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NEWSLETTER NO. 25

Principal's Message Term 3, Week 6

This Monday, all families will changeover their child's fortnightly learning pack either via their normal bus route or by picking up from the school. The administration building will be set up as a walkway with learning packs on the left hand side.

The pick-up times to be at school are according to the child's surname;

Beginning with A-H: 8.45-9.30am

Beginning with I-P: 9.30-10.15am

Beginning with Q-Z: 10.15-11.00am

*If you are unable to make your allocated time, please book an alternate time with the office.

All families accessing our bus routes received a text message today confirming their pick up time Monday morning.

- Fernbank – Mr Cairns
- Hillside – Mr Cairns
- Flaggy Creek – Mrs Jennion
- Dargo – Mr Cairns at 11.00am
- Meerlieu – Mr Collins at 8.45am

A reminder, weekly class ZOOM meetings will continue as follows;

Prep: Tuesday at 9.00am

Grade 1: Tuesday at 10.00am

2/3G: Thursday at 9.00am

2/3J: Monday at 12.00 noon

4/5D: Monday at 9.00am

4/5L: Monday at 10.00am

Grade 6: Monday at 11.00am

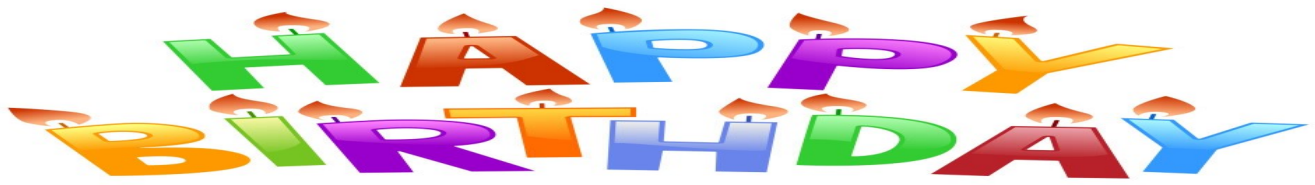
*If you would like to request an individual online meeting or phone call, please contact your child's teacher directly.

Keep up the wonderful learning!

Mr Cairns

RIDDLE OF THE WEEK:

What breaks when you say it?



AUGUST

Caleb, Denny, Zeke, Indi, Isabelle G, Skyla, Dustin, Georgia, Charlie, Reagan, Megan,
Amelia, Billy

LINDENOW PRIMARY SCHOOL 150 YEARS

With all that has gone on this year with the bushfire crisis, the arrival of Covid-19 to our shores and all the upheaval the virus has created in our lives, little has been spoken of our upcoming Lindenow PS 150th Celebration in 2021. It has been decided to commemorate this occasion with a publication highlighting the school history and the years since 1996 when LPS celebrated 125 years.

Families are asked to gather some stories, interesting anecdotes and memories from our past students. This could be in the form of a handwritten or typed piece, short or long...it doesn't matter, just let the words flow; photos also welcome. Having once again reverted to remote learning, this might be the ideal time for our students to ask some leading questions of their family members as to whether they attended this school and what they got up to. This could be your mum or dad, aunts and uncles, grandparents or neighbours, spread the word. This won't be applicable to all our students as not all of you have lived in the district for a long time but ask anyway...it will make for an interesting conversation.

Questions you could ask:

Did you attend Lindenow Primary school? If so, when?

Who were your teachers? Did you have a favourite teacher? Who and why?

Did you go on any excursions? Where did you go? What are your memories of a favourite trip?

How did you get to school? Were you a bus traveller? If so, do you remember the bus driver?

Who were your closest friends? Do you still catch up with them?

Did you have a school sports day? What was your favourite event?

The school looks a lot different these days...what do you remember about the school ground? Did you have a favourite game?

Was there a particular book your teacher read that captured your imagination? If so, what was it?

Did you have a dress-up day? Can you remember your favourite or worst costume?

Can you remember any particular events in the district that impacted your schooling such as floods or bushfires?

What is it you do now? Did you take up a career or go into a family business?

What was it you enjoyed most about Lindenow Primary school?

*Articles can be delivered, posted or emailed to Lindenow PS at lindenow.ps@education.vic.gov.au.
If you have any questions please contact Judy or Heather at school. Thank you.*

Please spread the word, we would love to hear from all ex-students and ex-staff.

BOOK CLUB

Due to our current lockdown restrictions, we are going to do Book Club Issue 6 a little differently.

You will still be able to place your order via: mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx

Close date is 4th September.

Orders can be collected from school on a day the learning packs are collected/delivered.

Dear parents and carers,

On Tuesday 25 August, the Department of Education and Training is presenting a free webinar for parents and carers by renowned child psychologist Dr Michael Carr-Gregg, on building family resilience during coronavirus (COVID-19).

Parents and carers play a vital role in helping children feel safe through uncertain times. Dr Carr-Gregg's webinar is aptly named *Managing the Coronacoaster – Tips for building resilient families in the coronavirus era*.

In this webinar, Dr Carr-Gregg provides tools and strategies for parents and carers to help manage the lockdown and remote learning. Topics include:

- your supportive role
 - setting the emotional tone
 - focusing on what you can control
 - how to deal with disappointment
- further resources and where to get help.

Dr Carr-Gregg's presentation will run for 45 minutes. This will be followed by a 15-minute question-and-answer session in which parents and carers can ask Dr Carr-Gregg questions.

Webinar details

- **When:** Tuesday 25 August
- **Time:** 7:30pm
- **Duration:** 45-minute presentation followed by 15-minute questions and answers session
- **Format:** online via Webex

Cost: free

To register and for more information visit the [Managing the Coronacoaster – Tips for building resilient families in the coronavirus era](#) eventbrite page.

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