



**TERM 1**

**WEEK 4**

**26 FEBRUARY 2021**

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome to this fortnight's newsletter. I aim through these newsletters to keep you informed about all of the exciting things that are happening across our school community.

**FATHERING PROJECT**

I had the pleasure of attending the first Fathering Project event for 2021 last night at Collier Park Golf Course. This was a great opportunity to meet some of the Dads and relax by hitting a few golf balls at the end of the day.

If you are yet to get involved with the Fathering Project here at Lathlain PS I would strongly encourage you to do so. The social connections that it fosters in such a relaxed atmosphere is fantastic. We certainly intend to build information on this project and events into our webpage over the next couple of months.

**CONSENT FORMS**

If you are yet to return the Third Party Consent, Online Services Permission and Image and Work (Media) Permission forms then can I ask that you please do so as a matter of priority. I do want to assure all parents that whilst there is reference to lots of online applications students are certainly not on these all day every day.

**BE YOU ACTION GROUP**

Yesterday afternoon I attended my first meeting with the Be You Action Group. It was impressive to hear about the positive partnerships and steps being taken through collaboration between the school, parents and community organisations. The discussion about social/emotional well-being and protective behaviours really demonstrated your school's commitment to the overall well-being of your children. I look forward to some exciting events throughout the year.

**POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (PBS) GROUP**

In what was a busy day yesterday I also met with members of the Positive Behaviour Support Group to plan the remainder of Term 1 and set further direction for the rest of the 2021 school year with this program. We hope very soon to be able to reveal chosen mascots, which will be used to solidify the C.A.R.E. approach across the Lathlain Primary School community. We will be running a competition once the mascots have been revealed with the students to name them.

The work being planned for this approach will ensure that it truly makes a difference for all members of our school community, especially your children.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**Week 5**

**Monday 1 March**

**Labour Day Holiday NO SCHOOL**

**Week 6**

Mon – Thurs:

First Aid Focus Incursion

Kindy – Yr 6

**Tuesday 9 March**

**Junior Assembly – Rm 3**  
**(No PP students attending T1)**

**Friday 12 March**

**Newsletter; Rm 3**

**Welcome Picnic, 3pm**

**WEEKLY**

**Uniform Shop OPENING**

Monday 8:15-8:45am

Friday 2:45-3:15pm

**Canteen OPEN Tues & Fri**

Place orders via QuickCliq by  
8:30am on the day.

**WASTE FREE WEDNESDAYS**  
Pack a waste free lunch each Wednesday

The school accepts batteries and Nescafe pods for recycling



A container collection point is located between Room 17 and the undercover area.



**School communication app**



Download Seesaw and set up a FAMILY login using the QR code, If you require another QR code contact your class teacher.

## THE LATHLAIN WAY

There has been significant work completed by the committed team of staff on developing the “Lathlain Way”. Great work has been done in the area of Mathematics, which outlines very clearly to all staff, permanent and relief about the way we teach this subject at Lathlain Primary School. In 2021, we will be expanding on this work and looking to deliver similar “Lathlain Way” approaches for other learning areas, commencing with English.

This work will ensure that we maintain the highest levels of teaching and learning across our school community. The expectation is that through this focus on high quality evidence-based teaching practice that student achievement levels will be grown over time. I look forward to sharing progress on this strategy with all across our school community.

## SWITCH TO SEESAW

Now we have Seesaw up and running for parents, we are looking to wind back our use of Skoolbag. All key messages will now be published through our website and through Seesaw. By doing this, we are aiming to reach a much larger percentage of our school community. This will also allow for my commitment of providing open and timely communication to all.

If you are yet to sign up for Seesaw, please do so as soon as possible using the QR code that was sent home to all families earlier this term.

Thank you and have a fantastic fortnight, until we speak again.

Kind Regards,

Rick Walters  
Principal

## PARENT ONLINE WORKSHOP

### Autism and Anxiety: Practical Strategies For Supporting Teens | Webinar

March 4 @ 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm.

