

of Proud Independent Public School

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Good afternoon Subscribers Name

Help us keep your children SAFE online

Did you know that in each developed country, on average 9 children are groomed online by adult sexual predators pretending to be children, every day?

Little Grove Primary School wants to work with parents to keep our children safe online.

Have your children complete the eSmart Digital Licence.

It only costs \$10 - your child's safety is worth it.

Protect your children by giving them the knowledge to be smart, safe and responsible online.

We would like all LGPS students to be safe online so <u>please complete an eSmart Licence for the start of</u> 2020.

Students in PP to Year 2 in 2020 - select Junior Primary Licence.

Students in Year 3 to 6 – select **Primary Licence.**

Students entering high school in 2020 - select Secondary Licence.

Once completed, please print it out for your own records and either email or provide a copy to the school for our records.

Parents are encouraged to sit with your child as they complete the licence, which will enable both of you to gain the knowledge and essential skills of keeping safe online.

Christmas Donations

Thank you to those families who have already made a donation to our classroom Christmas Hampers, they are starting to fill up. If you are still wanting to donate, put a note on your weekend shopping list to add a little something special for those less fortunate at Christmas time. If all donations could be in by Wednesday next week, that will allow us to set them up ready for presentation to the Salvation Army on Friday 13 December at the Christmas assembly.

This is a great way for families to show the Christmas spirit to others at this time of year.

Are you changing Schools in 2020 ?

We ask again, for parents to <u>please</u> notify the office if your child will not be at LGPS in 2020. We have had a few children saying they "will be going to a new school," but we cannot take this as a certainty from a child. Please send us a quick email if you are or maybe changing schools in 2020 – you will not lose your place in our school if your circumstances change.

This information is used for planning, funding and staffing purposes and will in no way reflect on your family.

P&C Disco - Tonight!

The P&C Disco is being held tonight. Parents are asked to remember to bring your completed permission note and please remind your children to follow the expected behaviours:

- * Dance, stand, walk or sit
- * Listen and follow instructions
- * Show respect
- * Have fun and be safe
- * Leave your mobile phone at home or at the door No phones allowed at the Disco.

End of Year Assembly

Next Friday 13 December at 9am we will hold our big End of Year Assembly.

This involves the:

Student Leader Handover Ceremony

Classroom Endeavour Award Presentation

Christmas Hamper Presentation and Christmas Songs.

Everyone is welcome to join us for this special assembly.

Special Dates and Deadlines

Can everyone please take note of the "Event Quick View" section of our E-News - it shows important events and deadlines. (print it out and pop in on the Fridge!) It is really important at this time of year for everyone to be super organised and keep a check on the calendar.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Volunteers Needed

If you can spare an hour, please come along and help the canteen ladies make our canteen all clean and sparkling - after a very busy semester! Many hands make light work. Come along and have a chat, wash a few pans and wipe the benches - your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Enjoy your weekend.



Christmas Food Hamper Collection Boxes

Your donation of non perishable food or Christmas Presents would be greatly appreciated......Each classroom has a Christmas Hamper to accept donations to be presented to the Salvation Army during our Christmas Assembly.

This is a great opportunity to teach children the true meaning of Christmas - thinking of and sharing with others.

Not everyone has the luxury of receiving gifts and having a lovely Christmas luncheon - there are many people in our local area who need assistance at this time of the year.

The Salvation Army prepares approximately 150 Christmas hampers for needy families across Albany.

Your donation can be bought into the classroom and placed in the hamper box which will be presented to the Salvation Army at the Christmas Christmas Assembly on Friday 13 December 2019.



Christmas Disco

It's beginning to feel a lot like Christmas.....and the end of another school year!! To celebrate the P&C will be

To celebrate the P&C will be holding a Xmas Disco for the kids on Friday 6th December, 5pm to 7pm.

Of course, these events can only run with the generous help of volunteers, please click on the link below and volunteer if possible:

https://volunteersignup.org/BRTJ4

Parents are asked to please note an addition to the expectations of students attending our disco. Inline with the school's electronic device policy and issues with social media - it is recommended that mobile phones are not brought to this event. If you wish your child to have a phone for safety reasons, they must leave it at the door with a P&C representative and collect when leaving.



Event Quick View

Fri 6th December

Year 6 NASHS Orientation Day

Fri 6th December

P&C Disco

Mon 9th December

Last Uniform Shop Day for 2019

Tue 10th December

P& C Meeting

Wed 11th December
LAST 2019 Friday Lunch Orders due in before 5pm Today
Wed 11th December
Rm 7&8 Beach Day
Fri 13th December
Special Assembly
Fri 13th December
Uniform Pre-Order 2020 Forms due to office by today!
Fri 13th December
Centre 2 Class Party forms due in by today.
Mon 16th December
Canteen Busy Bee Clean Up !
Thu 19th December
Last Day of School 2019!
Thu 19th December
Year 6 Graduation Ceremony
Fri 20th Decemberto Fri 31st January
School Holidays

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