

Newsletter – 22nd October 2025

next week:

Monday 27th October

Gr 5 Depart for Melbourne camp

Tuesday 28th October

Gr 5 Melbourne camp

LESC Koori Transition at LESC for Yr 6's

Wednesday 29th October

Gr 5 return from Melbourne camp approx. 6:15pm

Thursday 30th October

Friday 31st October

Breakfast Club 8:15 – 8:45

Assembly 2:45pm

coming up:

This Thursday 23rd Oct

2026 LESC Yr 7 Transition at LEPS

This Friday 24th Oct

Park and Walk Day 8am

Lakes Ent. Rec. Reserve

BBQ breakfast at school

2026 Prep Transition

9am – 1:30pm

Book Club issue 7 Closes

Monday 3rd November

Pupil Free Day – Report writing day.

Tuesday 4th November

Melbourne Cup Day

reminders:

Dig out your school hats, it's time to wear them at recess and lunch

Park and Ride Day 2025 – This Friday 24th October

Meet at the Recreation Reserve entrance at 8am for a 8:10am departure.



This October our school will be taking part in "Park and Walk", a fun and easy way for families to join in the Walk to School initiative.

We know that walking all the way to school isn't always possible. That's why Park and Walk is designed to make it easier for everyone.

Families can park at the Lakes Entrance Rec Reserve (Footy Oval) and walk the short distance to school. We encourage all families to Park and Walk where possible this October!

Keep an eye out for your child's Park and Walk activity booklet coming home soon!

It's full of simple, fun activities that will inspire them to get active and enjoy the journey to school.

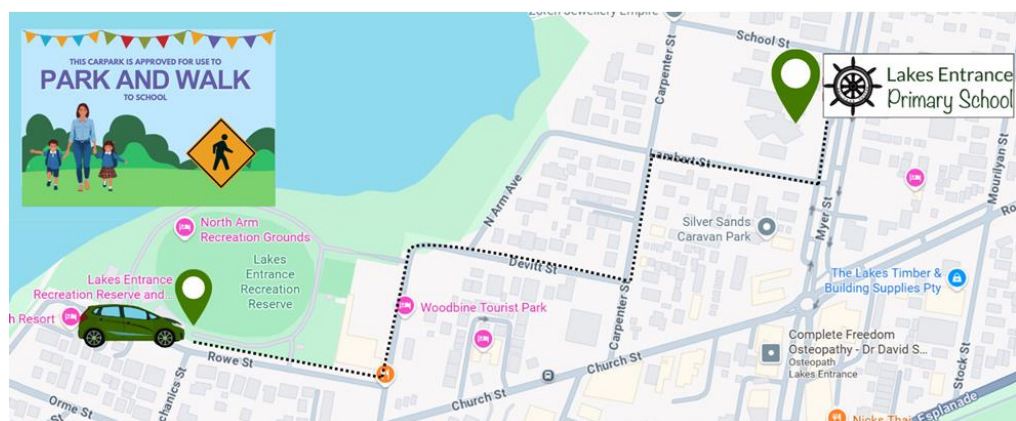
When: Friday 24th October 2025

Where: Lakes Entrance Recreation Reserve (Football & Cricket oval)

Time: Arrive @ 8am for an 8.10am departure, Caravan Park entrance.

Breakfast: Normal Breakfast Club will be operating along with a BBQ breakfast as well.

Hope to see there!!!



Principal's Report

Report Writing Day

A reminder that Monday 3rd November is a Student Free Day. Staff will be working on this day to finalise their assessments and begin writing student reports.

Class Structure

Over the next few weeks, we will begin the process of putting students into their 2025 classes. This process can often take several weeks and has the ability to change at the last minute from a wide range of influences. Given the considerable time that is involved in placing students, once they have been placed in their 2026 classroom, we will not be able to make any changes. Please let us know if you are not planning on returning to LEPS in 2026. Each student has a significant impact on funding and class structures, and it is important to let us know if you are planning to move out of the area next year. We are also working on determining the teachers at each level. Our students will find out their grade and teacher during our whole school transition sessions on Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th December.

Transition

Last week we held our first transition session for our 2026 Foundation students, along with our current Foundation and Grade 2 students. It was a great success, with students settling in beautifully and beginning to build confidence in their new learning spaces. These sessions will continue every Friday for the next seven weeks as part of our transition program.

