



Linton Primary School Newsletter

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From the Principal:



Welcome Back

I hope everyone had a brilliant holiday period and managed to avoid illness and rest up! I managed to get away to QLD for a week which was brilliant to catch up with my brother and his family and enjoy some sun. We have refocused at the start of term 3 and enjoyed hearing all about our students' experiences at Snow Camp. It will be another great term ahead, with a range of activities as well as our whole school Melbourne Camp. Staff are excited to get stuck into another great term full of learning and wellbeing opportunities.

DASH (Dynamic, Active, Safe & Healthy) Program

DASH! is an 8-week program for Years 4, 5 and 6, in which students develop and practise critical competencies through a range of modalities and experiences. The program encourages awareness of local community and builds relationships with community experts. DASH! is facilitated in the classroom by Blue Light Victoria and supported by [Victoria Police](#). Blue Light's long-term relationship with the police provides a unique opportunity for students to engage beyond the school and to interact directly with their community. Our Year 4-6 students have begun the DASH program and are looking forward to presenting their ideas in the end of term showcase!



Parent & Carers Cuppa

We would like to again welcome in all parents and carers in for a cuppa and chat next **Friday, 28th June from 9:00 am**. It will be a chance to catch up in our new building, plan for the term ahead and discuss areas for improvement in our school yard/grounds.

Parent & Carers Facebook Group

As a way of building parent connections and communication, our School Councillors have created a Linton PS parent Facebook group. If you would like to be a part of this group and have not yet been invited, please contact Amelia or Alison.

Enrolments

We are always on the lookout for new enrolments – especially for 2024. If you know of anyone, please tell them to get in contact for a school tour.

100 Days of School Celebration

Next Thursday we would like to invite our **junior students to dress up as an elderly person or '100-year old'** to celebrate the Prep's 100th day of school.

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Important Dates

Thursday, 27 th	Juniors – 100-day celebration Parent-teacher-student conferences
Friday, 28 th	Parent Cuppa Morning
Friday, 28 th	National Schools Tree Planting Day
Week 6	Science Week
Wednesday 16 th – Friday 18 th August	DOXA Melbourne Camp – all students 😊
Week 7	Book Week
Week 10	Swimming Program

Linton PS is a
Child Safe School

School Bank Details

Parents wishing to make
payments via direct deposit:

BSB: 063838

Account: 10018078

Please use student or family
name in the reference field.

3-way conferences (Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences)

We are going to hold 3-way conferences again as a chance for students, parents and teachers to discuss student reports as well as areas students have been 'glowing' and areas for 'growth'.

Please see times below for the interviews – note that students will be dismissed from 2:00 pm on this day to enable the conferences to take place.

Time	Mr R. & Miss Walker	Mr Vagg
2:00	Chase	Xavier
2:15	Akaysha	Scarlett
2:30	Keegan	Jayden
2:45	Keeley	Jamelia
3:00		Griffin
3:15		Ebony
3:30		Millie
3:45		Campbell
4:00		Amity
4:15		Liam
4:30		Geordie

MARC Van/AUSLAN & PE

We are now lucky enough to have Mrs Munson for 3 hours each Wednesday. She will now take students for an hour of MARC Van, AUSLAN as well as PE 😊

National Schools Tree Planting Day

Next Friday, Linton Primary School will be taking part in National Schools Tree Planting day! This will be a wonderful opportunity to plant a few more trees and continue to update our outside space after the building works. We would like to thank Golden Plains Shire for their support with our participation in the day.

MAPPEN Juniors - Term 3

Please see a note attached to this newsletter with information about what the junior students will be studying this term 😊

Dental Van

Families would have seen Dental Van forms – can families please return these by Monday, 24th July if they would like their child/ren to participate. The van will be visiting in term 4 – in the week beginning 9th October.



NAPLAN Results

Parents of students in Year 3 & 5 are welcome to come and collect student NAPLAN results from the school as of Friday, 21st July. There is a new reporting system which staff are happy to discuss with any families.

Staff emails

Miss Walker – jacklyne.walker@education.vic.gov.au (Thursday & Friday)

Mr Vagg – daniel.vagg@education.vic.gov.au

Mr Robinson – stuart.robinson@education.vic.gov.au

Angela Burgoyne (Business Manager) - angela.burgoyne@education.vic.gov.au

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**NAPLAN reporting
is changing
from 2023**

Visit the NAPLAN
results and reports
page to read about
the changes.



Appreciation

I appreciate the Cox family for tidying up our big rocks, in preparation for our new cubby house!

Have a great week 😊

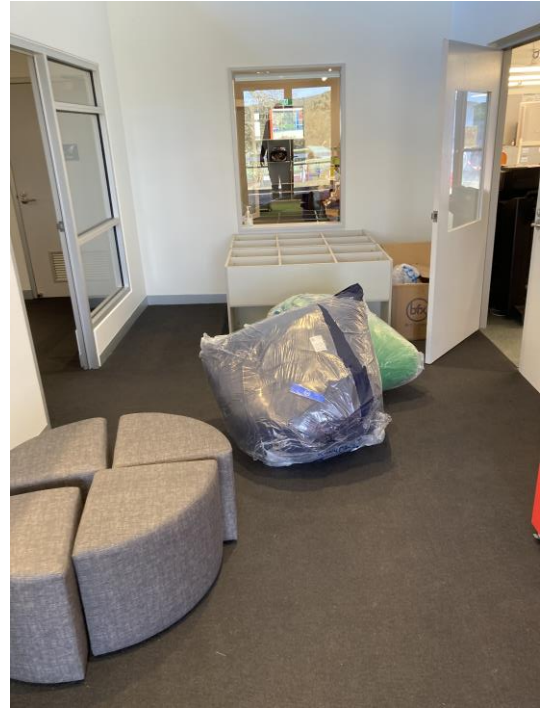
Stuart Robinson



Learning Snapshot 🌟

F-2	In maths we have been consolidating our number sense by building numbers out of MAB blocks, ordering numbers, and exploring place value. In reading we have been practising decoding strategies to read unknown words. In writing we are learning about sentence structure. We are making sentences more interesting with describing words, adding in conjunctions to make compound and complex sentences and we are learning how to use capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks correctly.
3-6	Reading - Asking questions throughout the reading process. Writing - Writing narrative stories with sizzling starts. Maths - Consolidating our knowledge of number and place value.
Art	This term in Art we are exploring the art style of Steampunk. For one of our tasks, we require some recycled materials. Can families please bring in: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clean drink caps- e.g. from milk and soft drink bottles• Soft drink can tabs• Clean coffee cup lids• Small cardboard boxes e.g. muesli bar boxes, clean cardboard milk cartons, etc Thank You!







NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS FOR 2024!



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