

Lilydale Primary School's *The Lilydale Legend*

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Thursday 3rd September

I am sure you, like me are waiting for the announcement from the Premier about our route out of the Stage 4 lockdown. This has been very hard time and the school has been a real shadow of its self without our students buzzing around enjoying their learning and spending time with their friends. Once the announcement has been made on Sunday it is likely to take quite a few days for the Department to disseminate any information down to the schools. I hope to be able to brief you through a Parent Information session as soon as I am given the guidance relating to how schools will operate in Term 4. Please keep in touch to let us know how you and your child are tracking and we will try to ensure you get the up to date information as soon as we get it.

Playground Damage and Water Issues

Yesterday at 3.45pm during some very strong winds, the Narrow Leaf Black Peppermint tree that was situated near the new climbing frame was blown over. Thankfully no one was hurt when this enormous tree fell down. As the tree fell, it ripped the main water supply pipe out of the ground and the water gushed out. There has been significant damage to the playground. At the time of writing this, the plumbers are on scene checking which pipes have been damaged and exactly where the damage is. It is thought that the damage may extend under the ramp and may therefore take quite a while to get fixed. The lack of water has resulted in the Department providing us with some new temporary toilets and a whole lot of bottled water. The tree was inspected in November and some work to reduce the canopy was undertaken so this was a complete surprise to us all. There are very few times when I have been thankful for Corona virus but in this case I am thankful that the tree fell when there was nobody around.

iPads Codes

If you have borrowed an iPad from school please do not allow your child to put a lock screen on this device. I have been trying to find devices for people who needed them and I have six iPads sitting in our tech room with a lock code on them that the student has forgotten. This results in the iPad unable to be accessed and wastes a very valuable resource with approximately \$3,000 worth of equipment out of action. So if you could ensure your child does not put a lock on their iPad that will ensure we will be able to use them when they return to school. As to a date when they should be returned to school, at the moment we are looking at the end of Term but this will be totally dependent on the road map out of lockdown so please keep hold of your device until I give further details about School Operations in Term 4.

Cartoon Club and Lego Club Thanks

Thanks to all the students who are joining me at 1.30pm on Tuesday for the Lego Club and 1.30pm on Wednesday for the Cartoon Drawing club. We have a lot of fun and it is nice to spend some time with our students. They always amaze me with their creativity and enthusiasm and are able to produce work far quicker than me. If you think your child might enjoy spending some time doing these fun activities please encourage them to log on with us.

Pet Assembly

Tomorrow, we will be having an assembly celebrating our pets and how they help us feel better when we are feeling a bit down. The idea being that we will move to each child in turn so that they can tell us what their pet is called and what breed they are. If your child does not have a pet they can always share a cuddly toy with us. It should be a very interesting assembly as I am hoping to show the school Norman who is my son's Brittany spaniel. He is only a puppy so things may go off script a little!

Take care and stay safe,
Andrew

Virtual Assembly 3.00pm Friday



Dress Up Assembly

TERM DATES 2020

- Term 1: 30th January to 27th March
- Term 2: 14th April to 26th June
- Term 3: 13th July to 18th September
- Term 4: 5th October to 18th December

Curriculum Days for 2020

- Monday 2nd November

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Remote Learning Timetable

Come along and join the virtual Lego Club on Tuesday's at 1.30pm.
 Meeting number: 165 348 0397
 Password: Lego
<https://educic.webex.com/educic/j.php?MTID=mbb92f075cf1bb85ee4c3623eabe9b145>