Please contact us immediately if you are yet to complete your enrolment forms, as planning is well underway to cater for our new enrolments and our 2026 classroom structure.

Regional Athletics

Congratulations to all the students who represented our school at the Regional Athletics last week. You showed mutual respect, success, belonging, and persistence throughout the day — living out our school values and making us all very proud.

A special congratulations to Junior, who came 1st, and Benji, who came 2nd in shot put and have both qualified for the State Championships. A big well done also to Joel for placing 3rd in the 800m. What outstanding achievements!

Thank you also to Kelly Poynton and Amber Castleman for completing training and supporting our students on the day.

On behalf of our Principal, written by

Rachael Rebeiro

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Last week

Monday 13/10	84.26%
Tuesday 14/10	85.79%
Wednesday 15/10	88.32%
Thursday 16/10	88.32%
Friday 17/10	78.17%

Jamahli Johnson – For successfully attending school every day last week. You should be very proud Jamahli! Well done, on showing great persistence!

Boston Ghoulmieh – For great success during Transition and supporting others by being a role model and engaging in activities.

Jeremy Caitens – For showing continued success in improved reading and writing skills. Well done on maintaining and developing your skills! You are doing amazing work!

Lochlan Nawrocki – Locky, you have shown incredible dedication and persistence in your learning – it's been wonderful to see your confidence grow especially in reading! You always give your best effort and make our classroom a brighter place. We love seeing the way you help around the school, collecting jumpers and hats and looking out for others. What a great example of success through effort and kindness!

Amelia Snell – Things are finally starting to click for you and I'm proud of the successes you've had so far this term.

Jayden Lee – You were a great leader in 3/4A on Tuesday! Thank you for all of your success!

Hunter Joseph – Hunter showed great success during writing moderations. I'm so impressed with your effort!

Amelie Quigley-Wilson – For having magnificent success at persuasive writing. You showed an excellent growth mindset and created an engaging piece of work. Keep it up!

Sebastian Knaggs – Well done on an amazing day of volleyball and showing great success!

Junior Torrecampo – Great job adjusting to being in a different class for the last two weeks. Well done!

Phys Ed Award – Benji Barkway – Well done Benji on your success with Discus! You have listened and taken on feedback and practised at home. Well done on placing 2nd at Regional and we wish you all the best at State, enjoy the experience!

STEM Award – Kurtis Proctor – Kurtis has shown fantastic success in the STEM room this week. He approaches every challenge with curiosity and persistence and always gives his best effort. Well done, Kurtis!

Visual Arts Award – Alena Mitlaszewski – For her ability to create texture and interest in her semi-abstract landscape. Your work is full of bold colours and just screams FUN!



CLASS OF THE WEEK CERTIFICATE

**OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR
SUCCESS**

PROUDLY PRESENTED TO :

Grade 1 / 2 A

**Congratulation to 1 / 2 A for an
outstanding week of SUCCESS. You
have all shown brightly when
supporting each other, taking pride in
your work and celebrating others
achievements.**

**Congratulation and keep up the
outstanding efforts!**

A busy week of sports events at LEPS!

Volleyball

On Monday, we sent both our mixed and girls volleyball teams to compete at Division Inter-School sports.

The girls only had one game and unfortunately didn't win, and the mixed team lost to Lucknow but won against Lindenow. It was a good day and although not victorious, overall there were lots of wins within themselves. Well done to all!



Regional Athletics

Last Wednesday, 11 of our students made the trek to Newborough to compete at the Regional Athletics competition.

They had a fantastic time, and we had some great success stories!

Congratulations to the following students who placed:

Junior 1st Shot Put 3rd Discus, Benji 2nd Shot Put and Joel 3rd 800m



2026 Prep Transition

If you know any children who are due to start Prep in 2026, please share the dates for Transition and direct them to LEPS office for an enrolment pack.

PREP TRANSITION 2026

9:00AM - 1:30PM

Friday 17th October

9:00AM - 1:30PM

Friday 24th October

9:00AM - 1:30PM

Friday 31st October

9:00AM - 1:30PM

Friday 7th November

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Friday 14th November

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Friday 21st November

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Friday 28th November

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Friday 5th December

PARENT INFORMATION SESSION WILL BE HELD ON THE LAST TRANSITION DAY, 5TH OF DECEMBER BETWEEN 2:00PM - 2:30PM.

