

Upcoming Events



- Mon June 13—Queen's Birthday Holiday
- Mon June 20—Wed June 22—Year 5 Camp
- Fri June 24—Leanyer
 Campus Sports Carnival
- Fri June 24—Last day of term
- Tues July—Students return Term 3



Term 2 Week 5

Hello Leanyer Families,

We have had a number of events so far this term including our ANZAC Day service, Junior School Athletics Carnival at Howards Springs, Mum's Mornings in the ELC and Transition, and Naplan where we have had reason to be very proud of our students and how they have conducted themselves. They have been showing that they are principled members of our community.

I have recently been talking to a parent about ways to help her children to develop and show appreciation to others. She shared how she doesn't just want them to use their manners and be polite, although this is also very important and desirable, but how she wants them to really feel a sense of gratefulness to others.

We talked about how they could have discussions as a family at the dinner table, sharing things that other people have done for them throughout the day, developing the skills of recognising when they feel thankful to those around them.

There are so many things that we should thank God for each and every day because everything that we have comes from him. Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! Psalm 107:1

We used to have little signs in our staff bathroom that were thought provoking and often funny. One that caught my eye on a regular basis said:

what if you woke up
tomorrow
with only the things
you thanked God for
today

We often take for granted the many things that we have in our lives, and forget to give thanks for them. Some things that I can quickly think of are sunshine, rain, friends, family, a job, food, electricity, a home and the list goes on.....

Each day, let's take a moment to thank God for what we have, as well as remembering to thank the people around us for what they do for us. Thanking others will make not only their day brighter, but yours as well.

I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of your wonderful deeds. Psalm 9:1

Kind regards
Sarah Davis
Acting Head of School
Leanyer Campus



Primary Years Programme

Front Office Hours Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 7:45am to 4.00pm Thurs

7.45am to 3.13pm
Front Office Email
sals.admin@ntschools.net

House Point Tally

Fenton: 109



Strauss: 150



Hughes: 58



Livingstone: 88



*** Evaluation August 2022***

The aim of IB programme evaluation is to support schools in continuously extending their capacity to implement and develop IB programmes to have a greater impact on student outcomes through the development of teacher and leader practice.

In August 2022 two trained IB staff from the Asia-Pacific region will conduct a virtual visit of our three campuses. The focus of the visit is on the school's efforts to develop the programme(s). The IB evaluation team engages the school in reflective conversations about ongoing programme development and asks the school to share its process, reflections, and transferable learning. The evaluation team assesses the school's development of each standard, identifies any requirements that the school does not have in place and suggests areas for future or further programme development.

During the evaluation visit, the IB evaluation team produces a report based on:

- school and programme documents provided during the preliminary review.
- the self-study questionnaire, including the school's self-assessment and evidence of programme development planning, analysis and reflection.
- the visit to the school to meet the various stakeholders and engage in candid discussions.

The evaluation report informs the ongoing development of the programme(s) and is the basis for revisions or updates to the school's programme development plans, or it may identify new areas for programme or continuum development and the creation of new plans.

Taken from Guide to programme evaluation (2022 IBO), p 2, 18, 26

As well as viewing our documentation and talking to teachers and students, the visiting team would also like to speak with a small group of parents about their understanding of the Primary Years Programme and how it has impacted on their child's learning. If you are interested in speaking with the visiting team (online for 30 minutes as a group) to share your experiences of our junior schools, please don't hesitate to contact me at rebecca.fletcher@ntschools.net.

I am looking forward to hearing from you!

Rebecca Fletcher

PYP Curriculum Coordinator















SUPERHERO AWARDS

PYP Superhero Awards Week 2

Well done to the following students for receiving their Balanced Award in assembly:

Daniel Ekpo

Serah Sajan

Aamiyah Thekkayil

Willow Guse

Oliver Camilleri

Hannah Pratt

Finn Callaghan

Sharon Renny

Ariana Zarkesh

Adrika Sanyal

Aria Richardson

Harry Magambo

Zac Kitsos

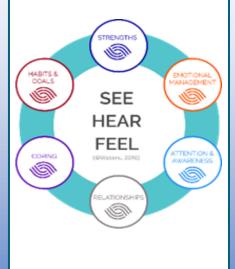
Emily Fletcher













MONDAY	Chapel 8.30am in	Parents welcome to
	Dreambuilders Church	attend
TUESDAY	Music	PE CONTRACTOR OF THE PERSON OF
WEDNESDAY	French T-5	Library
THURSDAY	Art	Assembly 8.30am—even weeks—in Dreambuilders Church. Parents welcome to attend.
FRIDAY	Sports/House	

activities

Staff Introductions

In our last newsletter, the ELC educators were introduced and this time our specialist teachers are sharing some things about themselves.