Recommended for parents and carers of children with Autism aged **12 to 18 years**.

The teenage years come with many pressures and challenges. Because of this, anxiety is something that affects all young people at some point. Did you know that Anxiety is one of the most common co-occurring symptoms in young people with Autism?

#### In this webinar we will explore:

- Key facts about Anxiety
- Practical strategies for helping teenagers with Autism to cope with Anxiety

Available Resources, Services and Supports:

<https://www.autism.org.au/event/autism-and-anxiety-practical-strategies-for-supporting-teens-webinar-04-03-2021/>



## UPCOMING FIRST AID FOCUS INCURSION

A whole school incursion will be run for all Kindy to Year 6 from 8 – 12 March.

The incursion is free and workshops are presented by trained St John Ambulance Australia personnel. Your child will attend the workshop with their class and teacher. Look out for the parent note going home today.

Students will learn some basics of First Aid; including:

- recognising danger.
- identifying when a person is hurt.
- calling and communicating with emergency services.
- practicing the St John Action Plan (Yrs 3-4).
- appropriate responses in first aid situations (Yrs 5-6)

## ADMINISTRATION NEWS

### Contributions and Charges

Thank you to all the parents who have already paid the contributions and charges through Ziggies or at the front office. All permission forms and payments for incursions/excursions are to come to the office – payment can be cash, EFTPOS or by direct deposit.

Student statements will be mailed home shortly. Any parents requiring financial assistance please come and see the Manager of Corporate Services, Mrs Fiona Bechelli. Payment plans are also accepted.

### iMaths Student Book

All students should now have an iMaths book. Students who received the book through the school will be billed for the cost of the book and it will appear on the statements which will be sent home shortly.

### Update of Emergency Contact Details

If your mobile, work or home number has changed or if you have moved address please ensure the office is updated with your latest contact details. The school requires at least three to four emergency contacts.

## IMPORTANT CONSENT FORMS

Thank you to the many families who have completed the Third Party Consent, Online Services Permission and Image and Work (Media) Permission forms.

If you have not yet returned these forms, please complete and send them to the office as soon as possible.

These forms relate to permission for students to access online learning.



## SCHOOL SECURITY AND STUDENT SUPERVISION

### Gate Closure Times

Children who arrive at school prior to 8.40 am are expected to sit on the benches or verandah outside their classroom until classroom doors open. There is limited supervision available prior to this time. Students are not permitted to play on equipment or run around the quadrangle. Please do not drop children at school before 8:15am.

All students who arrive after 9am are required to be signed in and need to collect a late pass from the office.

The school gates are locked from 9am – 2:45pm. During these times parents are asked to enter the school via the front office. All visitors are required to sign in as a visitor using the iPad. When collecting your child early please sign your child out and give the class teacher the early leave slip.

### End of the school day

All students are to be collected at 3pm. Students who are not collected at 3pm will be taken to the office and parents will be called.

RKC offer before and after school care for parents who cannot make the 3pm collection.

## P&C NEWS AND EVENTS

Hello families,

We held the P&C AGM on Wednesday and although it may have gone on for a wee bit too long, it was fantastic to see some new parents attend and old members return. You can join the P&C at any time during the year so come along to a meeting, pay your \$1 to become a member and join in the fun!

### Welcome to our 2021 P&C Committees

We would like to welcome your new P&C office bearers for 2021. A number of us are continuing this year and we have had some new parents elected as well.

