

Lismore Primary School Scoop

Our vision is to develop well rounded, confident and responsible individuals who aspire to achieve their full potential. We will do this by providing a welcoming, happy, safe and supportive learning environment in which everyone is equal and all achievements are celebrated.



Lismore Primary School would like to acknowledge the Wathaurong People, the Traditional Owners of the land on which we are gathered and pay our respects to their Elders-past and present and emerging.

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FROM MY DESK

We had an amazing time on camp last week! Sure, the weather wasn't in our favour on Thursday, but the students were incredible in their ability to adapt and simply enjoy what they were doing. They interacted so wonderfully with each other, were supportive and always respectful. One of the best parts of camp is seeing students try new things, overcome fears and build their confidence. There were so many examples of this throughout the camp; from trying new foods, to challenging fear of heights, to trusting a harness to keep you safe, the list goes on. I've really enjoyed the feedback from families as to the things they were proud of their child doing. A huge thank you to Pauline Graham who came on camp with me. I always appreciate the time staff take away from their families to support us running camps.



We have another busy week with our Summer Sports for Grade 3-6 students tomorrow. Thankfully the weather looks like holding off and we should be relatively unaffected.

Congratulations to the following students who have been noticed displaying our school values in the last week.

Respect: Blake: For always using beautiful manners on camp.

Responsibility: Corey: Corey often helps his teacher with tasks such as carrying things or cleaning up.

Persistence: Jessica: Jessica has shown great persistence with her Maths work on symmetry.

Excellence: Paul: Paul has worked really hard on his camp recount and done a fantastic job.

Have a great week

Brad Whittaker



SUMMER SPORTS

We are excited to be hosting the WPPSA Summer Sports for Grade 3-6 students tomorrow at Lismore Primary School. Students from Rokewood, Derrinallum and Skipton will be joining us for a day of fun and an opportunity to try a range of different sports. A final reminder that there will be a BBQ lunch available to all LPS students, not just those in Grades 3-6. Sausages will be available for \$2.50 and hamburgers \$4. Juice boxes will also be available. Thank you to the PFA for organising and cooking the BBQ. Parents are most welcome to join us and watch the sports. The first sport is scheduled to begin at 10am, and the final sport to finish at approximately 1.45pm.



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REPORT WRITING DAY

As part of the Department's agreement, teaching staff are entitled to a professional practice day where they have time to complete work of their own choosing. Because of the lack of CRT's available, it has also been suggested that teachers take the PPD's days on the same day and for schools to have a student free day. As was the case in Term 2, we will be using this day as a Report Writing Day, and this will take place on Wednesday the 16th of November.

STAFFING

We are already in the process of organising our staffing for 2023. We currently have a full-time family leave position advertised on Recruitment Online, which we hope to fill in plenty of time before the end of the year.

ASSESSMENT WEEK

Week 5 will see us begin our end of year assessments to help with report writing and our planning for 2023. As this is a shortened week, some assessments will be finalised in Week 6. We will remind students that this is not something they should stress about, all we ask is that they try their personal best. If you have any concerns regarding this, please speak to your child's teacher or myself.

CYBER SAFETY

Yesterday our Grade 3-6 students were joined by members of the Victorian Police to learn about cyber safety and how we can be safe online. The session was very interactive and was thoroughly enjoyed by our students. With the ever-evolving world of technology and our reliance on it, we see this as invaluable learning for our students.

TRANSITION

By the time the next edition of the newsletter is released, our 2023 Foundation students will have had their first transition morning. We look forward to welcoming them to our school next Wednesday for an hour. This is an exciting time for these children and their families and we're excited to have the opportunity to build on this excitement and help prepare them for school life.

TOMATO PLANTS

This is the last week to purchase tomato plants from our Grade 3-6 students' online business. Thank you to everyone who has already supported our students with this.



Plants are mixed varieties and are a bargain at \$5ea. A limited number are also available for purchase in hand-painted terracotta pots for \$7.

Available for purchase now from

<https://daintree.firstpivot.com.au/shops/187565/shop>

Seedlings will be available for collection from the school between 3.30-4.00pm on Friday 21st October. Alternatively, text Jess on 0448537700.

ANGLESEA 3-6 CAMP

We had an absolute ripper of a time on camp and managed to do a lot of outdoor activities, even with the huge amount of rain. We are busy writing recounts and some of those will be in next weeks newsletter. Here are just some of the fun photos and a photo display board will be put up at school in the near future.



ONE LINERS!



F-3 The F-3 students are enjoying searching for the hidden images and connections within Anthony Browne's books.

3-6 The 3-6 students enjoyed having Brooke and John from Victorian Police visit. It was very informative and they gave lots of examples and advice on student safety, particularly cyber safety.

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YOUNG ACHIEVERS OF THE WEEK

F-3 Class Ivy for being an amazing class member who is kind and thoughtful, always uses her manners and is an enthusiastic learner. Fabulous attitude Ivy.

3-6 Class To the whole 3-6 class for demonstrating resilience and being such happy campers on camp. Well done!

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School Dates to Remember

Thursday 20th October	Summer Sports @ Lismore
Thursday 20th October	School Council meeting
Wednesday 26th October	Kinder transition day / 9.15—10.15 am
Monday 31st October	Staff Curriculum Day / NO SCHOOL
Tuesday 1st November	Melbourne Cup Holiday / NO SCHOOL
Wednesday 9th November	Kinder transition day / 10.00 -11.30 am
Wednesday 16th November	Staff Professional Practice Day/ NO SCHOOL
Wednesday 23rd November	Kinder transition day 9.15am - 1.30 pm
Thursday 24th November	School Council meeting
Wednesday 7th December	Grade 6 Graduation Dinner
Wednesday 14th December	End Of Year BBQ Break-Up
Tuesday 20th December	Last day of Term 4

3-6 NEWS

Yesterday we had a visit from Brooke and John from the Victoria Police. During their talk they covered many safety topics such as who are first responders, bullying and associated laws and cyber safety. We learnt how important it is to communicate with trusted adults if there is a problem and they recommended some important websites to help keep us stay safe.

