Mission Statement

Lysterfield Primary School will provide a positive and safe learning environment that caters for a variety of learning styles. Our objective is to develop confident, well adjusted, resilient, life long learners capable of being responsible for their own opinions and actions, whilst being positive contributors to the global society and a sustainable environment.
**ACTING PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

What a busy week it has been at Lysterfield Primary School. It began with an amazing Box Car Rally at the commencement of assembly. Foundation students and their families are to be congratulated on their creativity and sense of fun. The cars were amazing and the students were proud to “drive” them around the gym. At the moment they are parked around the school for everyone to admire.

**School Production: The Search for Yoda**

The classrooms and gym have been filled with the sounds of children singing and dancing. Our exciting production; The Search for Yoda is coming up very soon. Please take the time to read carefully the notices regarding the musical which have been sent home recently. Students and teachers will continue practising over the remaining weeks and become increasingly excited about the show as the day approaches. Tickets are available online at [http://www.burrinja.org.au/theatre/booktickets](http://www.burrinja.org.au/theatre/booktickets) and are selling fast.

**Planning Week**

This week teachers have had the opportunity to work in their professional learning teams and develop plans and activities for term 4. By reorganising the specialist programs our teachers are able to spend the day discussing student progress, exploring curriculum planning tools and developing future programs. Hopefully this proves to benefit all students and ensure they are engaged in fruitful and exciting units of work next term.

**2 Minute Parking Zone**

Continuing on with our driving theme, the school’s new 2 minute parking zone continues to be received positively by the school community. Traffic seems to move more freely and it is a much safer area for children to enter school. Last week our Promotions leaders (Brooke and Jack), announced a competition to design a school sign promoting our new zone. Entries closed yesterday and the winner(s) will be announced soon.

**Fathers’ Day**

Fathers’ Day is coming up soon on Sunday 4th September and we have a couple of events happening this week to celebrate the important role Fathers play in their children’s lives. Yesterday our annual Fathers’ Day stall was held and thanks to all the hard working volunteers it was a successful and popular event with students. On Friday, Foundation students have invited their Dads and Grandfathers along to a breakfast. We hope to see as many Foundation Dads, Grandfathers and special friends there as possible.

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**Due Dates**

- **Friday 2 September**
  - Healesville Sanctuary Yrs 1&2
- **Monday 5 September**
  - Rugby League Select Students
  - F-2 Deposit Swimming
- **Wednesday 5 October**
  - ADANAC Camp 3rd Instalment
- **Monday 10 October**
  - Minibeast Inc Foundation
Victorian School Cycling Championship (VSCC)

This week we were excited to learn that Lysterfield P.S. is now second on the VSCC ladder thanks to the hard work of some of our students. Stephanie and Sebastian raced at Wyndam and earned 540 points for the school. Reilly, Holly, Angus and Milly competed at Knox and added a further 1800 points. LPS currently is sitting in second place with 2340 points behind Mayston Primary School.

Finally a friendly reminder for parents

Although it may seem obvious, children should not go to school when they’re contagious to others, when they have a fever, or when they’re too sick to learn. Childhood illnesses are spread easily when children are in close contact in the school setting. The school community would appreciate if your child isn’t well that they remain at home to ensure other children and staff don’t also become ill.

Have a great week,

Julie Morris
AWARDS

FB  Topias
FS  Luca
1E  Jake
1S  Tyhson & Ari
1T  Phoenix & Alexis
2GS Tyler
2H  Angelica
2S  William
2W  Jack
3D  Gus
3W  Charlotte
4M  Flynn
4S  Peter
SA  Jordan
SC  Indiana
SK  Georgia & Tayla
SM  Paityn
SZ  Aaron

SCHOOL UNIFORM SUPPLIER-KLAD SPORT

SCHOOL HOLIDAY BUSINESS HOURS

Klad Sport will close at 4.30pm on Thursday 15 September 2016 for one week of the school holidays. They will re-open on Monday 26 September 2016.

We hope you all have a safe and happy holiday.

(Please see page 6 for normal trading hours)

REMINDER

School banking every Monday

New Camp Australia Holiday Program at Rowville Primary School
Last Thursday afternoon all students in the Junior School celebrated these two weeks by looking at the science in literature. The students were divided up between the 9 Junior School teachers and learnt about the science featured in a particular story. Not only was it a time to celebrate Science and its effects in our everyday lives but an opportunity to experience good literature and see fiction combine with non-fiction. It also gave the Year 1s and 2s a chance to socialise and another opportunity to move around the school and get to know our wonderful teachers. The students then returned to their own classroom to share all that they had experienced and learnt. The students learnt about life cycles of very hungry caterpillars, the importance of the environment, palaeontology, rainbows, structures and wind, the properties of magnets and the similarities between bats and humans. A lovely afternoon was had by all and remember literature is a great way to explore the science in our lives! Thanks to the Junior School teachers for their enthusiasm and providing a very enjoyable event.

Christine (Walker).
CANTEEN VOLUNTEER

Yes, I am able to volunteer to help in the Canteen.

Please circle day/s volunteering:

Friday 2 September
Friday 9 September

NO CANTEEN FRIDAY 16 SEPTEMBER—LAST DAY TERM

Name………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Phone…………………………………………………………………………………………………..

Eldest Childs Name…………………………………………………Grade…………………………

SCHOOL UNIFORM SUPPLIER

Klad Sport, 8 Macro Court, Rowville, 3178    Phone: 9763 0266

Trading Hours: Mon-Thurs 8.30am to 5.00pm
Fri  8.30 to 4.30pm
Sat 10.00am to 1.00pm

Please note, due to increasing bank fees, all EFTPOS payments made at Klad Sport must be over $20.00.

GRADE 4 BREAD TAG CHALLENGE

Our operating hours are:

Before School Care: 7.00am-9.00am
After School Care: 3.30am-6.00pm
Last Day of Term 1,2 and 3: 2.30pm-6.00pm
Last Day Term 4: 1.30pm-6.00pm