



# Lake Grace District High School NEWSLETTER #5

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Thursday 18th April 2024

## Term 2 Upcoming Events

### ANZAC Day Ceremony Vigil In Collab with RSL and CRC

Thursday 25th April @  
War Memorial Building  
@ 7am, Service to  
follow @ 8.30am

### Year 9 Home Ec. ANZAC Bicky Bonanza Tuesday 23rd April @ lunch time @ Home Ec.

### ANZAC DAY (Public Holiday/No School) Thursday 25th April

### P & C Meeting Monday 29th April @ 6.30pm

### Secondary Netball Carnival (Katanning) Thursday 2nd May

### Do it For Dolly Day Monday 6th May

### Year 8-10 Youth Health and Wellbeing Festival (Narrogin) Wednesday 8th May

### SCHOOL HOURS

Monday (early close)  
8.45am—2.30pm

Tuesday to Friday  
8.45am—3.15pm



# EASTER Hat Parade

THURSDAY 28TH MARCH 2024



On the last day of school in Term 1, the Student Leaders held the Easter Hat Parade. Students made their hats in class and it appears, everyone is incredibly creative—making it very difficult for the student leaders to judge! Well done to the winning students pictured below with Student Leaders.



*Hat Winners*



Front Row L-R: Daisy McDougall, Harry Stubberfield, Declan Morgan, Eva Bairstow, Charli Bell (Student Leader)

Back Row L-R: Dakota Bielby, Zac Matthews (Student Leader), Brock McIntyre, Khalen Pitcher (Student Leader), Mitch Matthews (Student Leader)



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### Message from the Principal: **Kerriane Mills**

Dear Parents & Families,

Welcome back from a wonderful Easter break, I hope you are all well rested! We have a big 11 week term this term and it is going to be a busy one! We have gained some new staff in Latisha McGlenn as an EA in the Kindy/ Pre-primary, Kate Matthews as an EA in the High School and sadly we farewell Alexi as she embarks on a new adventure! We will miss you Lexi and wish you the very best on your future endeavours. We have gained some new students this term, but are also, sadly, farewelling two families. Best of luck for the future, the students will be missed here at LGDHS.

Next week we have ANZAC Day, which is on Thursday the 24th. Although it is a public holiday, Mrs Trevenen and the Cadet students will be performing an ANZAC Day vigil at 0700 hours at the Lake Grace War Memorial with a service to follow at 8.30am. What a great way to honour the memory of Australian and New Zealand soldiers who fought for our great country. The Year 9 Home Ec. Class will be baking ANZAC cookies to sell on Tuesday the 23rd of April at lunch time. The cost for the cookies will be 50c each or 5 for \$4.

In week three the high school students are travelling to Katanning to compete in a netball carnival. This is always a great competition and if your child is attending and has not brought their note back, please remind them. Mrs Trevenen has also sent out an expression of interest regarding Country Week, which is to be held the last week of Term 3. We are only able to take 23 students, so it is first in first served, so if your child is wishing to attend, please also get these forms in ASAP to avoid disappointment.

Lastly, some administration, please inform the office if your contact or address details have changed recently as it is important that we have your most current contact details in the case of an emergency.

Best Wishes

**Kerriane Mills** | Principal



With sadness we would like to acknowledge the passing of former LGDHS Child Health/School Nurse, Elizabeth Trevenen. Elizabeth was our School Nurse for many, many years and will be missed by the school community and beyond. Her caring, kind hearted nature will be remembered for years to come by all those who knew and cherished her.



Breakfast Club is open to all students each Tuesday and Thursday **at 8.30am** in the Home Ec.





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### Message from P & C President: **Nikki Lewis**

Dear Lake Grace Community,

Welcome back to Term 2, on behalf of the Lake Grace P&C, I would like to warmly welcome the new students and their families who are joining us this term.

I also wish all departing students and their families the very best for the future. A special thank you and good bye to Liz Castaldini as Toby, Levi and her husband Matt leave Lake Grace this week. All your assistance with the P&C secretary role and many canteen shifts during your time in Lake Grace are greatly appreciated. Best wishes to you all on your move to Geraldton.

