

# LINCOLN GARDENS PRIMARY SCHOOL

## 2021 NEWSLETTER TERM 2 WEEK 3

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Welcome back to school I trust that you had a good break with your children. This term there are many events happening such as Reconciliation Week, performances, NAPLAN and Assemblies. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Justin Pool who has been appointed to remain in the Wellbeing Leader position for the remainder of the year.

Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 may participate in the annual **NAPLAN** tests in reading, writing, conventions of language (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy. The assessment provides parents/carers and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests. This year, the NAPLAN Online test window is 11th to 21st May, Weeks 3 and 4. Our school will undertake testing online, however all Year 3 students will complete the writing test on paper. You can support by reassuring your child that NAPLAN is just one part of their school program and remind them on the day to simply do their best. Teachers during Weeks 1 and 2 have ensured students are familiar with the types of questions in the tests and provide appropriate support and guidance. If a child is absent on a testing day, we will arrange for them to complete the missed test/s another time during the school's test schedule. If you have any fur-



ther questions please contact the school.

Later this term, our school, along with thousands of others across the country will begin preparations for the fifth **Australian Early Development Census (AEDC)**. The AEDC gives us a national picture of the development, health and wellbeing of children in their first year of full-time school (Foundation students only). Since 2009, the census results have helped communities, schools and governments plan services and develop better policies to target support for children and families. Children don't miss any class time, and parents/carers don't need to supply schools with any new information for the census. The AEDC gives us data at a school and community level - it isn't an assessment of in-



Principal Sandra Spencer

dividual children. Some teachers have also noticed that completing the assessments made them more aware of the needs of individual children and the class as a whole and that the census results are useful in planning for transitions to Year 1 and developing class programs. Participation in the AEDC is voluntary. Parents/carers don't need to take any action unless they choose not to include their children in the census. To find out more about the census and how communities are using the data to help children and families visit the AEDC website: [www.aedc.gov.au](http://www.aedc.gov.au). If you have any questions, you can contact the school.

Each year the Department for Education coordinates a state-wide process to assist **primary school students' transition to secondary school**. A new online registration of interest form has been sent home for parents of students starting secondary school in 2022 to complete. The form is unique to each child with a unique link to the online form. The online form can be accessed from a computer, tablet or mobile phone, as long as you can connect to the internet. The form must be completed and submitted by 21st May 2021. If a parent is unable to complete the online form they are asked to complete the hard copy form which was sent home with the online form information and return it to school before the 21st of May.

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### STUDENT WELLBEING LEADER'S REPORT:

What a great start to Term 2 with lots of students returning back to school after the holidays. This term we will continue with Lunch Time Activities which help to engage students in activities of interests that promote our school values of Respect, Responsibility, Resilience and Relationships.



Wellbeing Leader Justin Pool



The first five weeks of term we will have a Connect Four knockout competition on Mondays, music on Wednesday and building on Fridays.

The SRC have also commenced their meetings this term. They bring with them lots of ideas for whole school events for this term. Over the next few meetings we will discuss possible events and begin to organise them.

The end of last term saw some very excited students participating in an Easter Egg Hunt, as part of Sports Day. Students had to find tokens which they then exchanged for Easter Eggs. This was a great chance to celebrate end of Term 1 and our 2021 Sports Day.



### **PLEASE WATCH THIS SPACE!**

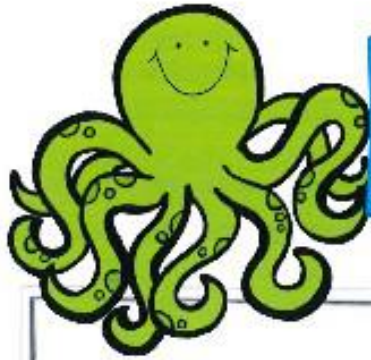
We have been lucky enough to receive a grant to extend our current interoception space 'The Garage', to include a new outdoor area. There will be lots of discussions with students about how this space can be developed and what things might engage them in positive relationships at school.



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# News



Foundation, Year 1, Year 2

## Diving into Learning.....

Exciting times in the Foundation/1/2 class this term. We are learning about the Ocean and everything about it.

### The Rainbow Fish

Narrative Writing

We are reading the book:

"THE RAINBOW FISH"

The children are learning about the main character and it's characteristics.

