

THE LAKE P.S.



Magazine

2015

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Principal's Page

Rod Pearce



Welcome to another exciting edition of The Lake Primary School Magazine. 2015 has flown by and I am enormously proud of our students', staff and parents' collective achievements throughout another busy and memorable year. Our enrolments have increased to 233 students and this has resulted in a greater capacity to offer additional programs and continue to enhance our impressive new buildings, resources and play-ground facilities.

Once again a publication of this size doesn't just happen. It takes a considerable amount of hard work and dedication to produce such a glossy, informative keepsake. Congratulations to Ms McNair, Ms Goddard, Ms Arnold, Mrs Bacon and helpers. The students and teachers have captured a range of exciting and memorable events and achievements from our 2015 school year.

New staff members this year included; Mrs Sallie Roelofs adding her expertise to the office, Miss Mel Gunn joining the 1/2 Unit in her first teaching position, Ms Jodie Goddard joining the 5/6 Unit, Mrs Kylie Simonetta adding enthusiasm as a classroom aide in the 5/6 and Prep Units and Mr Jess Moorhead appointed as our After School Hours Care Assistant. My congratulations and appreciation to all staff members for their dedicated efforts, support and team work.

One fantastic aspect of The Lake Primary is our wonderful students. Our school leaders, Julia, Harrison, Latara and Kade have led a highly supportive Year 6 group who have thoroughly enjoyed being leaders in our school. Our 22 graduates move onto secondary college with a range of capabilities and I thank them for their outstanding contributions not just in 2015, but throughout their time at our school.

2015 has been a very hectic year. Another highly successful 'Welcome Back/Lakes Got Talent' evening heralded the beginning of a positive educational journey. The Primary Welfare Officer program continues to provide a valuable service to students, staff and parents. The Breakfast Club was a new initiative which was popular. Congratulations to Bonney Dietrich. The After School Hours Care Program was capably coordinated by Lina Dichiera with assistance from Jess Moorhead. Enhancing our facilities proved to be a major focus with new projects including two new 5 Mod portable classrooms, a new Art Room portable and Eva Wheatley Memorial Gazebo and Garden area. Mrs Walsh and Mr Parsons once again inspired teachers with their weekly Literacy and Numeracy Coaching Programs. This year the Compass Student Management Software Package was introduced with Mrs Taylor providing excellent leadership and support for teachers. The Reading Recovery Program continues to provide excellent support at the Yr 1 level. This year's Trivia Night, organised by Mrs Bacon and her team, raised a commendable \$5,000 and added to the Major Raffle, which generated valuable funds to support projects such as the MPR extension.

The students enjoyed a vast number of performances, events, activities and experiences. The 5/6 Major Trip to Canberra was a highlight. Book Week Day, Indonesian Day, Footy Colours Day, Allergy Awareness Day, NAIDOC visiting performer, School Athletics, Cross Country and Swimming events were well supported by parents and educational and enjoyable for students.

School Council was ably led once again by Craig Hollingworth and Kylie Zrna was our capable new leader of the Parents' and Community Group. Both groups provided exceptional support throughout 2015. I commend all parent members on their interest, initiative and valued contributions.

Finally, a big thank-you to all staff members and parents in our school community. The students have enjoyed a terrific year and the home-school positive partnership remains a strength of our school. Best wishes to all families and staff that may leave our school. Congratulations to everyone on another successful year for our wonderful school.



To be selected as the 2015 Girls' School Captain at the Lake Primary School was one of the greatest opportunities I could have ever asked for. Getting up on a Monday morning with Harry at assembly helped me develop more confidence when speaking to a large crowd. I was proud to represent our school at GRIP leadership, ANZAC Day Ceremony, Remembrance Day and many more events. I love the feeling of my 2014 and 2015 buddies knowing that their buddy became Captain, now why can't they?



Being able to stand up and call myself The Lake Primary School Girls' Vice-Captain was a once in a life time opportunity for me. My time as a School Captain has been precious and I have enjoyed every minute of it. I experienced things like the GRIP Leadership Conference, running assemblies and laying the wreaths at the ANZAC Day March and Remembrance Day Ceremony. I would definitely recommend any future year 5's to try for captaincy because at this age, there is no better feeling.

Being the 2015 Boys' School Captain was an excellent experience. So many rights and responsibilities came along with this awesome role. The little things of being School Captain had a big impact, such as the little kids looking up to you and knowing your name. Another awesome job was doing the Monday morning assembly, Anzac Day and Remembrance Day Ceremonies. Being School Captain was the best thing to happen to me in primary school. I would also like to say thank you for 7 great years.

By Harrison Pinyon

2015



Being selected as The Lake Primary School's Boys' Vice-Captain was an excellent experience. I have had the privilege to run assemblies, attend the GRIP Leadership Conference and going to the ANZAC service to lay the wreath. It has been the best privilege to be The Lake School Vice-Captain.



School Council President

2015 Report

Our wonderful school has continued to prosper throughout 2015. Enrolments continue to steadily increase - we are no longer the small school of 130 students that my daughter started Prep in, 7 years ago. Our facilities continue to improve with a new 5-Mod Classroom and new Art room installed this year, with a another new 5-Mod only months away.

Our students have performed well in the sporting arena again this year. Congratulations to Sebastian Pollifrone and Lola O'Connor who performed with distinction at the State Athletic Finals and also to our other athletes who competed at the Bendigo Regional Athletics Finals. Our students have continued to perform well in all interschool sporting events. Most pleasing is that all of our students are getting out there, having a go and competing in the right spirit.

This year our major fundraising event was a Trivia Night. Everyone in attendance had a fantastic time. Thanks to Mrs Bacon and the volunteers for organising such an entertaining night. Money raised went towards several projects for the benefit of the students.

I think everyone should be proud of the beautiful presentation of our school gardens and surrounds this year - thanks Phil Sheahan for your great work.

I would like to thank all staff, parents and students for all the hard work they have put in over the last 12 months. I would also like to personally thank School Council members, The Lake Parents' and Community Group members and all volunteers who have donated their time to contribute to the school. Also, thanks to Rod for his continued commitment and dedication in going the extra mile.

Craig Hollingworth, School Council President





The Lake Primary School

Parents' & Community Group Report

I've had the pleasure of being President of the Parents' and Community group for 2015. Yes it has really been a pleasure.

This was my son's final year at The Lake Primary School and it's incredible how quickly seven years has flown by. I have been attending P&C meetings on and off over most of those seven years but this year I feel like I had a better knowledge of what was going on in the school, what challenges the school faces and plans for its future. I have totally enjoyed being involved.

We kept things basic this year. Fundraising wise we did really well raising \$12,500 up to the end of October. This was done through an Easter raffle, pie drive, Bunnings BBQ, sports day BBQ's and of course we also run a Christmas raffle.

