# NLS News!

An update on everything at New Lambton South Public School

Term 1 Week 6 2024



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| Term 1 Key Dates Week 7           |   |
|                                   |   |
| Tuesday 12 March                  | Infants Assembly<br>Hunter Regional Swim<br>Carnival                          |
| Wednesday 13<br>March             | School Photos   |
| Wednesday 13 –<br>Monday 25 March | NAPLAN ASSESSMENT   |
| Thursday 14<br>March              | Primary Assembly  |
| Friday 15 March                   | Interschool Chess<br>Competition<br>Come and Try Athletics Day<br>4/6C & 1/5B |
| Week 8                            |   |
| Monday 18 –<br>Monday 25 March    | NAPLAN ASSESSMENT   |
| Thursday 21<br>March              | Da Vinci Decathlon - BTAC   |
| Friday 22 March                   | Harmony Day   |
| Week 9                            |   |
| Monday 25 March                   | NAPLAN ASSESSMENT   |
| Thursday 28<br>March              | Cross country K-2 Easter Hat Parade Hunter Water Incursion Show               |
| Week 10                           |   |
| Monday 1 April                    | Easter Monday Public<br>Holiday   |
| Wednesday 3<br>April              | Year 7 2025 Online EOI's<br>Closes<br>PSSA Newcastle City Netball<br>Trials   |
| Thursday 4 April                  | PSSA Newcastle City Boys<br>and Girls Touch Football<br>Tria <mark>l</mark> s |

## **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

School Photos will take place next Wednesday 13 March. Photo flyers have been distributed to all students this week.

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.

Sibling Photo envelopes are available from the office.

All photo flyers are to be returned on the day of the photos.





## RESULTS FROM PSSA NEWCASTYLE ZONE BASKETBALL TRIALS

Congratulations to all our students who trialled for selection in the Newcastle Zone Basketball side on Tuesday. Congratulations to Marli W, Zali M, Evie G, Gus C, Cooper P and Tom M for their selection in both the Boy's and Girl's team.

## FLASH FICTION MASTER CLASS

Students from the Opportunity Class took part in the Flash Fiction Master Class on Thursday. This was a writing event held in collaboration with the Newcastle Writers Festival. Our students learned a lot of valuable tips tricks and insights in how to create the next bestseller!











## PSSA KNOCKOUT CRICKET GAME ROUND 1 V'S BELAIR PUBLIC SCHOOL

A great first round of PSSA Knockout Cricket took place at Novocastrian Park today against Belair Public School.

We defeated Belair Public School in a very close game today. Belair chose to bowl, and we bowled them out for 82 runs. Our team chased down Belair, with only 1 wicket to spare. Both teams showed great spirit and respect for one another.



## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR REGIONAL SWIMMERS

Massive congrats to Zali M, Rose M, Xavier M, Lilly M and Zali P who have qualified for the Regional Swimming Carnival to be held on Tuesday. Zali M and Rose M have qualified in Senior Girl's relay, Xavier M for 8/u 50m Freestyle, Lilly M for 12/u 50m Breaststroke and Senior Relay whilst Zali P who will compete in Senior girls 100m Freestyle, 11s girls 50m Backstroke, Breaststroke, Butterfly and Freestyle, Senior girls relay and 200m Individual Medley. Best of luck on reaching the state championships which are held later in the year.





## **NAPLAN**

Next week sees the commencement of the National Assessment Program in Literacy and Numeracy. All students in Years 3 and 5 have the opportunity to complete standardised tests in aspects of English and Mathematics. Testing commences on Wednesday 13 March.

## YEAR 6 TO 7 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Parents of students in Year 6 need to be aware that the online Expression of Interest process is. 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

## INTERSCHOOL CHESS

Our chess team are firing up and getting ready for the Interschool Chess Competition which commenced today. Our school has a strong history of success in chess and we are expecting big things from our current team who have demonstrated a lot of potential in their training matches to date.

16 passionate chess players from 5/6T competed in the first heat of the Interschool Chess Challenge today. It was a tough day of competition and everyone played well.