Executive		Executive Committee	
President: Jenny Beer	Email: <a href="mailto:President@lathlainps.org.au">President@lathlainps.org.au</a> <a href="mailto:Jenny.Beer@lathlainps.org.au">Jenny.Beer@lathlainps.org.au</a>	Jenny Beer	Carla Elliott
Vice President: Carla Elliott	Email: <a href="mailto:Carla.Elliott@lathlainps.org.au">Carla.Elliott@lathlainps.org.au</a>	David Crabbe	Jarrad Prue
Secretary: Brian Tombleson	Email: <a href="mailto:Secretary@lathlainps.org.au">Secretary@lathlainps.org.au</a>	Tanya Skidmore	Jayne Paganini
Treasurer: Jarrad Prue		Ange Tulk	Jade Wallace
		Jenny Watts	Maxine Petty
		Cirsten Werndly	Janie Blomfield

Class Representative Coordinator		Canteen Committee	Email: <a href="mailto:Canteen@lathlainps.org.au">Canteen@lathlainps.org.au</a>
Jenny Watts	Email: <a href="mailto:Jenny.Watts@lathlainps.org.au">Jenny.Watts@lathlainps.org.au</a>	Convenor: Tanya Skidmore	Manager: Fiona Henderson
		Jayne Paganini	Wendy Harrison
		Seonaid Clough	Jen Varnavides

Events and Fundraising Committee		Uniform Committee
Convenor: Maxine Petty	Email: <a href="mailto:Maxine.Petty@lathlainps.org.au">Maxine.Petty@lathlainps.org.au</a>	Convenor: Ange Tulk
Pooja Mathew	Carla Elliott	Jade Wallace
Sarah Hill	Janie Blomfield	Natalie West
Tina Schmehl	Helen Cromie	
Amanda Fiorina-Capitani	Claire Brown	

Fathering Project Committee	Your Move Committee
Convenor: Cirsten Werndly	Janie Blomfield
Andy Marsh	Nicole Ireland-Naughton
Steve Elliott	David Crabbe
Matt Blomfield	

### New Volunteer Form

Are you interested in helping out this year? Want to help plan an event? Run a Mother's or Father's Day stall? Help out in the canteen? We would love you to fill in the volunteer form and share your skills and interests with us.

We have created a new volunteer form to find out what parents/families are interested in helping with but also to collect their skill set so we have a record of their professional expertise and how this could assist the school community. This electronic form can be accessed here

[https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-RaA4P3Ru0yDsLdutDYWJ8NtWeUBYUIEkt7dOle\\_67ZUNTIyVIA4MVZNN0pKQkFPTkEwWE1VV000Si4u](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-RaA4P3Ru0yDsLdutDYWJ8NtWeUBYUIEkt7dOle_67ZUNTIyVIA4MVZNN0pKQkFPTkEwWE1VV000Si4u)

**Can you help at the Democracy Sausage Sizzle Saturday 13 March?**

The Democracy Sausage Sizzle on election day is a huge revenue raiser for the P&C - the last election day we raised more than \$3500. This is a whole day event that includes bbq bacon and egg rolls, sausage sizzle and a cake stall.

Next week we are sending home paper plates to ask you to bake for our cake stall. Cakes, biscuits, slices, sweet treats, pickles, jams, chutneys are all welcome. Please drop them off to the canteen on Friday 12 May between 8.30am - 8.45pm or 2.30pm - 3.15pm or on the Saturday morning from 7am. We appreciate your support (and baking!).

We are also looking for chefs and servers for a two hour shift throughout the day. We require 4-5 people on the BBQs and 3 for the cake stalls. Find some friends to volunteer with and head to <https://signup.zone/lathlainps-volunteers> and click on the Democracy Sausage Sizzle tab to sign up. You will BBQ eggs, fry eggs, sizzle sausages, caramelize onions, collect money and orders, put orders together, serve drinks, and have fun!

**Welcome Picnic Friday 12 March**

**WELCOME PICNIC 2021, ON THE LAWN**



**Come & Chill on the Lawn  
Bring a Picnic  
DJ Jaysin will be play'in  
the Tunes!**

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**Lathlain  
Primary School**



**WE NEED  
YOUR CAKES!**

For our Election Day Cake Stall on Saturday 13 March 2021

**WE'RE LOOKING FOR  
CAKES, BISCUITS OR SLICE  
HOMEMADE JAMS, PICKLES,  
CHUTNEYS OR LEMON BUTTER**

Next week we are sending home paper plates to ask you to bake for our cake stall. All donations gratefully received.