We supported the school in many ways by funding items such as shelving and furniture for new class rooms, the Reading Eggs Program for all Prep students, projectors for class rooms, class room readers, library books, a heater and a floor rug to help keep the kids warm in the Reading Recovery room. We put funds towards the Mathletics program and purchased desperately needed sports equipment, games and footy tops.

We encouraged healthy eating by providing oranges and other fruits for classrooms and healthy alternative recipes for birthday celebrations.

The Parents' & Community group is clearly a vital part of our school.

However, P&C is struggling number wise at meetings. So at the beginning of this year we handed out volunteer slips. On these slips were a list of tasks that could be ticked allowing us to create a go to volunteer base. Nine people filled in these slips. Although this number seems low, to us, these people are gold. Thank you to all these wonderful volunteers who were contacted at different times throughout the year, lightening our load. The pie drive was one example where these people were invaluable.

Another success this year were the lunch order days. This year we had a number of new lunch order helpers! We are very lucky to have this service and your support. A special thanks to Sharon and Alan Smith, Linda Munn and Ann-Marie Ramm. These grandparents did a large number of lunch orders again this year. You are truly incredible.

To Andrea Humphrey, Janelle Pinyon, Erin Taylor, Mandy Cavanagh-Cook, Elissa Pender, Stella Moser, and Bonnie Dietrich and to those fabulous girls in the office, thank you for making 2015 such a successful year. You are a great team!

Merry Christmas to all of those who have sold tickets, turned sausages and helped make The Lake Primary School a great place for our kids to grow.

Kylie Zrna

P&C Group President



Thanks from the office girls...

It's been a great year for us girls in the office. Sallie and I work well together and find ourselves having lots of laughs, whilst implementing and streamlining many of our systems and procedures. Sallie's past work experience at Nichols Point PS has allowed her to share her expertise, enabling us to improve many areas.



Thanks to our school community for always supporting us. We both wish you a very Merry Christmas with your family and friends and a safe and Happy New Year! We look forward to seeing everyone in 2016.

Robyn Bacon, Business Manager



prep A
Great
Friends!





"I like Hugh because he's funny and he makes me laugh"

"He's good at drawing planes"

"I like Hughey because he likes planes and I like planes"

"He plays with me every single day"



"I like Tiana because she's a good friend and she is nice to me"

"She's neat at colouring in and she's good at art"

I like how Tiana uses lots of colours in her drawings"

"Me and Tiana are best friends"



"I like Cameron because he plays with me"

"He is a good runner"

"Cameron is good at sport"

"I like Cameron because he is a good friend and he lets me play with him"



"Jai is a great friend, he's my best friend"

"He's good at Indonesian"

"He makes me laugh with his funny faces"

"I like Jai because he's good at sports"



"I like Tyler because he likes rabbits and I like rabbits"

"He's my best friend because he plays with me"

"I like Tyler because he's funny"

"He likes Lego and I like Lego"



"I like Blaise because she invited me to her birthday party"

"She's a good runner"

"I like Blaise because she always plays with me"

"She likes turtles and I like turtles, and she has a turtle named Tornado that she brought to school"





"I like Shaun because he's never mean to me"

"He's good at playing basketball"

"I like Shauny because he's good at running"

"Shauny is my best friend"



"I like Maddi because she's funny"

"She is kind"

"She's neat at writing"

"Maddi's my best friend"



"I like Alex because he's got a funny laugh"

"He's a fast runner"

"I like how Alex is good at doing show and tell"

"When we go to Art he squeezes my hand"



"I like Deegan because I used to sit next to him and he makes funny faces and makes me laugh"

"He likes motorbikes and I like motorbikes"

"He likes remote control cars"

"He is a good friend"



"I like Lilli-Jade because she is a nice friend"

"She draws lovely pictures to me"

"Lilli is nice to me and she gives me lots and lots of pictures"

"I like Sophy because she cares about friends a lot"

"When I get upset she comes to me"

"When I hurt myself she hugs me"



"I like Eden because she used to go to kinder with me"

"She makes funny faces and makes me laugh"

"She's a fast runner"

"I like Eden because she's nice to me and we're best friends"



"I like Samuel because he's funny"
"He's fast at running"
"I like Samuel because he makes funny noises"
"He's a nice friend to me and lets me play with him"



"Jeremy is a great friend of mine because we went to kinder together"
"He is a really good runner"
"Jeremy is good at sports"
"He's creative"



"Lilly is good at sports"
"When I had nobody to play with she played with me"
"She's a very nice friend"
"She's very funny because she always does burps and makes me laugh and she tickles me"



"I like Harry because he's always nice to me"
"He does funny laughs and funny faces"
"He's a good goal keeper"
"I like Harry because he's funny"



"Vienna is a nice friend"
"I like Vienna because she's good at sports"
"I like Vienna because she's got cute glasses on"
"She's good at running"



"I like Livvy because she likes cats and I like cats"
"She always plays with me when I don't have anybody to play with"
"I like Alivia because she invited me to her birthday party"
"I like Livvy because she's quiet"



Prep Z 2015



Prep Z 2015



The best thing about
this year was
Pancake Wednesday!

Riley O'Day

The best thing about
this year is having
Miss Gunn for a
teacher, because she
is an awesome
teacher.
Phoebe Hayward

The best thing about
this year is the new
Art Room being put
into place!

Hunter Stonehouse

SIMPLY THE BEST IN 1/26



The best thing about
this year was making
flowers in inquiry!

Aden Burton

The best thing about
this year was
meeting my teacher
and my friends. That
was fun.

Elissa Dichiera

The best thing about
this year was making
awesome things in
Art, like the
monster I made.

Jack McNair

The best thing about
this year is when
we made food in
maths with
fractions!

Allegra Dwyer

The best thing about
this year was making
fairy bread when
doing fractions in
maths.

Cooper Hibberd

The best thing about
this year was
getting a Buddy
Bench. If we have
no one to play with
we can go there.
Gemma Boseley

SIMPLY THE BEST IN 1/2G



The best thing about
this year was
Superhero Day. We
learnt about how to
be a good hero!

Riley Whitney

The best thing about
this year was making
new friends!

Trey Mercer

The best thing about
this year is my
teacher, because she
is a fantastic
teacher!

Willow Pain

The best thing about this year was doing Art, learning fractions and watching Beauty and the Beast.
Isabella Palamara

The best thing about this year was typing up my information report on the computer.

James Lando

The best thing about this year was making Chocolate Coconut Balls in maths because we were doing fractions.
Josephine Lewin

SIMPLY THE BEST IN 1/26



The best thing about this year was Sports Day, because I had lots of fun and it keeps kids healthy.

Madison Wilhelm

The best thing about this year was doing Art, watching The Alpha Show and learning how to criss cross in sport.
Remi Crozier

The best thing about this year is that we got to do maths with food.

