

The Lilydale Legend The official newsletter of Lilydale Primary School

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Welcome back

Welcome back to Term 4. I hope you had a great break, and you were able to spend time with your children and enjoy some days out. At school we are preparing for a long but enjoyable Term which promises to be juts as busy as Term 3. We have a lot to do but I am sure we will all enjoy the amazing events the staff have organised.



Hats

Just a reminder that hats will need to be worn during Term 4. There will be an amnesty for the first couple of days and then after that if your child does not have a hat they will have to stay in the shade. This will ensure we can protect our students from any sun damage. You may also want to think about applying suncream before you child comes to school. Extra sun cream will also be available for them to top up in the classes.

Parent Educational Requests

Parent Educational Requests will opened on Monday 6th October and will close on Friday 31st October. If you have lost the form, please collect one from the school office.

Trivia night Saturday 18th October

Don't forget to get your tickets from the office for the adults only trivia night on Saturday 18th October starting at 7pm in the BER Building. Remember you will need gold coins to take part in some of the games. Get your team together and be ready for some fun and games. \$15 for each team member.



Curriculum Days for 2026

On Tuesday, the school Council set the Curriculum Days for 2026. Please put the dates below into your diary for next year. The dates of the first two curriculum Days means that students will start school on Thursday 29th January 2026. The other dates are linked as best we could to public holidays to give families a chance to get away.

- Tuesday 27th and Wednesday 28th January
- Tuesday 9th June
- Monday 24th August
- Monday 2nd November
- Professional Practice Day on Monday 23rd November

2026

Oval

We are continuing to work on the oval to get it back to where it was and allow students to get access once again. Thanks to the Gardening and Construction club students who have helped me plant the seeds, water them and keep the birds away. It has taken a long time but I am hopeful that we will be able to get students playing on the oval again in a couple of weeks time. Thanks also to Mell for all her hard work and advice whilst we worked on this project.

Have a great week







Award Winners

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TO HELP US RAISE FUNDS FOR SPORTS EQUIPMENT

BRING IN YOUR UNCRUSHED

CANS, CARTONS AND BOTTLES

(NO GLASS)

PLEASE DEPOSIT YOUR CONTAINERS IN YOUR SHARED CLASSROOM TUB





We have raised \$1,565.40 from recycling to go towards new sports equipment for the school.

Run Around Australia Challenge









Yes it is that time of year! Booklists for 2026 have been sent home.





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2026 BOOKLISTS

Open for ordering Thursday 9 October 2025

Last day for ordering Thursday 11 December 2025*

*RECEIVE A \$10.00 DISCOUNT FOR EACH ORDER PLACED BY THIS DATE.

ORDER ONLINE

- 1. Go to Booklist Website booklist.officebrands.com.au/croydon
 - Enter School Access Code: bluesky26
 - Select: <u>Create an Order</u>



- 2. Enter Details (Separate orders are required for each student but with single payment on completion.)
 - Enter your child's name and select their year level for 2026.
- 3. Create your order
 - School predefined quantities for each product are displayed but can be adjusted if required.
 - When finished, click on <u>Add to Cart</u>
 Review your order; (click on <u>Edit Order</u> if required).
 - Select <u>Checkout</u> or <u>Add another Student</u>

4. Checkout

- Enter your details.
- Delivery / Collection Details; please select Collect at School*
- Click <u>Next</u>.

*BOOK PACKS WILL BE DELIVERED TO LILYDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL FREE OF CHARGE AND GIVEN TO STUDENTS ON THE FIRST DAY OF TERM 1, 2026.

5. Select payment type and submit your order

An order confirmation will be sent to the email address on your order.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Orders will be accepted after 11 December 2025 but may not be available for the start of school so please do not delay.

Anyone experiencing financial hardship is invited to contact the school office BEFORE 11 December 2025

We are here to help. Any problems just call us on 03 9839 8400 Booklists by ROSS OFFICE SUPPLIES. 11 Lacey Street, Croydon, VIC 3136





Sat 18th Oct 7 - 10pm

Put Your Knowledge to the Test!

Join us for a fun night of trivia and games

Location LPS Gr 5/6 Building

Bring gold coins for

ВУО snacks and drinks

Tickets \$15

per

person

Tickets or queries, contact the office



WELCOME BACK TO TERM 4!



