

LIGHTNING RIDGE CENTRAL SCHOOL



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Term 1, Week 8 2021



Principal's Report

COVID Changes

In case you missed it, the media was alive over the past fortnight, talking up changes in the COVID-inspired restrictions applicable to schools.

What follows is how these changes were communicated by the Department of Education to its school principals.

NSW Health has agreed to the following activities resuming across all schools in NSW:

- ◆ Parents and carers are able to enter school grounds but should continue to follow COVID-safe practices, including social distancing between adults of 1.5 metres. ALL Parents, Carers and visitors must comply with sign-in arrangements, and sign in at the front office before entering the school grounds.
- ◆ Parents and carers can attend school sporting events. School sporting events should align with requirements for community sporting competitions and training activities in NSW.
- ◆ There are no recommended limits on singing groups in schools, including for in-class educational activities such as repetition, chanting, recitation, or singing activities. Five metres is recommended between a group of performing singers and other people, including the audience and conductor, where practicable.
- ◆ Dancing activities – including dance classes, formals and social events can proceed, but organisers should comply with any venue restrictions.

Subject Focus : History

What is history?

History is the study of the past – specifically the people, societies, events and problems of the past – as well as our attempts to understand them. It is a pursuit common to all human societies. By studying history, it is hoped that as a civilization, that we do not repeat the mistakes of the past.

In the NSW School Syllabus, History along with Geography and a range of other subjects lies under the banner of Human Society and its Environments (HSIE). Within this K-10 Syllabus, students study their own family history, community and remembrance, First Contacts, Australian colonies, Australia as a Nation, Ancient and Modern Civilisations, the World Wars, Modern Australia, Expanding Contacts, Rights and Freedoms and Globalisation. These topics allow students to develop a "Big Picture" understanding of their world and the past and incorporate the perspectives of all Australians; men, women, children, Aboriginal, migrant.

As writer and philosopher George Santayana said "Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it." Essentially this means that knowing the past and why events took place allows humanity to learn and not make the same mistakes again unfortunately, we do not always get it right.



National Day Against Bullying
Fri 19th Mar

Harmony Day
Sun 21st Mar

Paint the Ridge REaD
Sat 27th Mar

Bush Poets Visit
Mon 29th Mar

K-12 Cross Country
Fri 26th Mar

K-6 Easter Hat Parade
Thurs 1st April

Last Day of Term 1
Thurs 1st April

School Holidays
Fri 2nd April - Mon 19th April

Students Return
Tues 20th April

K - 12 ANZAC Ceremony
Mon 26th April

2021 School Newsletter now available online via our Skoolbag App and website on www.lightningr-c.schools.nsw.edu.au



A crucial aspect of studying history is for students to develop a bulldust (the polite term) filter. By studying history, students are able to assess historical sources such as diaries, letters, photographs, artworks and political cartoons for purpose, perspective and make their own judgements about the reliability of those sources.

Do they tell the full story?

Do they tell a false story?

From whose perspective are they written?

Are they reliable?

The ability, particularly in the digital world, to look with a critical eye at sources of information is crucial for individuals and society at large. No better example has existed than some of the recent misinformation that has been peddled on the internet around the COVID pandemic.

We must all be vigilant and the subject of History provides students with the skills to determine the reliability of the information they are presented with and hence make decisions that enhance their understanding of the world and to make decisions which ensure their physical, emotional and social wellbeing.

Parents and Citizens Association

For the first time in a year we were able to have a P&C meeting on Tuesday 9th March. It was well attended and one of the key decisions to come out of the meeting was that the P&C would like to lead the community in improving some of our garden beds. This will be a long term process but will kick off on Saturday May 1st at 9.00am with a working bee. We will work until 1.00pm and then have a barbeque supplied by the P&C. Standby for more details on social media platforms and newsletters as the date draws closer.

Post Script

Unfortunately I have been seconded to work in another school for four weeks. Hence, I will not be at Lightning Ridge Central School for the last two weeks of this term and the first two weeks of next term. I will return on deck here on Monday 3rd May. I guarantee that it will be no longer than four weeks. In my absence Mrs Margaret Morriss will be Relieving Principal and Mr Leon Allen will be Relieving Deputy Principal in the Secondary.



Secondary Deputy Principal's Report

National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence will be held Friday 19th March. Mr Allen and Miss Cross have been busy organising a jammed pack day, with a colour run after lunch. There will be more information coming home to you in regards to this event.

Cross Country will be held in Week 9, the course will once again start and finish on the school oval. Students will be running around the golf course and return to the school oval. All students will be competing, if selected they will travel to Coolah in Term 2.