Thomas Martin

The best thing about
this year was making
a wish list for Book
Fair!

Axel Smith

The best thing about
this year was School
Sports Day because I
had fun at long
distance and sprints!

Heath Reeves

The best thing about
this year was Sports
Day because Chaffey
won and I got a
medal!

Imogen McAskill

SIMPLY THE BEST IN 1/26



The best thing about
this year was making
chocolate balls in
maths for fractions.

Kaleb Goddard

The best thing about
this year was 100
years of ANZAC
because we made
ANZAC biscuits!

Lachlan McGree

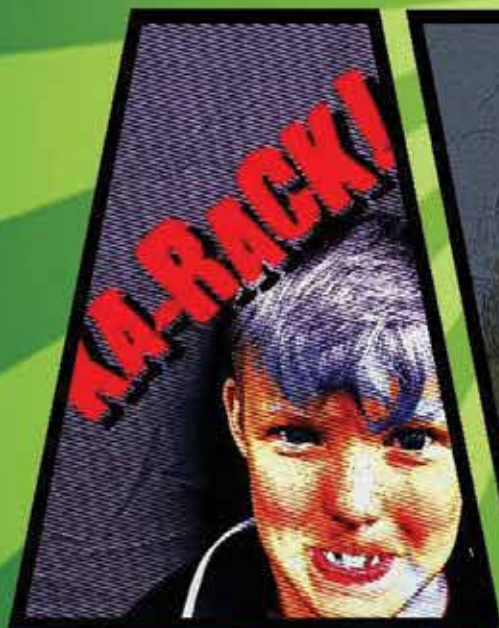
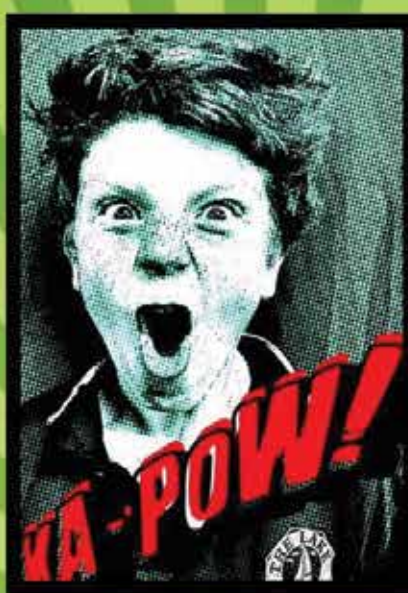
The best thing about
this year was Jump
Rope for Heart
because we got to
do lots of skipping!

