

Lardner & District Primary School

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OUR VISION: Building a community of active learners through Empowerment, Engagement, Deeper Thinking and Resilience.

Principal Update

Welcome back everyone. We have started the term with 'fire in our bellies', ready to impress this term. Classrooms have been calm and orderly and our school values of:

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can easily be spotted throughout classroom teaching and learning.

With the weather being unpredictable, please ensure your child/ren has a warm jacket (any colour) to wear outside. The arrangements for a wet day timetable (raining during break times) include:



- Students eating on the deck. Students can remain on the deck to socialise or play appropriate games in this space.
 - Green room is open for drawing and connect blocks
 - Purple room is open for board games
 - Red room is open for quiet reading
- Staff rostered on for yard duty supervise these areas.

When it is not raining, we are once again running our termly lunch activities that all students can participate in, see below:



Newsletter Date
TERM 3 WEEK 2
26th July 2024



"We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and pay our respect to all the elders past, present and future for they hold the memories, the traditions, the culture and hopes of indigenous Australia".



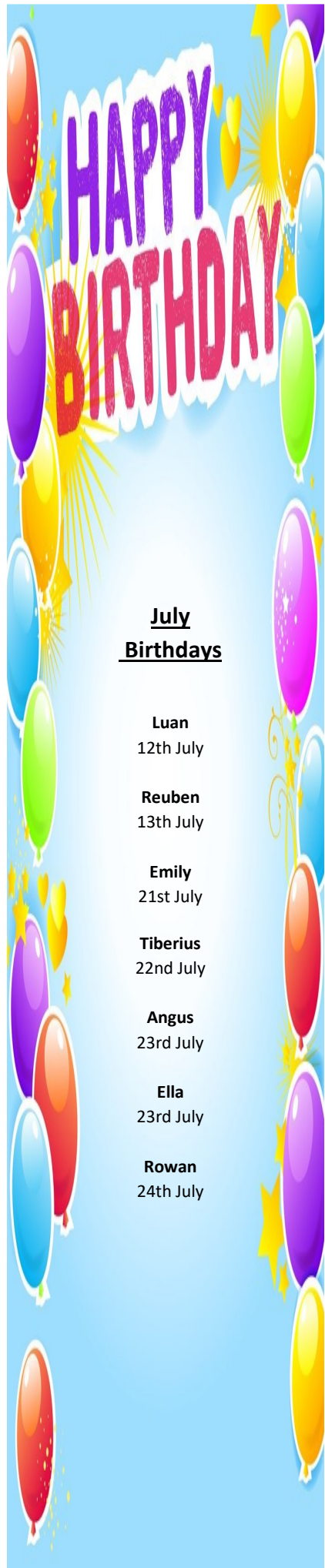
Term 1 dates:

- Yellow Room 100 Days of learning
Monday 29th July
- P-2 Old Gippstown Excursion
Tuesday 30th July
- Grade 5 - W.R.C Immersion Day
Friday 2nd August
- Indonesian Day
Thursday 22nd August
- Prep Transition 9.30—11am
Tuesday 3rd September
- W.R.C Kickstart Day
Tuesday 3rd September
- Swimming program - TBC
Mon 16-Wed 18 September

STAFFED OFFICE HOURS

Our school Office will be staffed on Monday's, Tuesday's, Wednesday's & Friday's.

If you need to drop anything off at the office at other times please post it in the mailbox at reception.



July Birthdays

Luan
12th July

Reuben
13th July

Emily
21st July

Tiberius
22nd July

Angus
23rd July

Ella
23rd July

Rowan
24th July

Lunch Time Activities	Location	Time & Day of the week	In charge of running the activities
Board games	Up on the deck	Wednesday at 1:30pm	Grounds & Sustainability Leaders <i>Inica & Pippa</i>
Variety of different Sports Games	Kickball Golden Child Knockout Space invaders	Monday at 1:30pm	Sports Leaders <i>Kobe & Reef</i> School Captain <i>Archie</i>
Art Club	Up on the deck	Thursday at 1:30pm	Arts Leader <i>Sienna</i> Inclusive Leader <i>Elliotte & Faith</i>
Crotchet Club	Up on the deck	Tuesday at 1:30pm	School Captain <i>Bronte</i> Arts Leader <i>Ellectra</i>

Dental Van Visit



It was great to see the school dental van arrive on Wednesday (although not quite when we planned). Students with permission attended in pairs and had their teeth examined and cleaned. Those that needed fillings, also had these. The dentist told me we had lovely students with good manners! Fabulous feedback, but not surprising at all.

Reminder to check the calendar

Please keep the calendar of up-and-coming events handy. We will do our best to ensure it is kept up to date. Some approaching important dates include the P-2 excursion next Tuesday, Exploration of Secondary School Life for Year 5 students, Transition for Year 6/7 and our Leap into Learning at Lardner Prep Transition Program. I wish everyone a safe and relaxing holiday break, an opportunity to slow down and rest.