Mrs Currey has organised a shearing school which will be held at Carinya on the 25th & 26th March. This will give students an opportunity to experience shearing and other associated careers around wool production. Thank you to Mrs Currey for organising this event and in being instrumental in bringing it to Lightning Ridge, she has worked very hard to secure funding for this event and we hope the shearing school can continue into the future.

Ms Stewart is taking a group of Stage 6 Aboriginal Studies students to Dubbo to go to the Western Plains Cultural Centre and visit the William Ferguson memorial. This is an important opportunity for students to examine concepts discussed in class.

All these events are due to our wonderful dedicated teachers who take the time to organise educational excursions. During Term 2 there are more excursions planned dependant on COVID restrictions. These notes are handed out during rollcall and it is essential that students are on time to rollcall or they may miss out on these opportunities.

Primary Deputy Principal's Report



While Mrs Miles is taking long service leave for two weeks, I have had the good fortune to be relieving Deputy Principal. For those who have not met me, I came to Lightning Ridge Central School in Term 2, 2020. I took a transfer of duty and expected to only stay until the end of Term 4. After that, I had planned to return to my position at Huskisson Public School, a beautiful seaside school on the South coast. I absolutely loved my outback teaching experience and extended my stay for at least another year. Thank you to students, community members and staff who have made my experience so fulfilling and rewarding.

Teachers have been spending a lot of time and energy focusing on student well-being. All classes have been including the Smiling Minds program into their daily routine and from all reports the benefits have been amazing. After play breaks the students spend about 5-7 minutes relaxing, calming and listening to a mindfulness guided meditation. The staff have noticed that after this short mindfulness break that students have been ready to learn and much more responsive in class. Perhaps you may like to access this program or access others like this at home if you notice that your child is not settling before bedtime or feeling anxious and upset by an event. This idea is not just for children. Since being introduced to the Smiling Minds program, I have been trying to put time aside before bed and before I rise, to actually do the mindful meditations that have been designed for adults. I'm finding it a great way to switch off my busy mind and take time out to focus on my mental well-being.



Passive play

We have been wondering how to make our K-6 play breaks more fun and provide opportunities for students to have positive interactions during their recess and lunch play times. We are slowly gathering resources so that each area will have activity options to keep students entertained. The Student Representative Council (SRC) will discuss this issue and after consulting with their classmates, will make suggestions about the types of activities they would like to see included in our passive play kit.

The charity Good 360 has been very generous with Lego and bracelet making kits, these will be used in our passive play area. I will continue to source suitable resources from Good 360 as well as use our allocated budget to purchase items based on the SRC recommendations. By providing options that are interesting, fun and varied, we hope to create happy and fun play breaks.

A big thank you goes out to Good 360 for supporting our school by providing the passive play activities, drink bottles, books, face paint and sunscreen



Lightning Ridge takes centre stage at the Narrabri CREATE art exhibition.



K-6 will celebrate Harmony Day on Monday 22 March. The colour for Harmony Day is orange -Students may wear something that has orange on it (or as close to orange as possible).

On Monday 22nd March students will be split into mixed Stage groups and the Stage 3 students will lead them to their activities. The groups will have the opportunity move around the primary school and choose activities of interest. The "Doing things together day" is sure to be a wonderful experience.



Worth your Weight in Opal

Ruby Rowland S1B

Ruby was nominated by Mr Britts for offering to tidy the classroom after an art lesson. Awesome job Ruby!



Worth your Weight in Opal

Sophie Miller S2O

Sophie was nominated by Mrs Caley for always being willing to help and support classmates. Thank you, Sophie!



Worth your Weight in Opal

Claudia Bogdan S3C

Claudia was nominated by Mr Bonsing for consistent high quality work in all subjects. Well done, Claudia!



Worth your Weight in Opal

Imigen Hayes Yr 7

Imigen was nominated by Heidi because she always encourages her peers to do the right thing. Great effort Imigen!

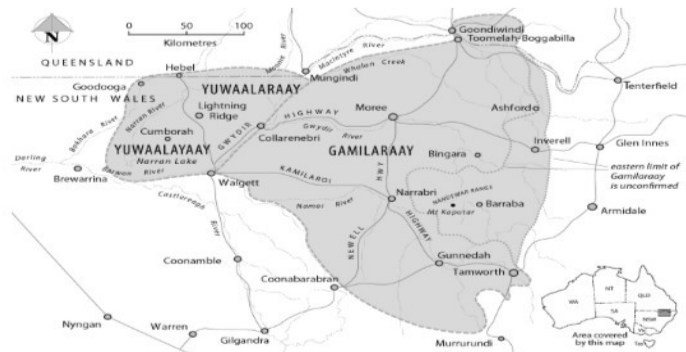
Yuwaalaraay is the dialect of the Lightning Ridge area. The name of the language and Aboriginal people of the Balonne River Region.