Drop off at the canteen on Friday 12 March 8.30 - 8.45am or 2.30 - 3.15pm or bring first thing on the day.



## P&C NEWS AND EVENTS cont

### P&C funding support for 2021

At the AGM we approved the 2021 Budget. These are the projects, resources and activities the P&C is supporting this year.

PROPOSAL/RESOURCE/ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	WHO	RANKING
Japanese resources for Tokyo Olympics (carried across from 2020 budget)	\$1000	All students	DEFINITE
Supplementary digital programs in Numeracy and Literacy: Reading Eggs, Literacy Pro, Maths Seeds and Mathletics	\$5000	All students	1
Sensory and brain break resources for each classroom to cater for students who have processing, sensory or coping difficulties	\$2101.90	All students	2
Hands On Mathematics Toolkits for classrooms (20 boxes)	\$2490	PP - Y6	3
Decodable readers PP-Y2 - synthetic phonics program	\$2820	PP - Y2	4
Gimbal - for use with iPads/iPhones for photography	\$250	Staff	5
3D printer upgrade - senior students	\$2000	Senior students	6
After school instrumental ensemble - Y5 - 6	\$1500	Y5 - Y6	7
<b>TOTAL WITH ADDITIONAL REQUEST</b>	<b>\$17 161.90</b>		

These are the items that the P&C supports every year.

ITEM	2021 BUDGET
WACSSO Membership	\$1100
WACSSO Conference	\$200
REMIDA Membership	\$365
Fathering Project Membership	\$440
Xero accounting package	\$624
Seek Strive Learn Awards	\$600
Sports trophies, ribbons, running club, reading group awards	\$3000
Year 6 Camp	\$40/student (60 students - \$2400)
Year 6 Graduation	\$1000
P&C Community Award - Year 6 Awards	\$70
School community welcome event	\$1500
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12 099</b>

## Join the Fathering Project

Our Fathering Project kicked off the year last night with a driving range golf night for the dads. The group is planning on having two events per term.

We encourage all dads and father figures to join our Fathering Project FB group here <https://m.facebook.com/groups/533992130735916>

Jenny Beer

P&C President

[Jenny.Beer@lathlainps.org.au](mailto:Jenny.Beer@lathlainps.org.au)

## Easter Raffle

It is that time of year again – the Easter Raffle is just around the corner. Please donate any Easter items (Easter eggs, crafts, baskets etc). The more donations received means the more prizes for the children.

**Donations can now be placed in the basket, located in the front office.**

Look out for Easter Raffle tickets, every family should receive them by the end of Week 7. Due back by the 26<sup>th</sup> of March.

**We are also looking for expressions of interest.** For those that wish to contribute more to the school; the possibility of running future Easter Raffles or just being involved with the packing of the baskets. Please contact me, I would love to chat to you.

Leesa. [leesapeters@live.com](mailto:leesapeters@live.com)



## UNIFORM SHOP

### We now have jackets in stock

All those who had pre-paid for jackets or who had returned jackets as per the recall were issued with their replacements/orders on Thursday, 11th Feb.

### Size 8 Polo Shirts Stock

We are currently out of stock for size 8 polo shirts. We will let you know when we have them back in stock.

Thank you,

Uniform Shop Coordinators

**Uniform Shop Open**

**Monday: 8:15am – 8:45am**

**Friday: 2:45pm – 3:15pm**

## TUESDAY & FRIDAY

### SANDWICHES/ROLLS

- Vegemite \$2.50/\$3.00
- salad \$3.50/\$4.00
- -with ham \$4.50/\$5.00
- - with cheese \$4.50/\$5.00
- - with ham & cheese \$5.00/\$5.50
- add mayo .30c

(salad = lettuce, carrot, cucumber & tomato)

