

LINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

Respect, Responsibility and Pride

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## IMPORTANT DATES:

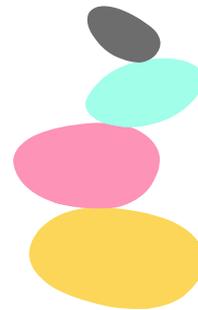
Monday 10th March - Labour Day  
Public Holiday

Wednesday 12th March - Naplan  
starts

LDSSA Athletics - Date TBC - keep an  
eye on Compass!

Friday 4th April - Last day of Term 1

Tuesday 22nd April - Term 2 begins



## WELCOME BACK!

We would like to welcome back all students, families and staff to school for 2025. We hope you've all enjoyed a fantastic break over the summer.

We have enjoyed a nice first week settling back into school and routines and are excited to get stuck into learning.

My word of the year this year is balance (hence the rocks above). I hope to expand on what this means for our students, staff and the school community during the year!



Linton Primary  
School is a child  
safe school

SCHOOL BANK DETAILS  
Parent's wishing to make  
payments via direct  
deposit:  
BSB:063838  
Account: 10018078  
Please use student or  
family name as the  
reference.

Acknowledgment of Country  
We recognise the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as the first custodians of the land. We acknowledge the Wadawurrung people and extend our respect to all Indigenous peoples of this continent recognising their cultures as the oldest continuous living culture in human history.

## **NEW COURT UPGRADE**

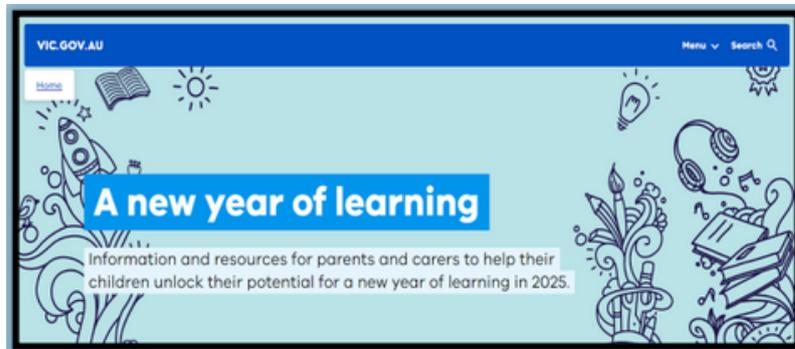
Check out the latest draft plans below for our court refurbishment - super exciting for our community! The VSBA hopes to have a builder confirmed to begin works before the middle of the year. Nothing is confirmed yet - but I am sure you will agree it will transform the play areas for our kids!

**SUNSMART POLICY** - A reminder that when the UV is 3 or above, all students need a broad-brimmed hat for recess, lunch play and PE/outdoor activities during the year as in line with our Sunsmart Policy.

**ASSEMBLY** - Every Friday at 3:15pm we will hold an Assembly. Please feel free to attend and celebrate children's achievements and learning.

## **SCHOOL SUPERVISION TIMES -**

Families are reminded that our school policy states that formal school supervision begins each day at 8:40am and concludes at 3:45pm. Before and after these times, teachers plan and prepare learning programs and meet to discuss school matters. Please respect this as important time for teachers in their professional practice, and ensure that you drop off your child/children between 8:40-9:00am each morning and collect them before 3:45pm. Breakfast Club runs each Friday and students are welcome to come in from 8:30am on this day.



## **A NEW YEAR OF LEARNING**

I encourage all families to check out the department's website: A new year of learning, which you can find at <https://www.vic.gov.au/new-year-learning>. It has case studies and videos featuring teachers, students, and parents and carers sharing their transition experiences and advice.

## **INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PLANS (IEPs)**

Your child may need an Individual Education Plan which can help everyone involved to understand and implement the goals and strategies to help them with their learning. Student Support Group (SSG) meetings will take place towards the beginning of each term. SSGs are a partnership between parents, carers, classroom teachers, education support staff (where possible) and the school, to work together to plan and support the educational, health, social, cultural and emotional wellbeing of students who require adjustments to ensure the best possible learning outcomes.

## Welcome Mrs Hilder

We would like to welcome our new senior teacher for 2025 Mrs Hilder to Linton PS. Some of you may recognise her as she was formally a teacher at Linton a few years ago. We are thrilled to have her and look forward to a fantastic year.

### All ABOUT ME!

My name is Michelle people also call me Chelle.

I have a Husband (Graeme) and two teenage boys (Ryan and Daniel)

I have two adorable cats named Fudge and Cookie.

I have spent 4 years living and working in England and done lots of traveling in this time also.

Most of my family live in Qld, so I like to visit them when I can.

My favourite food is chocolate and I love to read.

I love love love Bon Jovi.

My favourite colour is red and I'm a massive Western Bulldogs supporter.

I look forward to working with the senior class this year and being at Linton Primary School, if you have any questions or concerns don't hesitate to get in contact with me.



## Learning Snapshot

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| <p><b>F - 2</b></p> | <p>We have been going over a range of learning behaviours to make sure we have a brilliant start to the year!</p>   |
| <p><b>3 - 6</b></p> | <p>Maths - We have been looking at place value in numeracy using tens, hundreds and thousands.<br/>Writing - Writing our own narratives using punctuation and adjectives.<br/>Reading - Working on readers notebook and class mentor book. We are reading The Midnight Gang by David Wallims.</p> |

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# RESILIENCE PROJECT™

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## Staff emails

**Miss Walker** – [jacklyne.walker@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:jacklyne.walker@education.vic.gov.au) (Tuesday, Thursday & Friday)

**Mr Vagg** – [daniel.vagg@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:daniel.vagg@education.vic.gov.au)

**Mr Robinson** – [stuart.robinson@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:stuart.robinson@education.vic.gov.au)

**Angela Burgoyne** (Business Manager) – [angela.burgoyne@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:angela.burgoyne@education.vic.gov.au)

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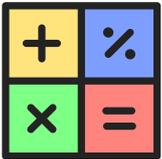
## Appreciation

*I appreciate catching up with everyone after the break!*

Stuart Robinson

Principal

Linton Primary School



## Maths Game of the Week



MAV has partnered with local educational game developers, Playlunch Games, and leading researchers, to develop a game-based platform that targets the antecedents that lead to the occurrence of maths anxiety.

[www.townsquaredgame.com](http://www.townsquaredgame.com)



Playlunch



THE MATHEMATICAL ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA

*If you are looking for a fun and engaging games for students to play in the holidays – check out “Town Squared” – free to download in the App Store.*

*It is a game developed by the Maths Association of Victoria!*



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**RESPONSIBILITY**  
**PRIDE**





**UNLEASH YOUR INNER  
WARRIOR & JOIN US FOR  
THE 2025 BFNL SEASON**

**SEEKING FOOTBALL PLAYERS**

- UNDER 8'S
- UNDER 10'S
- UNDER 12'S
- UNDER 14'S

**COME AND TRY DAY  
SUN 16th OF FEB 10AM**

**55 HEALES ST SMYTHES DALE  
FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE**

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TO  
REGISTER**



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