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School Calendar June

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			- Winter Showcase 6pm	- Student banking		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	- Queens Birthday Public Holiday			- Student Banking - Regional Cross Country	-Soup Day	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Student Reports

Teachers have been putting in long hours reviewing assessment results and completing each student's mid-year report which will be sent home in the last week of term. It takes about three hours to compile the data and complete a report, an average of about 70 hours' work for each class is done by staff on weekends and after school.

This is in addition to the normal planning and correction done at these times. We are fortunate to have a dedicated, hard-working staff. It is this dedication to the craft of teaching that provides the key ingredients for ongoing school improvement.

Cold and Flu Season

The cold and 'flu' season is upon us and no matter how hard we try, it is just not possible to stop all bugs from spreading at school. However, parents and teachers can assist by reminding children to practise good hygiene behaviours These include:

- Covering your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing
- Throwing used tissues in plastic-lined rubbish bins
- Washing your hands with soap and water
- Reducing the spread of germs by avoiding touching your eyes, nose and mouth

Further information on influenza is available at the Better Health Channel.

Leading Learning for Excellence Conference

This Thursday and Friday, Dan Clark, Warren Fyfe, Alli Hopkins and myself will attend the Leading Learning for Excellence Conference in Melbourne. This is a collaborative learning event that brings together principals and school leaders from across Victoria to the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre. It is an exciting opportunity to learn from and engage with local and international expert practitioners and peers.

Professional collaboration is one of the practices that has the greatest impact on staff and student learning. Collaboration between educators increases our knowledge and our skills. It empowers us to take risks, to initiate and implement change and to lift student outcomes.

LIBRARY NEWS

Thank you to the Parents and Friends Group for the purchase of 9 chairs for the library. The Parent and Friends Group through their fundraising efforts have been able to provide the library with these wonderful chairs.



NUDE FOOD

A huge congratulations to all children who have been bringing 'nude food' lunchboxes to school. Since we started the 'nude food' challenge competition, where children receive a raffle ticket each day that they have a lunch with no packaging, we have noticed that more and more children are making a real effort to have rubbish free lunchboxes. We are so proud that such a large number of children are passionate about keeping our school clean and tidy and helping the environment.



The winner of the 'nude food' competition for week 7 was Jonah Walker.

We look forward to seeing more children bringing 'nude food' lunchboxes throughout the term.

Debbie Dooley and the Student Leadership Team



STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Class	Student
PAS	Violet Adair for the amazing effort she puts into all her work - always striving to do her best with her learning and never giving up. Well done Violet, you're a superstar!
PJS	Matilda Kennedy and Hannah Wade for working hard during reading groups. Well done girls, keep up the great work!
PCB	Amelia Ciaglia for her continued persistence towards her learning. Amelia you try very hard and we are proud of you.
PLB	Maxynne Nicholas is making excellent progress with her reading and is now working on her orange words. Well done Maxynne.
12P	Dannielle Whateley for WOWING us with your mathematical mind. You always try your hardest and like to challenge yourself.
1MC	Tanika Wharton has developed a positive mindset and a keen interest to learn new things. Keep up your excellent work Tanika!
1MP	Lexie Matthes for her consistent efforts to reach her learning goals and her consideration of others in how she moves about the room, tidies up to make everything easier to find/use and goes about her activities. You're an amazing class member Lexie.
1VG	Andy Kennedy and Amahli Sellings for their fantastic results from their unit of money. Well done!
2KE	Charlotte Fincher for the outstanding expression and voice you are including in your writing.
2LB	Evie Kennedy for really having a go with her procedural writing. Great effort!
2RG	Jacob McKay for his improvement during reading groups. Keep up the positive mindset Jacob!
34F	Kitty Street for showing great progress with her reading. She has developed a great understanding of the texts she is reading and is inferring the author's message. Well done Kitty!
3CH	Leon Rhode for demonstrating a more positive mindset and a 'give it a go' attitude. Keep it up Leon!
3CM	Trent Arnold for always lending a helping hand and being such an inclusive member of our class.
45A	Amber Coles for paraphrasing the text 'Fire' thoughtfully and making her sentences sing!
4ES	Chelsea Freer for her willingness to challenge herself in all subjects and her dedication to her learning. Keep up the fantastic learning!
4CT	Elijah Lucas for writing wonderful imaginative stories.
4RP	Charlie Trevaskis for the creativity she constantly puts into her work and for her confidence in wanting to try leadership roles. Keep it up Charlie!
56W	Kiah Montant for her valuable contributions to class discussions and for demonstrating a positive mindset. Well done!
5DH	Jett Hudson for his effort to make strong choices for his classroom learning.
5GD	Grace Stubbs for her terrific focus when analysing and critiquing an author. Your letter to me was clearly written with lots of detail.
6CM	Alicia Chatwood for your jovial attitude and fabulous progress in reading comprehension. "We think you're better than unicorns and sparkles combined."
6CP	Matthew Virgo for being an excellent leader with a fantastic attitude!
6FW	Krystal Rickard for showing lots of resilience and getting on with things.