Yuwaalaraay

Word of the Week

“Winangali ngaya ngingunha” means “I will listen to you”

Friday is our day of action against bullying.
At Lightning Ridge Central School we always look out for each other.





Positive Behaviour for Learning

Lightning Ridge Central School share a Positive Behaviour for Learning focus with our Students each fortnight. Students who show exceptional PBL values are



This Fortnights PBL focus is Primary - Hands and Feet to self



This symbol represents emu tracks because emu's have no arms, and in conflict they have to either use their heads or move away, or both.

Students are reminded that they must keep their hands and feet to themselves at all times.

This includes showing respect for others by asking if you can use their pens and pencils.



Secondary - Right Place, Right Time

"Right place right time" is shown by a meeting symbol, to give that idea of protocol and Law in knowledge exchange.

Primary Students should arrive at school by 8:55am

Secondary Students should arrive at school by 8:40am

LATE IS NOT GREAT



**If you need to get a message to
your child please contact the
school office by 2:30pm.**

Thankyou

K-6 Assembly



Congratulations to all the students who received awards at our K-6 Assembly on Monday 15th March. Keep up the Great Effort!!

PDHPE

Stage 4 PDHPE

This term Stage 4 are learning about the basic first aid procedures necessary to demonstrate an appropriate response in an emergency situation. Students are gaining an understanding of DRSABCD and be able to demonstrate the CPR technique.

An in class test will examine students knowledge and understanding of the topic.

During practical lessons students are developing their strike, catch and throw skills through a variety of sports and activities.



Stage 5 PDHPE

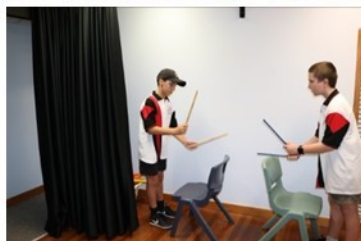
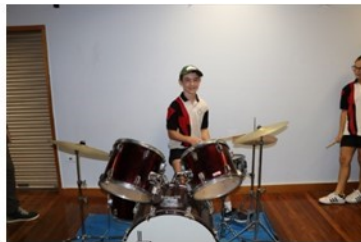
This term Stage 5 are learning about Building Resilience. Students are investigating what resilience is, why it is important and the strategies and skills that are needed to demonstrate resilience. By looking at challenges they face now and identifying management strategies, students can predict ways to manage future challenges.



Music

Today in 7R music, Mr Schembri was teaching the class about percussion.

Forming part of their assessment task, the Students were each given a chair, a set of drumsticks and were asked to choose a rhythm, compose their own section and perform.



A percussion instrument is a musical instrument that is sounded by being struck.

The most common percussion instruments in the orchestra include the timpani, xylophone, cymbals, triangle, snare drum, bass drum, tambourine, maracas, gongs, chimes, celesta, and piano.

Stage 2

In S20 we are reading the novel James and the Giant Peach and embedding the theme Insects and Bugs into our Artwork and Writing.



Dragonfly

This kind of dragon doesn't scare people.

Its legs, like sticks, want to crawl

Those long crooked legs are so spikey and brown.

Catch a leaf and softly, calmly fly away.

Myja



Dragonfly

This kind of dragon doesn't have sharp teeth.

This dragon doesn't have four wings.

Its wings, like to flap, longing to fly.

These wings shine bright like a star.

Catch a friend and play with it all night.

Adrian Ferguson



Dragonfly

This kind of dragon doesn't spit fire.

Its head, is like a golf ball, wanting to eat food.

That small head, so colourful and bright.

Will catch a bug and gobble it down.

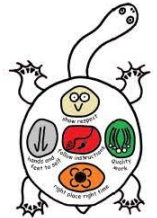
Oliver Sisa

S2H have had a very productive Term 1! Students quickly settled back into school routine and have been engaging in lots of fun learning opportunities. In literacy lessons our class have been exploring nouns and adjectives and their role in descriptive writing. We have been working on counting forwards and backwards by 10s and 100s, and partitioning numbers in numeracy lessons. Students particularly enjoyed participating in PE lessons where they have been perfecting their fundamental movement skills. S2H have had a great start to the year and look forward to continuing





Lightning Ridge Central School



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11 March 2021

Two SLSO positions available in Secondary

Term 2 to Term 4 2021- 5 days per week

Expressions of interest are invited from those interested in a career opportunity in the position of School Learning Support Officer (SLSO) Secondary Department, from the 19th April to 15th December, 2021. This temporary position is for 5 days per week.

