

HEADS UP!

A Weekly Update from Lyons Early Childhood School



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents

This week our focus has been on safety.

Constable Kenny Koala has visited us. He is the friendly face of our school program with a serious purpose — to teach children about safety, and to keep them safe for life.

Constable Kenny gets children thinking about safety as early as possible. That means we can build their knowledge right up until the age of 12, and have kids turning into teenagers with a good understanding of all the dangers out there, how they can avoid trouble and who they can turn to for help.

Kenny Koala's program is focused on collaboration. He visits schools, youth groups and local community events, and helps bridge the gap between the community and the police. The program is aligned with the Australian curriculum to ensure consistency in messaging.

As parents and carers, you are the most influential people in your children's life. Therefore, it is important that children hear safety messages and expectations directly from you. Kenny's team produces materials that can help you reinforce safety themes taught at childcare and primary school, at home.

Constable Kenny teaches children about:

- Road safety
- Protective behaviours
- Cyber safety
- Decision making and consequences.

Principal Mary

REMINDERS

Wednesday 3 April

Festival of Mary

5.00-7.00pm, K-2 outdoor area

SCHOOL PHOTOS

The Portrait Gallery was our school photographer for this year.

If you missed out on ordering your child's school photo, you can order your child's photos online at www.theportraitgallery.com.au. Click on the ONLINE ORDERING button on the right and go to SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPH ORDERS

All children attending school had their photo taken.



[LECS Learning Space contact lists](#)

Don't forget to add your details to our lists. The purpose of this form is to create a contact list for parents and carers. Full details and FAQs are at the link below.

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