SOUP DAY

Friday 14th June is veggie soup day at Lucknow. Soup will be served to the classroom for 50 cents a cup. We would appreciate if students could please bring their own cup. Thank you.

CURRICULUM DAY

Please be advised **Friday 26th July** will be a **pupil free** Curriculum Day. Teachers will be participating in a Professional Development day focusing on Growth Mindset, Student feedback and Challenging Learning by George Telford.

WINTER SHOWCASE

Lucknow Primary School Presents...

2019 Performing Arts Winter Showcase



That Have Shaped Us

The Showcase will be held tonight in the Hall beginning at 6pm on Wednesday 5th June.

Performers are asked to arrive and enter through the basketball court door at 5:45pm. Performing Arts Leaders, student hosts and the Rock band are asked to arrive at 5:30pm.

All classes participating in Performing Arts class this semester will be performing. The **Friday Fun Singers** will also be amazing us with their incredible talent at the Showcase. Please see previous newsletters for details on class costume requirements. Rock Band and Friday Fun Singers are asked to wear something Smart/Casual in bright colours please.

FITNESS FINTATICS

Number of participants	- Tuesday – 30, Wednesday – 40
Distance ran and/or walked	- Tuesday – 47.5km, Wednesday – 59km
New members of the 10km club	- Emmett O'Reilly
New members of the 20km club	- Ryder Shaw
New members of the 40km club	- Skye Garratt
New members of the 120km club	- Hudson Tarling
New members of the 240km club	- Ryan Cullinan

TEAM VIC SELECTION – FOOTBALL

A huge congratulations to Ryan Cullinan who has been selected for the Team Vic 12 Years and Under Australian Football State Team Squad. The process of being chosen involves firstly being nominated and then attending a number of trial rounds in Melbourne where the standard of competition continues to improve. Each round the selectors eliminate players until the final round when the team to represent Victoria is selected.

Children who are selected certainly need to have a high skill level in their chosen sport and be very passionate, dedicated and committed to the training that is required. We are so proud of Ryan's achievements and it is certainly an honour to be selected.

We wish Ryan all the very best of luck on his journey on the Victorian Team.

Debbie Dooley

(Physical Education Co-ordinator)



DISTRICT WINTER SPORTS

Congratulations to all children in grade 5 and 6 who competed in the District Winter Sports on Thursday the 30th of May at Paynesville Primary School. The weather was cold and windy, but perfect for a full day of competition and a fun day was had by all children involved. The children competed in football, netball, soccer or t-ball against Paynesville, Eagle Point, Mitchell Cluster and Bairnsdale Primary School.

The behaviour and sportsmanship of the children was fantastic and we were extremely proud of their achievements and effort. The football, girl's and mixed netball, boys' soccer and mixed t-ball teams placed first overall and as a result will compete at the Division Winter Sports to be held on Friday the 5th of June. (There is a likelihood that the date will be rescheduled because the other districts had to postpone their winter sports day due to inclement weather)

Thank you to all our wonderful teachers and parents who assisted with supervision and encouragement of children in their chosen sports on the day.

A special thank you to Paynesville Primary School for organising the District Winter Sports. We wish all our teams the very best of luck when they compete at the Division Winter Sports.

Debbie Dooley (Physical Education Co-ordinator)