Statement of duties

- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, including high levels of literacy and numeracy skills.
- Knowledge and experience in working with students with a variety of disabilities and identified needs.
- Demonstrated ability to assist teachers in implementing the curriculum to meet the needs of all students.
- Outstanding team work skills and willingness to contribute to whole school activities.
- Assistance with implementation and delivery of Personal Learning Plans, individual programs & health plans.
- Provision of scaffolding & adjustments to learning programs as directed by CT and provision of guided practice to assist in consolidating concepts taught.
- Assisting with collection of performance data – academic and behavioural.

Applicants will be required to complete mandatory training: code of conduct, child protection and corruption prevention.

Applications

In no more than two A4 pages demonstrate to the panel how your experience and skills enable you to fulfil these duties, you may include a one page CV detailing previous experience and training. Please include 2 referees contact details and your WWCC number or willingness to register for a WWCC clearance.

Applications need to be submitted to Margaret Morriss, Deputy Principal, at margaret.morriss@det.nsw.edu.au by 3pm Friday 26th March 2021.

Applicants may be required to attend an interview.

**WE ARE
HIRING**



**Lightning Ridge Central
School is hiring!**

Expressions of interest are invited
from people interested in the
position of
School Administration Officer
working in the School Office.

School Administrative Officers are responsible for assisting in a range of school, classroom and office activities, eg record keeping, book keeping and other clerical duties, reception, operating and maintaining classroom and office equipment, purchasing, preparing and maintaining stock and learning/resource materials.

This position is **5 days per week** and will commence Monday 29th March 2021 until Friday 25th June 2021 (with the possibility of an extension for the duration of the year).

Applicants are requested to address each of the selection criteria (selection criteria must not exceed two A4 pages)

Selection criteria

- Well developed communication and interpersonal skills with the ability to work as part of a team to support the local school community.
- Demonstrated ability to effectively utilise office programs such as Word and Excel.
- Demonstrated capacity to exercise initiative, organise resources and meet deadlines.

Resume, cover letter and selection criteria should be submitted by 5pm on Wednesday 24th March 2021 to **Kelly Morriss** kelly.morriss3@det.nsw.edu.au

For further information contact the school on **0268 290 511** or kelly.morriss3@det.nsw.edu.au



This year Primary classes are implementing the Smiling Mind Program and staff have undertaken professional development recently.

The aim of Smiling Mind is to help make future generations happier and healthier through the practice of mindfulness meditation. Free mindfulness training, resources and teaching tools are available to staff, students and families through the Smiling Mind website and app. It is already used by over 195, 000 teachers and 3.8 million young Australians.

Mindfulness is noticing what is happening right now, paying attention to the present moment and being aware of your thoughts and feelings without distraction or judgement. It is not about clearing the mind of thoughts, nor of only feeling positive emotions but it is a way to develop an attitude of self-kindness and acceptance. With repeated practice, students become more attentive, make better decisions about what to give their attention to, and improve their mental health and engagement with learning.

For more information, videos, guides and to even use Smiling Mind yourself, visit their website:

www.smilingmind.com.au

HEALTHY TIPS FOR HEALTHY FAMILIES

CHOOSE HEALTHY SNACK OPTIONS		MAKE WATER YOUR DRINK
	TURN OFF THE SCREEN AND GET ACTIVE EACH DAY	EAT MORE FRUIT & VEG
GET INVOLVED IN ACTIVE TRAVEL	CHOOSE HEALTHY, EVERYDAY OPTIONS AT THE CANTEEN	

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT:

Live Life Well @ School <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/health/primaryschools>

Healthy School Canteens <https://healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au>

Healthy Lunch Box ideas <https://healthylunchbox.com.au>

Live Life Well @ School



#IS RESOURCE WAS DEVELOPED BY WESTERN NSW LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT

ACTIVE TRAVEL

Benefits of active travel

- ☞ Increases physical activity
- ☞ Improves concentration
- ☞ Increased time to talk to your children and find out about their day
- ☞ Learn important road safety skills
- ☞ It's *free*!!

Active travel doesn't just have to be during the week - Try it on the weekend as well!!