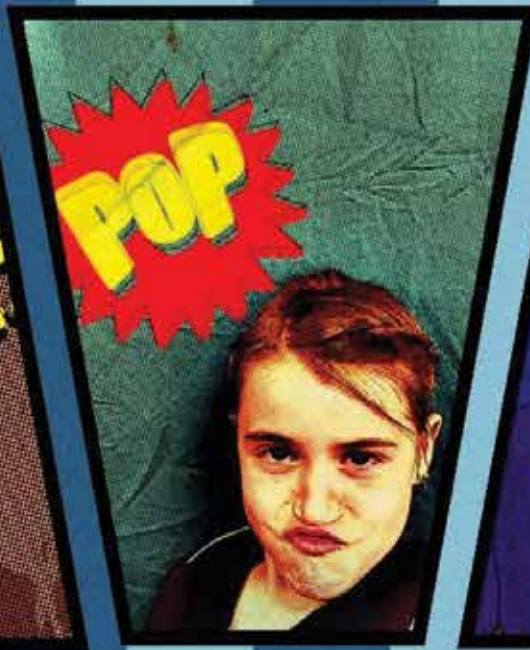
Dekoda Shier



1/2H
2015







I loved 1/2H because I got to be with my friends—Thurston

I liked that we did lots of work—Orion

THIS YEAR WAS A GOOD YEAR BECAUSE EVERYBODY WAS NICE - ASHA

We got to learn about space. Interesting! - Will

I LOVED MY CLASS BECAUSE OF MY TEACHER AND MY FRIENDS _ JARVAS

I loved 1/2H because of my teacher! - Scarlett

I liked how we all worked together—Mia

I LOVED 1/2H BECAUSE MISS HUMPHREY WAS MY TEACHER! - MILLA

I love 1/2H because it's a wonderful classroom with all my friends—Dakota

MISS HUMPHREY IS THE BEST TEACHER _ PAIGE

I loved 1/2H because I like Miss Humphrey—Sienna

I love my class—Zarah

I LOVED ALL THE GOOD BOOKS, FRACTIONS AND MULTIPLYING - MILLY

I like the classroom because of all my friends—Jack

I LIKED ALL THE FUN THINGS WE DID _ ELLA

I liked all the books we read together—Riley Ross

I liked 1/2H because the learning we did was fun! - Riley Barker

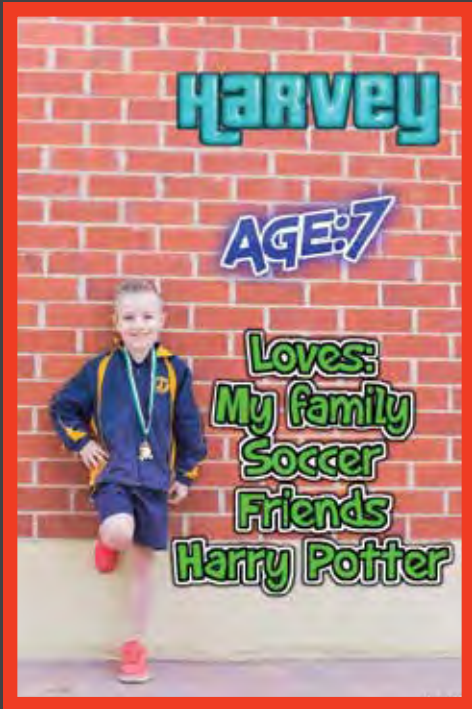
I LIKE 1/2H BECAUSE IT IS FUN! - DENZEL

I have met lots of friends in 1/2H this year- Charlotte

SUPER

1/2 MW

CLEVER



COOL

GREAT



AWESOME



BRILLIANT

INCREDIBLE

KIND

1/2 MW

FRIENDS

COOPER

Age: 7

LOVES:
FOOTY
FAMILY
FRIENDS
VIDEO GAMES



ELLA

Age: 7

LOVES:
FAMILY
toy mouse
gymnastics
lollies



LARISSA

Age: 8

LOVES:
RUNNING
MY FAMILY
MY FRIENDS
HOCKEY



AMAZING

NICE

TULLY

Age: 8

LOVES:
SPORT
PETS
TEDDIES
MY FAMILY



Sienna

Age: 8

LOVES:
Eva
Angels
BUTTERFLIES
my family



PHOENIX

Age: 7

LOVES:
Life
WWE
my parents
my friends

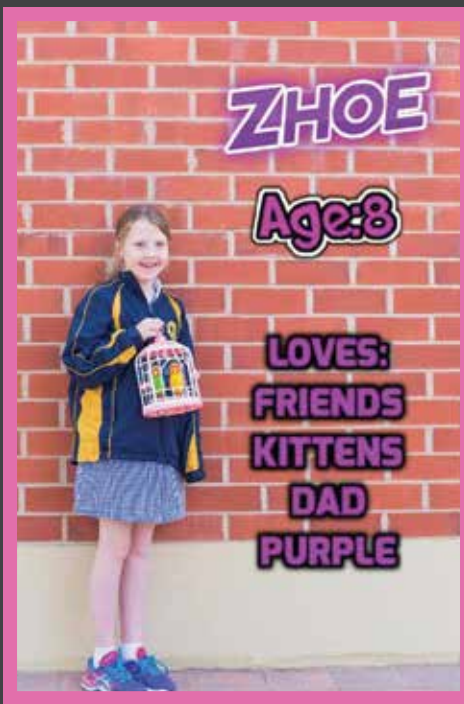


CARING

SPECTACULAR

TERRIFIC 1/2 MW

FUN



FABULOUS

SMART



EXTRAORDINARY



RESPECTFUL

EXTRAORDINARY

HEZPFOL

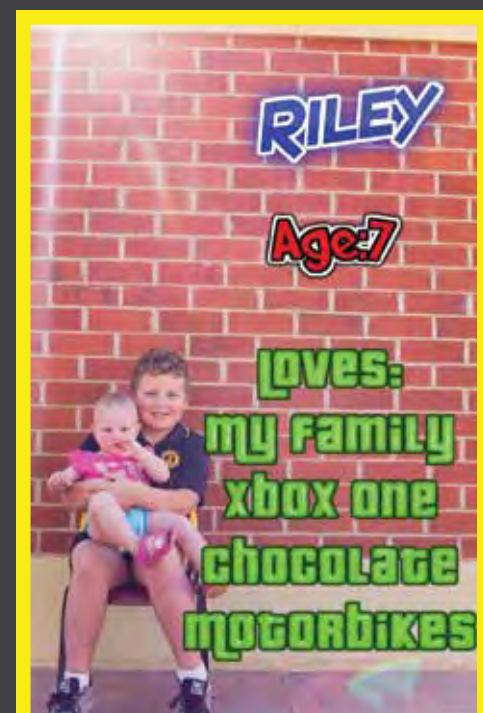
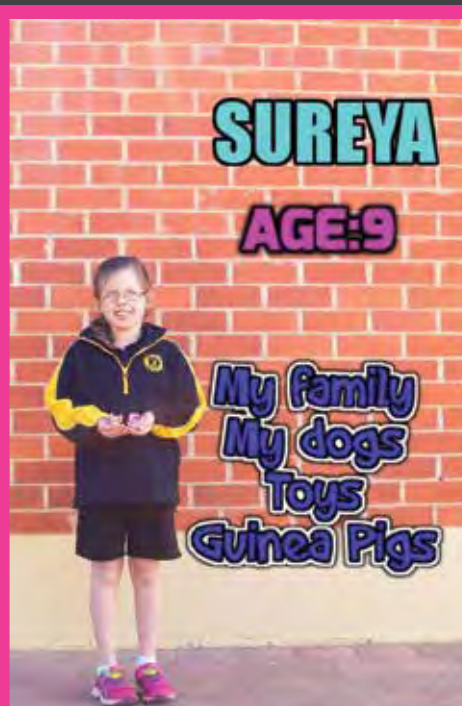
1/2MW

EAGER



CREATIVE

GARCEOUS



EXCELLENT

ENTERTAINING



3/4A



Grade 3/4 Bell



Cham-oh-saur-yes

The Champosaurs is a megabodon which leaves stuff everywhere, lezy, pig eater, also it's favorite food is thomas the tank engine.



LUKEA-TOOTH

The lukeatooth is a massive man eating shark that is sometimes lazy so they don't live for long



MARKOSAURUS
MARK-O-SORE-US

The Markosaurus is the best meat eater and it is not really fast at running.



MONTIESAURUS
MONTIE-SAURUS

Montiesaurus is such a clear freak and she would probably fall over while trying to catch her predator's. This dinosaur has lots of blisters on her paws because she swings on the bars.

Fogatrodon

Fog-a-trodon.

Is shy but friendly.

A Fogatrodon is a small dinosaur.

It likes to eat berries and a bit of meat.

Fogatrodon's like to learn different things and make new friends as long as they are friendly.



AN-TON-A-DOON
Runs fast.
Digs fast.
Peaks things



Dillkakatooth
I am the most fastest swimmer in the world can travel to 50 KM/H.
I eat meat.
I am a very swift mover.



Fleridaktyl
Fleri-dak-tyl

The Fleridaktyl is famous for jumping. It can jump up to 50m high. It can run up to 9000 km/h.



JAKYLOSAURUS
JAKE-ill-oh-SORE-us

Jakeylosaurus is very fast. It can knock anything down and Jakeylosaurus lives with Marko saurus and Trybowski.



Dallarex
dall-a-rex

Dallarex is famous for jumping. It can jump up to 50m high. It can run up to 9000km per hour. It is the strongest dinosaur in the world.



MATHADACTYL
Math-a-Dactyl

Excellent at mathematical equations.
Predicted the nuclear would cause
the world to get very cold.



Parkasaurus

pork-a-saur-us

Extremely fast.
Lives to 180 years old.
Very smart.
Always hungry.
Very colorful.
Very funny.



Sparkasaurus

spark-a-saurus

The Sparkasaurus is very clean. The sparkasaurus
is very quiet. The sparkasaurus is very good at swinging
on branches. The sparkasaurus loves stomping around.



Russadactyl

Russ-a-dactyl

They are very slow runners, but are the
best swimmers in the world.
They live up to 50 years and weigh up to
40 kg.
They are herbivores.



MadaRex

Mad-a-Rex

Smart
Intelligent
Deadly
Fast
She is a meat eater.
Known for kindness.
Can run up to 100 km per second



Microraptor

Mic-a-raptor

The Microraptor is a plant eater. It is 323 meters tall.
It is a really happy dinosaur. It is bright and easy to find.
It is strong spunky and is blue.

Widowbirds

Wid-a-birds

Widowbirds is very clean but can
be really sometimes. It is very
short but is very fast. It is also fast
do a roller and very nice. It is known
to associate with Claws.



