



The Lilydale Legend

The official newsletter of Lilydale Primary School

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Policies

As you may be aware every four years each school takes place in a School Review process. This process involves the whole school community in coming together to set the goals and targets for the next four years. As part of this process various school policies are looked at by the School Council and updated accordingly. As such over the next few months I will be sending out renewed and approved policies for you to be aware of. The policies can also be found on our website at lilydaleps.vic.edu.au. Inside this Newsletter (page 5) you will find details of the policies that the school has recently reviewed and what they cover. Please read the policies that have been sent to you through Sentral and contact the school if you require further information or would like to comment on the policies contents. Further information about the School Review and how you can get involved will be provided in Term 4 with the Review set to take place in Term 1 2025.



Olympics Day- Friday 2nd August

On Friday 2nd August the students will be taking part in an Olympics Day. This will involve the Prep to 2 students in egg and spoon races, chicken javelin (not real chickens), an obstacle course, puzzle pursuit and build the highest tower. The Grade 3 to 6 students will take part in a potato Olympics which is always a hit with our students. This involves the students bringing in two potatoes that will take part in various different events. The students will also decorate one of their potatoes as an athlete and create a backstory for their potato. The students should come dressed in the colours of a country of their choice. This is sure to be a fun day where we celebrate all things Olympics. There will be a closing ceremony (assembly) at the end of the day.



T-ball Finals

Congratulations to the T-Ball team who took part in the Division T-Ball finals on Wednesday this week. Cooper, Harley, Jack M, Jack C, Maddi C, Amelie, Lachie S, Yel, Macey, Maddi B, Chloe, Alex, Stanley G and Angel all represented the school magnificently. Thanks to Mrs Matthews for organising the team and to the Caulfield's who helped provide coaching that made their attendance at these finals such a success.



Learning Walks

Over the last few years we have organised learning walks across the school which allow staff to learn from each other and to ensure best practice consistency across the school. This year, every level has completed a Learning Walk and on Tuesday the Specialists also joined in. This is very valuable learning for our staff and we hope to supplement this learning when the staff visit four locals school on the Curriculum Day on the 19th August. We will be visiting, Birmingham Primary, Wandin North Primary, Lilydale Heights Secondary and Rolling Hills Primary School. Thanks to the staff and principals of these schools and we are sure that it will be a very successful and engaging learning experience.



Have a great week

Andrew





Award Winners

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Tickets for our production, "Imagination with a Twist" are now available.
Please scan the QR code to open the booking page
or click on the link

<https://www.eticks.com.au/whats-on/328-lilydale-primary-school-presents-imagination-with-a-twist/bookings>



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What's Been Happening

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On Wednesday, thirteen Grade 5 & 6 children travelled to Esther Park in Mooroolbark and competed in the Division TBall Competition. We played St Patricks and St Peter Julien. We lost our first match by only 5 runs. I'm hoping most of our Grade 5s will choose TBall again next year as their skills have really improved. Well done to everyone involved.

T-BALL





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Croydon Hockey club have run clinics for the whole school on Monday and Tuesday. The children really enjoyed playing Octopus and trying to control their ball from one end to the other.





What's Happening

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Our Updated School Policies and what they cover

Visitors Policy

This Policy looks at the people that are expected to visit the school during a school year. It's purpose is to provide a safe and secure learning and teaching environment for students and staff by establishing processes to monitor and manage visitors to Lilydale Primary School.

Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy

The Lilydale Primary School Child Safety Policy demonstrates our school's commitment to creating and maintaining a child safe and child-friendly organisation, where children and young people are safe and feel safe.

This policy provides an overview of our school's approach to implementing Ministerial Order 1359 which sets out how the Victorian Child Safe Standards apply in school environments.

It informs our school community of everyone's obligations to act safely and appropriately towards children and guides our processes and practices for the safety and wellbeing of students across all areas of our work.

Child Safety Code of Conduct and Agreement

Our Child Safety Code of Conduct Policy sets out the expected behaviour of adults with children and young people in our school.

All Lilydale Primary School staff, volunteers, contractors, service providers, school council members and any other adult involved in child-connected work must follow the Child Safety Code of Conduct.

The Child Safety Code of Conduct applies to all physical and online environments used by students. It also applies during or outside of school hours and in other locations provided by the school for student use (for example, a school camp).

The Agreement is signed by all staff, students, visitors and Volunteers and informs them of their responsibilities when working with our students to keep them safe.

Complaints Policy

The purpose of this policy is to provide an outline of the complaints process at Lilydale Primary School so that students, parents and members of the community are informed of how they can raise complaints or concerns about issues arising at our school. It is also to ensure that all complaints and concerns regarding Lilydale Primary School are managed in a timely, effective, fair and respectful manner.

Bullying Prevention Policy

The purpose of this policy is to explain the definition of bullying so that there is shared understanding amongst all members of the Lilydale Primary School community. To make it clear that no form of bullying at Lilydale Primary School will be tolerated. It also outlines the strategies and programs in place at Lilydale Primary School to build a positive school culture and prevent bullying behaviour.

Pathway to Learning Wednesdays 2:30pm - 3:30pm

Date	Structured Learning	School Experience
July 24th	Reading	Sport
July 31st	Writing	Art
Aug 7th	Mathematics	Music
Aug 14th	Phonics	Japanese
Aug 21st	Writing	Library
Aug 28th	Mathematics	Science

Term 4

Date	Structured Learning	School Experience
Oct 16th	Reading	Art
Oct 23rd	Phonics	Music
Oct 30th	Mathematics	Japanese
Nov 6th	Writing	Science
Nov 13th	Phonics	Buddies
Nov 20th	Mathematics	Buddies
Tuesday 26th Nov	Prep 2025 Information Evening. Come along to find out the Prep Teachers and your child's class along with other useful information about the Prep Program. 7.00pm - 8.00pm	
Dec 10th Tuesday	Orientation Day - Come and meet your teacher and class for 2025. 9.30am - 11.00am	

*Dates in Red are transition Events rather than Pathway to Learning





Upcoming Events

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July

- Mon 29th Three Way Conference Prep B, Prep G, 1/2 K
- Tues 30th Three Way Conference 1/2 G, 1/2 S, 3/4 I, 5/6 M
100 Days of Prep
- Wed 31st Three Way Conference 3/4 E, 5/6 A, 5/6 W

August

- Fri 2nd Olympics Day
- Wed 7th House Athletics Gr 4-6
- Thurs 8th House Athletics Prep - Gr 2
- Mon 19th Curriculum Day
- Tues 27th School Production 'Imagination With a Twist'

DON'T FORGET

- Gr 4-6 house athletics payment due Thurs 1st Aug
- Parent Occupation form due by Fri 26th July
- Prep 2025 enrolments due Fri 26th July

Lilydale Primary School staff are on duty before school from 8.45am and after school until 3.45pm. Outside these times students will be unsupervised in the playground. If your child needs to arrive before this time in the morning or after the time in the afternoon please contact Extend at lilydale@extend.com.au to arrange for your child to attend before or after school care.

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1800RESPECT.org.au 1800 737 732

2024 TERM DATES

- Term 2 April 15 - June 28
- Term 3 July 15 - Sept 20
- Term 4 Oct 7 - Dec 20



FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS

Lunch Orders are available on Friday's

Ordering cut off time is:

- 2pm for Daily Specials
- 9pm for ALL ORDERS the Thursday prior

Place your order via the Flexischools App

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CURRICULUM DAYS 2024

Monday 19th August
Monday 4th November
Monday 25th November

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