Types of Active travel

- ☞ Walking/ running
- ☞ Bike riding
- ☞ Scooter
- ☞ Skateboarding

ORAL HEALTH THERAPISTS (CHILDREN'S)

APPOINTMENTS
AVAILABLE

22 - 24 MARCH

26 - 28 APRIL

24 - 26 MAY

28 - 30 JUNE

CALL WAMS
6820 3736



DENTIST

APPOINTMENTS
AVAILABLE

8 - 19 MARCH

19 - 23 APRIL

3 - 21 MAY

1 - 24 JUNE

CALL WAMS
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A colorful poster for a K-12 Cross Country event. It features silhouettes of runners in various colors (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple) running over a 3D geometric landscape of colorful blocks. The text 'K-12 CROSS COUNTRY' is written in large, bold, yellow letters with a black outline. Below it, 'Friday 26th March 2021' is written in white on a black background.

**K-12
CROSS
COUNTRY**

Friday 26th March 2021

WALGETT & LIGHTNING RIDGE SCRAP COLLECTION EVENT

Walgett collection at Walgett landfill on:-

Friday 12th March 12PM to 4PM

Saturday 13th March 9AM to 1PM

Lightning Ridge collection at Jack Murray's Corner

on:- Friday 26th March 12PM-4PM

Saturday 27th March 9AM-4PM

Bring your scrap copper, brass, aluminum, stainless steel, car/truck batteries, electric motors and radiators to us. It might surprise you what they are worth!!!!

You can drop off your old TV's, computers/ printers or mobile phones FOR FREE Any enquires- call Jan 0437 626 424.

Please note: All payments are made through bank transfers please bring your Bank Details with you.

A joint initiative of Walgett Shire Council & Matthews metal management.





St Vincent de Paul Society
good works

Vinnies is looking for Volunteers.

Do you have a passion to make a difference in your community?

Do you have at least four hours of spare time each week?

Then Vinnies would love to hear from you.

No experience required, Vinnies will train and mentor you at every stage.

Make New Friends, Build Relationships and Acquire New Skills.

But mostly be part of a community who give those in need a helping hand.

Get an application pack at your local Vinnies Shop today or call 02 6862 5758 for more information.

The PTRR Dhinawan is Celebrating its 2nd Birthday.

Where - Out the front of John Murrays Art Gallery.

When - Saturday 27th of March 2021 - Over the morning... from 9 -11.

What is happening - Grab a bag, some books and a book mark to take home.

Leave you mark to say you have been, with a red hand print and signature.

Morning tea and then cupcakes to celebrate.

Supporting our local Community Capacity Building Project :-

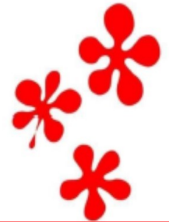
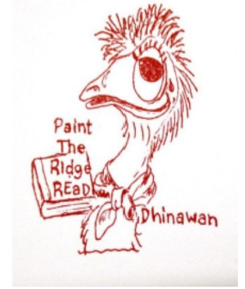
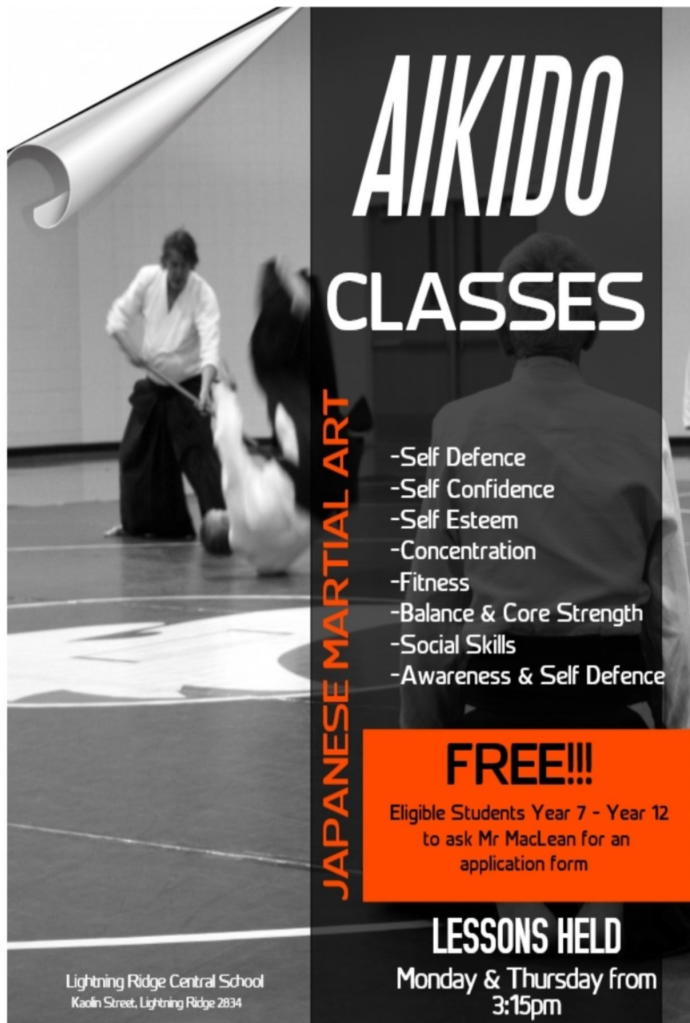
- promoting **Relationships**, **Literacy** and **Learning**.