## **COME AND TRY ATHLETICS DAY**

Next Wednesday, 4/6C and 1/5B will be going to Fearney Dawes Athletics Track to experience athletics in an enjoyable and non competitive setting.

## **ASSEMBLY DATES**







## **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.

Just a reminder the canteen carries a limited amount of change for Break 1 ice block sales. There has been a number of students bringing in large notes which our canteen manager has struggled to provide change.

https://signup.zone/vFfxn8qXft8i87acL

## CANTEEN WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH.

| TERM 1 Week 7    |                    |
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|                  |                    |
| Thursday 14 Mar  |                    |
| Friday 15 Mar    | Janet Frith-lau    |
|                  | Brooke Vitnell     |
| Week 8           |                    |
| Wednesday 20 Mar |                    |
| Thursday 21 Mar  | Amanda Filipcevic  |
| Friday 22 Mar    |                    |
| Week 9           |                    |
| Wednesday 27 Mar |                    |
| Thursday 28 Mar  |                    |
| Friday 29 Mar    | Closed Good Friday |





## **LAMBTON HIGH SCHOOL YEAR 7 2025**

On behalf of the Lambton HS, James Osterman (principal) would like to invite you to attend a presentation to receive important information to support your student's transition to high school in 2025.

- Date: Thursday 21 March 2024 OR Wednesday 27 March 2024
- Time: 5.30-6.30pm Location: Lambton HS MPC
- Additional Information:
  - A guided school tour is available prior to the commencement of the presentation (5.00-5.15pm).
  - Both evenings are the same presentation (conducted over alternate dates to allow for attendance).

Key programs discussed on the evening will include:

- Year 7 e3 Class (engage, enrich and extend): Catering for students who
  perform at a high academic level, are highly motivated and wish to extend
  themselves in their learning. Students wanting to gain a placement in this
  class are required to complete an online application, pay an application
  fee and undertake a placement test.
- Year 7 CAPA Class: Encompasses NESA Drama, Music and Visual Arts syllabus content. The course offers Year 7 students a combined creative arts experience across all mandatory curriculum areas. Students are required to submit an online application and undertake a scheduled audition. o All information regarding applications for the Year 7 e3 and CAPA classes is available on the Lambton HS website: https://lambton-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/enrolment.html o Applications for both the Year 7 e3 and CAPA classes close on Wednesday 10 April 2024.







## STUDENTS PREPARING FOR AEROBICS COMPETITIONS













## STUDENTS PREPARING FOR PSSA KNOCKOUT NETBALL COMPETITION













## WHAT IS THE P&C

THE PARENTS AND CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION (P&C) IS AN ORGANISATION MADE UP OF PARENTS, TEACHERS AND INTERESTED CITIZENS.

## WHAT CAN YOU DO?

ATTEND SOME MEETINGS AND HAVE YOUR SAY.

WE MEET ON THE 3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH.

VOLUNTEER TO HELP AT OUR EVENTS- WHETHER THEY ARE

SOCIAL EVENTS OR FUNDRAISING EVENTS.

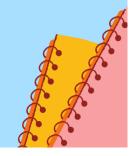
OUR AGM IS IN MARCH...

TO BE ABLE TO VOTE- YOU NEED TO BE A PAID MEMBER (\$1)
OUR RECENT MEET AND GREET RAISED \$990.

OLLOW US ON FB- SCAN THE QR CODE TO GET TO OUR

PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION













Tickets on sale

Tuesday 30th April @10am



## **Performances**

Friday 14 June @11am & 7pm Saturday 15 June @1pm & 7pm























## Whats on Week 7

11 MARCH - 15 MARCH 2024

#### **MONDAY 11 MARCH**

CHESS LESSONS

#### **TUESDAY 12 MARCH**

- HUNTER REGIONAL SWIM
   CARNIVAL
- INFANTS ASSEMBLY @9AM

#### WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH

- NAPLAN TESTING STARTS
- SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

#### **THURSDAY 14 MARCH**

PRIMARY ASSEMBLY @ 9AM

#### FRIDAY 15 MARCH

4/6C EXCURSION

#### **NEXT WEEK:**

5/6T DA VINCI DECATHLON
HARMONY DAY

Be Kind, Be Safe, Be Your Best.