WE WILL DISCUSS PROCEDURES AND CLASSES FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE 2026 YEAR. WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOUR CHILD TO LAKES ENTRANCE PRIMARY SCHOOL.

PLEASE CONTACT US WITH ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS.

2026 Grade 2 Transition

As part of our 2026 transitions, we have welcomed our Grade 2 students up into the Grade 3/4 area. The Grade 2's had a wonderful morning learning our routines and doing maths and spelling activities together. It's only the first Friday of our 8 transition days, but it's clear to see that these Grade 2's are already ready for Grade 3!



BOOK CLUB

How parents order from Book Club online

1. Log in, or create a new account at [LOOP](#)
2. New parents can follow the Wizard to set up a child's profile
3. Click the ORDER tab, and select the child's school and Issue of Book Club
4. Select your child's name
5. Enter the product item number from the Book Club catalogue
6. Apply promotional codes that children may have earned from previous issues
7. Make a payment via credit card
8. Feel great about the Scholastic Rewards that have been earned for the school!

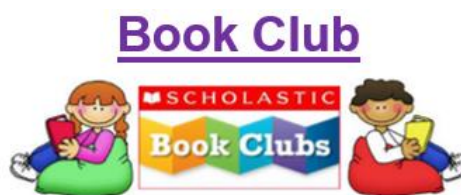
Don't forget to have your orders ready before or on the cut off date.



Book Club orders 2025

Issue 7

Cut off date: This Friday 24th October.



APPLICATIONS WILL OPEN IN OCTOBER

You will be able to present your Round 9 voucher to your activity provider when you pay and get up to \$200 off your child's registration and membership fees and any included uniform and equipment.

Important Dates

Round 9 applications open: 10am 15 October 2025

Round 9 applications close: 13 November 2025 (or earlier if the budget allocation is fully exhausted)

Voucher expiry date: 31 December 2025

Is my child eligible for a voucher?

To be eligible for a voucher your child/dependant must be:

A Victorian resident

Aged 0 to 18 years old

Named on a Health Care Card and Medicare Card, or

Named on a Pensioner Concession Card and Medicare Card.

Special consideration may apply if your child/dependant is a Victorian resident, aged 0 to 18 years old and is currently residing in Victorian Care Services or a temporary visa holder, undocumented migrant or international student.

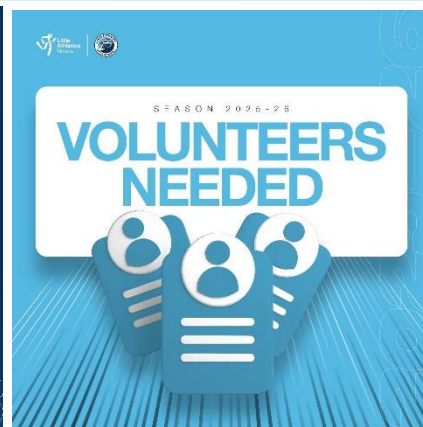
getactivekids@sport.vic.gov.au

<https://www.getactive.vic.gov.au/vouchers/>





Lakes Entrance Little Athletics



How exciting we have a Little Athletics in Lakes Entrance, there is a free come and try this Friday!

Exciting News!

Our Come & Try Day is locked in for this Friday, October 24th – and you're invited!

Event Schedule

- 📍 Location: 11 North Street, Lakes Entrance Secondary College (entry via Whitters Street)
- Arrive by 4:15 PM – Join us for a quick info session
- Activities kick off at 4:30 PM – Time to run, jump, throw & play!
- Wrap-up by 5:45 PM

What's It All About?

This free session is the perfect chance for kids to experience the excitement of Little Athletics in a fun, friendly, and supportive environment. Whether they're new to sport or already on the move – everyone's welcome!

On the Day

- Registrations open
- Club shirts available to pre-order

What to Bring

- Hat
- Drink bottle
- Runners
- SunSmart, comfy clothing
- And most importantly... plenty of energy!

Calling All Helpers

We're looking for a few extra hands – if you're a parent who can lend some support on the day, we'd love your help alongside our committee. Must have a WWCC. Please let us know.

We're looking forward to an afternoon filled with fun, fitness, and new friendships – see you there!



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