Logan Village State School

To provide an outstanding, quality education that will meet the needs of all students and maximise their learning outcomes. To equip students to fully engage in the society of the future as productive members of the community.

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Sports Day Pre Oder Menu Form
The Oval Canteen will be closed from 10.30am to 11.00am to distribute all pre-paid orders.

Please ensure all orders have been handed in with payment by Monday 6th June 2016 to the Tuckshop.

School Disco - 3rd June

Juniors 5.30pm to 6.50pm - Prep to Year 2 Only

Seniors 7.00pm to 8.30pm - Year 3 to Year 6

Logan Village Students only to attend. For safety they must be dropped off and picked up from the hall by an adult.
## Calendar of Events

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### Reminders

#### Money Days
- **Monday, Wednesday & Fridays** mornings 8.00am to 9.30am
- **Tuesday 8.00 – 9.30am**
  - Uniform Shop now Tuesday mornings

#### School Banking day is Tuesday
- Red bin in the office

#### Koala Joeys
- contact the office if you are interested

#### Junior Golf
- 3.15pm - 4.15pm

#### Playgroup
- contact the office if interested

#### Chappy Breakfast
- Thursday mornings in the P & C Hub

#### Uniform Shop
- Tuesday in the P & C Hub
- Eftpos, credit card and cash facilities available. NO cheques

#### Tennis Lessons
- Cancelled until further notice

#### Logan Village PCYC
- Logan Village Allsports- Steele Rd Logan Village
- all welcome to attend Fitness activities for all ages

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**Phone Support lifeline:** 131 114  
**Kids Help Line:** 1800 551 800  
**Police Emergency:** 000  
**Crime Stoppers:** 1800 333 000

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Be Respectful  
Be Safe  
Be Responsible  
Be a Learner
School Improvement Priorities 2016

Improvement Agenda (as outlined in LVSS Strategic Plan 2013 – 2016)

Improvements in Literacy
- Reading/Comprehension
- Writing
- Spelling

Improvements in Numeracy
- Place Value/Number
- Problem solving

Priority Areas of Development
- Consistency of teaching and learning approaches in the priority areas of Reading, Writing, Spelling, Number and Problem Solving.
- Building the capacity of staff as an Expert Teaching team in our priority areas
- Closing the Gap of performance for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students
- Maintaining a positive school tone and staff morale through development of collaborative processes, professional learning and team practices
- Increasing community engagement.

Miller Road Bridge Upgrade

Recently I was advised of the Logan City Council’s intention to complete an upgrade of the Miller Road Bridge. I was informed that there would be a traffic detour directing traffic towards Stegemann Road via Latimer Road. At the time I raised my concerns for students who required pedestrian access and those who cycled to school via the Miller Road Bridge and that it was not feasible to divert them to Stegemann Road as it was unsafe and it added a large distance to their trip.

At a recent meeting of community members the information below was provided.

Pedestrian / cyclist access during the works:
- Concerns were raised regarding access arrangements for pedestrians and cyclists (particularly during wet weather).
- Pedestrian / cyclist access will be provided for via an access track adjacent to the work zone.
- The low level of this access track may result in it being impacted during wet weather.

I have also raised my concerns relating to wet weather access and safety of student. I will seek further clarification of how the student safety will be addressed in the case of a large rain event.

Staff carpark upgrade

The contractors took possession of the carpark Thursday morning. Staff are now required to find alternative parking until the works are complete. We have increased the number of vehicles parking inside the school at the rear of the hall however the overflow of vehicles are going to need to park in parking spaces adjacent the school.

We apologise for any inconvenience this might cause however the works had to be completed prior to the end of the financial year to secure the funding to do the work, hence could not be commenced during the vacation period.
We have completed collation of the recent parent surveys and during the next term I would like to share with the community the feedback we have received regarding the school. We have tried to place responses into categories to give a good overall picture of what our community believe. Below is the response to question 1.

**Issues with email to parent emails**

I have received ongoing feedback from a range of parents regarding emails not making it to some email addresses. This has caused significant frustration to school and home.

I have since this time, been working with Regional IT staff to identify the issue. What has been discovered is that since all Queensland schools migrated to the web based Office 365, we are only able to send emails to 500 addresses in the email group.

As our school has grown we now have more than 500 in our list. As a result some emails on the list are not receiving the emails we are broadcasting. Unfortunately there is no way to identify which emails are not receiving the broadcast emails we send.

I have asked for this issue to be escalated as a major concern as I am not satisfied with our inability to communicate with all parents at the same time. Central office are currently working to resolve this issue and we are hopeful that the issue will be resolved by the end of the term.

In the meantime I ask for your patience as the issue is in no way, the fault of office staff of the school. I ask that parents who are not receiving the newsletter access the school website to check newsletters online.  