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
8.30- 8.45	Staff Morning Briefing					
9.00 - 9.30	1/2 Literacy 9.00am - 10.00am	1/2 Literacy 9.00am - 10.00am	1/2 Literacy 9.00am - 10.00am	1/2 Literacy 9.00am - 10.00am	1/2 Literacy 9.00am - 10.00am	
9.30 - 10.00	Prep Literacy 9.45am - 10.45am	Prep Literacy 9.45am - 10.45am	Prep Literacy 9.45am - 10.45am	Prep Literacy 9.45am - 10.45am	Prep Literacy 9.45am - 10.45am	
10.00 - 10.30	3/4 Literacy 9.30 - 10.30	3/4 Literacy 9.30 - 10.30	3/4 Literacy 9.30 - 10.30	3/4 Literacy 9.30 - 10.30	3/4 Literacy 9.30 - 10.30	
10.30 - 11.00	5/6 Small Group Guided Reading 10-10.30	5/6 Small Group Guided Reading 10-10.30	5/6 Small Group Guided Reading 10-10.30	5/6 Small Group Guided Reading 10-10.30	5/6 Small Group Guided Reading 10-10.30	
11.00 - 11.30	RECESS					
11.30 - 12.00	3/4 Welfare Checks and Assessment	3/4 Welfare Checks and Assessment	3/4 Welfare Checks and Assessment	3/4 Welfare Checks and Assessment	3/4 Welfare Checks and Assessment	
12.00 - 12.30	Prep Welfare Checks and Assessment	Prep Welfare Checks and Assessment	Prep Welfare Checks and Assessment	Prep Welfare Checks and Assessment	Prep Welfare Checks and Assessment	
12.30 - 1.00	1/2 Maths 11.30am - 12.30pm	1/2 Maths 11.30am - 12.30pm	1/2 Maths 11.30am - 12.30pm	1/2 Maths 11.30am - 12.30pm	1/2 Maths 11.30am - 12.30pm	
1.00 - 1.30	3/4 Maths 11:30- 12:30	3/4 Maths 11:30- 12:30	3/4 Maths 11:30- 12:30	3/4 Maths 11:30- 12:30	3/4 Maths 11:30- 12:30	
1.30 - 2.15	5/6 Literacy 12.00 - 1.00	5/6 Literacy 12.00 - 1.00	5/6 Literacy 12.00 - 1.00	5/6 Literacy 12.00 - 1.00	5/6 Literacy 12.00 - 1.00	
2.15 - 2.45	12.30 - 1.15 Prep Maths	12.30 - 1.15 Prep Maths	12.30 - 1.15 Prep Maths	12.30 - 1.15 Prep Maths	12.30 - 1.15 Prep Maths	
2.45 - 3.15	1/2 Welfare Checks and Assessment	1/2 Welfare Checks and Assessment	1/2 Welfare Checks and Assessment	1/2 Welfare Checks and Assessment	1/2 Welfare Checks and Assessment	
3.15 - 3.30	5/6 Welfare Checks	5/6 Welfare Checks	5/6 Welfare Checks	5/6 Welfare Checks	5/6 Welfare Checks	
3.45 - 4.15	LUNCH		LUNCH		LUNCH	
4.15 - 4.45	Leadership Meeting 3.45 - 4.45		Staff Meeting 3.45 - 4.45		3/4 team meeting 3.45 - 4.45	

Premier's Reading Challenge

HURRY HURRY HURRY!

There is only 1 month remaining for the challenge.

Don't forget to log the books you have read on the Premier's Reading Challenge page. If you have lost your log in details please check with your class teacher. All children are encouraged to complete this challenge which ends in September.

P-2 must read 30 books and 3-6 must read 15 books to reach the challenge.

Cartoon CARTOONS

We are also hosting a Cartoon Drawing Club on Wednesday's at 1.30pm.
 Meeting number: 165 053 1388 Password: Fun
<https://educic.webex.com/educic/j.php?MTID=m914e0d8b6f763acd156c56dca2064a27>

Grade 5/6 Damper Cooking

The Grade 5/6s are studying Gold. One of the activities was to make Damper. Here is some photo's of the excellent efforts by The Butler Family, Oliver W and our onsite students. My mouth was definitely watering.

Ava from 3/4EH completed her project "Symmetrical Bugs" for Art, she had fun! Hudson from Prep enjoying his Remote Learning.

We had 6 children log into Chess Club on Thursday 27th August. All the winners gave some suggestions to their partner at how they could improve their game.

The latest Ladder is:

	NAME:	SCORE:
1.	Lislene	3.5
2.	Riley C	3.5
3.	Chase L	2
4.	Nicholas	2
5.	Jax	1
6.	Zaroon	1
7.	Tamsin	1
8.	Kirsty	1
9.	Hamish R	1
10.	Jack C	0
11.	Tom	0
12.	Bella	0



I asked my class Prep K to make the time 3 o'clock on their clocks (as we were learning about o'clock) and I'd take a photo and it could go in the newsletter to remind everyone what time assembly is.