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NEWSLETTER TERM 4, WEEK 6



Lincoln Gardens Primary School

22ND NOVEMBER 2024



KINDY TRANSITION
FRIDAYS 22ND, 29TH NOVEMBER, &
6TH DECEMBER

VARIETY XMAS LUNCH PARTY
WEDNESDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

YEAR 6 PLHS TRANSITION
THURS 28TH & FRI 29TH NOVEMBER

GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING
WED 2TH DECEMBER 2PM

PLHS PANTO
WED 4TH DECEMBER

**CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY
GRADUATION**
THURS 5TH DECEMBER

YEAR 6 GRADUATION
MON 9TH DECEMBER

YEAR 6 EXCURSION
TUES 10TH DECEMBER

F/1/2 XMAS FAMILY LUNCH
TUES 10TH DECEMBER

2/3/4 XMAS FAMILY LUNCH
THURS 12TH DECEMBER

4/5/6 XMAS FAMILY LUNCH
WED 11TH DECEMBER

**EARLY DISMISSAL LAST DAY OF
SCHOOL FRI 13TH DECEMBER
2.00PM**



Sandra Spencer

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



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We have started Kindy Transition on Fridays; it is great to see the kindy children enjoying being at school and getting to know school routines as well as making new friends. Over the coming weeks their day will increase in time to support them to get ready to start in 2025.

Last week Naomi and myself attended Partnership PD with international guest speakers. The PD was about 'Building a Culture of Excellence in Public Education on the EP' with Ron Berger, Gwyn ap Harri and Kate ap Harri. Ron Berger is a well-known national and international keynote speaker focused on inspiring a commitment to quality, character and citizenship in students. Gwyn and Kate, from the UK, are successfully implementing Ron Berge's; expeditionary learning through many schools that they are involved with. The PD provided inspiring strategies and thinking such as student led parent conferences, and we will work with staff in 2025 to adopt some of these into our site.

The Governing Council have a Christmas Raffle running at the moment. Many local businesses around town donate prizes that make up a huge stocking as well as smaller prizes to be won. Make sure you come into the office and buy a ticket so you do not miss out.



There are many excursions and events for the remainder of the term. Please ensure that you return consent forms and/or money. If you need another form please give us a ring or come into the office.

- 27/11/24 Variety SA Christmas Lunch at the Port Lincoln Hotel
- 28/11/24 & 29/11/24 Year 6 High School Transition Days
- 5/12/24 Children's University Graduation Ceremony
- 9/12/24 Year 6 Graduation at 2pm
- 10/12/24 Year 6 Excursion, F/1/2 Christmas Lunch
- 11/12/24 4/5/6 Christmas Lunch, Year 6 Dinner
- 12/12/24 2/3/4 Christmas Lunch
- 13/12/24 Early Dismissal 2pm

We have started see some warmer weather I would like to remind you that our sites risk rating is R1 which requires us to close the school when the CFS gives advance notice of a forecast 'catastrophic fire danger day'. On a catastrophic fire danger day, no persons are permitted on sites, this includes staff, contractors and non-departmental services. In addition, all school transport services (including bus and taxi services) in the affected fire ban district(s) will be cancelled. The department informs schools of catastrophic fire danger days or potential bushfire threats as soon as the information is provided by the CFS. We will then inform parents via note home (if notified prior to the end of the school day), text message, and placing the 'Catastrophic fire day' banner on front fence. On all other days the site will be open and we will follow our Emergency Management Plan.





WELLBEING LEADER'S REPORT

Meryl Perks

The highlight of the Children's University year is celebrating our members' achievements at a Graduation Ceremony held at the Nautilus Centre. These students completed hours outside of their studies in order to graduate. Activities included club sports, Premiers Reading Challenge, attending learning opportunities at Coffin Bay, and Cuttlefish tours in Whyalla, participating in organized lunchtime activities such as making, gardening, nature play and trying different sporting activities.

Congratulations to everyone who participated and a very warm thank you to the families who supported students to complete activities.



The graduation evening will be held on Thursday December 5 at The Nautilus Centre. Please arrive at 5.30pm for a 6.00pm start. To support this event, we are running a bus service that will collect students from 4.30pm and drop them home afterwards. Students have brought home a consent form that must be returned by Monday December 2 to access this free bus service.

Gold Award Winners:

- Angus Cook
- Trevor Dickenson
- Lianna Dimer
- Ciara Betts
- Karly Casserly
- Dakota Goldsmith
- Tyson Hill
- Nataysia Mundy-Goldsmith
- Kyesha Nundle

Bronze Award Winners:

- Dominic
- Stephanie
- Zendaya Bridges-Miskin
- Eva Dimer
- Angelina Jackamarra
- Dean Mahomed
- Phoenix Miller
- Wahsanni Miller
- Peyton Stevens
- Nevaeh O'Reilly

Silver Award Winners:

- Isaiah Betts
- Joanela Betts
- Leah Bropho
- David Dickenson
- Neveah O'Reilly
- Ahriah Rankin
- Sophia Redding
- Quintashia Thompson
- Ciara Betts
- Enayah Trott-Kartinyeri

Bronze Certificate Winners:

- Karly Casserly
- Dakota Goldsmith
- Tyson Hill
- Nataysia Mundy-Goldsmith
- Kyesha Nundle





Shana Kenny

24RM5 CLASS REPORT

Candy Kerr

In English this term our class has been learning about Stolen Generations through our text 'Stolen Girl' we have investigated author literary choices to influence the reader's mood and feelings. We have discussed many emotions felt throughout the book, including empathy, which students enjoyed learning more about and relating to themselves. We learnt that the girl in the story made damper with sugarbag honey, so to consolidate our learning we made damper as a class to enjoy with some special native jam from the Hub!