Bus Route Change -

To all our bus traveller families, please be advised that there will be a bus stop change. Currently the bus stops at Lifestyle village in Warragul, however due to safety concerns raised from the lifestyle village it has been decided to move the bus stop further down the road to the corner of Camelot Crt and Landsborough road. This change will take affect from Monday 5th August.

Jane King.

**All children have the right to feel safe and protected.
We are a child safe school!**

In the Classrooms

Yellow Room

In Yellow room this week, we have been looking at what NAIDOC week means. Our work has been looking at how Aboriginal culture impacts our society.



The picture is the work of yellow room and how when we work together with others we can create something colourful and artistic. Can you see what is hidden in this picture of colour?

Just a reminder that we have our P-2 Excursion to Old Gippstown on Tuesday. Students need to arrive at school by 9am in full school uniform. They will need their to have their snack, lunch and water bottle in a small backpack that they will carry around throughout the day.

Indonesian Day at Lardner Primary in 2024

We will be celebrating **Indonesian Day** this year on **Thursday 22nd August**. (Indonesia's Independence Day is Saturday 17th August).

During this whole-day program, students will experience a range of cultural activities to extend their learning about Indonesia. Activities will include puppet making, creating "batik" designs, mask making and learning about Indonesian fruit, including "durian" fruit.

*** Students may wear clothing with red and white colours if they wish on the day. Red and white are the colours of the Indonesian flag.**

Parents and members of the school community are welcome to join in with the students or to simply observe and enjoy the day.

We will begin the day by gathering at 9:00am at the amphitheatre.

We look forward to seeing everyone for a fun day of activities!

Below are some examples of students' learning during Indonesian lessons this year...

- Ian "Pak" Mynard.



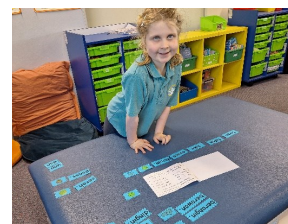
Making books about the weather.



Learning about Balinese kites.



Reading Indonesian story books.



Making sentences about the weather.

Red Room

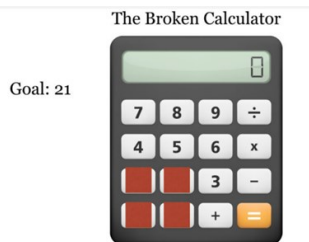
It has been a terrific start to our Term 3 learning in Red Room with years 4/5/6. Students have wasted no time jumping into their learning about the Olympics and are midway through creating individualised animations showcasing both their ICT skills whilst sharing their new knowledge about the Olympics.



In Mathematics, students have been problem solving using the 4 operations. Students enjoyed 'playing' Broken Calculator. Can you solve these problems?

Example problem. The target number is 21. The broken keys are 0, 1, and 2. That means students can use the keys 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, +, -, x, ÷ to make 21. How will they do it?

Selected solutions. $(9 - 6) \times 7 = 21$ $98 - 77 = 21$ $33 - 7 - 5 = 21$



<https://mathforlove.com/lesson/broken-calculator-warmup/>

Whilst students completed there thinking on paper with provided examples, parents are invited to test their skill and mathematical thinking by accessing this link. If you get stuck, help is in the house!

This term, students will be exploring **chemical science** The study of chemical science includes the composition, structure, properties, behaviour and the changes they undergo during a reaction with other substance. I already know the students will love this learning.

When asking students what they were looking forward to most this term, Kobe was looking forward to Hooptime and concert preparation for term 4. Ellectra is looking forward to Hooptime, Ella cannot wait to explore sustainability and indigenous studies more deeply this term and Will would like to further explore creation using ICT. I wonder if parents asked the same question, what students would respond with?

Mrs Rollinson will be back on board in week 4 of this term, until then the students in Red Room have the consistency of Mr Mynard Monday – Wednesday with specialist classes and Mrs King Thursday and Friday.

I know Mrs Rollinson will be super proud of the learning our students are achieving.

Mrs Jane King and Mr Ian Mynard



MUSIC LESSONS!
at School



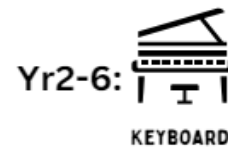
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Treble's Music Studio provides fun and exciting group (2-4 students) music lessons for all students! All sessions are 25-30mins in duration and are held on school grounds in school time. This eliminates yet an extra afterschool activity, while still 'springboarding' your child on their musical journey! Places and instruments are subject to student numbers.

Cost: \$28 (+GST)per lesson, invoiced & paid monthly.

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OR

FILL IN THIS ENROLMENT FORM:

(hand in to the school office)

We will email you to confirm your place and lesson details, along with your Invoice and our Polices before your child starts. Please return this form to the school office.

Student Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____ Year Level: _____ Classroom: _____

Circle, Yr2-6: **Drums** **Keyboard** **Singing** **Guitar** **Ukulele** Yr P-1: **Mini Muso** (intro to all instruments)

Parent/Caregiver Full Name: _____

Address: _____

Mobile Ph: _____ Email: _____



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