



# LUMSDEN SCHOOL

Newsletter Issue 27 – September 14<sup>th</sup> 2018

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### **Reminders:**

- Download the School Stream app to receive texts and updates - Go to [schoolstream.com.au/](http://schoolstream.com.au/) download to download
- For Bus transport information go to [www.dome.easybus.nz](http://www.dome.easybus.nz)

Dear School Friends and Families



Sadly for our school community, Mrs Hailes has let us know that she will be leaving us at the end of this year. Lauren has contributed so much during her seven years at Lumsden School, and will be greatly missed. At the same time we are really pleased for her, having made the carefully considered decision to enjoy new opportunities outside of teaching. Lauren's Deputy Principal position vacancy will be advertised early next term.

Still with staffing, we are fortunate to have retained our Ministry of Education fifth teacher position from the start of next year, despite the roll drop with the large number of Year 6 children moving on to high school. This is great news, as far as next year's class sizes are concerned.

Attached to this newsletter you'll see a consultation document to help us review and plan our delivery of Health and PE programmes. We would really value your input, especially since this learning area is our major focus for development in 2019.



There are almost enough children who have returned Expression of Interest forms for playing in a Lumsden School Touch team next term (Tuesdays after school). Cut off for registration in at the end of this term, so it would be great to have some more names to be able to make this great opportunity happen for the children. Please give me a call or text if your child is interested and you'd be happy for them to play, if you haven't already.



Super 'S' costumed disco dancers were out in force on Thursday evening...Great to see so many children able to come along and enjoy the fun. Many thanks to Alf Maclean, whose lighting, music and sound provision, once again, was fantastic.

Count down on for Production is on. Children have been mainly working on their class items this week, and next week we'll be starting to piece it all together. Apparently Ed Sherran has a helicopter booked and ready to come and see the show, piloted by Jack Walling ☺. A reminder that you can either come and see the show at 10am on the 27<sup>th</sup>, or 7pm that evening.

Hi Lumsden!!



We will be sorry to say goodbye to Jaylyn (Rm 2) and Isabelle (Rm1) Kennard who are having their last day with us today (Friday), as their family move to a new farm at Te Tipua. We wish them all the best with their new start.

Have a good weekend. Time to brush the dust off the lawn mower...

Ngā Mihi,

Andrew Watson  
Principal

## Looking Ahead 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
17	18 BOT Meeting	19	20 Kaboom Performance, NSC	21 Camp fees due	22	23
24	25 School Photos	26	27 Production	28 End of Term 3	29	30

### Term 4

- Year 5 & 6 Camp – Stewart Island      30 October – 2 November
- Pet Day      9 November

### Consulation Doc Link

Thanks to those who have already completed our parent survey to help us with the school's future direction.

Here's the link you'll need (needs to be copied and pasted in, not typed):

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/170SovFUL71wmLdOPSI5b\\_Uq4yr5IZHMa7r47RERxmbg/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/170SovFUL71wmLdOPSI5b_Uq4yr5IZHMa7r47RERxmbg/edit)

**Last day for responses is Monday.** No doubt the children will remind you ... Only about 10 children in the draw so far for the Route 6 lunch! 😊

### Welcome to School



This week we are pleased to welcome Sophie Haydon and Rosy Reed to Room 4. We hope you both enjoy your time at Lumsden School.

### Lawn Mowing Roster

Here are the guidelines to follow:

- Pick up the school mower shed key from the Four Square Supermarket
- Check the mower has fuel and fill from can in shed if necessary. Please let the school know if petrol can is low and we will refill
- Check the map attached to the mower showing which areas to mow
- Catcher loads of grass can be emptied around the back of the school next to the sports container. Wheelbarrow next to shed or in vege garden area available if required
- Top mower up with fuel, when finished and return key to Four Square Supermarket.

The roster for the next few weeks is:

- 15/16 September      Selbie Family
- 22/23 September      Silcock Family
- 29/30 September      Stuart Family

## **Winter Adventure Day Writing – Room 4**

I went ice skating. We went on the ice and we went on the penguin. I had to walk on the ice. And I fell down two times. My gloves had ice on them.