Riley saurus rex

Riley-saurus rex

Best dinosaur. Super crazy
and fun yoy



Chisacoreus

chis-a-coreus

Chisacoreus is responsible.
Has everything in place.
Loves doing division in dinosaur lessons.
And loves eating my predators for breakfast and
tea.



Cappuccino

A cappuccino is blue and red.

Be careful what you say. It has excellent hearing.
It is very flexible and sometimes it is very funny.
It is smaller than a movie star.



Laryes

La-ry-es

Can swim, fly and run.
Eats everything.
It is 13 metres
long and tall.

Chisacoreus is a 1000 km and 30 cm wide.
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Popadopalous

Pop-a-dop-a-lous

The Popadopalous is very sporty.
This species loves to run, jump and climb.
It takes them days to do
things as they will never give up.
They think giving up is pathetic.
Popadopalous is very colorful.
When they stand out from all of the other dinosaurs



These things make us *Happy...*





These things
make us

Happy...



These
things
make
us

Happy...



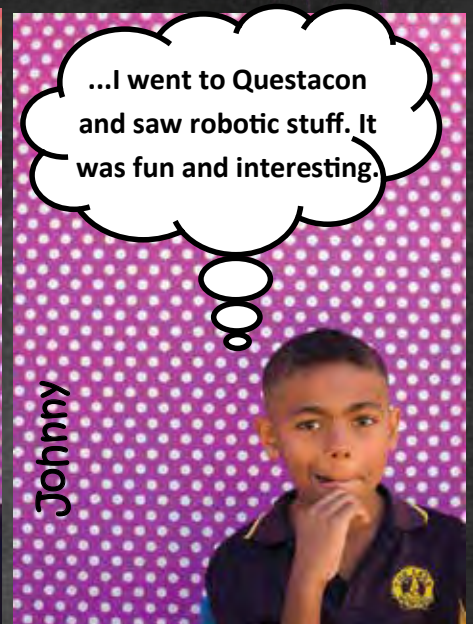


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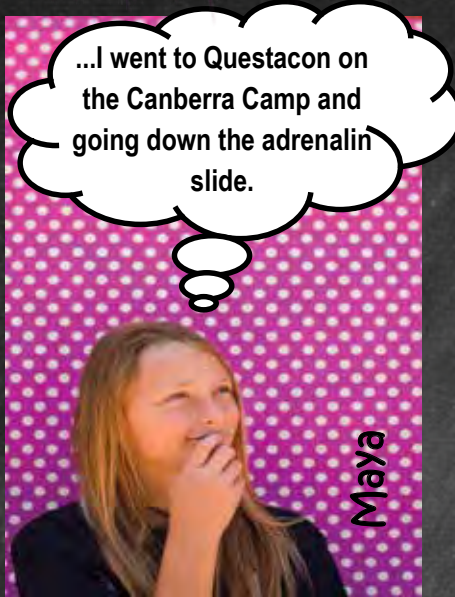
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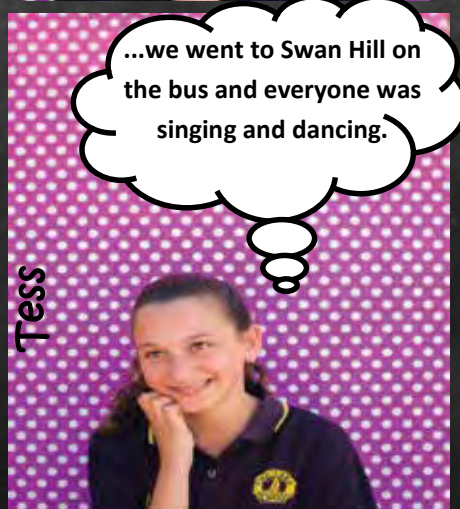
5/6G REMEMBERS WHEN



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grade 1/2 camp







3/4 Camp Sunraysia Tour





Australian Institute of Sport



Canberra



National Art Gallery



National Museum



The Royal Australian Mint





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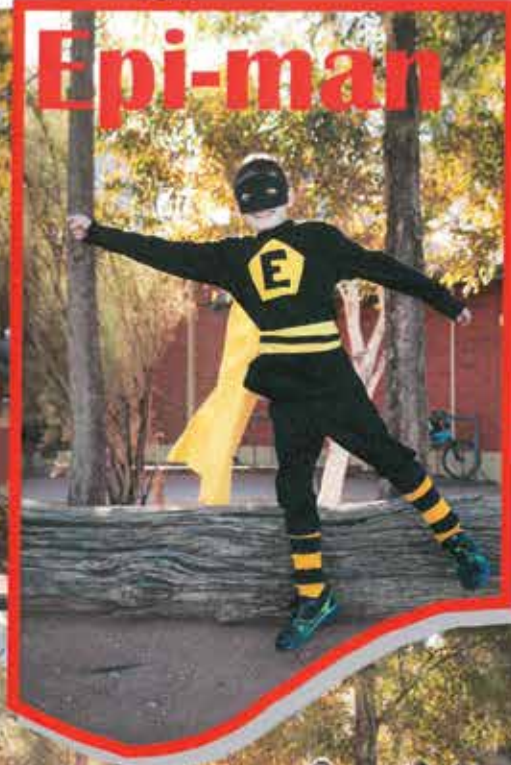
Australian High Court

Australian War Memorial



Be an Allergy Hero!! Be like...

Epi-man



How can you be a hero?

**By not bringing foods with nuts as a main ingredient e.g. nut muesli bars/peanut butter to school (enjoy them at home).
By not sharing food at school.
By eating in class and designated outdoor areas.**



Superhero Day May 22nd, Supporting Allergy Awareness Week

Indonesian Day



Our Indonesian Day was held on the 8th of September. The students were involved in a range of activities including taekwondo, making masks and puppets, cooking, dance, origami and paper folding activities and shell and number games.





Science Show





*Lamington
fun with the Preps*



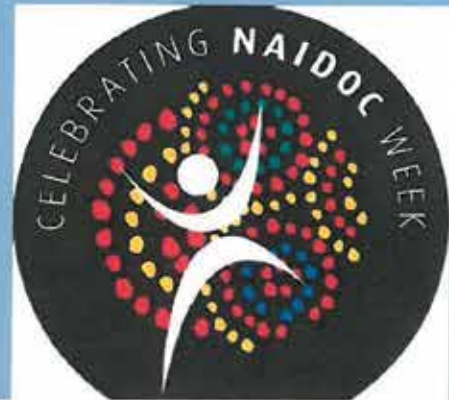
Once again we conducted our annual major fundraiser in the form of a Trivia Night. It was held in the Sunset Hall at Trinity Lutheran College. About 140 parents, staff and school community members enjoyed an evening of trivia and laughs playing “minute to win it” games.