The PTRR Dhinawan's Motto is

- **Talk, Read, Sing and Rhyme with your child all the time.**

Everyone Welcome.

We will be social distancing and family grouping, in the outdoor area of the gallery. COVID practices apply.

AIKIDO CLASSES

JAPANESE MARTIAL ART

- Self Defence
- Self Confidence
- Self Esteem
- Concentration
- Fitness
- Balance & Core Strength
- Social Skills
- Awareness & Self Defence

FREE!!!

Eligible Students Year 7 - Year 12
to ask Mr MacLean for an
application form

LESSONS HELD
Monday & Thursday from
3:15pm

Lightning Ridge Central School
Kaolin Street, Lightning Ridge 2834



ITS BACK for 2021

LIGHTNING RIDGE EASTER FESTIVAL

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

FUN STARTS
GOOD FRIDAY 2ND APRIL thru to
EASTER SUNDAY 4TH APRIL 2021

Stay tuned for further details

COVID restrictions will apply

2021 School Calendar

If you missed out on your 2021 School Calendar magnet at the end of last year, please come and pick up your copy from the school office.



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School Holiday / Pupil Free Day

2021

Term ONE								Term TWO							
Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
January	18	19	20	21	22	23/24		April	12	13	14	15	16	17/18	
January 1	25	26	27	28	29	30/31		April 1	19	20	21	22	23	24/25	
February 2	1	2	3	4	5	6/7		April/May 2	26	27	28	29	30	1/2	
February 3	8	9	10	11	12	13/14		May 3	3	4	5	6	7	8/9	
February 4	15	16	17	18	19	20/21		May 4	10	11	12	13	14	15/16	
February 5	22	23	24	25	26	27/28		May 5	17	18	19	20	21	22/23	
March 6	1	2	3	4	5	6/7		May 6	24	25	26	27	28	29/30	
March 7	8	9	10	11	12	13/14		May/June 7	31	1	2	3	4	5/6	
March 8	15	16	17	18	19	20/21		June 8	7	8	9	10	11	12/13	
March 9	22	23	24	25	26	27/28		June 9	14	15	16	17	18	19/20	
March/April 10	29	30	31	1	2	3/4		June 10	21	22	23	24	25	26/27	
April	5	6	7	8	9	10/11		June/July	28	29	30	1	2	3/4	

Term THREE								Term FOUR							
Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
July	5	6	7	8	9	10/11		September/October	27	28	29	30	1	2/3	
July 1	12	13	14	15	16	17/18		October 1	4	5	6	7	8	9/10	
July 2	19	20	21	22	23	24/25		October 2	11	12	13	14	15	16/17	
July/August 3	26	27	28	29	30	31/1		October 3	18	19	20	21	22	23/24	
August 4	2	3	4	5	6	7/8		October/November 4	25	26	27	28	29	30/1	
August 5	9	10	11	12	13	14/15		November 5	1	2	3	4	5	6/7	
August 6	16	17	18	19	20	21/22		November 6	8	9	10	11	12	13/14	
August 7	23	24	25	26	27	28/29		November 7	15	16	17	18	19	20/21	
August/September 8	30	31	1	2	3	4/5		November 8	22	23	24	25	26	27/28	
September 9	6	7	8	9	10	11/12		November/December 9	29	30	1	2	3	4/5	
September 10	13	14	15	16	17	18/19		December 10	6	7	8	9	10	11/12	
September	20	21	22	23	24	25/26		December 11	13	14	15	16	17	18/19	
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8 WEEKS TO GO

82nd Annual Walgett Show

Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th May 2021 at Walgett Showground

Information can be sourced from Walgett Show Society Inc.'s Facebook page or contacting Walgett Show Society office on (02) 6828 1318/0499 933 767 or email info@walgettshowssociety.com

See you at the Show!



180 YEARS



Real Wellbeing



Our aim is to keep you motivated, active and independent.