Rebecca McGuire—Art

Hello, my name is Rebecca McGuire, and I am the Visual Art specialist at Good Shepherd Lutheran College junior school. I moved to Darwin at the beginning of 2022 from Brisbane, Qld and I am enjoying the wonderful lifestyle and Arts scene here in Darwin. I have been teaching Visual Art in classrooms along Australia's East coast for over 20 years and have spent a joyous 45mins each week for this Semester in your child's classroom. These lessons are a doorway for students to discover and cultivate curiosity and imagination through making and responding to art.



Virginia Abercromby—Library



Hi! I am the Teacher Librarian here at Leanyer and Palmerston Junior Campus Library Resource Centres. My husband and I relocated to NT in 2020 as I was successful at getting my position here. Growing up I was blessed with beautiful fairy tale books and all sorts of different literature. Mum was always telling me "Books can be your best friends." I read the Magic Pudding and The Magic Faraway Tree and teachers at school read to us- but I didn't catch the reading bug until I was 13. My favourite book genre is Fantasy and my all time favourite series is called "The Lioness Quartet" by Tamora Pierce which I read in year 8 and that series changed my reading habits and I have loved books ever since. Other favourite Authors of mine are Raymond E Feist, David Eddings, David Gemmell, Robert Jordan, Lynne Flewelling, George R R Martin and the list does go on. I love reading to our beautiful college students and encouraging the development of a lifelong love of reading and knowledge gathering within them.

Aurore Floury—French

I was born in Normandy in France and had several years of experience across the globe. I worked in Germany, USA, Spain and Australia as a French teacher. I enjoy traveling, movies and art. I am delighted to share my culture and love to engage students through fun activities.



Imelda George—Music



Hi! My name is Imelda George. I am your music teacher. This will be my fifth year at Good Shepherd Lutheran College. I grew up in Medan, Indonesia and worked as a professional pianist for Royal Academy of Dance, UK. I have been composing various pieces of ballet repertoire for Advanced Ballet. In 2009 I moved to Darwin to gain my second degree in Psychology and third degree in Education.

I love listening to, performing and composing various styles of music such as Jazz and easy listening. Besides teaching I currently run an EDM music record with my husband.

Sarah Hamilton—PE

I am a Health and PE specialist teacher. I have been a PE teacher for six years completing my teaching degree in Perth. I have been in Darwin since January after moving from Karratha, WA. I have played many sports over the years including AFL, rugby, netball and have even represented Australia overseas in swimming and lifesaving competitions in my teens. When I am not playing sport and teaching I like to be outdoors exploring and fishing. Like everyone in the Territory I am set on catching the elusive million dollar barra or at least a metery.



Visible Wellbeing Coordinator's Article

Tena Koutou Katoa (Hello to you all)

In this issue of the school newsletter, I will focus on the coping pathway of the SEARCH Framework. This is not the pathway focus for all classes this term; however, each pathway always requires ongoing development of skills throughout a child's growth and development.

What is coping?

Students who can cope with the challenges that life presents them have developed skills such as resilience. This enables them to bounce back when the demands of life put them out of balance. Developing resilience to cope with demanding situations is an essential life skill.

How can we all help develop this skill?

Important aspects of building resilience are developing a growth mindset, strengthening relationships, being kind and embracing failure. These skills can be supported through games and activities such as picture puzzles or building where children learn to reason, problem solve and understand that life is not always fair. Helping your child learn the skills of giving compliments on skills and performance is also a wonderful way to support the development of resilience.

At home, I hope you enjoy playing games and giving compliments to your child to help support their coping with the tricky situations that they may come across. You should also be able to talk about your child's visible wellbeing learning that is occurring in their class too.

