

The Lake Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Upcoming Dates

13/05/2022

Yr.5/6 Fundraiser - "Do it for Dolly"
Loose Change donation

16/05/2022

NAPLAN Week (Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri)
P&C Meeting 7pm
Dental Van Visit
(**POSTPONED to start of Term 3**)

17/05/2022

SC meeting 6pm

20/05/2022

Assembly for Yr 3-6 students/families
*Please keep an eye on the Compass
newsfeed for regular updates*

Principal Message - Week 3

NAPLAN Commencement

Students in years 3 and 5 commenced their NAPLAN assessments on Tuesday. We encountered some technical difficulties on Tuesday whilst year 5 students were completing their writing assessment, however we were very impressed with the patience and resilience of our students! Well done! A big thank you to **Mrs Walsh** (NAPLAN Co-ordinator), **Miss Humphrey** (Test Administrator) and **Mr Lloyd** (Specialist Technician) who have spent many hours preparing for NAPLAN and supporting our students during testing sessions. **Thank you!**

'Do it For Dolly Day'

'Do It For Dolly Day' is a day dedicated to bringing the community together, spreading kindness and uniting in taking a stand against bullying.



Tomorrow, Friday the 13th of May, all students and staff are encouraged to wear blue in support of 'Do it for Dolly Day'. Thank you to our year 5/6 students who have been an integral part in organising activities and conversations in our school to make everyone more aware of the long-term impacts that bullying can have, and how **acts of kindness** can go a long way in improving mental health & wellbeing for all! Great job! Please bring any loose change as a donation to the Dolly Dream.

Community Traffic Works

Please see below the latest information regarding the construction of the new path for our community.

New Shared Path Construction – Traffic Control

Start: 7am, Monday 9 May 2022

Finish: 5pm, Thursday 26 May 2022

- Seventeenth Street between Lake Hawthorn School Crossing & Regina Avenue, Cabarita

Have a great week everyone 😊

Kind Regards,

Bernadette



Wk.3 School Value - LEARNING

This week's school value is 'LEARNING' – a fairly broad value indeed as there are many aspects to learning, particularly in an educational setting. We are all fully aware that students learn differently, require varying levels of support, respond well to some teachers and not others, and possess varying levels of motivation to learn. At The Lake Primary School, staff are constantly differentiating the learning to ensure that every student has their individual differences planned for. One clear example of differentiated learning is the High Abilities Program

(HAP) available to students who demonstrate particularly strong skills in either Literacy or Numeracy. Pictured is Mrs. Hunt, Hunter Underwood, Max Burgess, Phoenix Roberts and Max Hollingworth engaging with their weekly, 1-hour online maths tutorial with other schools throughout Victoria.



Curriculum Day - Friday June 3rd

This Term's **Curriculum Day** will be held on **Friday 3rd June** and therefore students will not be required at school. Our professional learning will be held offsite this Term and will focus on student voice and agency, school values and the completion of First Aid for all staff members. Please note this date on your calendar.



Worker of the Week' Awards

Congratulations to the following students:



Siera Arici, Maicey Withers, Jimmy Hynes, Lucy McCully, Harrison Withers, Michael Mooney, Keith Alexander, Jesse Pain, Mitchell Stenner, Meeka Saleta, Hazel Roberts James, Jada Taylor and Jack Barnes,



Getting back to the table.

