

The Lake Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Important Dates

04/08/2022

'Pie Drive' orders to be returned

11/08/2022

'Pie Drive' Delivery

1/08/2022 - 3/08/2022

Yr.5 Camp Kookaburra

3/08/2022 - 5/08/2022

Yr.6 Camp Kookaburra

8/08/2022 - 10/08/2022

Yr.3/4 Ballarat Camp



Principal Message - Week 3

The 'Big Write' - Term 3!

Students have enjoyed the beautiful surroundings of Lake Hawthorn this term to inspire their creative writing thoughts! We are very fortunate to have the opportunity to access such a lovely environment for learning. Students across all year levels have completed some amazing writing pieces! Well done students 😊



The Gingerbread Man!

Prep B thoroughly enjoyed decorating their own gingerbread men last week! Prep students have also enjoyed reading and writing about this very popular fairy-tale, not to mention being very excited to eat the gingerbread man himself!



Student Sport's Tops

It has been suggested by a parent member that we explore the option of students having house coloured sport's tops to wear on our sport activity days (athletic days, swimming carnivals, cross country etc). A survey slip will be sent home with the eldest child in family today.

Please return slips by no later than Friday 29th July.

Crossing Supervision Training

As you may have noticed, it is good to see the path on the northern side of the highway completed! In preparation to utilise the Seventeenth Street crossing, we are asking for any community volunteers to participate in the MRCC Crossing Training. The training will take 2 hours to complete, and volunteers will be fitted and supplied with the correct PPE uniform. If you are interested in helping out the school and participating in the training, please call the school (50233468) or email me (bernadette.warburton@education.vic.gov.au). Thank you!

Have a great week!

Kind Regards,

Bernadette



This week's school value is 'Tolerance'. What do our students say when asked, 'What does tolerance mean?' They regularly say things like: 'accepting that everyone is different', 'listening to everyone's opinions even if they are different to ours', 'letting others make up the rules to the game', etc. During conversations with 3/4B students this week, one student confidently spoke up and said, 'Mr. Mac, we should celebrate peoples differences'. This comment really did redirect our conversation and, collectively, we came to the conclusion that

this really is the next level – not simply tolerating others, rather, celebrating their differences and the qualities that make them unique. Let's all make an effort to move beyond simply tolerating others and raise people up by celebrating their individual qualities.



Worker of the Week' Awards

Congratulations to the following students:



Benjamin Pedler, Abbie Arnold, Flynn Crossling, Bailey Coombes, Sienna Giddings, Cooper McCully, Mitchell Beckmann, William Bott, Jemma Watson, Clare Emmett, Saige Heeps, Harrison Surgey, Miley McMahon, Nicholas Fikaris, Flynn Crossling, Charlee Cramp,

1/2C Masterpiece

1/2C have been busy making a class masterpiece for the school fete. All grades will be making a class artwork to be auctioned at the fete. Here is a little sneak peek at our creation.

By 1/2C





Thank you to all of the families who returned the questionnaire sent home inviting your comments about The Lake Primary School. The information and ideas you provided is being used by the students in the process of designing a school mascot. We received a phenomenal response, so over the coming weeks I'd like to share with you a collation of your comments.

We will begin with Tolerance, this week's focus School Value.

Family survey results on Tolerance:

- Standing up for others
- Patience, polite, listening
- You get what you get and you don't get upset
- Accepting that everyone is different and being accepting of this
- Respecting peoples' differences
- Being calm and understanding of the situation
- Demonstrate empathy and compassion
- Accepting others' opinions even when we don't agree
- Celebrating peoples' differences
- Accepting friends' different feelings
- Being kind to everyone, even if they look, sound or act differently.
- Don't tease someone for being different
- Standing up for yourself and others
- High level of patience
- Giving something a chance, even if you don't really want to
- Don't let someone annoy you, so you get upset
- Bouncing back when things go wrong
- Whole school community, kids, staff and families. Non-judgement of others choices and opinions



Enjoy your day.

Liz Patterson

P&C News

PIE drive notes money and orders are due back on the 4th of August

Thank you to our lunch ladies for chicken burgers

Our next meeting is July 22nd of August at 3:45pm all new members are welcome



LUNCH DAY – Thursday 4th August
Orders MUST be in by Thursday 2nd August
 2 x sausages in bread = \$4.00

Name..... Class.....

Extra of the same order \$2.00

NO ICYPOLES FOR TERM 3

Amount Paid \$

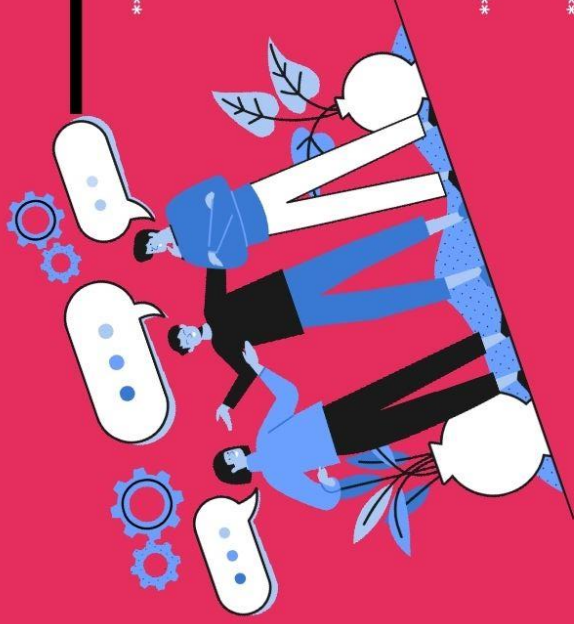


parent as partners community forum

Wednesday 17th August 2022

**EVERYONE IS
WELCOME AND
ENCOURAGED TO
COME ALONG**

**JOIN US TO CELEBRATE AND DISCOVER WHAT
MAKES OUR SCHOOL SO UNIQUE**



**** Wellbeing, Health and Happiness**

- 5.30pm Sausage Sizzle
- 5.50pm Official welcome by School Captains
- 6.00pm Parent Forum - cyber safety presentation with Joe Clarke and the Community Engagement Team plus an opportunity for Q&A
- 6.00pm Students Wellbeing Activities
- 6.30pm The exciting launch of 'what do you think makes a 'Laker''

**** Enjoy a rendition of our school song**

**** Be in it to win a 'mystery gift'**