

Lismore Primary School Scoop

*Lismore Primary School considers the safety of children as being of paramount importance.
LPS is committed to inclusion of all children from different cultural, linguistic backgrounds, all abilities and individual needs.*

Our school has a zero tolerance of child abuse.



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FROM MY DESK ...

I have had a brilliant first few days at Lismore and must thank the students and staff for their warm welcome. I look forward to meeting parents and families when we are able to. It is obvious that students at Lismore Primary School are active and engaged learners which everyone involved in the school community should be really proud of. I am looking forward to being involved in a positive final term to end what has been a very unique year.

RETURN TO ON-SITE LEARNING

There were some very excited students on Monday morning as they returned to on-site learning, it has been amazing to see students back socialising and sharing their work from the remote learning period. This week we will welcome MARC and MACC vans which are able to return to schools with increased cleaning and sanitisation protocols.

COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

Even with our return to on-site learning, COVID restrictions still remain in place. As Term 4 proceeds, based on health advice, the Department will update schools on measures that may no longer be required and/or new measures that may be introduced. We will keep families informed of updates as soon as they become available.

TRANSITION – MEET THE FOUNDATION TEACHER

A reminder to families that we have scheduled a 'meet the foundation teacher' video conference coming up next week. We invite kindergarten children and parents/carers to join Mrs Evans WebEx room on **Wednesday 14th October at 2:30pm**. In this interactive meeting you will meet our foundation teacher Mrs Narelle Evans, view the classroom, meet other students (including buddies) and find out what a typical day at Lismore Primary School looks like. Instructions for accessing the WebEx platform can be found below.

Instructions for setting up 'WebEx meetings' on devices:

If using a PC or Laptop:

Step one: Open internet browser page and copy the following link into the URL <http://eduvic.webex.com/meet/lucas.narelle.1> This will prompt you to enter details such as name and email. *Note: The 'WebEx' meeting software can be downloaded onto your computer if you wish. You will be prompted to do this by the software.*

Step two: Click 'join meeting'



If using a smart phone, iPad or Android tablet:

Step one: Download App.

If you are using a home iPad or other tablet device, you will need to download the 'WebEx meeting' app from the app store your device uses.

Step two: Login

Enter this link <http://eduvic.webex.com/meet/lucas.narelle.1> or the meeting room number 576463658 into the join meeting field, then click join.

TERM 4 PRIORITIES

The following priorities for students and staff will guide all school operations during Term 4:

- Mental Health and Wellbeing
- Learning
- Transitions

CURRICULUM DAY REMINDER

A reminder to families that **Monday, 19th October** is a Curriculum Day (Student Free Day) staff will be attending a Positive Education Workshop webinar.

ASSISTANCE

If any families require assistance or support, please don't hesitate to contact me at the school. As I told the students this week we are 'all learning together'.

Have a great week
Stuart Robinson



On behalf of the school community I would like to thank the Kerr family for their very generous donation of four brand new raised garden beds for our community garden, we are so grateful. Staff and students are super excited to get into the garden now that we are back onsite. Thanks so much Kerr's!



2020 Parents Victoria Online Conference

Parents /carers, school leadership / staff and school councillors are invited to attend the 2020 Parents Victoria Online Conference.

The theme of the forum is a Brave New World: Changes, challenges and opportunities for families and schools.

This year's conference program includes presentations from expert speakers and groups on mental health support for students and parents, connecting school communities and engaging families.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Education James Merlino will open the conference and answer questions submitted by schools and families.

To submit a question email office@parentsvictoria.asn.au by Sunday 11 October.

Details on the conference and how to register are provided below.

Date: Monday 19 October 2020

Time: 10am to 1.15pm

Cost: The conference is free but registration is essential.

Registration: The conference will take place on Zoom. Participants will be emailed a Zoom link on 18 October.

For more information visit the [Parents Victoria website](#).

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Dates to Remember

Monday 19th October	Curriculum Day for staff - No School for students
Wednesday 21st October	School Council meeting via WebEx @ 4.15pm
Friday 23rd October	Grand Final public holiday-no school
Monday 2nd November	No School Buses Running — parents to bring students to school
Tuesday 3rd November	Melbourne Cup public holiday-no school
Thursday 17th December	Last day of Term for students
Friday 18th December	Curriculum Day for staff

KINDER TRANSITION

It is wonderful to see some of our Kinder students creating their stick man activity with their family members. Students were encouraged to listen to the Stick Man story online and create their own creation with sticks and supplied resources.

Thank you for sharing Rylie, you did a wonderful job.



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Well done to all of our students for settling back into classroom routines with positive attitudes, cannot wait to see where this term takes us!



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COMMUNITY NEWS

SOUTH WEST HEALTHCARE – LET'S TALK FOUNDATION

Please see below for details regarding our upcoming virtual social connection community nights:

South West Healthcare has teamed up with the Let's Talk Foundation to bring Tomorrow Man and Tomorrow Woman to the South West.

We will be hosting "Unbound," a women's night on the 13th of October, followed by "Lock-in," a men's night on the 15th of October. Both events start at 7 pm.

These workshops aim to create virtual social connection with participants and provide a space for participants to talk about what's going on in life.

They are a facilitated workshop where participants can contribute as much or as little as they like to the "virtual room." Some will choose to sit and listen while others might decide to share some stories.

It provides participants with some tips and tricks for creating meaningful connections virtually with their family and friends and gives them the confidence to support those around them.

In a time where we have all become less socially connected, we urge people to take the opportunity to join in on these FREE events.

If you want to feel empowered to be able to support the people around you, or if you have missed the social connection you get in your workplace, sporting clubs, community groups, mothers groups, the gym, or with your mates...

... This is for you.

These workshops are open to everyone aged 18+.

To take part, please register by following the links below.

Women's Night- <https://virtualunboundsouthwest.eventbrite.com.au>

Men's Night- <https://virtuallockinsouthwest.eventbrite.com.au>

To find out what Tomorrow Man & Tomorrow Woman is all about, watch this link https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qHB_Sl8jSbQ

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VIRTUAL
UNBOUND

IN THIS VIRTUAL WORKSHOP YOU'LL HAVE SOME LAUGHS, MAYBE SHED A TEAR AND LEAVE A LITTLE LIGHTER WITH SOME TRICKS FOR CREATING DEEPER CONNECTIONS WITH YOUR LOVED ONES.
18 YEARS+ (UNDER 18 YEARS SUPERVISED)

TUE 13TH OCT · 7.00PM
REGISTER NOW

BLOKES OF THE
SOUTH WEST
VIRTUAL
LOCK IN

Join us in this virtual workshop. Have some laughs, talk about what's going on right now and leave a little lighter with some tools to help you check in with your mates to go beyond the banter.
18 years+ (under 18 years supervised)

THU 15TH OCT · 7.00PM
REGISTER NOW

This FREE Tomorrow Woman event is proudly brought to you by LETS TALK, with support from South West Healthcare.



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