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Term 1 Week 8

DIARY DATES

Term 1

Student Banking

Thursday at School

Music Lessons

**Each Wed. of Term except
Week 2**

SAKGP

Friday weeks 8&10

**Year 6 Debating Workshop
@ Bowral Public School**

Thursday 22nd March

Student Dental Assessments

Monday 26th March

**Small Schools Athletics
Carnival @ Todkill Park**

Tuesday 27th March

Good Friday

30th Mar18

Easter Monday

02nd Apr18

Canberra Theatre Excursion

Thursday 05th April

**Laggan PS 150th
Celebration**

Saturday 7th April

Last day Term 1

Friday 13th April

The Laggan Leader

Providing First Class Education in an Exceptional Learning Environment

From the Principal

Tennis has just finished with all students gaining stronger skills. Lilly is hitting the ball over the net regularly, Oliver has greater control to keep the ball in the court, Max can hit backhanded shots and Mitchell switches between forehand and backhand.

Our wonderful school held a stall at Laggan markets last Saturday. A lot of interest was shown towards the 150th Anniversary. Old 125th Anniversary books, 150th Laggan pens and tea towels were a highlight. We made \$75 from our sales.

Our Small Schools Athletics Carnival is coming up soon and the students were fortunate to have a qualified instructor from Bathurst come to prepare us for this important event. Kate gave tips, advice and included games throughout the day. All students gained a new skill or two. This was made available through a Sporting Schools Australia grant.

On Wednesday, the students celebrated Harmony Day with activities that looked at diversity and acceptance. We participated in a day of role playing where we welcomed new students (potato people) and demonstrated acceptance of their uniqueness. The students included their friend in activities like reading and spelling.

This week all schools that are participating in NAPLAN online had a practice test. Laggan Public had a successful practice and we are definitely ready for the real NAPLAN in May. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate in contacting the school.

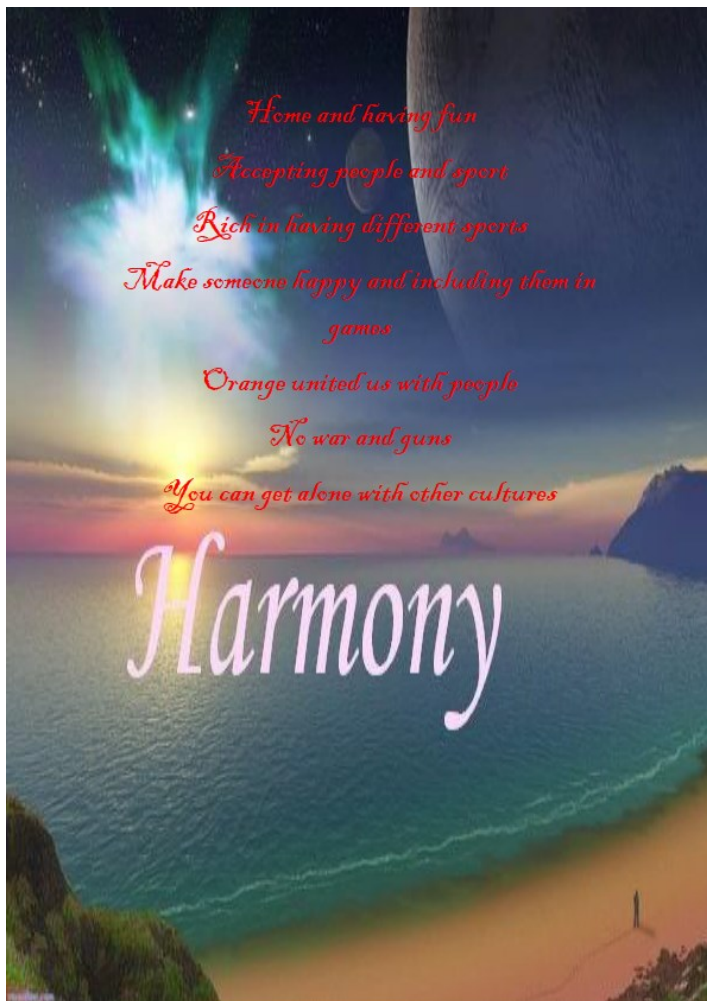
Our year 6 students ventured to Bowral with Bigga and Binda schools to participate in a debating workshop this week. Mrs Rowe was pleased with the students and their efforts. These skills will be developed further throughout the year.

You may have noticed the amazing work that our General Assistances have been doing around the school of late. Liam King has also volunteered his time to assist them. Thank you to those people that have offered their time to make sure that the 150th Anniversary is a success. Many hands make light work.

Wendy Lyons

Relieving Principal





Home is where you're happy

All the countries of the world coming together

Riant is what you should feel

Making people happy is the most rewarding thing possible

Orange is the symbol for harmony

No fighting

Yes to being nice



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ATHLETICS SKILLS DAY



Community Notices

Coles Sports for Schools 2018 promotion.

Starting 7th February 2018 and ending 11th May 2018 for every \$10 you spend at Coles, Coles Express and Coles Online, customers will be given one Sports for Schools voucher (exclusions apply). Bring your vouchers to school and put them in the collection box located in the school office. These vouchers will be tallied and your school will be able to order sports equipment to the value of the vouchers collected.



