

LINCOLN GARDENS PRIMARY SCHOOL

2022 NEWSLETTER TERM 3 WEEK 3

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Welcome back, it has been a cold and wet start to the term. This term Mrs Kenny from the F/1 class is on Long Service Leave, Major will be taking the class for most of the term. We also welcomed Peri Kneebone who is in the Aboriginal Education Teacher role for the remainder of the year. Anney Reid will also be starting with us in week 4 she is taking Robyn Pitts SSO hours.

During the school holidays groups of our students attend the Children's University destinations at the Community Library, Bunnings and the Nautilus Theatre. It was great to see the students out at learning opportunities in their holidays. During the term there will be learning destination during recess and lunch that students can attend to gain hours in their passport.

Last week attendance letters were mailed out to all families. It is important that parents/carers are aware of how often their child is attending and away from school. Each day that a child is absent means that they miss valuable



learning opportunities which then makes it hard to catch up on their return to school. If your child misses 25 days over each year of their primary school they will miss a total of 275 days which is equal to 1&1/2 years. Please support your child to attend school unless they are unwell. If they are away call the office to let us know the reason. If you would like support please call and make a time to meet with myself.

During the holidays you would have received your child's mid-term report card. If you have any questions/concerns



Principal Sandra Spencer

or need clarification please contact your child's teacher to have a discussion.



On the 4th of August we celebrated National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day. Students were treated to egg and bacon muffins and a milk drink in the Community Hub. At 12:15 they learnt about the meaning behind the day and ate damper with quandong jam and cream as well as a hot milo with marshmallows. After they all received a book with a kind message from a fellow student in the school.



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WELLBEING LEADER AMANDA PARKER

Kindness Culture Project

About the project

The Kindness Culture Project was initially established earlier this year as part of Harmony week. The students engaged with the project by participating in daily activities during Harmony week including establishing a kindness bench.

This term the Kindness Culture Project will continue. It will support the school's values of respect, responsibility, resilience and relationships and provide students with ongoing opportunities to positively engage with each other in supervised activities at recess and lunch time where they can help each other, play together and have a fun experience.

We are very excited to announce that recently the school received funding to support this project. This has allowed the school to establish a number of things to foster a kindness culture and to

support students to have positive peer-to-peer interactions in the yard including,

- Recess and lunch clubs everyday
- New sandpit equipment
- A 'shipwrecked' boat built in the nature play
- A fairy garden set up in the nature play

Games club



The new 'Shipwrecked' boat is almost finished



The 2/3/4 class enjoying a 'Kindness treat'



Recess & lunch club activity time table

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Recess	Games Club Activity hall Mrs Parker	Garage & Cultural area open Mrs Parker	Outdoor activity Sandpit/Nature Play Mrs Parker	Garage Outside area open Mrs Parker	
Lunch	Games Club Activity hall Mrs Parker	STEM Club Mrs Parker	SRC Meeting Even weeks The Garage Mrs Parker	Nature Club *Attracting insects into the school Mrs Spencer	Mine Craft Club Mrs Parker

Foundation / Year 1 Major

There has been a lot of learning in Major's F/1 class. The students are having fun learning how to write letters and everyone loves their new pencil cases.



The students are listening to stories on their i-pads on the Epic app.



The students are writing the letter P and words starting with P on their whiteboards

The Maths Caterpillar showing 0-20



Nevaeh writing the letter A



Miss Rhae listening to Narteequah say her letters



Lianna and Dakota writing the letter A



Nevaeh showing the new pencil cases that Major gave them and also writing the letter M



Miss Rhae reading a story while the students find the objects on the page.

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Dates to remember:-

Book Week is Week 5

School Photos Thursday September 1st



Open Night Thursday September 15th

If your phone number or email address has changed, please let Tammy know in the office. We need to have the most current contact details for all school communication.



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Photography Art

Flower Arranging

Cookery

Handicraft

Sections for children to enter on Sat. 13th Aug. 9-12 @ Show Pavilion.

PORT LINCOLN SHOW

Children's Hobbies

Sunday 14th August

Also:

Dress Up Competition for 1-12 year olds
-lots of prizes to be won!

Free:

-Sand castle building + workshops, Wild On Eyre Reptiles, Old McDonald's farm animals and Mr Copy is going to entertain!