### SUMMER SNACK BOX (GFA)

- SMALL SNACK BOX  
3 Chicken nuggets (GFA),  
veggie sticks, apple slices,  
cheese dip & popcorn \$5.00
- LARGE SNACK BOX  
6 Chicken nuggets (GFA),  
veggie sticks, apple slices,  
cheese dip & popcorn \$6.50

### MAC & CHEESE (V)

- One Size \$4.50

### SPAG BOL (GFA)

- One Size \$5.00

### PIZZA

- Bacon Blitz \$4.50
- Hawaiian \$4.50

### CHICKEN TENDER WRAP

- Fresh wrap with Chicken  
Tenders, Lettuce & Mayo \$5.00

# LATHLAIN LUNCHBOX

Term 1 2021

www.quickcliq.com.au by  
8.30am Tuesday & Friday

## TUESDAY SPECIALS

### SUSHI BOWL (GFA)

- Rice, cucumber, nori, mayo,  
Teriyaki chicken (served cold) \$5.00

### HOTDOG

- Frankfurter & tomato sauce \$4.50

### TOASTED CHEESE

#### SANDWICH (V)

- With tomato (v) \$3.30
- with ham \$3.50
- with ham & tomato \$4.00

## FRIDAY SPECIALS

### BUTTER CHICKEN & RICE (GFA)

- Large \$6.50
- Small \$5.00

### NACHOS (GFA) (V)

- With cheese & sour cream \$5.00

### SUSHI

- sushi stick \$3.00
- 6 piece \$6.00  
(Chicken/tuna/veg/avo)

### PASTRIES

- Pie \$3.80
- Sausage Roll \$3.50
- Party Pie \$1.20

## SNACKS & DRINKS

WATER 350ML \$1.50

HILO MILK 225 ML \$1.50

FLAVOURED MILK 300 ML

- Choc/Straw/Spearmint \$2.50

GLEE 250ML

- Trop/Rasp/B.Currant \$2.50

NUDIE 250ML

- Apple/Trop \$2.20

YOGHURT

- Vanilla/Straw \$2.20

FRESH FRUIT SALAD (GF) \$3.00

POPCORN (GF) .50c

### CRUNCH & SIP

- Fruit salad delivered at  
lunchtime for crunch & sip  
time. \$3.00

For enquiries about the menu, allergies or  
volunteering, please email  
[canteen@lathlainps.org.au](mailto:canteen@lathlainps.org.au)

Green: Healthy Choice

Amber: Not too Often

GFA: Gluten Free Available

V: Vegetarian

The school canteen complies with the  
traffic light system

[waco@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:waco@education.wa.edu.au)

The canteen is managed by Fiona  
Henderson, employee of the Lathlain  
Primary School P&C

## RECESS



\$1.20

Pikelets & Fruit



\$1.20

Grilled Cheese Bun



\$1.20

Crackers & Cheese & mini muffin

Recess is available for yr 1 - 6. Recess can be  
pre-ordered on Quickcliq or purchased  
with cash at the canteen during recess.  
All preordered recess meals must be  
collected from the canteen during recess.

