

Pick Up



Please pick up your child from the Kerb and escort them to your Car. Be aware of other cars entering the parking spaces

Drop Off

Please escort your child to the Kerb and then collect the bags and other items.

Be aware of other Cars when you are moving to the Kerb.



Virtual Assembly

2pm

Friday

Kerr Family

Congratulations for competing in the Yarra Division Cross Country Competition last weekend.

TERM DATES 2020

- Term 1: 30th January to 27th March
- Term 2: 14th April to 26th June
- Term 3: 13th July to 18th September
- Term 4: 5th October to 18th December

Curriculum Days for 2020

- 28th and 29th January students start on Thursday 30th January
- Friday 6th March,
- Friday 14th August
- Monday 2nd November

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Lilydale Primary School's The Lilydale Legend

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Thursday 4th June

Well, just a few days now and we will have everybody back at school. I cannot tell you how much the staff have been looking forward to this day when we can start returning to a kind of normal schooling. I am sure you and your children have missed the routine of a normal school term. I hope to see you all very soon if only at a slight distance.

Return to School Concerns

As your child returns to school please be aware that school will be slightly different. From the regular washing of hands, a cleaner wandering around cleaning high touch surfaces as well as reduced specialist times and a shorter day. This can cause some students to become anxious about the changes and struggle to cope with this. Please talk to your class teacher regularly about your child's wellbeing and let us know if there is anything else that we can do to support them to ensure they make a smooth transition back to School.

Walking Home

If your child is walking home they will only be allowed to leave at 3.30pm and not before.

Staggered Pick Ups

The pick-up times for the Grade Prep to 2 remain exactly the same as this week however we have now added the Grade 3-6 students and this will cause an increase in the amount of traffic around the school. We have tried to ensure you have been given the time you requested but this was not always possible. Please ensure that you arrive on time for your allocated slot and as parking is restricted around the school please do not arrive before. The students will be waiting for you and you should ensure you escort your child to the car particularly on Castella Street to protect them from cars reversing out or moving into parking spaces. On Clarke Street please park on the paddock side and then move across the road to collect your child and escort them across the road.



Queens' Birthday Holiday

Just a reminder that School is closed on Monday 8th June for the Queen's Birthday Holiday.

End of Day arrangements

Grade 3 to 6 students will be expected to go to their gate independently. Staff will go through the end of day routine on the first day and which gate they need to be picked up from. Prep to Grade 2 students will still be collected in the Golden Forest by the aides before their time and brought to the gate. We are trying to make this process as smooth as possible and we will need you to let us know if there are any changes that we need to be aware of through the week. Hopefully, if we work together and be careful in and around drop off and pick up times we can ensure the students are ready for their learning.

Lunch Orders Resume on the 12th June

Just a reminder that Lunch orders resume on Friday 12th June. You can order at any time up to 8am on the day. Orders can be placed at <https://www.flexischools.com.au>

Traffic Concerns Castella Street

I have written to the council regarding the concerns I have for the lack of signage around the school about this being a 40KM zone. I hope to see improvements in the signage soon but in the meantime please be very careful as we return to school with the increased traffic and the speed some cars travel along this road. I have also contacted Victorian Police to ask that the speed of traffic be monitored to ensure the safety of our students.

Looking forward to seeing you all next week

Andrew

**Public Holiday MONDAY 8th JUNE
 Student Free Day**