Until next time,

Haere ra (goodbye)



Guiding children's growth

Good Shepherd Lutheran College - Leanyer Campus

LEANYER, NT

Your OSHC gives children enriching out of school and pupil free day experiences. Our dedicated approach provides a service that is tailored to Good Shepherd Lutheran College - Leanyer Campus, ensuring that the evolving requirements of your children, School and community are met.

We also welcome children from Good Shepherd Lutheran College Howard Springs Campus, Good Shepherd Lutheran College Palmerston Campus, Good Shepherd Lutheran College Palmerston Campus –, and Leanyer Primary School Primary School to attend the school listed above.

Phone: 1300 105 343

Contact: info@campaustralia.com.au



Celebrating Success

Last week Tenny Russo our talented Year 2 teacher, travelled to Brisbane to represent the Northern Territory in the International Cake Show Australia which is run by Australian Cake Artists and Decorators Association - ACADA. She entered in the category of making a cake that is no higher, deeper or wider than 25cm. Tenny's cake was inspired by Laduree and their gorgeous sweet boutiques.

She came home with the first place in her category, as well as taking out a gold certificate which is awarded only to competitors who achieve a score of 85% - 100%.

Have a look at the amazing cake that she produced. Congratulations Tenny!



Anzac Day Service

On Friday 22 April, we held an Anzac Day Service in the Undercover area, where we remembered people who have died defending our country. Some of the children from Defence families chose to say a few words in our service about what ANZAC day means to them and their family and what they do on this day. Wreaths that were made in class were then laid under our flag pole.





Mother's Day

Mum's Morning in ELC and Transition.

On Friday 6 May, both the Transition class and the ELC invited their Mums to come along in the morning for about an hour to participate in some special activities.



Mother's Day Wine and Cheese Night.

A small group of Mums got together on Friday 13 May to celebrate Mothering by attending the Mother's Day Wine and Cheese Night.









Eco Schools

We have hit the ground running already this term!

Our new bins, thanks to our Litter Legends Grant, have been in classrooms since mid-term 1. The Eco-Committee provided an informational video via one of our online assemblies. In partnership with the year 4 class, we have been able to reduce rubbish with these new bins:

25ltr red rubbish bin

25ltr yellow recycled plastics bin (emptied by year 4 classroom)

Compost bin (emptied by year 4 classroom)

Paper / cardboard recycle bin (emptied by year 4 classroom)

Thanks to Mr. Bray and the Year 4 students for assisting with the smooth transition to the new classroom bins! With these bins we have noticed more students asking questions of which bin their items can go into, and becoming more aware of the class waste consumption.

Last term we also did some great tidying for Clean Up Australia Day – Schools Day! Thanks to Clean Up Australia for supplying gloves and bags for the students to safely tidy up the school grounds from ELC – Year 5.

This year the Green Gang are working towards the Green Flag – this is the top award for the Eco-Schools program.

As we start this term, we are working through the Eco-Schools 7 Steps:

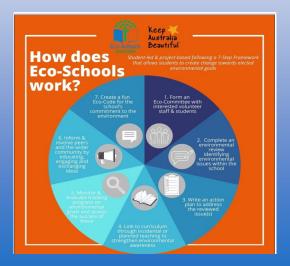
3. Create an action plan – Based on the Environmental Review students took part in on Green Day late last year – the committee have picked 3 focus areas for the Green Flag:

Litter and Waste: The Cycle of Stuff Water: Think, Drink & Save the Sink Biodiversity: Habitats and Homes.

We are still looking for interested parents to become part of the Eco-Committee. Eco-Committee meetings are once per term. If you are interested in the Environmental impact / outcomes of the school and would like to come on board please email myself: angela.beukes@ntschools.net.

We are very fortunate to have Mrs. Peta-Marie DeCastro join the "Green Gang" and Eco-Committee, helping Green Gang students with the Eco Schools Goals.

Green Gang Meets Wednesday Recess in the Undercover Area- All Year Levels Welcome.



















