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LALOR EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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From the Principal

Proud Principal Moments

It is great to be able to end the year on a high and Friday night's Carols was definitely a high!

It was incredible that so many of our families could join us for our celebrations. The students sang beautifully and everyone had an amazing time. These occasions always remind me how much I love our school and community and how fortunate I am to be the Principal of such a wonderful school.

I would like to thank everyone who was involved in making the night so special, students, families and staff. We couldn't have done it without you!

Monday's assembly was a special one for us as the 2020 Captains and Vice Captains were presented with their badges. Congratulations to Jennifer and Jed, our new Captains and Jenna and Ibrahim our new Vice Captains. We are all looking forward to working with you in 2020 and know you will be incredible role models for us all.

I would like to acknowledge the work of our School Captains and Vice Captains for their lovely speech when presenting the new leaders which their badges. Huda, Jayden, Alofa and Jhoey have been remarkable, dedicated and inspiring leaders throughout the year and I am confident they will continue with their leadership journey at their secondary schools.

A **HUGE** thank you to all our other student leaders; JSC, Cyber Action, House Captains and Library Ambassadors for all your dedication and commitment throughout the year.

Best wishes to our grade 6s with their transition to secondary school. We have loved knowing you and wish you every success for the future. We will miss you!

Meet the Teacher sessions were held on Tuesday 17 December. Students received an individual letter which provides information about their 2020 teacher/s and room. Please check your child's bag for this letter.

2020 Plans

Preparations are nearly completed ready for work to begin on our new school in 2020. The demolition work will not occur in January as originally planned but the school rebuild will still be completed during the original timeline. We are anticipating moving into the first two buildings in late June early July and will keep everyone updated along the way.

Thank you to members of our community for purchasing our cast off furniture. Some people really grabbed some great bargains. We anticipate having other items for sale closer to the moving date.

Our major curriculum focus for 2020 will be on Numeracy. Staff will be working hard on January 28 and 29 to analyse student data, review our current teaching practice and prepare for 2020 so we can really support, challenge and extend our students in Mathematics. Students will return to school on Thursday 30 January.

Happy Holidays

I hope everyone enjoys a well earned break and manages to find time to spend with family and friends. Life is precious and in the end, it is the people in our lives who make it magical and worthwhile. Make sure you take the time to spend time with those you love the most.

Linda Richards

LALOR EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday 18 December
5/6 Funfields Excursion

Thursday 19 December
Year 6 Graduation
Ferraro Receptions,
14 Onslow Ave,
Campbellfield

FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER SCHOOL FINISHES AT 1PM

Camp Portsea payments NOW DUE

Booklist payment for 2020 NOW DUE

2020 Dates

Thursday 30 January
ALL LEPS students return to school at 9:00am

2020 TERM DATES

Term 1
28 Jan - 27 March

Term 2
14 April - 26 June

Term 3
13 July - 18 Sep

Term 4
5 Oct - 18 Dec

RESPECT CARING HONESTY PERSONAL BEST CO-OPERATION

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OFFICE NEWS

Office hours are 8:30am-4:00pm

Picking up students after 3:30pm

Please ensure you are on time to pick up your child as we frequently have children waiting at the office for up to an 1/2 hour after the school day has finished. In the event you are running late, we ask that you contact the school and advise the office staff of what time they can be expected.

If you child continues to be collected after 3:45pm, we ask that you make arrangements for your child to attend our After School Care with TheirCare at website: www.theircare.com.au

Service Phone Number 0477 177 646. Your service coordinator will be available during session times. TheirCare support is available during office hours if required on 1300 072 410.

Last day of term – 1.00pm finish

Please note that the finishing time for the last day of term, Friday 20 December 2019 is 1.00pm. Please make arrangements for your child to be collected at 1.00pm on the last day.

Office payments

To enable us to finalise our accounts for the end of year, the office will not be accepting any payments after Tuesday 17 December. Payments will be accepted from 29 January 2020. We thank you for all your support during the year.

We wish all our families and community a very Merry Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year.

Lorraine Hogg, Robyn Coghlan and Sandra Kakucska
Office Team

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club will close for the year on **Friday 13 December 2019.**
Amanda and ALL volunteers wish our families a Merry Christmas and Safe Holiday.

We thank and appreciate the ongoing support from Foodbank Victoria, Bakers Delight Mernda Village, Christina Bakery, Semper Dental and FareShare.

Amanda Einsiedel
Breakfast Club Coordinator

COMMONWEALTH BANK AWARD

Well done to the following student on their latest banking reward

ZAYN

Student banking will start back Tuesday 4 January 2020.

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Congratulations to the following students for receiving a ***Student of Week*** *award at assembly …*

Prep Ms D *Whole Class*

Prep Mrs Natalie *Whole Class*

3/4 Vassiliou *Whole Class*

5/6 Kristian *Whole Class*

5/6 Brad *Whole Class*

OSCH *Whole Class*

Eat Up.

Earlier this year the Junior School Council ran an out of uniform day to raise money for Eat Up. Eat Up is an organisation that provides school lunches to schools across Australia; making sure students don't go hungry and have the necessary energy so they can focus on their learning and achieve their personal best. Our school receives lots of food from Eat Up and we wanted to hold a special fundraiser to support their work and to say thanks for all they do for our school. The Junior School Council was proud to invite Lyndon from Eat Up to our school to receive a cheque for $400.00. We hope that these funds will support Eat Up to continue this important work. Thanks everyone for your support of the Junior School Council over 2018. We wish everyone a safe and happy holiday and wish the new JSC Members all the best for 2019

3/4 Kelm Spelling & Homework Awards

Well done to the following students who received their awards yesterday at assembly

Top Speller Award *Noor & Alanah* ***Super Speller Award*** *Noor*

Homework Award *Kathy*

Christmas Raffle Winners

1st Prize *Xuanyi* ***2nd Prize*** *Jennifer* ***3rd Prize*** *Selena* ***4th Prize*** *Robyn*

5th Prize *Jason* ***6th Prize*** *Zafeiris* ***7th Prize*** *Artin & Sami* ***8th Prize*** *Mustafa*

9th Prize *Adam* ***10th Prize*** *Edward*

Girls with Attitude

Well Done to our Girls with Attitude Group who were recognised at our assembly for their participation and involvement in this program.

PE "Values" Cup

Congratulations to 56B who were the winners of the Values Cup.

Captains for 2020

2020 SCHOOL CAPTAINS

Jennifer

&

Jed

2020 VICE CAPTAINS

Ibrahim

&

Jenna

Christmas Carols & Farewell to LEPS (as we Know it)

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