A Raffle was run in conjunction with the trivia night. Thanks to our sponsors: helloworld, Office Everything, Burrows Jewellers and Totally Workwear for their contributions towards our fund raising.

A total of \$7,500 was raised to go towards major projects within the school to benefit our students.

TRIVIA NIGHT and Raffle





Fred Reid visited our school for our 2015 NAIDOC Day celebrations. He is from the Daingattie tribe in NSW and he taught us about aboriginal culture by telling us stories, singing us songs, showing us some musical instruments and explaining the significance of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags. We all enjoyed his show. Riley Dunbar



NAIDOC Celebrations

My Friends and I

On Tuesday the 3rd of March, a funny puppet show came to The Lake Primary School. The show was about bullying and friendship. It was performed by a lady named Steph and the main puppet was named Louise. Our whole school got to watch it.



Steph talked about different strategies to use when dealing with bullies. We were told to:

- Make yourself bully proof
- Talk firm
- Walk away
- Tell an adult

We all enjoyed the performance.

Some of the bits were really funny and some were gross (especially the part where we thought they might kiss).

By 1/2MW



The Alpha Show

Beauty and the Beast

On Wednesday 12th of August we had the Alpha show come to our school to perform "Beauty and the Beast". This performance was about a girl called Belle and a Beast and how the Beast turns back into his true form and breaks the spell that was cast over him. Beauty and the Beast was a fun and exciting performance for everyone to enjoy. By Samantha Moore



On Wednesday the 12th, the Alpha Show came to school to perform "Beauty and the Beast". We all sat in the Multi-Purpose-Room and watched the act LIVE. All the students Prep to year 6 really enjoyed the performance. The Alpha Show had fantastic actors, they were able to double up on characters, which made it look like they had extras! By Chanelle



There was also a lot of choreography and music throughout the play. It was also cool because of the selfie they took with the school, they later posted it on Instagram @TheAlphaShow. By Jack

The story of the show was about a girl called Belle, who lived in a village who was getting forced to get married to an evil man called Gaston. Until one day Belle's dad, an inventor, was lost in the woods but found a castle and then found out a Beast lived there and he got sent to a dungeon. So Belle went to the castle to save her dad but she wanted to stay there. After a while the Beast and Belle felt a connection. But one day Gaston and the Beast had a fight and the Beast was almost about to die until Belle said "I love you." And the Beast got transformed back to a human and lived happily ever after. By Colby



The beast was mean and fierce, but inside he was a kind hearted man, that would never hurt a soul and at the end his kind heart reached the outside. By Taylah

Division Cricket Finals



Left to Right: Ethan Maiorana, Kade Zrna, Jack Bithell, Christian Pollifrone, Harry Pinyon, Sebastian Pollifrone, Ryan Rigby, Jeremy Paton, Will Stephens, Taj Stevens

Front: Lachlan Hutchins

Our 5/6 boys cricket team played in the Sunraysia Division Cricket Finals after winning against Our Lady's PS in the Merbein District Competition.

We played 3 matches and finished 3rd with the following results:

Irymple South PS def The Lake PS

4/48 5/27

The Lake PS def Mildura South PS

5/45 6/43

The Lake PS def Sacred Heart PS

5/72 1/70

Cross Country

Sturt won the 2015 annual School Cross Country held on Thursday 25th June.

Congratulations to the following age champions:



Grade	Boys	Time	Girls	Time
Prep	Samuel Trinick	1:08	Blaise Keenan	1:05 NR
6 year old	Cooper Brice	1:19	Imogen McAskill	1:13
7 year old	Thomas Martin	2:15	Tully Schweitzer	2:18
8 year old	Riley Pinyon	2:42 NR	Frankee - Mae Keenan	2:47 NR
9 year old	Jayke Parker	5:45 NR	Kaytiana Fogarty	6:57 NR
10 year old	Brayth Munn	8:58 NR	Esta Zappia	9:51 NR
11+	Harrison Pinyon	9:26 NR	Latara Trigg	11:18 NR

Andrea Newey's dad, Bernie McKay, presenting Sturt Captains Lilly Ayson and Colby Storer with the Andrea Newey Shield.



District Cross Country

This year we had 12 students representing our school in the District Cross Country. Our representatives trained during play and lunch time in preparation for the event. These are the results:

9/10 Yrs Boys 2km- Blake Martin-17th & Kurtis Fitzpatrick- 42nd.

11 Yrs Girls- 3km- Latara Trigg- 13th, Brianna Madden- 37th & Emmy Parker- 38th.

11 Yrs Boys- Brayth Munn- 4th & Riley Dunbar- 43rd.

12+ Yrs Boys-

Harry Pinyon- 7th

Jeremy Paton- 15th

Jed O'Connor- 17th,

Will Stephens-31st



Regional Cross Country

Brayth Munn and Harrison Pinyon represented our school in the Regional Cross Country in St Arnaud. Brayth finished 23rd in the 11yr boys event and Harrison finished 25th in the 12+yr boys event.



SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Chaffey—994

Sturt—961



Congratulations age champions!

Prep: Jeremy Bruton & Blaise Keenan

6yrs: Cooper Brice & Imogen McAskill

7yrs: Thomas Martin & Tully Schweitzer

8yrs: Campbell Brown & Frankee—Mae Keenan

9yrs: Jayke Parker & Poppi Evans

10yrs: Trampus Keenan & Lola O'Connor

11+yrs: Sebastian Pollifrone & Julia Villiva



New Records:

Phoenix Hemming — 7yrs High Jump 99cm

Shaun Hollingworth — Prep Vortex Throw 15.95

Julia Villiva — 11+yrs Vortex Throw 39.7



MINI OLYMPICS

Sebastian Pollifrone —1st & Record 11yrs High Jump
- 2nd 11yrs 100m Sprint

Lola O'Connor —1st 9/10yrs 80m Hurdles
- 2nd 9/10yrs 200m Sprint

Julia Villiva —2nd 12+yrs High Jump
- 2nd 12+yrs Shot Put

Colby Storer —2nd 12+yrs High Jump

Olivia Bowden —2nd 12+yrs Hurdles

Jack Bithell —1st 11yrs Hurdles
- 3rd 11yrs Long Jump

Jayke Parker —3rd 9/10 yrs Triple Jump

Poppi Evans —3rd 9/10yrs Triple Jump

Ethan Dwyer —3rd 9/10yrs Triple Jump

Harry Pinyon —3rd 12+yrs 800m

**Trampus Keenan, Jack Bithell, Sebastian Pollifrone,
Christian Pollifrone** —2nd 11yrs Relay



REGIONAL & STATE ATHLETICS

Lola O'Connor and Sebastian Pollifrone represented our school in the Regional Athletics championships in Bendigo. Lola won the 10yrs 80m Hurdles event and Sebastian came 2nd in the 11yrs High Jump. With these outstanding results they qualified for the State Championships on 26th October... Lola came 6th and Sebastian came 8th. Amazing effort :)



Summer Sports

Volleyball

Our school participated in the Merbein District Summer Sports competition. We had boys and girls teams for volleyball, softball and basketball and we competed against Merbein P-10 and Our Lady's Merbein.

