

next week

Monday 17th May

No Hunters Lane bus

No Lake Tyers/Nowa Nowa bus

Tuesday 18th May

STEM Club

Wednesday 19th May

Thursday 20th May

Friday 21st May

Breakfast Club 8:15–8:45am

Instrumental Music sessions

Assembly

coming up

Wednesday 26th May

Education Week Open Day –

12 Noon – 6:15pm

Thursday 27th May

GRIP Student Leadership Conf. –

Gr 6 school leaders

Reconciliation Day

Friday 28th May

Gr 5/6 Winter Sports

Monday 31st May

Gr 5/6 Swimming commences

Monday 7th June

Gr 3/4 Camp departs

reminders

This Friday 21st May

Gr 6 Placement forms due

Prep School Nursing forms due

Lakes Entrance Primary School



Welcomes you during Education Week

Open Day

Wednesday 26th May

Families & Community members are welcome to visit classrooms at any time during Open Day

Special School Times:

School begins at 12.00pm

12.00 - 2.00pm: Classroom Session

2.00 – 2.45pm: Lunch Break

2.45 – 4.45pm: Classroom Sessions

4.45 – 5.15pm: Play Break

5.15 – 6.15pm: Classroom Session

Prep 2022 Information session & school tours

1:00pm - Whole school tour with Principal

1:30pm - Parent Information Session in Library

6:30pm - (Repeat) Parent Info. Session in Lib.

Additional tours: 3:00, 4:00 and 5:00pm

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Principal's Report

Mother's Day Stall..... Thank you to all the parents who were able to come and help run our Mother's Day stall. The money raised from the stall is going to go into new wet weather kits for each of our classrooms. This will provide a range of different board games and activities for students to use when they are unable to go outside at recess and lunch time.

NAPLAN..... Over the next 2 weeks our students will take part in a series of tests in literacy and numeracy designed to give a snapshot of their progress. Testing only takes place for students in Grade 3 and Grade 5, however during this period Grades 4 and 6 students will also be sitting formal assessment to begin collating information for their mid-year reports. Once again our students will sit the NAPLAN test online, using their new iPads. This provides a much more familiar environment for our students and has shown our students to be much more engaged. Having had NAPLAN cancelled last year, the results will provide our school with a snapshot of their progress and also has the potential to highlight some key learning areas that we can direct additional resources towards to help support our students. If you have any concerns or questions regarding the NAPLAN assessments please see your classroom teacher this week.

Attendance.... It might come as a surprise to some families how quickly being absent from school can start to add up. Listed below is the effect having days off throughout the year can have on a student's education.

Just from looking at the blue row, 20 days is only 5 days per term. This can quickly add up if your child gets sick or family emergencies. Whilst we understand these situations are unavoidable, it's the other reasons students have days off that simply must change. So many of our families do a wonderful job ensuring their child is at school every day and getting the best possible start in life and I would encourage all families to reflect on attendance to see if there are small changes they need to make that could potentially have large positive consequences.

Did you know?

Missing one or two days a week might not seem like much but...

If your child misses	That equals	Which is	And over 13 years of schooling that's...
1/2 a day per week	20 days per year	1 month per school year	Almost 1.5 school years
1 day per week	40 days per year	2 months per school year	Almost 2.5 school years
2 days per week	80 days per year	4 months per school year	Over 5 school years
3 days per week	120 days per year	Over half a school year	Almost 8 school years

Education Week..... Monday the 24th of May to Friday the 28th of May is Education Week. Across the school we are planning a series of different events to showcase the learning on offer here at Lakes Entrance PS. On Wednesday 26th May we will hold our Lakes Entrance Primary School Open Day. **On Wednesday 26th May school will begin at 12:00.**

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Principal's Report Cont'd....

Students are not required at school before 12:00. We will then run our school day through till 6:15pm. Further information will be provided to parents closer to the date. Education Week also kicks off the first of our Prep 2022 tours and when we begin accepting enrolments. Further information will be posted at the kindergartens, but please pass on this information to anyone who may be looking to visit the school for a tour.

2022 Enrolments..... We have already had some inquiries about enrolments for prep in 2022. A new prep information session will take place on our Open Day and tours are always available for new and existing families. Choosing the right learning environment is never an easy process but it is always important to evaluate and assess each option to gain the best perspective of each school. If you know of anyone with a child starting school in 2022 please encourage them to attend our first information session on our Open Day.

Simon Prior

Outside School Hours Care Program – copy of letter sent home early this week.

Dear Parent/Carers,

I am very excited to announce that Lakes Entrance Primary School in partnership with Toorloo Arm Primary School, has been successful in the first round of Outside School Hours Care Program (OSHC) establishment grants. This means that we will receive funding to assist with the establishment and staffing of a new OSHC Program which will be available to families from Term 3, 2021.

At present, the operating hours of this service will be:

7.00am – 8.30am for our before School program – this will include breakfast for all students

3.30pm – 6.00pm for our after school service – this will include afternoon snacks for all students.

This service will operate out of our Burrunan Cove building and will be accessed by the Lambert Street gate.