*By Johnny*

I like the magic carpet. It has carpet inside it. The skis are yellow and black and the whole ski is white. I crashed and it hurt a lot.

*By Fraser*

I like skiing. I skied down a steep hill. We went skiing. I like skiing because it is fun. I went on the magic carpet.

*By Briar*

I went ice skating. It was fun. I didn't fall over. I wore ice skating shoes. It was warm in there. We went to the park. I played on the slide.

*By Sophia*

When I went skiing my dad took a photo of me. I went up the chair lift. I skied down the big mountain. It was fun.

*By Daisy*

I had a birthday party. I had a rainbow cake. Some people gave me presents. We ate fairy bread.

*By Rosy*

I like ice skating. It was fun. I put on my skates. I fell over. I stomped on the ice.

*By Jake*

I went ice skating. It was fun. I fell over.

*By Duncan*

I went to ice skating. I like ice skating. I put on my ice skates. And I fell over four times. And I went to the park.

*By Syd*

I like ice skating. It was fun. I went on the penguin. We were taking pictures. We went to the playground. There was a boat. There were lots of swings. We had lunch at the playground.

*By Abbey*

I had a birthday party. It was good. I got presents and birthday cake muffins. It was delicious.

*By Sophie*

I went ice skating. I fell over five times. And my dad took me to ice skating. I used a black pretend penguin. We had lunch at the fun park. And there was a green slide. It looked exciting.

*By Elsie*

I like ice skating. We crashed ten times. We went to the park. We went on the boat.

*By Tate*

When I went to gran and grandad's we went in the tractor. It was fun.

*By Dean*

I like ice skating because it is fun. And there was a park. There was a slide and there was a swing and there was a merry go round.

*By Leah*

## **SOUTHERN REAP "School Holiday Cooking 4 Kids" with Angela Richardson**

10 – 13 year olds, come along and have a fun day learning various cooking and baking methods. Produce some yummy recipes: *Cornish Pasties, Savoury Muffins, Cheesecake Brownie & Mint Log.*

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October** or **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October** 9am-4pm - \$40 at C.S.C WINTON. Phone Southern REAP on 0800 111 117 or email [enquiries@reap.co.nz](mailto:enquiries@reap.co.nz) to enrol.

## **Winton Football Summer League**

Registrations are now being called for mixed senior teams (college students upwards), and mixed junior teams (div 1, years 6 – 8 and div 2, years 1 – 5). For some fun and exercise with friends and family this summer form a team and enter.

Dates: Thursdays Oct 18 – Dec 13

Times: kick offs – junior 5.30pm and 6.00pm; seniors 6.30pm and 7.10pm.

Place: Moore's Reserve, Winton

Cost: seniors \$100 per team; juniors \$10 per player.

Enquiries to: Bronwyn 027 243 6979

Registrations to: Wendy [5aside.wintonfootball@gmail.com](mailto:5aside.wintonfootball@gmail.com) Closing date 30 September 2018.

**Winton Athletics & Harriers** Opening Club night 23<sup>rd</sup> October. Winton Athletics runs junior training nights for children aged up to 14 years during the 4<sup>th</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> terms of the year. For more information contact [wintonathletics@gmail.com](mailto:wintonathletics@gmail.com) or check out our Facebook page.



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Hello everyone,

Can you believe the summer is fast approaching again!? That means one thing – A Summer of Cricket!!!

Last year saw over 800 children play "Superstar Cricket / Academy" and "Girls Smash" across the province and we couldn't have done it without YOU, the schools, the parents and volunteers.

This year we want to make cricket even bigger and better, so we have made a few small changes (for the better we believe ☺), and all the information you will need is below:

### Superstar Cricket Academy

*(very popular last season. Good to have the opportunity here on our school grounds)*

Duration: 6 weeks starting at 4pm  
 Cost: \$20 per player  
 Registrations close: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October



The Superstar Cricket Academy is a junior development programme that teaches the fundamentals of batting, bowling and fielding with an exciting and competitive environment over 6 weeks in Term 4.