Our volleyball and softball teams were victorious in all games!



Softball



Basketball

FOOTY COLOURS DAY



The last day of Term 3 was the ideal time to celebrate the lead-up to the footy finals with our annual Footy Colours Day Activity Morning. The Yr 6 students are to be commended for their leadership and support roles. Rachelle Hollingworth, Darryl Cumming, Mr Parsons, Mrs Taylor, Mr Moorhead and Mr Pearce also conducted skill-based activities focussing on soccer, rugby and AFL. The event concluded with two highly competitive soccer games involving parents & teachers versus students. On this occasion the students were far too strong and won both games convincingly. Congratulations students!



District Winter Sports



On Friday May 29th our 5/6 and selected Year 4 students represented our school in the District Winter Sports competition against Our Lady's PS and Merbein P-10. Our netball, soccer and AFL teams were successful in winning all games which qualified them to compete in the Sunraysia Division competition.

Results:

AFL

The Lake (37) def Our Lady's (35)
The Lake (111) def Merbein P-10 (14)

Soccer

The Lake (13) def Our Lady's – girls (0)
The Lake (12) def Our Lady's - boys (0)
The Lake (9) def Merbein P-10 (0)

Hockey

The Lake (3) def Our Lady's (2)
Merbein P- 10 (7) def The Lake (5)

Netball

Round 1: The Lake (26) def Our Lady's (2)
The Lake (20) def Merbein P-10 (2)
Round 2: The Lake (29) def Our Lady's (0)
The Lake (15) def Our Lady's (2)





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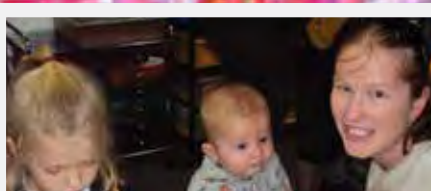
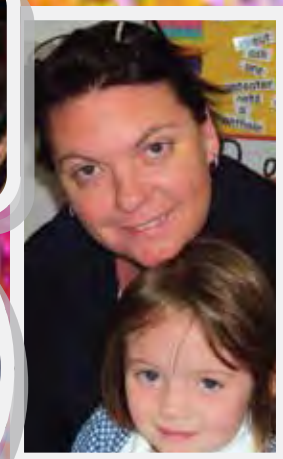
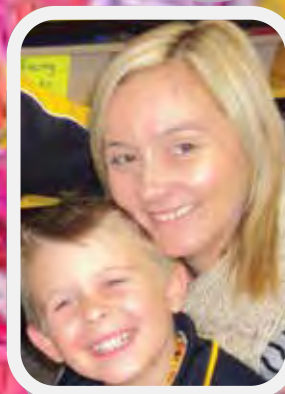
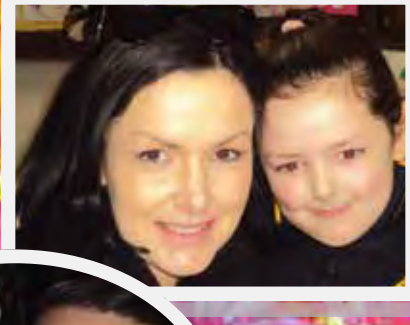
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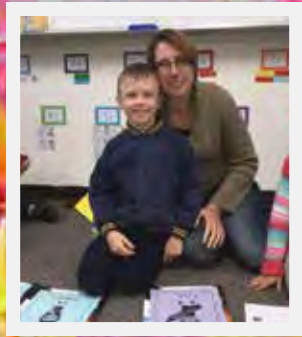
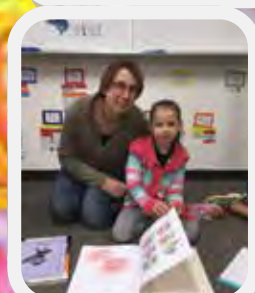
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Mother's Day Morning Tea



Mother's Day Morning Tea



Grade 5/6 Fish Release Excursion

On January 30th, the Grade 5/6 students ventured down to the Abbotsford Bridge boat ramp. They assisted the Mildura RSL Angling Club to release 22,000 perch fingerlings into the Murray River, to help increase the fish population.





Once again we had many talented students performing in The Lakes Got Talent Variety Show. Thanks to our Parent & Community Group for the yummy BBQ dinner.



13th March 2015

Mildura Show Awards



ART

Mildura Show Awards



Mildura Show Awards



HANDWRITING

Mildura Show Awards



Cooking

Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo

Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo

On Tuesday Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo came to our school. She did hula hooping and she used her imagination. When she was hula hooping she got colourful light up hula hoops and swung them around her arm. She was dancing with a horse named Mr Pony. It was great.

By Riley B.

Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo

Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo came to our school. She spun hula hoops around herself. She used her imagination. She pretended that Mr Pony was her horse. She cracked a whip. I really liked the show. It was really funny.

By Damon



Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo



Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo

On Tuesday the 17th of June 2015, a performer came to our school. There was a lady called Heidi. She had a whip, hula hoops and shadow puppets.

She had talking shadow puppets and glow in the dark hula hoops and she used her imagination. I liked the part when she used the glow in the dark hula hoops.

By Harvey

Heidi Hodeo Circus Rodeo

On Tuesday our school went into the multi-purpose room and saw a show. She cracked her whip and she had six kids as helpers. When the light went out she had glowing hula hoops. I loved when she turned on her glowing hula hoops. It was a really great show. I liked the show the best. I loved the colours of the hula hoops.

By Tully



Jokes

**WHAT DO YOU CALL A
WITCH WHO LIVES BY
THE SEA?**

**A: A SANDWICH
REMI**

**WHAT DO YOU GET
WHEN YOU CROSS A
KANGAROO WITH A
SHEEP?**

**A: A WOOLLY JUMPER
PHOEBE**

**What do you give a
sick pig?**

**A: Oinkment
Josephine**

What do you call a blind
dinosaur?

A: Idontthinkhesaw us

**WHAT DO YOU GET FROM A
NERVOUS COW?**

**A: MILK SHAKES
ISABELLA AND WILLOW**

Why did the tomato blush?

A: Because he saw the salad dressing

**HOW DO YOU CATCH
THE EASTER BUNNY?**

**A: HIDE IN A BUSH AND
MAKE A NOISE LIKE A
CARROT**

ALLEGRA

**WHAT DID THE
FROG ORDER AT
THE FAST FOOD
RESTAURANT?**

**A: FRENCH FLIES
HUNTER**

**What's another
name for a snail?**

**A: A booger with a
crash helmet**

Imogen

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**What happened to the
witch at school?**

A: She got expelled

Thomas

Knock Knock.