UPPER LACHLAN SHIRE'S

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION FOR YOUTH WEEK 2018 OPEN TO BOTH PRIMARY AND SECONDARY AGE GROUPS

THEME – "MY PLACE"

1ST PRIZE: \$150

2ND PRIZE: \$100

3RD PRIZE: \$50

ALL TO BE DIGITAL ENTRIES & EMAILED TO

bproudman@upperlachlan.nsw.gov.au

WITH YOUR NAME AND CONTACT DETAILS

BEFORE 13TH APRIL 2018 FOR JUDGING.

WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN EARLY MAY.

1ST PRIZE WILL BE PRINTED ON CANVAS AND
DISPLAYED
THROUGHOUT THE SHIRE!

Taralga Easter Sunday Markets

Taralga War Memorial Hall

Orchard Street, Taralga

- Easter Eggs and activities for the kids
- New stalls including Candles, home baking, craft, bric-a-brac, Taralga organic tea, lotions, BBQ.

All are welcome and we would love to welcome new stall holders too.



\$25 a day
per child

Crookwell Mobile Children's Service are still taking enrolments for 2018, we provide a preschool and long day program for children aged between 6 weeks until 5 years. Our service operates for 48 weeks of the year

We are at the following locations;

- Bigga Anglican Church Wednesday 9:30 till 3
- Collector Memorial Hall Monday and Tuesday 9:30 till 2:45
- Laggan Public School Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:45 till 3:45
- Rye Park Memorial Hall Thursday and Friday 9:30 till 3

For more information please call the Crookwell Neighbourhood Centre on 0248321953 or call in and see our friendly educators at our venues.



Playgroup in Schools

Crookwell Neighbourhood Centre in partnership with Goulburn Schools as Community Centres and Anglicare are pleased to be providing Laggan with Playgroup :

Fridays

**from 9.30 to 11.30 am
in the multipurpose
room.**

All parents please enter through gate at bus shelter and follow to multipurpose room.

We look forward to seeing you there.



Celebrating 150 years

1868-2018

Laggan Public School would like to invite you to celebrate their 150th Anniversary.

Staff, students and community look forward to learning about your journey and memories at Laggan Public School.

Saturday 7th April

School Open Day 2.00-4.00pm

Open classrooms

Memorabilia in the library

Devonshire tea available

Saturday night

Where: Crookwell RSL

Cost: \$45 per person plus drinks

Time: 6.00pm



Please RSVP by Thursday 22nd March

Laggan Public School - 02 48 373 215

Email: laggan-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

WESTERN REGION SUMMER VOLUNTEER SPORTING SPIRIT AWARD

YOUTH
+ OPEN
CATEGORY



The Western Region Summer Volunteer Sporting Spirit Award is an opportunity to recognise volunteers who are the lifeblood of grassroots sport in regional NSW.

Sporting club and association members are invited to nominate individual volunteers in the open or youth category (25 years and under) who would be deserving of such an award.

To be eligible for the winter award the nominee must have been a volunteer with the club or association during the period from October 2017 to March 2018.

Nominations close on Friday 13 April 2018. Terms and conditions apply.

To nominate your volunteer, tell us in 150 words or less why your nominee is the most deserving volunteer. This might include the:

- Time they dedicate to the club, association or committee
- Positive attitude they demonstrate while volunteering
- Positive role model they provide to younger, and other club members
- Expertise and knowledge they bring to volunteering
- Encouragement they give to others in the club, association or committee.

In October 2018 there will also be an opportunity to nominate someone for the Winter Volunteer Sporting Spirit Award (for those who volunteer between April to October 2018).

Submit nomination online at
sport.nsw.gov.au/clubs/western-award



Community Drug and Ice Forum in Crookwell

Thursday 10th May 5:30pm

Crookwell Hospital Community Consultation Committee and Goulburn Community Drug Action Team are coordinating a number of speakers to discuss this growing community issue. The forum plans to provide information on what to look out for, how and where to seek help, and what you could do to help support someone using the drug. Information will be presented from Police, community welfare advocates, and people with personal experience. Supper Provided.

at The Wellness Centre

Crookwell Hospital, Kialla Rd, Crookwell
Any queries contact Jo Marshall Mob: 0408 976 070



FREE school holiday fun at KISS Arts Fest

The KISS Arts Festival 2018 – is a seaside celebration of the spectacular, the silly and the sublime! A side-splitting, hand-clapping, wave-splashing, toe-tapping performance feast – where the fringes of Kiama's Black Beach are transformed for one wondrous weekend into a vibrant village filled with art, heart and the chance to take part.

Say hello to a jam-packed playground of international acts, local talent, unique experiences and pure entertainment. Lanterns, lampposts and laughter. Circus troupes and hula-hoops. Music, mirth, mischief and mayhem. There will be FREE workshops for children, an exciting raft race, markets and a chance to make a fool of yourself in the street performances.

KISS goodbye to boring – and be part of the fun!

Keep up to date by following us on Instagram or on Facebook

This festival will be running 27th-29th April 2018