There will be 5 rounds of action packed matches and a skills week mixed in for good measure. Each team will have a bye week where they will train with our awesome and fun coaching staff in the new and improved Skills Centre.

*PHONE OR EMAIL THE SCHOOLS TO REGISTER*

#### START DATES:


Centre	Invercargill	Gore	Winton & Otautau	Lumsden	Te Anau
Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start Date	29 October	30 October	31 October	1 November	2 November

*6 weeks here!*

***This programme is evolving based on your feedback and this year will we have two grades for Superstar Academy:***

Programme Name	Superstar Beginner	Superstar Intermediate
Age	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4
Age & Stage	Superstar Cricket	Superstar Cricket
Gender	Boys	Boys
Base Model	School	School
Calendar	Term 4 & Term 1	Term 4 & Term 1
Duration	6 weeks	6 weeks
Day	Mid Week	Mid Week
Ball	Soft	Soft
Pitch	12m	14m
Players	8	8
Overs	8	8
Boundaries	None	30m
Dismissals	Pairs	Pairs
Equipment	Plastic	Plastic
Coach Dev	NZC Foundation	NZC Foundation

**Our Disaster Plaster Fundraiser is Finishing**  
 A Great Fundraiser for the School



**Dear families**

Thank you for your efforts in our Disaster Plaster fundraising drive.


A **Big Reminder** to please return your money and any unsold Disaster Plasters on or before 20<sup>th</sup> September.

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**Return Date and Prizes**

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It is **Very Important** that the plasters and money are returned by Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September as we wish to finalize our campaign and award prizes on the final day of term 28<sup>th</sup> September!



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We really appreciate your support in helping us to achieve our fundraising goal.

Yours sincerely,  
 Friends of Lumsden School (Holly, Sarah, Beks, Alicia & Jeanna)

### Spud In A Bucket Competition

**INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS:**

The Green Team along with support from Jan McFadzien have decided to run a Spud in the Bucket school wide competition.

The children will be planting the spuds and looking after them at school. We will have prizes at the end, for the amount of spuds and the weight. The children who bring their own bucket and money will get to take the potatoes home with them.

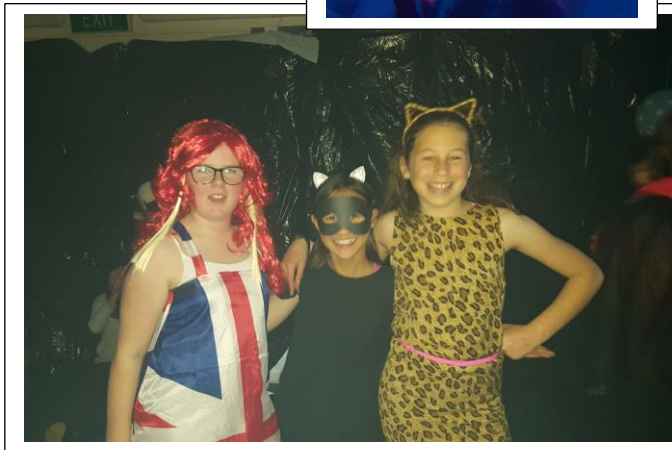
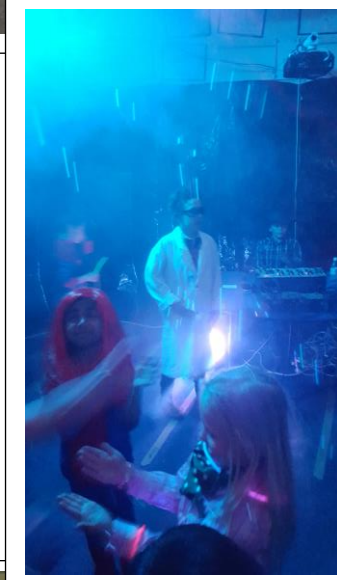
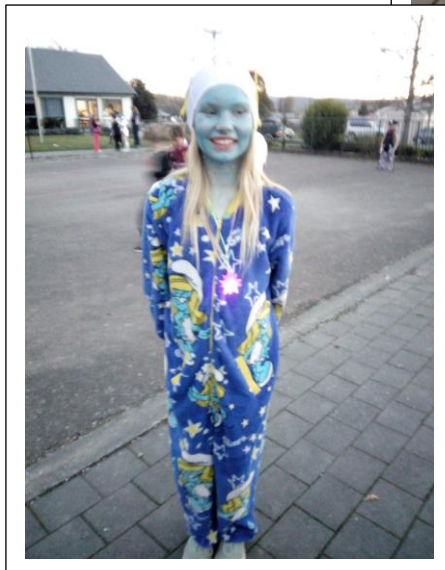
If you would like your child to take part in this, please send a bucket and \$2 to school by Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> of September. This payment is to pay for the soil and the potatoes.

