

# The Lake Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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## Important Dates

**28/06/2024**

**NO Assembly**

**28/06/2024**

Last Day Term 2

Dismissal 1.30pm

## Forward dates:

**Monday 15/07/2024**

Curriculum Day (Term 3 week 1)

**31/07/2024**

Whole school Athletics Day

**Monday 04/11/2024**

Curriculum Day (Term 4 week 5)  
before Melbourne Cup public holiday

## Principal Message – Week 11

### 'Good Things Come to Those That Wait!'

It has been approximately 10 years in the waiting, but last Friday our community enjoyed the celebrations at our official opening of the shade structure. Moving forward, our covered area will be known as **Laker's Court** being the most popular vote by our community! Thank you to everyone that contributed ideas.

I would like to again acknowledge the following people for their involvement to make this amazing achievement possible during my time as Principal-

- **Bruce Symes & Rick Burley** (our past and present School Council Presidents)
- All members of School Council, both past and present
- **Geoff & Samantha Wall** and **Chris & Mel Wall** from Wall Constructions
- **Darren Lambert** (past parent) from Mildura Building Designs
- **Mrs Bacon** for the behind the scenes liaising with builders, the DET and many more!
- **A big thank you to our school community** for your ongoing support of our fundraisers over the years!



## Twining & iPod Shuffle Day!

Thank you to our **JSC members** and **Mrs Leanne Hunt & Mrs Donaldson** for organising the fun filled '**Twining & iPod Shuffle Day!**' A fantastic fundraiser that captured the creativity of 'twining' (and in some cases, tripling!) and groovy dance moves from our students! A fabulous \$295.70 was raised from this day, congratulations students & staff!



## Congratulations Lakers!

As we near the end of another school term, it was lovely to see our students celebrating their achievements with their families at the **Parents as Partner's** meetings that were held on Tuesday! At The Lake, we take pride in not only celebrating the academic learning of every student, but also the *social, emotional and physical* health and wellbeing of our students. **Congratulations Lakers** for demonstrating another term of school values-

(\*Student reports were sent home yesterday with your child).

## Happy Holidays!

I wish our Laker community a happy holiday break and thank you for your support and community involvement that provides the best place for our students to grow, learn and be happy at school!

I look forward to seeing our students back on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July (**Monday is a Curriculum Day, which is pupil free**).

*Ms. Warburton*

You cannot pour from an empty cup.

There is a myth among parents that needs to be busted! The myth is My children always come first. Absolutely, when we begin our parenting journey, our newborns are prioritised above all else, then our babies and our toddlers. And we as parents give so much of ourselves that often (not always) we tend to lose ourselves in all the sleep deprived nights, fun, chaos, taxi driving and cooking to name just a few! Well, you cannot pour from an empty cup. We have a responsibility to look after ourselves physically and mentally. Kids don't need parents who are worn out and frustrated because they are living their lives for their children. Children need parents who are happy and able to give the best of themselves when they can. We have a responsibility to ourselves, and if we have one, our partner also. Kids benefit from parents who lead healthy satisfying lives which revolve around other things than their children. So please remember it is okay to put yourself first sometimes and make time for yourself, guilt free. Yes when we are parents it is certainly much more complicated to make time for us, but trust me, your children will be benefit just as much as you!

Take care and enjoy the holidays.

With much kindness, Miss Louise and Mr Mac







# 'Worker of the Week' Awards'



Congratulations to the following students:

*Oliver Reivers, Blade Chapple, Imogen Lever, Zahli Simmonds, Maddaline Francis, Fletcher Weinert, Azusa Matsuzaki, Zac Mayes, Jhett Hill, Miley Spark, Larni Bailey, Tyson Brereton, Holly Burke, Quade Peterson, Larni Bailey, Owen Heaysman, Jasper Leary and Hallie Fiebig*

...having an amazing buddy, her name is Josie. Blair

**5/6C ARE PROUD OF...**

...being a part of the Junior School Council team. Abby S

...doing the Acknowledgement of Country at my school assembly. Quade

...being on the Well-being Team. Eva

... making it to the next 3 stages of Cross Country. Isobel

...participating in Senior Sport. Jack M

Be proud of your self

...improving my soccer skills during Senior Sport time. Chase

...having a go at the weekly Brainteaser. Kylah

...my improvement in my Leadership skills. Sienna

...using Makers Empire for STEAM lessons. Mason

...trying all the different sports during Senior Sport time. Holly

...making a dragon's eye in Art. Zara

...participating in Senior Sport and being on Junior School Council. Nate

...improving in my footy skills after the footy clinic in PE. Blane

...participating in PE and getting through tough times. Abbi F

...trying my best during Senior Sport. Alex

...how well I am doing during Senior Sport. Keith

...coming 13th at District Cross Country. Flynn

...being a role model for my buddy. Bailey

...how I give the Brainteaser a go each week. Mitchell

...how well I did playing soccer for Senior Sport. Isla