Thank you to the Shire of Lake Grace in particular Aimee, Debb and Jo for hosting the recent disco at the town hall on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April for Youth week.

A massive thank you to Kelly Callope who assisted me to run a small canteen offering kids the opportunity to purchase a hot dog, cold drink and some sweet treats to keep their energy levels high to dance the night away.

It was a successful fundraiser raising over \$350 in profit for our P&C.

Our next meeting is Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April. Please send any agenda items or your apologies to [Lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com](mailto:Lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com)

Don't forget we would love to see some new faces as we discuss our next fundraising opportunities and how our P&C can improve our school.

Regards  
**Nikki Lewis | P & C President**

\*\*For all your uniform needs don't forget to place your orders by Friday afternoon for Monday collection/distribution.

**LAKE GRACE DHS P & C**  
**LOOKING FOR A NEW SECRETARY**

Due to a change in circumstances, the Lake Grace District High School P & C is in need of a new secretary starting term 2

**IF YOU CAN HELP:**  
Call Nikki Lewis on 0417 888 969 or email [lakegracepandc@gmail.com](mailto:lakegracepandc@gmail.com)

**P & C GENERAL MEETING**  
Come join the team to help support our school and students

**MONDAY 29TH APRIL**  
**6:30PM PADLEY ROOM @ LGDHS**

Please send any agenda items/apologies to [Lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com](mailto:Lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com) by Monday 22nd April

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Canteen Roster Term 2 2024			
22/04/2024	Sarah Clarke	Kelly-Anne Gooch	Jihee Jones
29/04/2024	Annie Argent	Karissa Pelham	
6/05/2024	Renae Willcocks	Lake Grace Shire	Lake Grace Shire
13/05/2024	Sarah Clarke	Lake Grace Police	Lake Grace Police
20/05/2024	Nicola Kuchling	Anton Kuchling	Phebe Reidy
27/05/2024	Sarah Clarke		
3/06/2024	Public Holiday	Public Holiday	Public Holiday
10/06/2024			
17/06/2024			
24/06/2024	Teneeka Morgan	Elise Bell	Annie Argent

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### Message from the Chaplain: **Brodie Simmons**

Dear Lake Grace Community,

I hope you all had a lovely and restful break. So far, it's been a delightful return to school, seeing all the smiling faces again around school. I'm looking forward to a busy term 2. Last Term I completed my mandatory training and induction. This term I will focus on visiting classrooms and sitting in on lessons, assisting the student leaders, enjoying breakfast club and getting to know some more faces.

As a Chaplain, I am here to support, empower and encourage our students to be the best they can be and to live happy and healthy lives. Chaplains care about the social, emotional, mental and spiritual wellbeing of students, families, staff and the whole school community. Conversations with chaplains are confidential and non-judgmental. So, if you see me around the school or if you'd like to chat, please come and introduce yourself as I'd love to get to know you. May you have an excellent Term 2.

Regards

**Brodie Simmons** | Chaplain



*The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.*  
-Nelson Mandela

### Message from the Year 3's and Miss Bruce

In the last week of Term 1 we held our assembly item. We had a very busy term and we worked hard to bring a funny and entertaining to LGDHS Community (pictured).

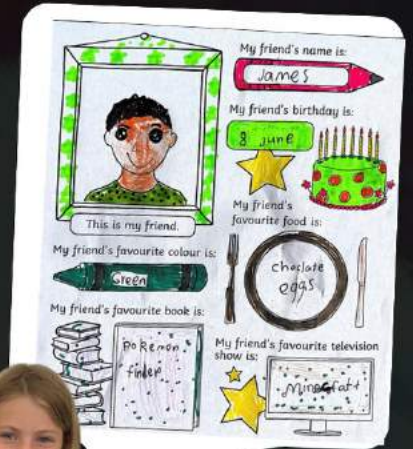
It is hard to believe we are now in term 2! This term in writing we will be exploring information reports. Reports can be written on a variety of different topics, we will be writing about different types of animals. To get us started with learning how to gather information, the year 3's have used their interviewing skills to find out more about each other. On the following pages is a sneak peak at our beginning stage of gathering information.



Breakfast Club is open to all students each Tuesday and Thursday **at 8.30am** in the Home Ec.