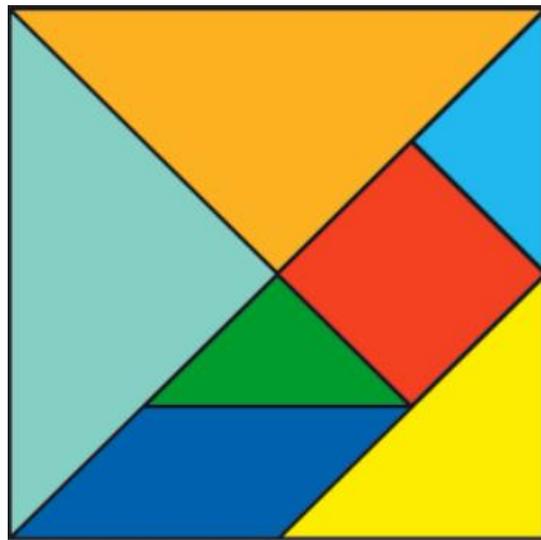
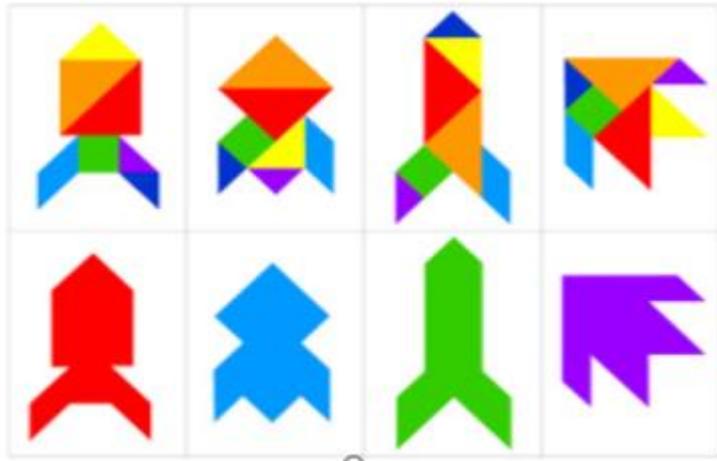
During 2020 and 2021, many of us, myself included, developed some habits that did not serve us well. These habits may include staying up too late, losing motivation in the morning, binge watching TV shows, and not prioritising eating together as a family to name a few. Eating together at the table gives all family members an opportunity to talk about their day whether it be good or bad, maybe make some jokes and have a laugh, talk about tomorrow, and most importantly gives a sense of connection. If you are not eating together at the table most nights, I implore you to start. The changes may not be immediate, and some family members may even complain initially, but the positive affects will last a life time.

3/4B News - SHAPES

Over the past few weeks, the students in years 3 and 4 have been working on gaining a greater understanding of shapes. They have been exploring 2-dimensional shapes within shapes through combining and splitting. Students have demonstrated their learning when their shape-making or shape-drawing shows knowledge of properties of shape.

To consolidate this knowledge the students have been using tangrams to help visualise turning and flipping shapes. These are some of their designs.

Have a go yourself, by cutting up the tangram template.



**MERBEIN KINDERGARTEN
WELCOMES YOU TO...**

Shine Bright EYM



**KINDERGARTEN
OPEN DAY**

Thursday 26 May 2022

9:00 am to 11:30 am



This is a great opportunity to make an informed decision about your child's 2023 3YO/4YO Kindergarten enrolment.

Further information and a full list of participating Shine Bright Kindergartens can be found on the Shine Bright website www.shinebright.org.au

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P&C NEWS

Hope everyone had a lovely Mother's Day

Our Next fundraiser is 'JOLLY SOCKS' we have decided to do this instead of Chocolates. Boxes will be sent home next week with the oldest sibling, there will be 14pairs of socks in a box (varying sizes and styles) One pair of socks will be \$6 Money and unsold socks to be returned by the 17th of June 2022

Thank you to Maria, Mel and Leanne for yummy lunches of Party pies, sausage rolls and pies just what we need on these cold days

Our next P&C meeting will be May 16th at 7pm.

Lunch Day Thursday 19th May
Orders in by Tuesday 17th May
Total cost \$4.00 for Hot Dog and an icypole

Name Grade.....

Extra Hot Dog \$2.00
 Icpole Only \$1.00

Amount Paid \$.....



Please ask your friends, family, workmates or neighbours to purchase a pair to support us.

We thank you for supporting our P&C

THIS YEAR OUR PARENTS CLUB ARE RUNNING A SOCK FUNDRAISING (INSTEAD OF A CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER)

Next week all families will receive a box with 14 pairs of socks (varying sizes and styles) to sell for \$6.00 each.

MONEY (AND UNSOLD SOCKS) ARE TO BE RETURNED BY 17TH JUNE 2022