We hope you and your family had a restful break and are ready for an exciting Term 4 with Extend!

WELCOME BACK TO OUR FAMILIES FOR ANOTHER TERM WITH EXTEND!

This term's theme for our OSHC services is: Dream Big, Aim High, Achieve Together!

As we approach the end of the year, it's a wonderful opportunity for your children to reflect on their growth, set new goals, and embrace their potential as future leaders.

We believe that by acknowledging their progress and aspirations, we can empower your children to finish the year strong and look forward to the future with enthusiasm.

Thank you for your continued support. We are excited to embark on this final term together, nurturing growth, setting goals, and celebrating achievements!



Chain of Goals: Children get the chance to write one goal each on a strip of paper that forms into a loop and creates a chain

Vision Board: Create a visual goal-setting collage using pictures, drawings, magazine images to visually show what you hope to achieve next year

Future Letter Writing: Write a future letter to open in one year which may include goals, achievements, hopes, reflections.

SCAN THE OR CODE OR BOOK ONLINE AT EXTEND.COM.AU FOR TERM 4!



Lilydale Primary School

Presents

Grandparents, Special Visitors Day and Our School Art Show

Wednesday 22nd October 2pm

Grandparents/Special Visitors can arrive and make their way to 2pm the classrooms (We will have Grade 5/6 students to guide you to their class if you are not sure. They will be stationed in the Office

2.pm- 4.45pm

2pm – 3.15pm All classes will be open. At 3.15pm we will be getting the

students ready for the end of the day.

2.45pm Choir Performance in the BER

Area.)

2 pm- 3.15pm Science room will be open. Come and enjoy some experiments 2.pm to 4pm Refreshments served in the gym raising money for the Grade 6 Graduation

2pm to 4pm Second Hand Uniform Stall

Prep Class: They will share some activities and stories about Fairytales with their Grandparents/Special Visitors.

Grade 1&2 Classes will be taking their grandparents on a tour of the school. They will also be completing an interview with their grandparents/special visitor.

Grade 3/4 Classes will complete Maths Games and draw a portrait of their special guest Grade 5/6 Classes will be challenging their special guest to a game of Chess in the BER build-









HISTORIC COMMERCIAL







FAMILY DAY OUT! SUNDAY 9TH NOVEMBER '25

- ♥ Touch a Truck, Petting Zoo, Face Painting, Playground, Live Music
- **⊗** Sausage Sizzle, Food Trucks, Barista Coffee, Slushies, Market Stalls
- SES Road Crash Rescue Demonstrations with 'Jaws of Life'
- Historic Commercial Vehicles on Display, inc Emergency Vehicles
- Chrysler Restorers' Club Vehicles on Display, and More!



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Upcoming Events

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TERM 4 2025

October

Sat 18
Trivia Night - BER Building 7-10pm
Wed 22
Art Show and Grandparent's Day
Thurs 23
Pathway to Learning 2:30pm
Mon 27
Gr 3-4 Edendale Farm excursion
Thurs 30
Halloween Disco
Pathway to Learning 2:30pm

Nov

Mon 3 Curriculum Day - student free day
Tues 4 Melbourne Cup Public Holiday
Thurs 6 Pathway to Learning 2:30pm
Tues 11 Remembrance Day Service 9:15am

Mon 24 Professional Practice Day - student free day

<u>Dec</u>

Mon 1 DECS Day

Wed 3 Christmas Carols night

Thurs 11 Gr 6 Graduation

Lilydale Primary School staff are on duty before school from 8.45am and after school until 3.45pm. Outside these times students will be unsupervised in the playground. If your child needs to arrive before this time in the morning or after the time in the afternoon please contact Extend at lilydale@extend.com.au to arrange for your child to attend before or after school care.



2025 TERM DATES

• Mon 6th Oct - Fri 19th Dec



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63-65 Castella St, Lilydale

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Email: <u>lilydale.ps@education.vic.gov.au</u>

CURRICULUM DAYS 2025Monday 3rd November

<u>Professional Practice Day</u> Mon 24th Nov

DON'T FORGET

- Tickets for Trivia Night
- Gr 3-4 excursion payment due Mon 20 Oct



FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS

Lunch Orders are available on Friday's

Ordering cut off time is:

- 2pm for Daily Specials
- 9pm for ALL ORDERS the Thursday prior
 Place your order via the

Flexischools App







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