### Message from the Year 3's and Miss Bruce



Best Friends in Year 3





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### Parenting Webinar

# Michelle Mitchell

## Parenting Teens Webinar Series

**Free Access to Prerecorded Videos.**  
**12 months replay access. Limited passes available.**



### Webinar 1: What Teens Need

Parenting a teenager can be tiring, a little stressful and an intense roller-coast of rapid change. It can also be so rewarding, especially once you understand what teen's need. These videos are designed to help parents and carers embrace, connect with and enjoy this stage of life.

### Webinar 2: When They Push the Boundaries

Karen Young and Michelle Mitchell come together to equip parents, carers and professionals with strategies to help them stay connected to tweens and teens when they push the boundaries.

### Webinar 3: Guiding Adolescence

Dr Vanessa takes centre stage as they talk about the importance of setting boundaries without damaging their spirit. This webinar will be insightful, challenging, and offer you some solid takeaways to help you understand your role in your child's life.

### Webinar 4: Neurodivergence and Adolescence

This webinar focuses on how neurodivergence might become more visible during adolescence. It will help parents understand the facts while deepening their acceptance in order to fully embrace their growing child.



**TO BOOK:**  
[WheatbeltPCWA@Wanslea.org.au](mailto:WheatbeltPCWA@Wanslea.org.au)

You will be issued with a promocode to access the webinar for free once your booking is confirmed. Please note, these are not transferrable.

Register for one or all four webinars: [WheatbeltPCWA@wanslea.org.au](mailto:WheatbeltPCWA@wanslea.org.au)

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### Parenting Webinar



Puberty can be a tricky time for any child or teen, let alone for an autistic individual. This webinar will inform and discuss the who, what, when, how, and whys of puberty. It will include the physical, social, and emotional changes of puberty and how this intersects and impacts children and adolescents with Autism.

In this webinar we will explore:

- A selection of strategies to support your child
- A range of useful resources for you to use



## Autism & Puberty

Presented by the Autism Association of Western Australia.

A no cost, two-hour information session specifically designed for parents and carers of children and adolescents with Autism ages 6 to 16 years.

### Online Session

Thursday, 2 May 2024  
6pm - 8pm AWST via Zoom

For more information and to register please contact [seminars@autism.org.au](mailto:seminars@autism.org.au)

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### Lego Club

# Lake Grace CRC **LEGO CLUB**

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**3:20pm to 4:30pm**

School Years **1-3**: Wednesdays  
starting **April 24th for 5 weeks**

School Years **4-6**: Wednesdays  
starting **May 29th for 5 weeks**

*Come join us having fun creating & completing challenges each week at the Lake Grace CRC*

**If you are interested please register with the  
CRC on 9865 1470 or  
Central@lakegracecrc.net before attending.**

Please note that spaces are limited.







# Lake Grace District High School

## Parent Planner | Term 2 2024

Please note: This Planner is subject to change

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
1	15 April SDD	16	17	18 Newsletter Year 3 Insert	19	20/21
2	22	23	24	25 ANZAC Day	26	27/28
3	29 P & C Meeting @6.30	30	1 May	2 Newsletter Year 4 Insert Secondary Netball Carnival Katanning	3	4/5
4	6 Do it for Dolly Day	7	8 Year 8,9 & 10 Youth Health & Wellbeing Festival NGN	9 Year 1&2 Assembly	10 Spare Parts Puppet Show	11/12
5	13 Spare Parts Puppet Show	14	15 Year 7 Cadet Camp	16 Newsletter Year 5 Insert	17	18/19
6	20	21	22	23	24 Year 5/6 Hockey Carnival Narrogin ( date TBC)	25/26
7	27	28 Year 8-10 cadet camp	29	30 Newsletter Year 6 Insert	31	1/2 June
8	3 WA Public Holiday	4	5	6 MSP SCHOOL PHOTOS	7 Faction Cross Country TBC	8/9
9	10	11	12	13 Newsletter English/HASS Insert Year 6 Assembly	14 TBC Interschool Cross Country	15/16
10	17 Year 10 Work placement week	18	19	20	21 Yr 1 Red Cross Big Cake Bake	22/23
11	24	25	26	27 Newsletter	28	29/30