

The Lake Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Important Dates

20/06/2024

Yrs 3-6 Assembly @ 2.40pm
Assembly Performance 5/6C

25/06/2024

Parents as Partner
Portfolio Presentations
(students attend school)

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 10

Budding Firefighters!

Prep students had some very special visitors yesterday! Thank you to the **Merbein Fire Brigade** who enlightened the student's knowledge about being a community helper as a Firefighter. This is part of the prep student's volunteer program for the 'Community Helpers' curriculum area. Thank you Mrs Hunt and Miss Matthews for organising this wonderful experience for our preps!



REMINDER Official Shade Structure Opening!

Tomorrow, families are invited to come along to our **Official Shade Structure Opening!** We are very excited to celebrate this special occasion with you, and our students are working hard (and having fun!) with Mrs Mumford to present performances to our families! The special assembly will commence at the earlier time of 2:30pm. Students will participate in the following activities!

Free Sausage Sizzle for Lunch!

Traditional School Games!

Dance Presentation at Assembly!

Designing their own school bunting!

Feel free to call in and see the celebratory activities in action!

Hope to see you there!



Parents as Partners- Parent Teacher Meetings

A reminder that our **Parents as Partners Interviews** are scheduled to take place next **Tuesday 25th June**. Students are looking forward to sharing their achievements with you! Interview times are now open on the Compass portal to schedule your preferred time (please note that students attend school on this day).

We look forward to seeing you next Tuesday! 😊

With Over Just One Week to Go...

Let's finish strong as Lakers!

- Aim high for daily attendance (6 days!)
- Take pride in wearing full school uniform.
- Celebrate the successes and achievements of the term!

Ms. Warburton



Winter is well and truly upon us! The mornings have been particularly cold of late and we experienced our first heavy frost a few days ago. Unfortunately, we have had many students absent from school over the last few weeks with cold and flu-like symptoms. Now is a timely reminder to ensure that students arrive at school in warm clothing, drink water regularly, avoid sharing drink and food, cough into a tissue or elbow (not hands) and wash hands thoroughly and regularly. If your child requires a new or second-hand school jumper, please drop into the front office and see Mrs. Roelofs or Mrs. Bacon.



'Worker of the Week' Awards



Congratulations to the following students:

Stella Wall, Josie Smith-Charles, Quinton Algate, Aspen Eccles, Logan Gale, Rowie Marie, Isla Strike, Harper Morgan, Theodore Bott, Alec Ross, Benji Crossling, Zack Hugo, Elyse Wall, Bohdi Shean, Eva DeAngelo and Wyatt Fraser.

What's on offer next week for Thursday lunches?

Food Day - Thursday 27th June

Please return orders by Tuesday 25th June

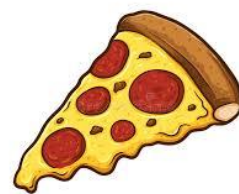
2 Slices of Pizza TOTAL COST \$ \$4.00

Name Year

- Hawaiian Meat Lovers Garlic & Cheese
 Ham & Cheese

Extra of the same selected \$2.00

Total amount enclosed \$.....



News from 3/4C classroom!

What we learnt about neighboring countries

Bella: Singapore has lots of pretty flowers and lots of animals

Sofia: In Papua New Guinea their money is called 'Kina'.

Nate: The population of New Zealand is currently 5,269,939.

Brooklyn: October 10th is National Fiji Day

Fletcher: There are lots of celebrations in New Zealand.

Jed: The Papua New Guinea Flag has the Bird of Paradise on it.

Oliver: Solomon Islands have Independence day.

Malia: Some people in Papua New Guinea speak Tok Pisin and Hiri Motu.

Sam: Indonesia has almost 250,000,000 more people than Australia.

Riley: The Kiwi is the national bird of New Zealand.

Wil: Fiji has lots of rainforests.

Ashley: There are emerald monitor lizards in Papua New Guinea.

Ollie: A hack to use with the Australian currency in Indonesia, is take off four '0's off the rupiah amount

Harvey: There are 756,765 people in the Solomon Islands

Theo: One native animal from Indonesia is the Dhole. It looks like a Dingo

Lucy: Fiji has around 162 species of birds

Isla: New Zealand is very strict.

Maddy: Guinea pigs don't come from Papua New Guinea!

Layla: The capital city of New Zealand is Wellington

Ruby: People in Papua New Guinea like to eat sweet potatoes.

Wes: 280,000,000 million people live in Indonesia

Alethea: In Indonesia, fried rice is called Nasi Goreng. It is yum!

Maggie: Mount William is a very famous landmark in Papua New Guinea

Charlize: The nearest country is 4,155 km away from Australia.

Emmi: The blue on the New Zealand flag represents the ocean and the stars represent its place in the Pacific Ocean.

TOLERANCE RESPECT SUCCESS LEARNING RESILIENCE

'Every Student Matters, Every Moment Counts'

Take pride in being a 'Laker' - aim for 97% attendance or above!