

The Lake Primary School Weekly Newsletter



Principal Message – Week 3

A Bumper Harvest!



The hard work has paid off Layla, Nate & Jed were thrilled to harvest an amazing amount of spinach, rocket and lettuce! This morning, the veggie stall was a huge success with raising \$45 which will fund some secateurs for our garden! Thank you to everyone who brought some fresh veggies!

Ms Warburton's Home Reading Challenge 2024

Students are off to a great start this year, determined to reach the milestones of the home reading challenge! Well done! So parents can support and cheer on their child's reading achievements, the poster has been included below with the details. Happy Reading 😊

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Important Dates

03/05/2024

**Yrs P-2 Assembly @ 2.45pm
Assembly Performance Prep B**

10/05/2024

**Prep Mother's Day pamper
afternoon (2.15-3.15pm)**



Daniel Vella Visit

Unleashing the potential of every student, parent, teacher, school leader & staff member to create a better future through education!

REMINDER In last week's Newsletter, there was an invitation to all families to attend a follow up information session with **Daniel Vella from Real Schools**. As you know, The Lake PS is partnering with

Real Schools for the next three years. This journey relies on strong partnerships with our families and at this stage, I have not received any communication from our families to attend.

A reminder that our school goals for this period are-

- Develop a strong, sustainable and relational culture for The Lake PS community.
- Enable our school stakeholders and our program to thrive.
- Create a more cohesive and relational learning environment.
- Embed a consistent and pragmatic framework for all our educators.
- Provide practical tools that have an immediate impact on culture.

On Monday 13th May, Daniel will be at The Lake PS for the day visiting classes, modelling the restorative language and reinforcing the fundamental philosophy of the Real Schools restorative practices.

Daniel will also be available to meet with parents to provide an overview of the Real Schools role in our journey. If you missed Daniel's presentation at our Community Night, this is a fantastic opportunity to be informed and ask any questions that you may have!

In order to best accommodate parent's availability, please let the school know by this Friday, which time is preferable, either by emailing Sallie (sallie.roelofs@education.vic.com.au) or call the office and let us know if 8am OR 2:45pm is the better option for you.

After School Pick Up

To keep everyone safe at The Lake PS, it is important that when students are waiting to be picked up, they are sitting down in the designated areas. Ruby and Alethea are happy to demonstrate these areas!



*This is the area for students to sit and wait if you are being picked up in front of the MPR.

*This is the area for students to sit and wait if you are being picked up in front of the cricket oval.



Reading Volunteers

A big thank you to our family volunteers who are helping with hearing students read each day! **Janice Keating, Jenny Allen, Mandy Whelan, Karalee Brice, Stacey Eagle, Lynne Long, Luke Englefield, Jennie Gadsden, Alanah Giddings & Lynne Cromer!** We appreciate the time you are giving to support our students with their reading achievements! Students look forward to spending this time with you 😊

Hats

Although our hat policy states that it is not compulsory to wear hats in Term 2 and 3, we have been experiencing some rather warm weather this term. To ensure students are protected outdoors, we request **that all hats stay at school** so that they are readily available when hot days pop up! Please ensure that names are clearly marked on hats. Thank you.

Have a lovely week!
Ms Warburton



Worker of the Week' Awards'

Congratulations to the following students:



Harrison Withers, Alessandra Rodi, Ollie Brice, Cooper McCully, Hamish Thornton, Ethan Ramsey, Kylah Heywood, Liam Goudie and Amira Shinzer.

Food Day - Thursday 9th May

Please return orders by Tuesday 7th May

2x Sausage in Bread - \$4.00

Name Year

Extra of the same selected \$2.00

Total amount enclosed \$.....



NO LATE LUNCH ORDERS ACCEPTED – For catering purposes, please be reminded that any lunch orders brought to the office on Wednesday will be handed back to the students.

Mindful May

This month we will be recognising Mindful May as a part of our Mental Health and Wellbeing Calendar. As a part of Mindful May there will be some meditation/mindfulness activities available to students during some lunch breaks, classrooms will engage in guided meditation as well as some mindful colouring opportunities in class. We would like to extend an invitation to any families who have other ideas on how we can recognise Mindful May to please get in touch with either Mr Mac or Miss Louise. We would love to hear from you!

With much kindness

Miss Louise and Mr Mac





Friday 10th May 2024

Our Mothers Day Stall will run on the morning of Friday 10th May from 9.00am. **Only students who have PREPAID their \$6.00 will enter the stall .**

Please complete and return the below form with your money prior to Thursday 9th May.



MOTHERS DAY STALL— Friday 10th May

Money due by Thursday 9th May

Students Name

Class

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'Every Student Matters, Every Moment Counts'

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

**TOLERANCE RESPECT SUCCESS LEARNING
RESILIENCE**