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I will also be adding the newsletter link to the school Facebook page. If you would like to see the newsletter visit the Facebook page and like the site.  

https://www.facebook.com/LoganVillageStateSchool/
Under 8's day Friday the 3rd of June. 9:00 - 10:30

Postponed due to current weather
This year Early Childhood Australia celebrates 60 years of Under 8s week. The theme for this year is "Early Learning, Everyone Benefits" highlighting the importance of healthy and balanced learning in the early years of a child’s life. As part of our Under 8s celebration, we invite all of our Prep and Years 1 students with their parents, to spend the morning actively engaging in activities in our prep play area. Please come along and join us for a fun filled morning. Samantha Coull

Maths Challenge
On Wednesday 1st June six of our students represented Logan Village State School at a ‘Maths Day Challenge’ at Loganlea State High School - Alex (6A), Bradley (6A), Erin (5B), Noah (6C), Jack (5B), Seth (6A). Mrs Gayle Clarke, one of our Teacher Aides attended with the students. Mrs Clarke reported that the six students were outstanding at working as a team and that our team came in third place out of the seven participating schools. Congratulations guys! We are very proud of each of you. Thank you also to Mrs Clarke for assisting us with supervision.

KOALA JOEYS FAMILY PROGRAM
FROM BUMP TO BIG SCHOOL

Koala Joeys Oral Language Program
The program will recommence for the 2016 school year in week one of term 2. Mrs Swift will continue to run this program with our pre-prep aged children from 5 years old. This program will run on Wednesday mornings from 9:30 to 10:30.

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With regards the Junior sports day we have changed the structure of the day from previous years. This year the emphasis is on participation not competition. Children will be occupied doing Tabloid activities and games. They will also get to do sprint races on our track but there will will no sprint finals. Students will be involved in a rotation of fun activities that will keep them very busy.

Again a reminder that all students will need an appropriate school hat, sensible footwear, plenty of water and a positive attitude. Parents of course are welcome to come along and to join in what is always a fun week.

Congratulations to two of our students who have had some recent sporting success. Kye Trembath has made the Pacific Rim Zone Cross Country team and Brigham Matuato who has made the Beenleigh District Rugby Union team. Both boys will be competing in their respective trials next month. We wish them well.
PCYC IS NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS
Enrolment packages can be collected from the school office
If you have any questions please contact Beenleigh PCYC on 3380 1777
PCYC provides quality Before School Care, After School Care and Vacation Care programs facilitated by fully trained, enthusiastic and motivated staff. Breakfast and Afternoon tea provided.

Student Council Fundraiser – We want your 5c coins!!!!!!!
Student Council 5cent Fundraiser
The running tally is $1600. Keep up the great work kids!!

Music Notes

Clarinet & Saxophone reeds
Some students are attending lessons with broken reeds. This makes it impossible for them to play their instrument. All students should have 4 good reeds in their case at all times, and should use a different reed each time they practice. This gives the reed the chance to dry out. Reeds are available for purchase through school office.

Beenleigh Eisteddfod
The Junior and Senior Band will be competing at the Logan Entertainment Centre on Wednesday 20th of July as part of the Beenleigh Eisteddfod. A note will be coming home soon.

Band Practices.
Junior Band practices every Thursday morning from 7.50am in the Music Room
Senior Band practices every Friday morning from 7.50am in the Music Room
As Band is a team effort, everyone is required to attend. If you have difficulty getting your child to school for band, could you please email Mrs Gordon at jgord33@eq.edu.au or advise via the music Facebook page.

Instrumental Music Facebook page
We now 59 members! This is the easiest way to communicate message messages home for both myself and Ms Garwell. If your child is currently enrolled in the Instrumental Music program and you are on Facebook, please look us up! Logan Village State School Music is a private group. We share our successes, some photos, and put notes on here in case they don’t make it home to you.
Banking Tokens

As of Tuesday 31.5.16 there will no longer be tokens issued each time you bank. You will still receive a reward every 10 deposits and a certificate every 10 deposits (certificates reset each year). A reward slip will go home with dollarmites book when a reward is due. Thankyou for banking and helping the school raise money each term. The Banking Volunteers 😊

Student Learning Enhancement Resource Scheme (SLERS)

Teachers are accessing a range of different types of resources to support the new curriculum. Instead of utilising a range of different text books, where only a minimum amount would be used, more specific educational resources are used to individualise your child’s educational program. These resources stimulate and differentiate learning for all students. To maximize access to high quality educational resources, we are requesting a $60.00 (Year 1 -6) and ($75 for Prep) payment for every student. This payment should be made to the office once your invoice is received – thank you for your support with this payment, it will make a BIG difference to the delivery of lessons at Logan Village State School this year!

Payment Methods

Money days are Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings.

- In person at Logan Village State School
- Cheque payable to Logan Village State School
- Direct Deposit to school account ………BSB  064-401
- Account  00090017

Please insert your child’s name and amount NOT THE PARENT NAME OR INVOICE NUMBER

Logan Village State School.
Quality outcomes with our community.
Every Student – Every Lesson – Every Day