- ~ shiny
- ~ colourful
- ~ silver
- ~ sparkly



Stevem

Ruby

Jazarah

Ashari

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### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

#### GYMNASTICS SESSIONS

5TH MAY, 12TH MAY, 19TH MAY, 26TH MAY

2/3/4 CLASS AT 9.30AM

5/6/7 CLASS AT 11.30AM

F/1/2 CLASS AT 1.40PM

#### BISHOP KINDY VISITING F/1/2/ CLASS

12TH MAY AND 8TH JUNE

#### DUSTY FEET PERFORMANCE

13TH MAY AT 2PM WHOLE SCHOOL

#### SORRY DAY

26TH MAY WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY  
12.30PM

#### MAGIC BEACH PERFORMANCE

2ND JUNE AT 10AM WHOLE SCHOOL

#### COOKOUT

9TH JUNE

#### PUBLIC HOLIDAY

14TH JUNE

#### STUDENT FREE DAY

15TH JUNE

#### ASSEMBLY

18TH JUNE AT 2PM

#### TERM 2 ENDS

2ND JULY AT 2PM

#### SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

5TH TO 16TH JULY

## **IN THE LIBRARY THIS TERM!**



**AMIGOS CAFÉ**  
**MEXICAN FOOD**  
**TUESDAYS AT LUNCHTIMES**  
**\$1.00 PER SERVE**



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### RESILIENT GIRLS BUSH CAMPS

A 2 day & night camping retreat for girls aged 10 -12  
Assisting girls to be strong women

**21 -23rd May 2021**  
Port Lincoln, Eyre Peninsula , SA



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0431396878 [www.littlebigbushcamps.com](http://www.littlebigbushcamps.com)

### RESILIENT GIRLS

Resilient Girls Bush Camps use nature activities & engaging group discussions and games to assist with personal growth.

Girls will be guided to assist them in their Self identity, Mind & Body Self-care, and Confidence, and their ability to adapt & thrive in their changing relationships and tween worlds

Camp Package Includes:

Nutritious meals - Camping tents - Yoga - Craft - Nature activities - Writing & art - Dance & song  
Experienced Child safe facilitators

Camps near Adelaide, Port Lincoln, Mount Gambier , Clare, SA and Melbourne, VIC

JOIN US in 2021 for PARENTS & son and daughter camps for 10 - 18 year olds  
Louise is a Registered Counsellor, Outdoor Educator & mother with 20 years experience delivering nature based personal development programs with a generous heart



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### LAKE WANGARY SCHOOL BUILDING 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

October the 15<sup>th</sup> this year marks 100 years since our main building has been opened. To mark this occasion we will be having a celebration day and the school will be putting in new seats chosen by the children and engraved pavers. A program of the day will be released in term 3.

We are inviting any and all families, students and staff from the past and present to buy a paver and put your names or a design on them. The pavers will be laid around the seats.

Please download the form you wish to use (written or your design) from our website [www.lakewangaryschool.sa.edu.au](http://www.lakewangaryschool.sa.edu.au) or contact the school and we will email you one. Complete all information and please post back to the school. We require the original back as the company who does the pavers have stipulated this.

Pavers cost \$22 for the written version and \$30 for your own design. We are organising pavers early as we can to ensure we are ready. Extensions may be given after May 31<sup>st</sup> upon request. If you have any further questions please don't hesitate contacting the school.