Lightning Ridge Local Transport is now available every Wednesday and Thursday 9:00am – 2:00pm.

Do you need transport? Let us help you to get out and about.
We are committed to supporting your independence.

Australian Unity Community Transport provides you with a safe and comfortable service for your day to day needs including shopping/personal business, medical appointments, visit family/friends, community activities or group outings.

To find out more about our transport services and how we can assist you, please call our Community Transport Team on 1300 295 826

Do you have any time to volunteer to keep our community on the move? Please call 1300 295 826 for more information.

BBQ Lunch

Say **STOP BULLYING. NO WAY!**

Friday 19th March

Fun and Educational Anti-Bullying activities

TAKE A STAND TOGETHER

Colour run

CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY TRASH TO TREASURE

Walgett Council is promoting waste and recycling solutions based on the theme "Trash to Treasure".

Council will award Prizes for the best recycling solution in the following three categories;

- \$500 Best recycling solution for our business or farm.
- \$500 Best recycling solution for our school.
- \$500 Best recycling solution for our town or village.

Eligibility is open to residents of the Walgett Shire and prizes will be awarded for ideas that provide the best practical and economic solution to the recycling and waste issues facing our local communities. The closing date for entries is 31st March 2021.

Conditions of Entry – The Fine Print

Prizes awarded on the basis of one (1) prize allocated in each of three (3) categories. Total prize pool \$1,500.

Prizes to be awarded for best practical and economic solution to recycling that provides a solution(s) that works for Walgett Shire.

Any unclaimed prize money to be donated to local charities.

Entry is open to any resident, who must reside within Walgett Shire for the duration of the event.

Walgett Shire Council employees are eligible to enter. Applications must be received by email to admin@walgett.nsw.gov.au by 12pm on 31st March 2021

Judges decision is final.

Judging panel members and direct family are ineligible to receive a prize.

Judges (5) to be appointed by the General Manager, Walgett Shire Council.

Entries Close:
Wednesday
31st
March
2021.

Little Diggers Preschool and Child Care Centre

FOR THE SAFETY OF THE CHILDREN

From a recent survey with our families, it has come to our attention that there are a number of cars that are constantly using the carpark and related areas, which are not associated with Little Diggers.

Just a friendly reminder that the drop off and pick up drive through area and parking lots are for Little Diggers use only.

Thank you for your understanding.

Important Information

Medication: If your child needs medication, has Asthma, Allergies or Anaphylaxis the Office must be notified. If your child requires medication to be administered at School you will be required to sign a medical consent form for permission to medicate. All medication must be clearly labelled and named.

Absences: Parents are legally obliged to send their children to school. If your child is absent or you know they are going to be absent you are required to notify the school or send a note to the class room teacher and front office. Absentee notes can be found in the back of this booklet or on Skoolbag.

Bus Travel: Students who wish to catch the bus need to complete a travel advice form. These forms can be obtained from the School Office or the Bus company - NRC buses 02 68 294 110.

Updating Student Information: If there is a change in circumstance in your child's life eg. Address or telephone please notify the Office.

Family Court Matters: For us to best be able to provide your child with duty of care please provide us with any court documents and phone school to make appointment with the principal.

Breakfast Club: We have a free breakfast club students K-12. This service operates from 8.30am until 9am Monday –Friday.

School Uniform: At Lightning Ridge Central School we pride ourselves on the appearance of our students and how they represent our school. We have a high expectation of our students to wear their uniforms whilst attending school and representing the school on excursions as well as community events. LRCS uniform shop operates Monday and Thursday Mornings 8:30am to 9:00am.

Name and Label your Childs belongings: Lost property is located in your child's classroom and at the Front Office. Please check lost property regularly as items that remain at the end of each term will be recycled into the uniform pool

Bell times

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lesson 1	8:40 - 10:00 (Secondary) 8:55-10:00 (Primary)	8:40 - 10:00 (Secondary) 8:55-10:00 (Primary)	8:40 - 10:00 (Secondary) 8:55-10:00 (Primary)	8:40 - 10:00 (Secondary) 8:55-10:00 (Primary)	8:40 - 10:00 (Secondary) 8:55-10:00 (Primary)
Lesson 2	10:00-11:00	10:00-11:00	10:00-11:00	10:00-11:00	10:00-11:00
Recess	11:00-11:30	11:00-11:30	11:00-11:30	11:00-11:30	11:00-11:30
Lesson 3	11:30-12:30	11:30-12:30	11:30-12:30	11:30-12:30	11:30-12:30
Lesson 4	12:30-1:30	12:30-1:30	12:30-1:30	12:30-1:30	12:30-1:30
Lunch	1:30-2:00	1:30-2:00	1:30-2:00	1:30-2:00	1:30-2:00
Lesson 5	2:00-2:57	2:00-2:57	2:00-2:57	2:00-2:57	2:00-2:57

