

TERM 1, WEEK 4 2024

SCHOOL NEWS



STEM FRIDAY



BUSY START

You know that it is a busy start to the term when Week 4 comes around so quickly! A huge thank you to everyone for making Lyndhurst Public School such a great place to be each day. Our students have all adjusted well to school life and I am sure that they look forward to a sleep in on the weekend after the busy weeks we enjoy.

ATTENDANCE

We are working hard to keep your child's attendance at the forefront of all that we do. It is important that students are at school, unless unwell. We do send out a text, if your child is absent and we have not heard from you. This is to assist you if you need any support to get your child to school and to get a jump on any possible contagious illnesses! We want everyone at school to be thriving.

SEMESTER SUMMARIES

Each year, we provide families with a summary of the topics being studied in each class. These were sent home last Friday. If you would like another copy, please phone/ message us and we will send another copy home.

WE LOV STEM!

PARENTS & CITIZENS

We enjoyed a great P&C meeting to start the year, electing Valetta Lauff as P&C President, Vannessa Wilson as Treasurer and Karyn Tancock as Secretary for 2024. Thank you for your commitment to our school. Our next P&C event will be the Lyndhurst Village Fair on Sunday 24th March. We will need as many helpers as we can to make this a shared experience. Don't forget the P&C are asking for donations for an Easter Hamper Raffle. Please drop these into the office as soon as possible.

SWIMMING

Our weekly swimming groups are going well. Please take your child to the pool and let them show off their skills. Knowing how to swim is a skill that we strongly encourage at Lyndhurst PS. A reminder that there is no school swimming this week.

NAPLAN

Our Year 3 students will enjoy NAPLAN from the 13th – 25th March. It is your choice if you would like your child to participate in these tests. Further information has been sent to these families.

HOMEWORK CLUB

A gentle reminder that this is not a free service. We appreciate you making your donation to keep this service going. We are more than willing to support any family experiencing hardship.

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Students are exploring how to write clear directions to move themselves from one location to another.

CROSS COUNTRY

On the last day of term, Friday 12th April we will be holding a cross country fun run for K-6 students at the Lyndhurst Golf Club. Surrounding schools will be joining us; Woodstock PS, Carcoar PS, Neville PS and Trunkey Ck PS. With this number of children, we will need parent helpers to keep runners/walkers on track, cook a BBQ and be general all-rounders. Please let the office know if you can help us!

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our school photos were taken this morning. The children all looked beautiful!

Soon, we will send a link to each family to view the photos of their children. Then you can order and pay one of two ways:

- <u>Either</u> directly through Megan's website
- <u>OR</u> via School Bytes (as some of you have already done).

Please contact the office if you have trouble navigating the order system or are experiencing financial hardship.

LYNDHURST VILLAGE FAIR

Save the date - Sunday 24th March - our whole school will be performing there with 3 items that we are currently working on. Closer to the date we will confirm our meeting time and place.

PERSONALISED LEARNING PLANS

We are currently working through learning plans for our students and we will need your input as parents. Shortly, we will make times to discuss your child's progress and how we can best help your child to reach their learning goals.

SNAKES

We have had a few visitors passing through our school, hence our reduced play on the oval at recess and lunch. We have not had any close calls however it is important to remind your children to look where they are going and slow down to give the reptiles time to move away. Simon is working hard to clear areas around the school. We gratefully thank Nick Morley for his offer to keep the back paddock of the school under control.







Easter Hat Parade Tuesday 26th March at 9am

THANKS EVERYONE - STAY FABULOUS!

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