

NLS News!

An update on everything at New Lambton South Public School

Term 1 Week 5 2024



Term 1 Key Dates

Week 6

Monday 4 March	Chess Lessons
Tuesday 5 March	PSSA Newcastle City Boys and Girls Basketball Trials
Wednesday 6 March	Year 7 EOI open online for Year 6
Thursday 7 March	PSSA Newcastle City Boys Cricket Trials 5/6T Flash Fiction Masterclass
Friday 8 March	PSSA Knockout Cricket v Belair PS Online Chess Competition

Week 7

Tuesday 12 March	Infants Assembly Hunter Regional Swim Carnival
Wednesday 13 March	School Photos
Wednesday 13 – Monday 25 March	NAPLAN ASSESSMENT
Thursday 14 March	Primary Assembly
Friday 15 March	Interschool Chess Competition

Week 8

Monday 18 – Monday 25 March	NAPLAN ASSESSMENT
Friday 21 March	Da Vinci Decathlon - BTAC

Week 9

Monday 25 March	NAPLAN ASSESSMENT
Thursday 28 March	Cross country K-2 Easter Hat Parade Hunter Water Incursion Show



NAPLAN PRACTICE

Students in Year 3 and 5 will be participating in NAPLAN practise in the coming weeks, as they prepare for the NAPLAN testing later in the term. The practise involves students learning how to utilise the online tools specific to NAPLAN, for example manoeuvring a ruler on the screen. Practise takes place during class time.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School Photos will take place on Wednesday 13 March. This year, photo flyers will be sent home to all students before the day. We will send home a notification to parents when the flyers have been distributed to go home.

Each photo flyer will have an individual student code which will allow parents to make payments online for their child.

All payments will be made direct to MSP Photography via online.



CRICKET

Next Friday 8 March, our Boy's PSSA Knockout Cricket Team will take on Belair Public School at Novocastrian Park for the first game of the year. Good luck for next week Boys!

UNIFORM TRANSITION TIMELINE

During 2022, in collaboration with the P and C it was decided that there would be a modification to the current uniform. The current sky blue polo shirt will be phased out and children will wear only the existing sports polo shirt. This was decided based on a number of factors including, comfort for children and washability. The following is an implementation timeline.



2024	2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New kindergarten will all wear the current sports shirt every day.• All other students can wear either the sports shirt 5 days per week or the sky blue polo or a combination of the two.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All students will wear the current sports shirt 5 days per week.

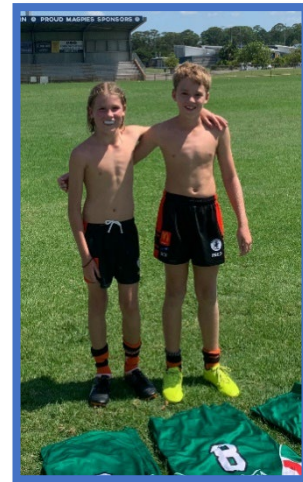
PSSA NEWCASTLE BASKETBALL AND CRICKET TRIALS

Next week, we have students trialling for the selection in the PSSA Newcastle Boys and Girls Basketball and Cricket teams. We wish these competitors the best of luck!



PSSA NEWCASTLE ZONE RUGBY LEAGUE AND AFL TRIALS

During the last 2 weeks, we had 10 students' trial for the PSSA Newcastle Zone Rugby League and AFL sides. Congratulations to Harrison S who made it through to the next stage to PSSA Hunter AFL Trials and Lenny B, Eddie B, Jayden T, Kalani A and Gus C who also made it through to the next stage to PSSA Hunter Rugby League Under 11's and Open Trials.



CONGRATULATIONS TO KALANI A

Congratulations Kalani A for being selected in the Hunter Western Hornets Regional Touch Football Team. He will compete at Regionals in April and Nationals in September.



YEAR 6 TO 7 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Parents of students in Year 6 need to be aware that the online Expression of Interest process will be opening on March 6. Please complete this promptly so that we are aware of where all our Year 6 students will be attending high school in 2025.

To register your child's expression of interest for Year 7 2025 or Placement Not Required (PNR) please use the below link which will access the "Moving to high school" page on our website. EOI close on Thursday 4 April.

<https://year7.enrol.education.nsw.gov.au/?schoolCode=3798>

SCHOOL FEES

School Fees are set by the Department of Education. This year we are asking that parents make a voluntary contribution of \$50. This contributes to the purchase of resources and equipment which is used in classrooms. Parents will receive an invoice via School Bytes by which this payment can be made.



ASSEMBLY DATES

join us..

STAGE ASSEMBLIES

KINDER & STAGE 1

**TUESDAY 12TH MARCH
9.00AM IN SCHOOL HALL**

STAGE 2 & STAGE 3

**THURSDAY 14TH MARCH
9.00AM IN SCHOOL HALL**



CANTEEN NEWS

Ordering is available online and there will be treats available for purchase at specific breaks. If you are keen to volunteer, we would love to hear from you. Please follow the link below to self-nominate days for Term 1 2024. Volunteers can add their own names to the day that they would like.

<https://signup.zone/vFfxn8qXft8i87acL>

CANTEEN WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH.

TERM 1	
Week 6	
Wednesday 6 Mar	Abbie-Lee Green
Thursday 7 Mar	
Friday 8 Mar	Erin Morgan Rachel Fehlberg
Week 7	
Wednesday 13 Mar	CLOSED
Thursday 14 Mar	
Friday 15 Mar	Janet Frith-lau Brooke Vitnell
Week 8	
Wednesday 20 Mar	
Thursday 21 Mar	Amanda Filipcevic
Friday 22 Mar	



Interested in learning guitar?



Come along and join us for a deadly chance to pick up the guitar! This program is made for our mob aged 8 to 17. Boys and girls are invited to join in for a yarn and some good tunes!

Start Date: Tuesday 20th February

End Date: Tuesday 12th April

Time: 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Where: 95 Mitchell Road, Cardiff

Arrive at 3:45pm for a 4:00pm start!

Afternoon tea/snacks provided

Bring your own guitar or use one provided





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Whats on Week 6

4 MARCH - 8 MARCH 2024

MONDAY 4 MARCH

- CHESS LESSONS

TUESDAY 5 MARCH

- PSSA BASKETBALL TRIALS GIRLS - 9.30AM
- PSSA BASKETBALL TRIALS BOYS - 12.30PM

WEDNESDAY 6 MARCH

- YEAR 7 2025 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST OPEN

THURSDAY 7 MARCH

- 5/6T FLASH FICTION MASTERCLASS
- PSSA BOYS CRICKET TRIALS

FRIDAY 8 MARCH

- BOYS KNOCKOUT CRICKET V BELAIR PS

NEXT WEEK:

REGIONAL SWIM CARNIVAL
INFANTS ASSEMBLY
SCHOOL PHOTOS
PRIMARY ASSEMBLY
4/6C EXCURSION

**Be Kind,
Be Safe,
Be Your Best.**