**SCHOOL WIDE:**

Each house group will also be looking after a spud in a bucket. The best one will get house points. We will sell the potatoes at the end of the competition.



# Disco Fever!





**Lumsden Primary School**

**Presents**

**The (Not Completely)  
Kiwiana Show**



Hi  
Lumsden!

**Northern Southland College Hall**

**Thursday 27th September**

**Matinee 10:00am Evening 7:00pm**

**Gold Coin Donation**





## Community Consultation on the Health and Physical Education Curriculum 2018

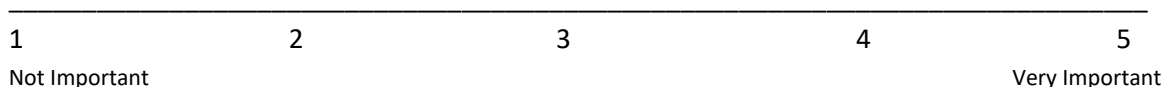
Please return by Friday September 21

*You may wish to discuss some/all parts of this with your child*

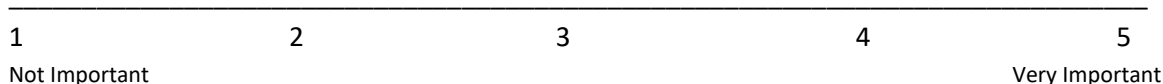
### Background:

School Boards of Trustees are required to consult with their communities every two years about their schools' Health and PE curriculum. There are seven key areas of learning which are required to be included in teaching and learning programmes: mental health, sexuality education, body care and physical activity, sport studies, and outdoor education. The consultation serves to help us decide on priorities and contexts for each of the key areas, so your input will be much appreciated.

1. Circle on the continuum how important you think Health Education is in the school curriculum.



2. Circle on the continuum how important you think Physical Education is in the school curriculum.



3. Rate the importance of the following learning topics and contexts for inclusion in the school Health and Physical Education programme.

1 = Not Important

2 = Important

3 = Essential

### Personal Health and Physical Development

Nutrition		Sexuality Education		Self Care	
Self Worth		Body Care		Coping with Change	
Keeping Ourselves Safe		Peer Pressure		Time/Stress Management	

### Physical Education

Swimming		Playground Games		Ball Skills/Games	
Daily Fitness		Athletics		Games from different cultures	
Gymnastics		Team Sports		Cross Country	
Interhouse lunchtime sports					



### Relationships with Other People

Relating to Others		Resolving Conflicts		Friendships	
Bullying		Self Esteem		Sportsmanship	

### Healthy Communities and Environments

Road Safety		Safe Practices in an emergency		Identifying Hazards	
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4. List any other Health and Physical Education Topics you consider important for your child.

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5. Would you like to learn more about the Health and Physical Education programme through:

Website                                      Yes    No    *(Circle one)*

School Newsletter                              Yes    No    *(Circle one)*

At a Parent/Teacher Meeting              Yes    No    *(Circle one)*

At a Curriculum Evening                      Yes    No    *(Circle one)*

Other:

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6. Do you think we need to do more to promote physical activity? If so what other activities can you suggest?

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7. Sexuality Education is a key area in the Health Education programme. This means that it must be included in teaching programmes.

Would you like to find out more about this programme and different ways it can be delivered?

Yes                                      No    *(Circle one)*

8. Did you discuss any part of this survey with your child?

Yes                                      No    *(Circle one)*

Thanks very much for taking the time to complete this survey.