

The Laggan Leader

EST. 1868 Term 1 Week 11 <u>DIARY DATES</u> <u>Term 1</u> <u>Student Banking</u> Thursday at School <u>Last day Term 1</u> Friday 13th April

<u>Term 2</u> <u>Staff Return</u> Monday 30th April <u>Students Return</u> Tuesday 01st May

National Simultaneous Storytelling day

Wed. 23rd May

<u>School Photo's</u>

Wed. 30th May

GCOPS Rehearsal

Thursday 7th June

<u>Queens Birthday Public</u> <u>Holiday</u>

Monday 11th June

<u>Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser</u>

Sunday 24th June



Providing First Class Education in an Exceptional Learning Environment

From the Principal

The Easter Egg Hunt and activities were held with the playgroup attached to Laggan Public School before the long weekend. We listened to an Easter story about Max and Ruby on the interactive whiteboard. This seemed amazing to our visitors who thought it was a movie screen. We popped on some bunny ears and a tail before hopping and bopping to the Bunny Pokey. Our year 6 leaders organised a successful Easter egg hunt and all students wrote a narrative about Easter prior to the day. Their job was to write for a target audience being 2 years of age. They read the stories to the playgroup children and received instant feedback. Now the books are being read many times in the playgroup room.

Our trip to watch JUNK in Canberra was again kindly assisted by our P&C who also paid for our lunch. The performance was spectacular and demonstrated how children from the past would fill in their days. This led perfectly into our 150th Anniversary. We learnt about students and the schools' past during class time. Fishing and swimming in the creek sounds great even now to our students. The consequences for the students seemed extreme and unfair to our students though.

The open school day and dinner for our 150th Anniversary was very successful and warm. Our visitors had lots to talk about and catch up on. Thank you to Paul, Ingrid and Isabelle Mills for your amazing scones and organisation. Our wonderful former P&C Members Beatrice Williams and Helen Smith also assisted the Mill's family in the kitchen. John Howard, Chris Tetley and Liam King truly made the grounds picturesque for the day. That was a huge job which did not go unnoticed by our visitors. And to Sharon King who worked above and beyond to make sure that the anniversary was SPECTACULAR. Thank you!

Next term Sharon King will be replaced by Vicki Wright and Margret Searl in the office. Sharon is relieving at Crookwell Public to gain more experience which she can then bring back to Laggan in term 3.

So as the term nears the end, I would like to acknowledge the staff who work tirelessly to make Laggan Public an enjoyable learning and working environment. Thank you for making my teaching block as Relieving Principal a pleasurable experience.

A special message for the students is to always remember that YOU ARE AMAZING! Thank you for including me in your fitness sessions, the stories told and the laughs on top of all our learning. Take care during the holidays.

Wendy Lyons

Relieving Principal

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We have definitely been very busy in the last 2 weeks of term. The **Athletics Carnival** was a very successful day and so much fun. Thankfully the weather was great!!! We entertained our friends from the pre-school on site for **EASTER**. We had bunny ears and bunny tails, music, dancing, singing and stories. So much fun was had by staff and children.



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150th Anniversary Celebrations













We had so many visitors from



near and far on Saturday who had a wonderful time reminiscing about their time at Laggan Public School. They had wonderful stories to share of their time here. Everyone enjoyed looking through old photo albums to remember some of the great excursions and opportunities given to them by a close knit country school. Thank-you to everyone who came to visit us. We thoroughly enjoyed meeting you.



































Community Notices



Mother's Day school holiday workshop @ Crookwell Library

Create a beautiful hand knitted felt tissue holder for Mother's Day. There will be a range of designs to choose from.

When: Thursday 19th April 2-3pm

Who: Ages 6+

Cost: \$5 per child (\$10 for families with more than two children)

R.S.V.P: Crookwell Library on 4832 1048



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