



**Lugarno Public School P & C Association  
Newsletter: 4<sup>th</sup> Feb, Week 2 Term 1**

**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT...**

I would like to welcome all our new families and of course our returning families to another great year full of fun activities run by the P & C. Our first event this year is our re-scheduled outdoor movie night on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March on the school oval. Bring along your family and friends for a fun night whilst helping to fundraise.

Our first meeting of the year will be on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm in the staffroom. This meeting will follow the "Meet the Teacher" sessions so why not pop in and see what P & C is all about. We will start with a casual meet and great over some snacks and a drink.

If anyone ever has any questions, please feel free to contact me or one of the executive team on the detail's opposite.

In addition to the \$40,000 for the new playground and \$18,000 for new computers in the computer lab, in the last week of last year we provided the school with another cheque for \$20,000 for additional laptops for years 3 - 6. Our fundraising focus for the beginning of this year is to provide new home readers for Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2. Funds are always spent based on school needs as identified by Mrs Williams and staff, in consultation with the P & C.

**Next meeting:  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 7pm  
in the staffroom**

***Doing it for the kids***

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If you have not downloaded the Qkr! app yet please do. It makes ordering from the canteen, uniform shop and paying for fundraising activities very easy. Please note Qkr! is only for P & C payments. All school online payments (eg life skills, gymnastics etc) are done via the school's website.

To keep up to date with P & C news please join our closed P & C Facebook page; check out this newsletter emailed out every second week and displayed on the P & C noticeboards at school; and check for any notes in school bags. Please note only information regarding public events (eg movie night, election day bbq's etc) will be posted on the public P & C Facebook page. If you haven't already, please join the closed P & C Facebook group - Lugarno Public School P & C.

Please also check out ways to get involved which have been set out below.

I am looking forward to a fantastic 2020!

Regards,

*Melissa Porter*



## **Key dates Term 1**

**Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Feb – P & C meeting 7pm**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March – Outdoor movie night**

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March – Coon Toastie Truck lunch and Splash n Dash fun run**

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April – Grandparents Day/Easter Hat Parade – special lunch orders**

## SCHOOL BANKING

Coordinator: Maria Wainwright

Welcome to a new year of school banking. School Banking will run as in previous years every Wednesday. Please send the completed deposit together with the money (only Australian Dollars) and the classroom teacher will collect them. The books will be returned to the kids after they are processed. If you are new to school banking, a student number will be assigned during the first deposit by the coordinator at school.

Any questions please contact Maria Wainwright (0421408386).

### 2020 Treetop Savers Rewards

We're excited to share that the new School Banking theme for 2020 is Treetop Savers. We've developed a new range of rewards designed to appeal to all ages. In response to your feedback in the Customer Experience Surveys, we've made this year's rewards more eco-friendly and sustainable. All rewards are reusable and packaged using sustainably sourced paper.

- Terry Denton's Activity Book – Term 1
- Mini Soccer Ball – Term 1
- Treetop Stationery Set – Term 2
- Treetop Handball – Term 2
- Tomato Seed Kit – Term 3
- Magic Mist Drink Bottle – Term 3
- Emoji Wallet – Term 4
- Snakes & Ladders Game – Term 4



## **OUR SUB-COMMITTEES**

### **FUNDRAISING NEWS**

Fundraising Convener: Vicki Kaniouris

### **Movie Time Under The Stars @ LPS – Home Alone**

If you have not purchased your tickets yet for the movie night on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2020 jump onto the Qkr! app to purchase. There are also a couple of VIP Bean bag tickets left so get in quick. If you purchased your tickets last year prior to the event being rescheduled your tickets will be carried over. There will be food, drinks and snacks available as well as a raffle and screening of some LPS short films prior to the movie. Check out the Facebook event page for more details.



### **Splash and Dash Colour Run – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

Following on from the success of last year's colour run, we will be holding a Splash and Dash Colour Run where students will be squirted with liquid colour and bubbles. There will also be inflatables to run through and the Coon Toastie Truck again for cheese toasties for lunch. Parents/grandparents are welcome to come for lunch and watch. Student sponsorship forms will be sent home in the next few weeks.

## CANTEEN NEWS

Convener: Janette Allardyce-Walker

The Canteen resumed business on Monday. The menu for Term 1 was distributed last week and is also available on the school website. Lugarno Public School Canteen is a member of the Healthy School Canteen Association.

