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## Term 4 – Week 4

Dear Parents and Carers

### World Teachers' Day 2020

On Friday 30 October, our school community will come together to celebrate World Teachers' Day and recognise the continued dedication and support our teachers provide our students. This year World Teachers' Day has the theme 'Teachers: leading in crisis, reimagining the future.' This theme reflects the continued commitment teachers have made to their students and as education leaders, throughout the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. While this year has been difficult for us all, World Teachers' Day is a great way to say thank you to our teachers for their support and efforts in helping students adapt during this challenging time.

To all our wonderful teachers at Little River Primary School – thank you for being you.

### 2021 Prep students

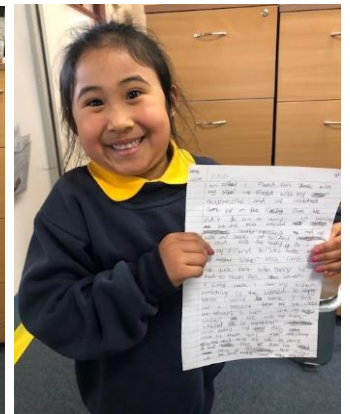
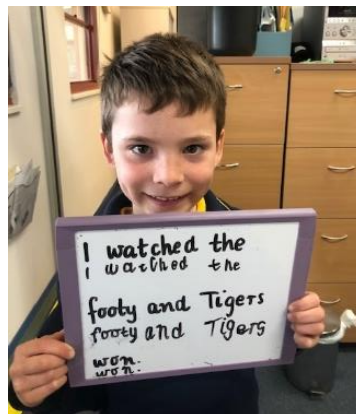
Whilst everyone at school is working frantically to finish off what has been an interesting year, we have not forgotten that we have 27 wonderful prep students beginning in January. We couldn't be happier with our enrolment number and cannot wait to welcome our newest students to school.

Before that however, we are organising a modified prep transition due to the restrictions that are still in place for our school. We are allowed to have up to 10 students in each session only and kindergarten parents are allowed on site. We will be having three transition periods on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> November. Further details will be emailed to all families with updates in fortnightly newsletters. If any parents have questions prior to the transition day, please call school with your query.

Parents will have the opportunity to be briefed and a short Q and A session is planned. Future transition dates will be communicated with all 2021 prep families.

### Super Stars

Both Ryan and Lotus couldn't wait to show their writing during the week. It is so pleasing to see so many students enjoying being back at school and really trying their best, every time on every task. Keep up the great work



### Teeth on Wheels

Teeth on Wheels are now allowed on site and have confirmed their next visit will be begin on 9<sup>th</sup> December till the 14<sup>th</sup> December.

Parents can login to the portal that we have previously been given login details for. More details will be available as we close in on the 9<sup>th</sup> December.

## 2021 Enrolments

### ***Leaving Little River Primary School Notice***

**We will not be attending Little River Primary School 2021**

FAMILY NAME..... CHILD/CHILDREN's NAME.....

SIGNATURE.....

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

(e.g. We are unsure at this stage but expect... We will begin the year in Feb but plan to move in ...).

**Return ONLY if this applies to your family**



#### **Little River Speed Hump**

After many conversations with the Wyndham Council, they have put up two signs out the front of our school. Please continue to educate your family around stopping for cars. If a car does seemingly stop to let you and your family cross the road, encourage the car to move on. I think we are also educating our drivers to NOT STOP.

Thanks for your support and patience around this very important issue that we have.

#### **\$\$\$ Talking School Finance \$\$\$**



Thankyou to all families that have paid for their 2020 Bookpacks and Essential Items. If you are not returning to Little River Primary School in 2021 or moving on to secondary school can you please settle your school account prior to departure.

If you need an account balance or are having difficulty in making payment please come and see me or call at any time.

My hours of work are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Alison Levvey - Business Manager

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#### **Camp Australia Awards – congratulations to the following students**

**Emelia R** for showing respect to her peers and engaging in activities. Great work.

**Ethan G** for showing respect to educators and peers and his cheery disposition. Great work Ethan.

## Learner of the Week Awards – Term 4 Week 4

As we are not holding a pre-recorded assembly this week, it is still important to acknowledge those students who have gone above and beyond their learning for week 4 of this term. Congratulations to the following students who have earned their certificate this week.

Prep	Lotus D for her sunny, positive can-do attitude to everything she does.
1/2S	Dean M for an eye-catching start to Term 4. Dean is in complete control of his learning.
2/3L	Mila B for putting in an excellent effort during all the assessment this week and always trying hard and doing her best.
3/4A	Amber C for always following the School Wide Positive Behaviours. Persisting and trying her best.
4/5/6L and M	Charlotte B, Maisie M, Emily J, Cara T and Sophie D for their flexibility, responsibility and commitment to the Yearbook team.
P.E.	Hamish M for persisting with learning the skill of skipping in P.E. Well done!
INDONESIAN	Shereefa S for working hard to correctly complete her 'body parts' activity and practising the associated language.

### Happy Birthday to these Students

Happy, happy birthday to these students.  
We hope you can enjoy your family during this special time.

**Ryder F**      **Mae B**  
**Annika M**    **Holly J**

From everyone in the Little River community – *Happy Birthday to you.*

### Upcoming Curriculum Days

Victorian schools have four curriculum days throughout the year, these traditionally being pupil free days. As it stands, our school has two of these days remaining.  
To help families plan ahead, the dates are below:

**Monday, 4th November**

(the day before Melbourne Cup Day holiday)

**Friday, 4th December.**

### Book Fair – November 10 to November 13

The school will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair from *Tuesday November 10<sup>th</sup> to Friday November 13<sup>th</sup>*.



This will be an exciting and positive event at school, where your child will have the opportunity to explore a huge range of affordable books featuring characters and subjects kids love and want to read about. From newly released books and bestsellers to award-winning titles and perennial favourites, every book is hand-selected by Scholastic experts.

Students will have the opportunity to visit the book fair on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November during school and will bring home their wishlist. A flier about the book fair will be coming home this FRIDAY to all families with more information on how to order. Orders will be placed online and books

will then be given to your child to bring home. **Unfortunately parents are not able to visit this year's book fair as in past years.**

Thank you

Gavin Nelson

Principal

### Book Fair Wish List Prepayments



If your child brings home a Book Fair Wish List and you want to pay for these selections by credit card in advance, please:

1. Go to [scholastic.com.au/payment](http://scholastic.com.au/payment)
2. Click 'Book Fairs'
3. Enter amount and pay
4. Record receipt number on back of Wish List
5. Your child then takes this payment record back to school, chooses books at the Fair and takes receipt number to cashier as payment.