Regards,

Wade Branford Principal Lake Wangary School

### PORT LINCOLN LIONS CLUB HOSTEL MARKET DAY

**1055 LINCOLN HIGHWAY NORTH SHIELDS  
SUNDAY 30TH MAY  
9.00AM—2.00PM**

**RFDS DOUGHNUT VAN ON SITE  
BBQ, TEA, COFFEE, CAKES FROM LIONS STALL**

**LIVE MUSIC ON THE DAY**

**CAR BOOT OUTSIDE \$10.00**

**CAR TRAILER OR UTE \$15.00**

**TABLES INSIDE \$15.00**

**REGISTER YOUR INTEREST BY 27TH MAY**

**PHONE TERRY 0437499094**

**OR GAVIN 0428831339**

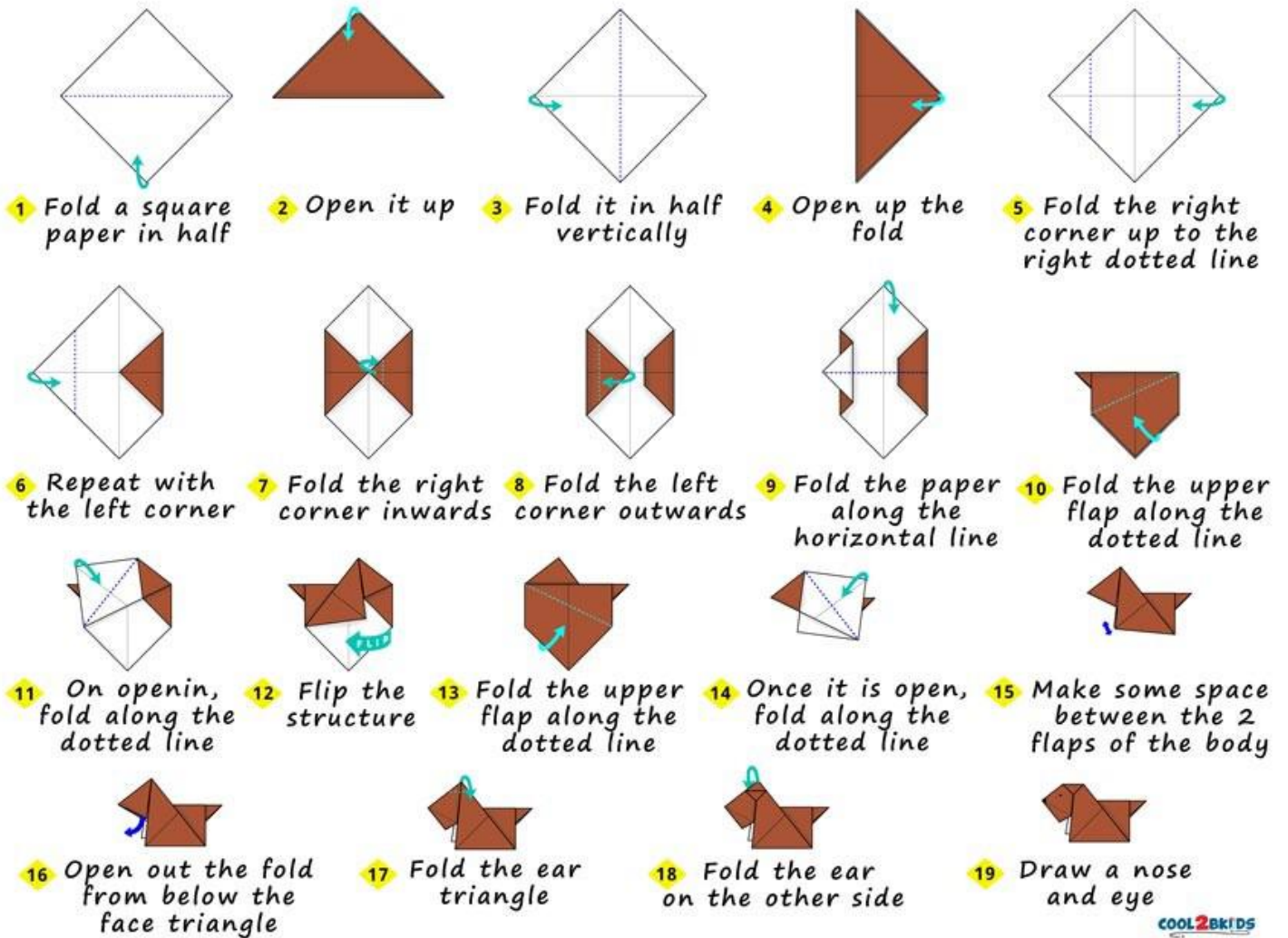
**COVID 19 RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE  
SIGNS OUT ON THE DAY**

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### Origami Dog instructions

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- 1 Fold a square paper in half
  - 2 Open it up
  - 3 Fold it in half vertically
  - 4 Open up the fold
  - 5 Fold the right corner up to the right dotted line
  - 6 Repeat with the left corner
  - 7 Fold the right corner inwards
  - 8 Fold the left corner outwards
  - 9 Fold the paper along the horizontal line
  - 10 Fold the upper flap along the dotted line
  - 11 On opening, fold along the dotted line
  - 12 Flip the structure
  - 13 Fold the upper flap along the dotted line
  - 14 Once it is open, fold along the dotted line
  - 15 Make some space between the 2 flaps of the body
  - 16 Open out the fold from below the face triangle
  - 17 Fold the ear triangle
  - 18 Fold the ear on the other side
  - 19 Draw a nose and eye

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#### NO COOK PLAYDOUGH RECIPE

1/2 cup salt  
1 cup plain flour  
2 tablespoons cream of tartar

1 cup of boiling water  
1 tablespoon oil  
Food colouring

Mix all ingredients together then turn out onto a clean surface to knead into a smooth ball. Put aside to cool before using. Keep wrapped in plastic or in a plastic container to keep fresh.

**HOURS OF FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!**

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