

LE PAGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dates for Your Diary

APRIL:

Monday, 20th

Wednesday, 22nd

Wednesday, 29th

School Photos!!!!!!

Footsteps Program- Session 2

Footsteps Program- Session 3

"Fly into Foundation" for Pre-Schoolers, 2.30 pm.



**** (Check the website for special events in the rest of the term/year as they become known!)



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Garry's Gabble

Welcome Back!!

Footsteps Dance Program

We had our first session of Footsteps yesterday involving all Students. We had a great deal of fun and learned some new things as well. (Ask your P-2 children about the "Little Snake" and "Big Snake"). It is important that all Students get the opportunity to be involved. Dance and Movement is part of the Australian Arts Curriculum. Our Footsteps Instructor, Jacinta, is well aware of the need to engage Students (not always only the boys!) who don't think that dance and movement is "cool", and it would be great if Parents could encourage their children in this rather than giving them permission to opt out. We are working towards a presentation early in the evening on **Wednesday, 24th June** and it would be disappointing if it involved less than the whole School.



Jacinta had the set-up and the moves. Alexis and Jhesmine were paying close attention and (sorry it's fuzzy) Mehdi and Patrick were certainly giving it their best. Don't let anyone tell you boys cannot move to the groove!

“New” Smoking Regulations

Though smoking has been banned within School grounds since 2009, the original 1987 Legislation has recently been amended to include a ban on smoking within 4 metres of all entrances. You may have read/heard in the media information regarding additional measures in relation to Child Care Centres, playgrounds, sporting fields and public swimming pools. You will notice additional signage regarding the changes around the School. (More permanent signs are on the way!)

Special Anzac Day Assembly on Friday, 24th

Commencing at 3.00pm on Friday of next week we'll be holding a special assembly to acknowledge the 100th Anniversary of the landing of the ANZAC forces at Gallipoli. The assembly will feature the School Choir, the reading of an appropriate story with visuals on the screen and a respectful raising of the Australian Flag and placement of wreaths made in classrooms. All associated with the School are cordially invited to attend. (We will not be doing our usual assembly items at this time to preserve the need to be respectful for this special occasion. The usual reports will be done on Friday, 1st May.)

School Photos on Monday (20th)

Clean uniforms and hair done nicely, please!! Could parents ensure that all children are punctual, as the Photographers like to commence promptly and will move through the Staff (before School) four classes, family photos, Year 6 photo and School Leaders photos fairly quickly. We usually progress through the School from the older Students to the younger ones, but if you are delayed (dentist, etc.) please ring ahead as we may be able to re-organise. Please remember that Photo payments are between you and Master School Portraits. Use the envelopes already distributed, please. All students participate in class photographs and are individually photographed for Student Welfare purposes. Family photos must be ordered or they will not be taken.

“My Mum bought a “ (Smile! ☺)

Have a great week,
Garry



LUNCH ORDERS

Don't forget Lunch Orders every Friday.
Order Forms are at the back of this newsletter

LE PAGE SCHOOL APP

Don't forget to check your tiqbiz app for the latest newsletter and notices.

It can be used to communicate with us if your child or children are going to be away from school etc. We will be able to communicate to you if for any reason there is an emergency, excursion buses are late back to school etc. and inform you of notices that have been issued.



We would love to hear some feedback about the use and this APP. Please let us know if you still require a hard copy of the Newsletter. If you would like further information, please see Heather in the office.



STUDENT BANKING

Banking day is Tuesday.

Scholastic Student Book Club



Issue 3 sent home with the children early this week. If you are interested in ordering, you can now go online and order and pay for the books directly (website address – www.scholastic.com.au/LOOOP), or you can continue to fill in the order form and return it to school and I will put the order in for you. If you choose to send the orders to school, please do so by Thursday 30th April. If you would like further information, please see me, Heather in the office.

News from Parents & Friends' Club

EASTER RAFFLE

Thank you for your support of the Easter Raffle and congratulations to the winners. Hope you enjoyed the prizes.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS – 2015/16

Please refer to the attached notice regarding the new Entertainment Book.

Helga Drpic, President



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FLY INTO FOUNDATION IN 2015

Session 2

Wednesday, 29th April

2.30 pm—3.30 pm (Science)

All prospective enrolments welcome



**School Tours —please call 9583 8342
for appointment**



science



News from Before & After School Care Program

For information about registering or booking into Before and After School Care, please call the school office on 9583 8342 or Emma on 0414 711 530.