We are always in need of volunteers in the canteen, so if you think you might be able to volunteer ***any*** time at all on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday, please contact our Canteen Manager ***Sharon Steed on 0430 290 077*** to find out how you can help keep our canteen open. Volunteering in the canteen is a great way to make new friends, a great opportunity to see your children in action and the children love seeing you too. Tea, Coffee, morning tea and lunch all provided. To all the returning volunteers please be sure to check the roster in the canteen and don't forget to tell all your friends how much fun you have during your canteen shift.

Please note that the canteen ***will not be open on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February*** due to the swimming carnival. All Friday recess and lunch orders need to be completed using the QKR! App. If you require any assistance please contact either Sharon on 0430 290 077, or Janette on 0410 638 340.



## **UNIFORM SHOP NEWS**

Convener: Janette Allardyce-Walker

Welcome back to another fun filled year at Lugarno. In the last week of the holidays the Uniform Shop opened for business so that we could all stock up on any last-minute uniform items that were needed for the new school year. We had a very successful day, even though the heat was calling for us to be lounging pool side. Thank you to Layla Teo and Sonia Zarifa for volunteering your time to help me out in the uniform shop on this day.

For the students who have ordered and paid for our new sunglasses, delivery began last week. If you would still like to purchase sunglasses for your child, they will be available until the end of Term 1 for the special price of \$10. All children were sized for sunglasses at the end of last year, so you don't need to worry about what size to get, we have it all recorded. From the beginning of Term 2 the price for sunglasses will be \$18 (P & C are currently subsidising the cost).

The Uniform Shop is open every Monday and Thursday morning from 8:30am to 9:30am in the school hall. You can order you uniform online using the QKR! App or by filling out the uniform shop order form and returning it with correct payment and items will be delivered to your child by one of the volunteers. The order form was sent home last week or is available on the school website. If you have any uniform questions, please feel free to contact me via email or on 0410 638 340.

Cheers, Janette



# Your P & C team for 2020. If you see us ... come and say hi.

## Executive team:

**President:** Melissa Porter - Lachlan in Kindy and Zac in Year 3



**Vice President:** Phil Walker - Ewyn started in 2006 and finished in 2012, Keira started in 2011 and finished in 2017, Callan is in Year 4 and Aiden will join us in 2022.



**Vice President:** Julia Cambey – Ella Year 6 and Lily Year 7.



**Treasurer:** Kirsty McDonnell - Noah in Year 1 and Kira in Year 3.



**Assistant Treasurer:** Leanne Ireland - Lydia Year 3, Aiden Year 5, Alyssa Year 7.



**Secretary:** Venus Amoro-Njuguna - Gikibi in Year 3 and Omenge still to start school.



**Assistant secretary:** Maria Wainwright - Max Year 5, Samuel year 3, and Elias at pre-school.



**Sub-committee conveners:**

**Fundraising:** Vicki Kaniouris – Cate Year 5 and Jonathon Year 8.



**Uniform shop and Canteen:** Janette Allardyce-Walker - Ewyn started in 2006 and finished in 2012, Keira started in 2011 and finished in 2017, Callan is in Year 4 and Aiden will join us in 2022.





## Would you like to get involved but don't know how? Perhaps you can't help out during school hours but would like to contribute in some other way?

If you would like to get involved or contribute in some way, there are many ways to do so and not all of them involve being up at school during school hours. Some ideas include:

- Coming along to a P & C meeting. You do not have to join to attend a meeting. If you would like to vote, a \$5 annual membership is payable.
- Volunteer in the canteen or uniform shop.
- Volunteer at a special event (eg movie night, splash n dash etc).
- Get your child to participate in school banking. Not only does your child learn to save but the school also receives a benefit.
- Purchase any name labels from My Name Label. Use code: LPS0515 at the checkout and get a 5% discount for you and earn 15% for our school. Visit: [mynamelabel.com.au](http://mynamelabel.com.au)
- Make a tax deductible donation to the Building Fund. See <https://www.lugarnopandc.org.au>
- Bring in your bottles/cans (no alcohol bottle/cans) and place in the Blue Bins near the front entrance to the school. We receive 10 cents per item plus we are helping to recycle. Alternatively, contact our Treasurer Kirsty and find out how you can get your own Blue bin at home and have the money donated to the school.

# LUGARNO PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C

presents



**MOVIE NIGHT**

*Under the Stars*

**SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> MARCH**



**WHERE:** LUGARNO PUBLIC SCHOOL OVAL

**TIME:** ENTRY FROM 5PM

MOVIE STARTS 6.30PM

**TICKETS:** ENTRY \$5

AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON QKR! APP  
Or via <http://qrk.mastercard.com/store>

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*For more information please follow our Facebook page:*

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