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<u>Snacks - (Recess & Lunch)</u>	<u>Sandwiches</u>	<u>Hot Foods</u>
Crunch cups (cheese, carrot, celery, tomato & cucumber) \$3.00	(Gluten free bread available)	Mrs Mac lite sausage roll \$3.50
Yoplait yoghurt 175gm (vanilla) \$2.50	(Multigrain rolls extra \$1.00)	Travellers beef pie \$3.80
Grain waves (sour crème) \$1.20	Cheese \$3.20	Party pies village 60gm \$1.20
Cheese sticks \$1.00	Cheese salad \$4.20	Chicken & gravy roll \$5.50
Lite muffins 75gm (chocolate) \$2.00	Cheese & tomato \$3.60	Garlic bread (Good Tucker 75gm) \$1.30
Koala popcorn (plain) \$1.50	Ham, cheese & tomato \$4.00	UFO ½ roll Cheese & tomato sauce \$2.00
Fresh fruit (banana, apple, orange) \$1.50	Ham or chicken salad \$4.50	Chicken strips per bag (6) \$3.00
Fruit salad cups \$1.50	Ham or chicken \$3.50	McCains pizza (Ham/pineapple or ham/ cheese) \$3.00
	Chicken chilli tender, lettuce & mayo \$4.50	Beefburger (lettuce, tomato, cheese & beetroot) \$5.00
	Ham & cheese \$3.80	Chicken burger (lettuce, tomato & mayo) \$5.00
	Chicken, lettuce & mayo \$4.00	Chicken strips (each) \$0.60
	Chicken, avocado & mayo \$4.50	Beef or chicken noodles \$2.00
	Egg, lettuce & mayo \$4.00	
	Tuna, lettuce & mayo \$4.00	
	Vegemite \$2.80	
<u>Drinks</u>	<u>Wraps (Whole Grain)</u>	
Spring water 600ml \$2.00	Salad wraps \$6.00	
Spring Water 1.5ltr \$3.00	Chicken or ham salad \$6.50	
Juice bombs (grape, blackcurrent, apple/ raspberry, watermelon, orange/ passio, lemonade) \$2.20	Chicken, lettuce & mayo \$5.50	
Just Juice poppers 200ml (apple, orange, apple/ blackcurrent) \$2.00	Chilli tender, lettuce, tomato, \$6.50	
Classic 300ml milk (chocolate, strawberry) \$2.90	Tuna, lettuce & mayo \$5.50	
Big M milk 250ml ctn (chocolate, strawberry) \$2.00	Tuna salad \$6.50	
Nippys reduced fat 375ml (chocolate, strawberry, iced coffee, honeycomb) (High School Only) \$2.80		
Plain ctn milk 300ml \$2.20		
	<u>Small Salad Bowls</u>	
	Salad \$5.00	
	Chicken or ham/egg or tuna \$5.50	
<u>Ice-creams - (Lunch only)</u>	<u>Optional Extras (for Salad Boxes)</u>	
Quelch 99% juice tubes (apple, tropical) \$0.60	Onion, avocado, pineapple - please indicate on order. Also available mayonnaise or french dressing.	
Frozen poppers just juice \$2.00		
Bulla dixie cup (vanilla) \$1.20		
Ka blueys (blue/red/lemon) \$0.60		
Frozen twisted yogurts (mango, blueberry, vanilla, watermelon, strawberry) \$2.20		
		<u>Miscellaneous</u>
		Tomato or BBQ sauce \$0.30
		Bundle of lunch bags \$2.50



Toasted Sandwiches (Via order)

(please order during summer months)

Cheese & ham	\$3.80
Ham, cheese & tomato	\$4.00
Cheese	\$3.20
Cheese & tomato	\$3.60
Chicken, avocado & cheese	\$4.50
Chicken & cheese	\$4.00
Chilli tender & cheese roll	\$5.50



<u>Small Salad Bowls</u>	
Salad	\$5.00
Chicken or ham/egg or tuna	\$5.50

**CANTEEN CLOSSES AT
9.00AM FOR ORDERS!
NO EXEMPTIONS!**

**PLEASE PUT RECESS AND
LUNCH ORDERS ON
SEPARATE BAGS, NAME &
CLASS. THANK YOU**

**ALL PROFITS GO TO
THE P&C FOR THE
STUDENTS!**