Whos there?

Boo

Boo who?

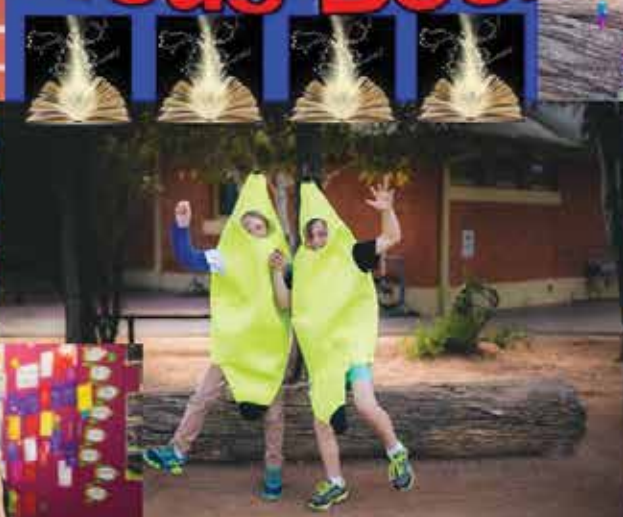
Don't cry it's just a joke!

Jack

**WHAT KIND OF BOOKS DO
BUNNIES LIKE?**

**A: ONES WITH HOPPY
ENDINGS**

LACHLAN



RECIPES

APPLE CAR RACERS

Ingredients:

4 apples, 16 green grapes, cut in half. You will also need: 16 toothpicks.

1. Gather all ingredients. Cut two full cheeks from each apple. Slice out the centre third so you have a wedge.



2. Slip 2 toothpicks into each apple wedge to become the car axles. Place grape halves on each side of the toothpick for wheels.

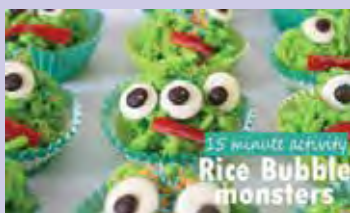


Vroom Vroom!



Ingredients:

- 1 tbs icing sugar
- 1 tsp water
- 1/4 cup choc chips
- 1/3 cup white chocolate melts
- 1/4 cup butter
- 4 cups marshmallows
- 2 tsp green food colouring
- 5 cups Rice Bubbles
- 1/4 cup sprinkles
- 1/4 cup raspberry licorice pieces



Method:

1. Mix a tablespoon of icing sugar and a little water in a snap lock bag. Add more sugar or water until you have a small amount of thick icing. Cut off the corner of the bag ready to use as a piping bag. Use the icing to 'glue' a small choc chip to the centre of the large white chocolate melts to make eyes.
2. Melt the butter in a large saucepan over a low heat. Add the marshmallows and stir until they are melted and mixed well. Cook the mixture for a further minute or two, stirring constantly, then remove from the heat. Add 6-12 drops of food colouring (depending on how green you want your monsters to be) and stir until the entire mixture turns bright green! Add the rice bubbles and mix well until everything is combined.
3. While the mixture cools off a little, set out some cupcake liners and all your decorations ready to go.
4. Using two spoons, shape spoonfuls of the Rice Bubble mixture into rough balls and pop them into the cupcake liners. (You can use your hands if you like but it will get very sticky, very quickly!) Decorate your monsters with sprinkles, eyes and a mouth.
5. Pop your monster Rice Bubble treats into the fridge for a little while until they set, then enjoy a monstrous treat!

TINY TEDDY TRAINS

Ingredients:

- 100g chocolate, melted
- 1 x 340g family size pkt Smarties
- 12 x 25g Milky Way Bars
- 1 x 200g pkt Licorice Allsorts
- 1 x 180g Licorice Sticks
- 1 x 250g box Tiny Teddies



Method:

1. Using the melted chocolate as 'glue', stick 2 Smarties on each side of the Milky Way Bar for the wheels.
2. Glue one 1/2 square of Licorice Allsorts onto the top of the Milky Way.
3. Cut a Tiny Teddy off at the waist and glue onto the top of the train.
4. Cut a Licorice Stick in half crossways and glue on the front of the train as the steam spout.

Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup salt
- 1 cup plain flour
- 2 tbs cream of tartar
- 1 cup water
- 1 tbs oil
- 3 drops of liquid food colouring



Method:

STEP 1: Mix all ingredients together in a medium sized saucepan.

STEP 2: Stir over heat until dough is pliable.

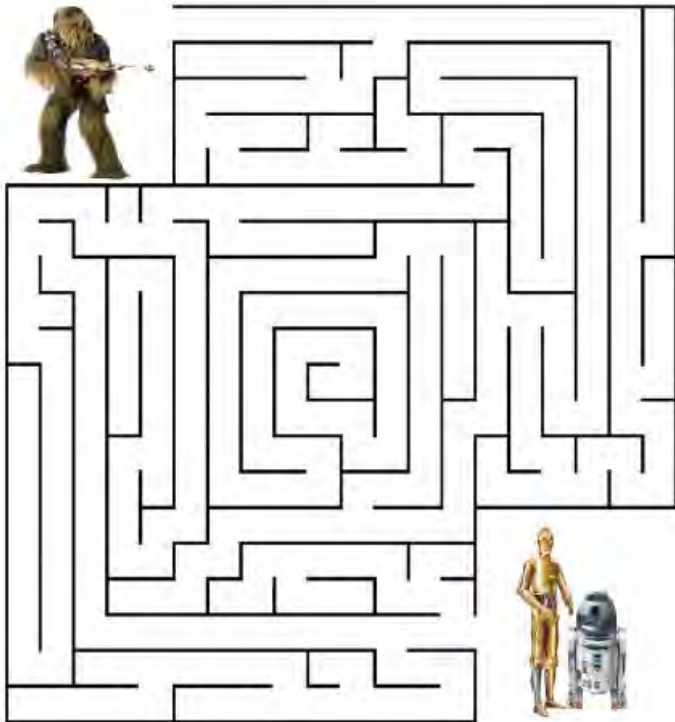
STEP 3: Allow to cool and store in a well sealed plastic bag or container.

Notes: 3 drops of colouring is an estimate - please adjust to your liking. This makes enough for 2-4 children to have a good sized lump to play with. I keep it in the fridge and it lasts for 6 months or more.



STAR WARS

Puzzle Page



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Key:

9	Orange
10	Gray
11	Black
12	Red
13	Blue

*Blank squares are white

STAR WARS

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R T D O O 3 R A T S H T A E D
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HAN SOLO OBI WAN TATOOINE
CHEWBACCA JEDI R2-D2
LEIA DARTH VADER C-3PO



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