## LUNCHTIME SNACKS



50c

2 Pikelets or mini muffin



Sour TNT

\$1.00



Frozen Juice Cup



Icecream cup

\$1.50



Paddle pop



Flavoured milk

\$2.50



Yoghurt tub



# Lathlain sunset celebration

**Saturday 6 March 5-8.30pm**  
**Official ceremony 5.30pm**  
**McCartney Crescent, Lathlain Park**

**FREE  
EVENT**



## Come and explore the refreshed community space

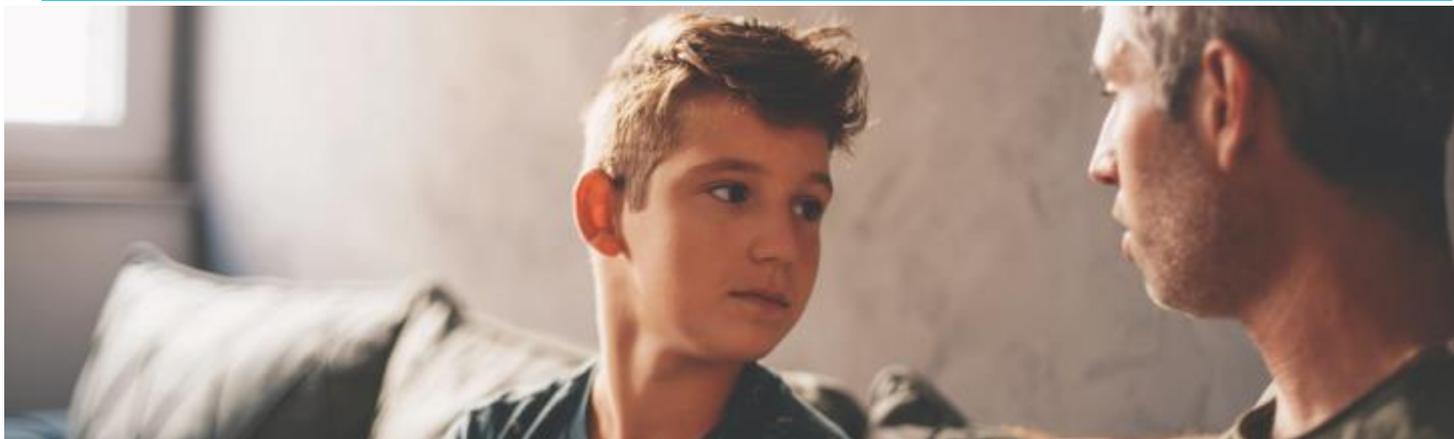
- Food trucks and pop-up bar
- Free entertainment for all ages
- Live music and fire twirling
- Giant bubbles and face painting

*Parking is limited – we encourage you to use public transport.*

*For the enjoyment of everyone, please use the WA Safe App and observe our COVID safety guidelines.*

**[victoriapark.wa.gov.au](http://victoriapark.wa.gov.au)**





## Understanding Anxiety and Depression in Youth

### Family and Relationship Services

#### For Parents of children aged 12-18 years

##### 1-session

##### Workshop Overview

Do you have a young person in your life that may be

This online workshop covers the challenges experienced by anxious and/or depressed adolescents and provides practical ideas and tips for parents and carers to assist their child and themselves.

Please provide your full name, contact number and postcode when registering via e-mail. Bookings are essential as places are limited.



##### BOOKINGS



9251 5777



[parenting@communicare.org.au](mailto:parenting@communicare.org.au)



<https://uadinyouth.eventbrite.com.au/>



##### DATES

Monday

22 March 2021



##### TIME

6.30pm - 8.30pm



##### LOCATION

Lynwood Youth and  
Family Centre  
11 Edgeware Street  
Lynwood



##### COST

Free



##### CRECHE

Not available

Dear Parents and Carers,

Registrations for our Little Stingers (Pre-Primary) and Auskick (Year 1 and 2) programs at South Perth Junior Football Club (SPJFC) are now open! If you are yet to register your child, please do so here: <https://spjfc.org.au/register/>

At SPJFC we conduct and promote junior Australian Rules Football for girls and boys in and around the South Perth area. Last year, we had a number of children from your school play with us and we'd love to see more of you down at the club.

Auskick provides the best introduction for kids into the world of Australian Rules Football. Auskick is inclusive for everyone, no matter if you know the game or not, and we provide a fun, safe and welcoming environment for everyone.

We are currently forming teams so please register without delay.

If you have an interest in coaching your child's team this season please drop our Registrar an email at: [auskickregistrar@spjfc.org.au](mailto:auskickregistrar@spjfc.org.au). No prior experience necessary :)

Room 19

# CARE



Community  
Attitude  
Respect  
Excellence

Room 19 held our assembly on Tuesday. We demonstrated how characters from famous stories would act if they followed The Lathlain Way.

Which famous characters can you see in the photo?

