



# Littlehampton Primary School and Preschool

Happy Kids

# NEWSLETTER



Resilient  
Children

Week 2 Term 2 2016

## Important Dates

**Monday 16th May**  
**PUPIL FREE DAY**  
Staff T&D Day

Governing Council  
Meeting  
7pm  
**Friday 20th May**



P&F Hot Dog Day  
**(No Lunch Orders  
from On the Run)**

**Monday 23rd May**  
Positive Education  
Seminar  
7pm to 9pm



**Tuesday 24th May**  
SAPSASA Cross  
Country Day  
Adelaide Crows  
Football Club Visit

**Tuesday 31st May**  
ICAS Science  
Competition

**Student Absence  
or Lateness :**  
Prior to 9 am  
**Text 0427 016 460**  
with LPS, Student Name,  
Student Class, Absence  
Date and Absence reason.

## Positive Psychology Seminars for Parents

*How do these connect with Positive  
Education/ Positive Psychology?*

- Would you like to find out more about Positive Education at our school and learn strategies that can add to your parenting skills in supporting your children to be happier and more resilient?
- Did you miss out on the popular Positive Psychology Seminars for Parents last year?
- Did you attend last year's and ended the course feeling you definitely wanted more?



The good news is there will be two courses running concurrently,

- **"An Introduction to Positive Psychology"** in the library and
- **"Positive Psychology.... Continuing the Journey"** in a classroom (meet in the library)

The process is, learn it, live it and use it to support your children!

**Dates: Monday Evenings 7 - 9 pm (23 May, 6 June and 27 June)**  
*Registrations essential, email your name, the course you would like to attend and phone number to Debbie in the front office or register on line on school stream*

## School Stream Communication Application



We are pleased to announce the launch of 'school stream' at Littlehampton Primary School. School stream is a communication app allowing you the convenience of accessing important dates, getting alerts about school happenings and receiving an electronic format of the school newsletter. We already have 100 subscribers!

### How to get the school stream app on your mobile device

1. From your mobile device go to The App Store (iPhone/iPad) or Google Play (Android), search for School Stream and download the app to your phone
2. Once School Stream has finished installing, open the app, type 'Littlehampton Primary' into the search, then select your school
3. If you are prompted to accept push notifications, you will need to select OK

We hope this application can further improve our communication as school and make connecting with us more convenient.

**REMINDER: Pupil Free Day**

**Monday 16th May**

*Our Staff are attending a Training & Development Day on Technology in Schools*



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## Drama Classes for LPS Students

**Did you know that local theatre company Free Range Theatrx offers Drama Classes for Littlehampton Primary students on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons in the Library?**

Littlehampton Primary School mum Sally Hardy is the Director of Free Range Theatrx and has been running these classes since mid 2015, with great results. Kids of all ages have fun and gain confidence with drama games and improvisation, while building performance skills and exploring movement, character and storytelling. This term students will begin rehearsing a production of Roald Dahl's hilarious *Revolting Rhymes*, to be performed for audiences in Term 3.

**TUESDAYS 3.15 – 4.30: for Years 2- 7 (\$125 per 10 week term)**

**THURSDAYS 3.15 – 4.00: for Reception & Year 1 (\$110 per 10 week term)**

**Vacancies remain in both classes. Please phone Sally on 0402 334 413 or email [sally@freerangetheatrx.com](mailto:sally@freerangetheatrx.com) to secure your child's place.**

## Parenting Ideas - Michael Grose

Modern day parenting can have its challenges. Michael Grose writes many articles designed to help parents with these challenges and assist in building parent-school partnerships.

On our website you will find a new Interactive button labelled: Parenting Ideas. This will link to useful articles which we will provide from time to time.

Some of the recent articles include promoting good mental health and well being in children, the trick to being at your parenting best, how to move your child from worrier to warrior. Childhood is the perfect time for parents to equip their children with natural tools and strategies. Michael Grose often publishes article which address current issues many parents face.



**The latest improvements in our new playground**

## Premiers Reading Challenge

Well done to the following students who have completed the Premier's Reading Challenge so far:



Sophie Nesbitt  
Hamish Burns  
Tyler Searl  
Ella Pollard  
Matilda Schmidt  
Lateisha Holt  
Lucy McAvaney  
Lucy Caust  
Sanuka Waduge  
Sophia Jeitner  
Anna Kaluzinski  
Lily Beauchesne  
Harry Donaldson  
Nyah Gaff  
Summer Henderson  
Chloe Davis  
Nicholas Streng  
Haidee Hutchinson  
Lachlan Parry  
Georgia Grant  
Jessica Luxon  
Rory Martin  
Cooper Bowry  
Mia DeCaux  
Lily Clark  
Hayden Hill  
Georgie Shultz  
Imogen Metcalfe

Zara Trojan  
Katie Thompson  
Elsie Blakemore  
Brayden Muhlhausler  
Elsie Stewart  
Emma Faber-Paul  
Caitlin Neller  
Emily Bands  
Abbey Carman  
Max Trojan  
Darcy Pallant  
Alexandra Smyth  
Charlie Nesbitt  
Lucinda Walden  
Riley Love  
Jasmine Henderson  
Hannah Innes  
Chloe Engley  
Dylan Lea  
Olivia Palmer  
Takoda Meerbach  
Judd French  
Brodie Pool

## Parents and Friends Hot Dog Day

The Parents and Friends Group will be running a Hot Dog Lunch Day on Friday 20th May.

**THERE WILL BE NO LUNCH ORDERS PLACED WITH ON THE RUN ON THIS DAY**



Your child/children should have been given a form last week to place an order for this special lunch day.

Hot dogs are \$2.50 each and Donuts will be also available for \$1.00 each.

Please make sure that your orders are in no later than Tuesday 17th May.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCEPT LATE ORDERS**