer to the date.

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## BINGO Family Fun Night Wrap Up

A very big thank you to everyone that came along and supported our first ever Family Bingo Night on Saturday, it was a full house and a lot of fun.

Thank you to Mrs Dow, Mrs Harris and Mrs Williams for giving up their own family time to support our P & C, and to Melissa Porter, Fiona Burns and Vicki Kaniouris for putting the event together.

Thank you to our major sponsors:

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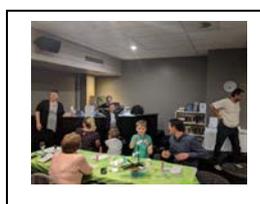
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Please support these businesses back by following and liking their Facebook pages and visiting their websites.

Lastly we would like to thank the families of Fiona, Melissa and Vicki for all their contributions to the night along with Matt, Leanne and Kirsty for their assistance, without you, this event and others like it could not go ahead.

As this was the first time we have run this event, we are after any constructive criticism good and bad and how we could improve it for next time. If you have any ideas apart from fewer bingo games (we already have that in our memory banks) please drop us an email [committee@lugarno.pandc.org.au](mailto:committee@lugarno.pandc.org.au)



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## P&C Newsletter.



At this term's canteen meeting held this week we discussed all things canteen including Term 4 menu changes, moving forward with Flexischools and occasional food days, just to name a few. Full minutes to this meeting will be available on the canteen notice board and in the canteen from next week.

**Term 4 menu** I am now currently working on the Term 4 Summer Menu which will be distributed to all children at the end of this term. There will be some new items, the return of some old favourites and a change to the way you order on a Friday so please keep your eyes peeled.

DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN DO YOUR FLEXISCHOOLS ORDER THE NIGHT BEFORE TO AVOID FORGETTING IN THE MORNING?

**Flexischools Changes as of Term 4** Due to the large number of parents forgetting to place their children's orders before the cut off time on Flexischools, we have decided on a few changes to the system to help out our volunteers who are struggling to get late orders ready on time and to feed the children with no lunch all whilst serving and cleaning up.

The full menu will be available online until 9.30am as it is now, at 9.30am the menu will switch over to a choice of only 3 things and stay open until 11.00am. After 11.00am if your child still has no order they will be given a choice of a Vegemite or cheese sandwich, a piece of fruit and a bottle of water and issued with a note from the office informing you they did not have any lunch and what they were given with a return of payment slip for the food that was provided to them. We will no longer be contacting you asking for your orders or taking late orders over the phone. We are sorry for the inconvenience this may cause.

**Flexischools on Fridays in Term 4** As Friday is such a busy day with band, PSSA sport and fortnightly assemblies, plus normal class time, we have a large number of children forgetting to put their lunch orders into the class basket or to the canteen before they start their day. For this reason, as of Term 4, Friday will now be **Flexischools only** and no over the counter lunch orders will be taken; that way the children will not have to remember to hand in lunch orders in between changing from band to class to sport etc.

The volunteers already have over 100 orders to do on a Friday and when 10 children turn up at the lunch time rush with forgotten lunch order bags it makes the job very hard for the two people who volunteer their time. The same rules will apply as mentioned above. The full Friday menu will be open until 9.30am, we will then have a short menu open until 11.00 and after 11.00am they can choose the sandwich, fruit and water option.

Once again we thank you all for moving forward with us and using the Flexischools option to order your child's lunch. We now have over 70% of the school onboard including our wonderful teachers and it makes life so much easier in the canteen for all volunteers. If you have not yet signed up for an account head over to [Flexischools.com.au](https://flexischools.com.au) and register your child's name. It is free to register. Once you have completed this step, have a look at how easy it is to use. If you need any help please see Fiona in the canteen; she is only too happy to assist you or help you register for an account. Registering does not mean you have to use it or load any money. If you register and decide not to go ahead there will just be certain items and certain days you cannot order using the over counter method.

# MCGRATH NINJA WARRIOR ATHON

**WEDNESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER**

## FINAL REMINDERS

- \* All sponsor cards and money need to be returned this week. We would like to announce the total raised on the day. Remember a raffle ticket for every \$10 raised will go into the major draw to win an iPad.
- \* Sports uniform to be worn. Students participating will also be wearing a bandana. These will be given out prior to the session.
- \* All families are welcome to come and watch their child/ren on the day. It will be so much fun!

## SESSION TIMES

- Early Stage 1 - 10:00 - 10:45
- Stage 1 - 11:30 - 12:30
- Stage 2 - 9:00 - 10:00
- Stage 3 - 1:50 - 2:50



**MAJOR PRIZE:**

**128GB iPad**

**to be drawn on the day**

**Go for gold!**



Thank you to Hayden and Olivia Duncan at McGrath Estate Agents for sponsoring our special event. We value their continued support of our fundraising efforts.



**SPECIAL GUEST**

**Allie**

**Previous Contestant of  
Australian Ninja Warrior**



**HOW EXCITING!**

If you want to be a volunteer, contact Litsa on 0411 233110