As this will be an independent service not funded by the school, fees will be charged separately to any school costs and therefore cannot be covered by any CSEF or School related funding, however the fees will be subsidised by CCS. The cost of the service will be:

\$20 – Before School service

\$25 – After School service

These fees will be due at the start of each fortnight.

In order for us to prepare, we will need to start the enrolment process early so that we can make sure that we have enough staff and supplies to cater for enrolment.

If you would be interested in using this service, enrolment forms and information packs are now available at the office.

Due to the limited availability, anyone that wishes to secure a placement please consider having bookings in at least 1 week in advance, and have your enrolment forms in as soon as possible to avoid missing out on one of our permanent placements.

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Some casual positions may be available from day to day, but we will be unable to guarantee a position.

We have appointed Danielle Milito as our OSHC Coordinator for this service. Danielle is very passionate about creating an engaging and enjoyable program for all students and would be happy to make a time to discuss any ideas or concerns that families may have prior to enrolling in this service. If you would like to make a time to meet with Danielle, please visit us in the office, call us on 03 5155 1812 or email: Danielle.Milito@education.vic.gov.au

Thank for your support.



Simon Prior
Principal
Lakes Entrance Primary School

Instrumental Music Program –



FRIDAY INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC TIMETABLE

LESSON TIMES	9.00	9.30	10.00	10.30	11.30	12.00	12.45	2.15
GROUP	Keyboard Group 1	Guitar Group 1	Violin	Keyboard Group 2	Guitar Group 2	Brass & woodwind	CHOIR	Guitar Group 3
	Alexi D 5/6A	Riley J 5/6A	Jay C 5/6B	Sarah M 5/6B	Olliver M 3/4A	Phoenix S 3/4B	CHOIR WILL BE IN THE MUSIC ROOM (AT THIS STAGE)	Jude C 3/4A
	Melanie S 5/6A	Yvan C 5/6B	Terrah D 3/4A	Hoang L 5/6B	Ryka O 3/4A	Will C 3/4B Ariana B 3/4B		Harlow D 3/4B
	Layne K 5/6C	Ryan H 5/6B	Mackenzi e M 3/4A	Indie C 3/4A Nicola F 3/4A	Shae K 3/4B	Sal Milito 3/4B		Lewis M 3/4C
	William B 5/6C	Luca D 5/6C	Ruby J 3/4D	Savannah M 3/4D	Matilda S 3/4B	Courtney W 3/4C		Maka B 3/4C
	Mitch W 5/6C	Lilli E 5/6C	Lily J 3/4C	Whetu T 3/4D	Charlie R 3/4B	Fay Whitford 3/4C		Oliver J 3/4D
	Isla Innes 5/6	Mason Radley 5/6B		Cedar Van Nispen 3/4C	Vy Luong 3/4			Tiarni 3/4D
	Jobe Van Nispen 5/6A	Samreen K 3/4C						
	Jasmyn M 3/4D							

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Pupils of the Week - congratulations

Millie Docherty for showing everyone else how a good worker learns and how to be a good friend.

Connor Waithman – Connor has done an amazing job this term to work hard at his learning and to be a great classmate. He has beautiful manners and is a joy to teach.

Clancy Shaw for working co-operatively with others to complete his work. He always shows kindness and is a role model student.

Hunter Eason for always sharing and working positively with his peers no matter what the task is. Well done Hunter, keep it up!

Thomas Booth – Thomas is a wonderful role model in our classroom. He is always kind, polite and willing to share and help his classmates.

Hunter Lorimer for being a conscientious student and role model with the work he shares with us.

Ryka Owen for always being prepared to help others, and working very hard.

Matilda Shaw for always being willing to work with others and making sure everyone is included. Well done Tilly.

Toby Butt for doing his best work on his NAPLAN this week, and for helping others in the classroom every day.

Nakita Willis for displaying mutual respect in class and in the yard to her peers. You always make others feel included. Well done.

Jobe Van Nispen for being a respectful, kind addition to our class. We love your ideas and the support you show others.

Mitch Crofts for working well with Bec, our student teacher, on his addition/subtraction pathways.

Mitch Ware for always volunteering to help and work alongside all his peers with a smile on his face. A truly valued student in 5/6C.

Music Award – Indie Carter for her effort and focus in keyboard lessons. A wonderful achievement learning Frere Jacque last week. You were so persistent and were willing to keep playing throughout recess. Well done Indie.

Phys Ed Award – Lily Jakins for showing mutual respect by cooperatively working with her partner in PE.

STEM Award – Yvan Cabrera for his focused work ethic in getting his work completed and helping others with tasks in the STEM classroom. Loved seeing your work shared on the big screen. Well done Yvan 😊

Jaxon Van Caspel - For his positive attitude and attendance to STEM classes and give it a go attitude. Very proud of you and your efforts Jaxon! :)

Visual Arts Award - Hoang Luong for showing mutual respect in Art by jumping into the clean up after his mosaic piece was finished.

Head Lice

Recently we have noticed some more cases of head lice presenting at school. We appreciate those families who are proactive in treating cases as they present.

To help us control the spread of headlice throughout the school we strongly recommed that any student with long hair have it tied up at all times.

Thank you.

National Walk to School Day is on this Friday! If the weather is good we encourage you to walk to school to have an active start to your day.

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