

HEADS UP!

A Weekly Update from Lyons Early Childhood School



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As the term concludes it is timely to celebrate the achievements across the school in the last 10 weeks. Children, community and staff have all contributed to the significant growth in children's learning and the development of the school this term. Here are some amazing achievements from this term:

- Aimee's work with parent volunteers to develop the school's *Growing Wild Readers Program*
- The children's drought relief efforts through fundraising and food collections
- The children's contributions to Book Week celebrations and their passion for books
- Successful Festivals of Learning in each learning space with positive feedback provided by families
- Successful P&C events including the Kids' Market, Literacy Information Session and social events. These events have contributed to community connections.
- Teachers sharing quality early childhood practice locally and nationally
- Continued engagement with the TRUST Team including a Parent Information Session on the school's trauma informed practices
- Euroa's engagement with the community by walking across to Stand by Me to learn about money. Thank you to Ben from Stand by Me for giving up his time for this rich experience.

It is also important to acknowledge the daily learning that happens throughout the school and the contributions children make to their learning.

I would like to thank the LECS community for a successful and rich term 3. I have enjoyed working with you during my Acting Principal role. Mary will return from leave in week 1 of term 4. We are excited to hear stories about her time with her grandchildren.

Have a safe and relaxing holiday.

Regards

Mitchell

Acting Principal

REMINDERS

Friday 28 September

Last Day of Term 3

Monday 15 October

First Day of Term 4

Tuesday 23 October

Euroa Excursion to The Gruffalo at Canberra Theatre @ 8.50am – 2.40pm

Wednesday 31 October

Grandparents' Morning @LECS

Open Learning Spaces from 8.30 – 9.30am then Morning Tea from 9.30 – 10am



ENJOY TWO WEEKS' SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

TERM 3 ENDS: Friday 28 September

TERM 4 STARTS: Monday 15 October



KIDS' MARKET WRAP UP

Thank you to everyone who supported our market on Saturday: our excellent cake bakers, the many volunteers and of course the families who came along and purchased a cupcake or 4!

The market was a lot of fun and very successful. We raised over \$2000!!

This money will go directly to playground upgrades, specifically, the construction of a tunnel/cubby structure and a log seating area.

So, THANK YOU for your support!!



AFTER-SCHOOL AFL AUSKICK IS COMING TO LECS!

As mentioned last week, the P&C has organised a 4-week AFL Auskick program to run in Term 4. There was some conflicting information last week so here are the FINAL details:

- **Kindergarten** to Year 2 (Apologies the program is not available to preschool children)
- \$46 for the 4-week program, including an Auskick Pack
- Each Tuesday from Week 2 – Week 5 (23 October to 13 November)
- 3.15 to 4.15pm on Lyons Oval, adjacent to the school
- Delivered by accredited coaches
- For more information or to Register go to www.play.afl/auskick

If your child is in After School Care (ASC), WCS staff will take them to the Auskick coaches, who will return them to ASC when the session finishes.

Finally, thank you for a great Term 3 and we look forward to our events in Term 4.

Regards,

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