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

Another amazing week here at Lismore Primary!



Thank you to all that came down to Lismore Outdoor Swimming Pool on Friday the 15th March. We were fortunate to have fantastic weather, and the enthusiastic cheering and support added an extra layer of fun on the day! A big THANK YOU to the Parents and Friends group for cooking the BBQ, they raised around \$80 after expenses. We will be announcing the winning House and handing out ribbons at this Thursday's assembly.

On Monday, the team used the day to look at our current Literacy Instructional Model. We revised what is working well for our students and providing them with the best opportunities to develop their Core Literacy skills. We have only scratched the surface of the work that needs to be done and will continue to focus on it throughout the year. Thank you for giving us this time together.

I also want to say thank you to all parents/carers for attending our Parent Teacher Interviews this week. I know that the afternoons for a lot of our families can be chaotic, and the team here wants to share their appreciation for your time and patience. If at any time you would like to talk about your child/rens progress please feel free to contact the classroom teachers to arrange a time. You do not need to wait till Parent Teacher Interviews to discuss concerns or to gain information around their academics.

We have finished off all NAPLAN assessments this week, with only some minor hiccups. Well done to all Year 3 and 5 students, they showed patience and stamina throughout the week to get the assessments done to the best of their ability. Students' results will be in mid next term.



This coming Thursday is Harmony Day. To celebrate the day, we are asking all students to wear something orange. The theme this year is 'Everyone Belongs'. Students will participate in a variety of activities on the day and share their experiences of belonging to the various groups they are a part of.

Next Thursday 28th March is the last day of term. To celebrate this term we will be doing Easter activities throughout the week and a free dress, hot lunch and movie on the last day of school. All students will participate in an Easter Egg Hunt on the last day too.







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L.P.S SWIMMING SPORTS





ONE LINERS!



F-2 The F-2 students had a fantastic time at the Lismore Swimming Sports. They especially loved all the games!

3−6 The 3-6 students are enjoying our final numeracy topic for the term "Data and Graphing".

3-6 NEWS

Thank you to all parents for making the time to discuss your child/children's education with me over the past 2 days. I really appreciate your positive feedback and look forward to continuing working with you and your child next term. A common question that was asked by most of you was "What can I do to support my child/children at home"? Next term weekly readers, spelling words and numeracy tasks will be sent home. Students will be able to complete these tasks during the week and they will be targeted to the learning needs of your child. There is <u>absolutely no pressure</u> for your child to do these, but they will be given to every student in the class.

In Numeracy this week we are focusing on Data and Graphing. Our learning intention is, "To recognise-the features of a graphs, recognise different types of graphs and to interpret different types

of graphs". Our inquiry focus is "identifying the different ways Aboriginal cultures use art as a language to document their history". Students have enjoyed painting their own stories incorporating Aboriginal symbols and dots.

Finally, I must congratulate all students for their team spirit and effort last Friday at the school swimming sports. I am so proud of everyone!

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact me via email or in your student's



DENTAL VAN VISIT

Smile Squad is coming to this school

Dear Lismore Primary School families,

The Smile Squad team from Dental Health Services Victoria are coming to your school soon.

Smile Squad is the Victorian Government free school dental program.

This means all students can get a free dental check-up, preventive services, and treatment at school.

How to access free dental care

We need your consent before we can provide services. Consent is usually provided by a parent or guardian Sign up to Smile Squad at: https://bit.ly/smilesquadvic
OR use the below QR code:





Please complete and submit the consent form by Friday the 14th June 2024.

Paper copies of the consent form are available. Please contact the school office if you would like to request one.

Do I need to attend my child's appointment?

No, you do not need to attend your child's appointment. You can attend if you would like to.

The Dental Health Service Victoria Smile Squad look forward to seeing you soon.



F-2 Class Kit for his wonderful assessment writing about swimming and gymnastics in Ballarat. Well done Kit!

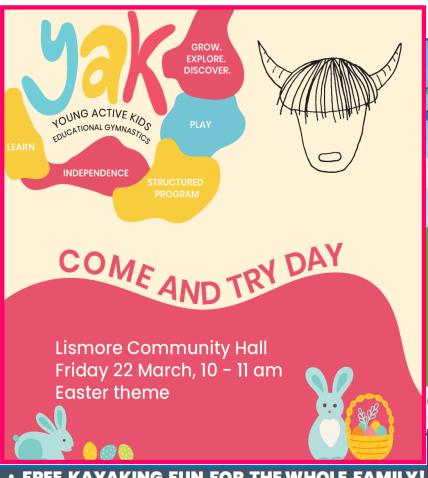
3-6 Class Angus for stepping up and really showing everyone his strong leadership skills at the school swimming sports.

Well done Angus!

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School Dates to Remember

Thursday 21st March	Harmony Day - wear something orange
Thursday 21st March	School Council meeting
Thursday 28th March	Last day of Term 1—free dress / 2.30pm dismissal
Monday 15th April	Start of Term 2
25th-27th June	Dental Van visit



COMMUNITY NEWS



FREE KAYAKING FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Sunday 14 April • Lake Bullen Merri Reserve

Three sessions run for free by Paddle Vic:

10.30 - 11.30 am • 12 – 1 pm 2 - 3 pm



For more information and registration, please scan the QR code or use the link: paddlehub.paddle.org.au/family-paddlehub-at-lake-bullen-merri-april-2024/





LISMORE COMMUNITY BUS FOR HIRE **SEATS 24** For bookings please call the school on

55962121

April 26, 27 & May 2, 3, 4 2024

THEATRE ROYAL + All 7.30pm (also 1.00pm Matinee on 4th)

Tickets available at laffs, Ph 5593 1469 or online at www.camperdountheatrecompany.com.au

Adults: \$30 + Student/Concession: \$25 + Children (15&U): \$20 + Family (2+2): \$90

Book by Music by Lyrics by Tom Kitt Bridget Carpenter Brian Yerkey

Director Jen Roman + Charcographer Clare Dunn + Vocal Directors Toby & Nikki McKenzie Musical Director Jane McGween + Producers Sue Place & Jenny O'Neil