SUPERHERO AWARDS

PYP Superhero Awards Week 4

Well done to the following students for receiving their Open Minded Award in assembly:

> **Evanniah Thekkayil** Nayan Kohli Xandor Wienekamp **Brooklyn Fairfield** Maria Fox Hamish Renilson Claudia Dos Santos **Allison Pratt** Leo Billsborrow Innika Renilson

> > Jansen Valer

Selina Mu

Daniel Plenty

Piper Wing

David Ekpo







College Website, App, Facebook & Instagram

Don't forget to check these sources of information from time to time. Events and news articles are added to the College website and App regularly:

www.goodshepherd.nt.edu.au

College App

Good Shepherd Lutheran College NT

Facebook

Careers Facebook Page

Instagram



Terms + Conditions

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 Entrants must be 18 years or under and reside in the Northern Territory at the time of
- Entrants must be 18 years or under and reside in the Northern Territory at the time writing the book (Entrants). Entries close on 27 August 2022. The aim of this competition is to create an original story using original text and original illustrations. Entries will be judged on originality, creative expression, storytelling, and presentation. An Entrant may seek assistance from a mentor to assist only with brainstorming ideas,
- story structure, and final assistance with proofing.

 All entries should be submitted as a hardcopy book, OR as a pdf if entering online (see details
- of the Entry Specifications).

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 the case of a school entry.
 Hard copy submissions require one original hardcopy of the books and one (1) additional
 hardcopy of the book with an entry form. A stapled black and white photocopy of the
 original book will be acceptable.
 Online submissions require one (1) pdf of the book to be uploaded to the website and a
- Online submissions require one (1) pdf of the book to be uploaded to the website and a completed online entry form.
 The Promoter will acknowledge receipt of an entry via email to the email address provided in the entry form within 10 business days.
 Entries submitted for the award will not be returned.
 Books may be fiction, non-fiction, novels, picture books, anthologies, etc. but must comply with the Entry Specifications.
 There is no limit to the number of entries. Please provide one completed entry form for each book submitted.
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 It is the responsibility of all participating schools to seek the permission of parents or guardians for the students' work to be published in various formats.

 Where a school has submitted an entry, a permission form template is available to parents of the students involved on the Young Territory Author Awards website woww.darwin.rt.gov.au/yivra.rd.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/yivra.au/yivra.darwin.st.gov.au/
- name and the name of the school that the student attends. Students' surnames will not be
- . Where an individual has submitted an entry, that Entrant may be identified by the Entrant's first and last name.
- Entrant's first and last name.

 By submitting a completed entry form, an Entrant (and the parents and guardians of the Entrant) acknowledges and agrees:

 All entries will be permanently held by the Fromoter within the Young Territory Author Collection:

 The Entrant will retain ownership of the original story and illustration and has the

 - right to reproduce;
 The Entrant grants the Promoter a licence to use the entries and any part of the
- entries:

 That winners consent to the Fromoter using their name, likeness, image and/or voice (including photographs, fjigg or recordings, as well as all or any part of the Entrant's entry, in any media for the purpose of promoting and advertising the Young Territory Author Awards and any commercial or non-commercial purpose the Fromoter sees fit, for an unlimited period of time without remuneration; and

 The Fromoter may make an entry available to the public online to borrow.

 Each Entrant agrees that his or her entry is an original work.

 By submitting an entry. Entrant accept these Terms and Conditions of Entry.

 The Fromoter reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify any entry that does not meet these Terms and Conditions of Entry.

 Judges will take jobs account the age of the Entrant.

Important Dates

Entries close 27 August 2022 Winners will be announced in November 2022

Entry Specifications

An entry must be in a book format and contain:

- * A front and back cover
- * A title page stating: the name of the book, the names of the author/s, and an acknowledgement of an illustrator or other persons who have contributed to the book.
- * Page numbers must be on each page.
- * Maximum size:
- Printed: A4 (210mm x 297mm), Online 20MB
- * The book should be well bound (loose papers or paper clipping may not be acceptable), written by hand or typed text.

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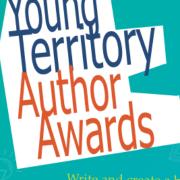








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First Prize of \$500

School Entry Prize of \$500



Wow Award of \$200 Entries close

CBCA NT

Open to all Territorians 18 years and under



Write and create a book and you could be the 2022 Young Territory Author of the Year.

The Young Territory Author Awards aim to inspire children and young people in the NT to explore their ideas and turn them into stories.

These awards are open to all Territorians 18 years and under reciding in the reciding in the second years and under residing in the Northern Territory at the time of entering the book.

School Entry Winner CBCA NT Wow Award

\$500 (for the school) \$200

Regional Area Winners Age Category Winners

\$50 \$50 voucher \$30 voucher

Highly Commended Encouragement Awards \$20 voucher

Create an original story and present it as a book. Fil in the entry form and submit it with the book. Enter online, by mail or drop it in.

Online - upload a pdf of your book, and complete the online entry webform on the website darwinntgovau/wtaa

Mail - Send your book plus | B+W photocopy of your book, along with the entry form to City of Darwin Libraries PO Box 40 171, Casuarina,

Drop it in - Bring your book plus | B+W photocopy of your book, along with the entry form to any NT public library.



School Entry Form

Students mames; (riesse attach a separate list)
Title of book*:
Teacher's name*:
Class name*:
School name*:
Age span of authors*:
School teacher's email*:
School phone*:
School postal address*:

Where did you hear about YTAA?:

Checklist

- __Original story ___Completed Entry Form Entry fits the specifications of a book (See over for details)
- Attached a list of students' names
- Parental permission forms attached (See T+Cs for details)
- I have read the Terms and Conditions

Entries by mail or drop in

A well-bound book Completed Entry Form

Entries online

A pdf of the book Completed online Entry Form

darwin.nt.gov.au/ytaa

Individual Entry Form

(Submit one book you have worked on individually or with a friend)
Age*:
Age*: Author name*:
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Title of book*:
Suburb you live in*:
Family email*:
Family phone*:
Postal address*:
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Where did you hear about YTAA?:

Illustrator details (if applicable)

Name*:	Age*:
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Entries online

___ A pdf of the book ___ Completed online Entry Form

Leanyer Canteen

Lunches orders will continue to be provided by the canteen at Leanyer Primary School next door to us.

Lunches (NOT RECESS) are available to be purchased on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays ONLY.

Leanyer Primary School is now implementing an online ordering system called QuickCliQ. https://quickcliq.com.au/

You will need to create an account and order through this system.



Orders will close at 9am every day.

Register

1. Click **here** to register.

Get started

- 1. Click here to log in to QuickCliq
- 2. Click "ADD STUDENT".

- Specials change frequently, so having an online account will ensure your child is not disappointed when their preferred choice of food is not available.
- 3. Choose "Leanyer Primary School, Leanyer NT" as your school. Ensure you complete all of your child's details before clicking "NEXT"
- 4. Click "ADD CREDIT" to add credit to your account
- 5. Click "MEAL ORDER" to add a meal order.

To place a Meal Order

- 1. Select a Child
- 2. Select a Date
- 3. Select Meals you would like to order for your child and add them to cart
- 4. Confirm the Order and click "PAY & PLACE ORDER"

Once you have confirmed and paid for the order, you will receive a confirmation email from QuickCliq. You can also double check your order by clicking either the "ACTIVE / CANCEL ORDERS" tab or the "TRANSACTION HISTORY" button. If you have any concerns, or need help, please email QuickCliq at support@quickcliq.com.au or call 1300 11 66 37 . If you have any meal related issues, please contact the front office.

Leanyer Primary School would like to congratulate and thank all those families who have already started using our online ordering system. We feel encouraged by the response we have had so far from our valued customers. Please remember that every single order, no matter how small, helps us give back to the students and the community.

Congratulations!

Good Shepherd and St Andrew Lutheran Church - Worship Services -

- * St Andrew Lutheran Church, Nightcliff Sunday, 8.30am
- * Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Howard Springs Campus Chapel Sunday, 10.30am

For further information, please call: **8932 4444** or visit the Top End Lutheran Parish website:

http://darwinlutheranchurch.org.au





HOWARD SPRINGS CAMPUS — Corner Whitewood Road & Kundook Place PALMERSTON CAMPUS — Corner Emery Avenue & Temple Terrace LEANYER CAMPUS — 94 Leanyer Drive 8983 0300 // admin@goodshepherd.nt.edu.au // www.goodshepherd.nt.edu.au School Tours
Saturday 21 May 2022

If you know anyone who may be interested to find out more about our school, please tell them about our school tour happening tomorrow.



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