



Linton Primary School

Newsletter

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Respect Responsibility

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From the Principal:



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Important Dates	
Monday, 24 th June	Wildlife eXposure Incursion
Friday 28 th	Last day of Term 2 PJ & Movie Day
Monday, 15 th July	First day of Term 3 😊 Mr R. on leave
Monday 15 th – Friday 19 th	Swimming Program
Tuesday, 23 rd	Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences
28 th – 30 th August	Log Cabin Camp

Excursion Fun

It has been a very busy few weeks with excursions, student free days and assessments all piled in. Hence the newsletter is a week late!

The Senior children enjoyed their time at Sovereign Hill Costume school, participating in what it was like to attend school in the Gold Rush Era. Juniors meanwhile had a great excursion to the Ballarat Art Gallery, discussing different pieces of art before exploring the change that occurs with the Bogong Moth.

Mr Robinson Leave

From the start of next term, I will be on x4 weeks paternity leave. Mr Vagg will be the Acting Principal during this time. I will be replaced by a CRT for the days I normally teach the junior students 😊

Pre-Service Teacher

For the next 3 weeks, we welcome PST - Miss Gowans in to work with Miss Walker & Mr R. in our junior class.



Swimming

Our swimming program has been confirmed for Week 1 of next term. Permission for this and all details will be added to Compass shortly.

School Council Update

School Council has completed their two meetings already during term 2 and will tomorrow complete some training around Governance. I would like to thank our committed school councillors for their efforts this term, especially to make themselves available.



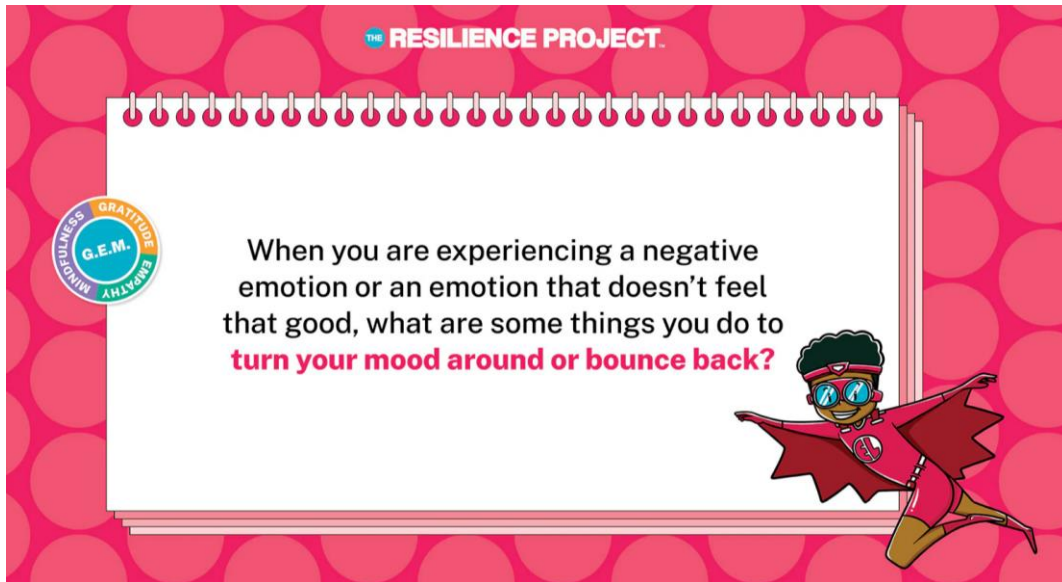
End of term

Friday, 28th June will be the final day for term 2. Students will be dismissed at 2:30 pm. It is a PJ Day – students are invited to wear their favourite (hopefully warm!) PJs and we will be watching a movie. There will be snacks and lunch provided but students are welcome to bring their own as normal or order a lunch order if they would prefer 😊



Linton PS is a
Child Safe School

School Bank Details
Parents wishing to make payments via direct deposit:
BSB: 063838
Account: 10018078
Please use student or family name in the reference field.



Staff emails

Miss Walker – jacklyne.walker@education.vic.gov.au (Tuesday, Thursday & Friday)
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Appreciation

I appreciate all who supported our students to attend their excursions over the last week.

Stuart Robinson
Principal
Linton Primary School

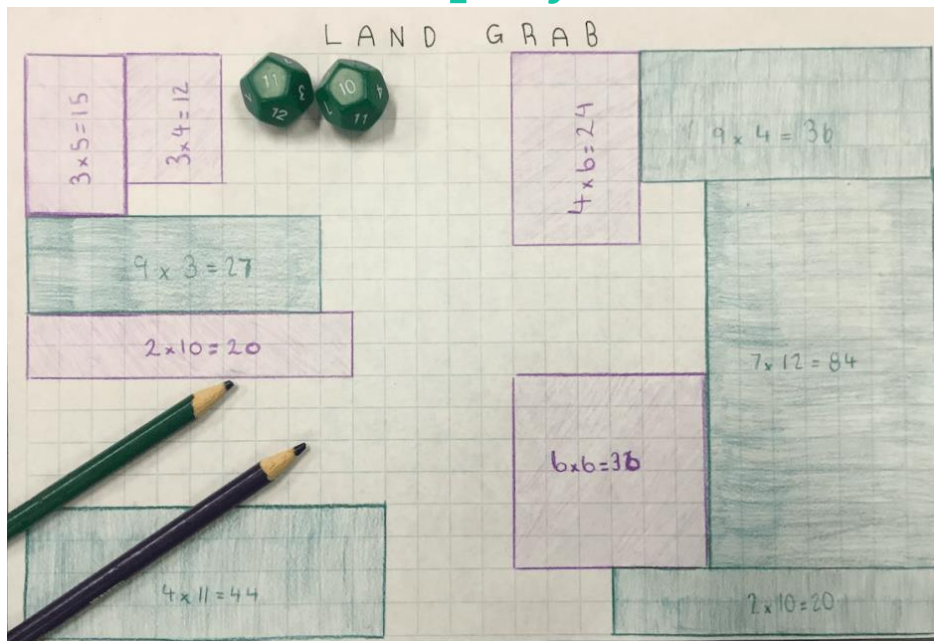
School Beanies

Miss Foy has organised some school beanies which will be available to purchase from the school office for \$25 each. We will place an announcement on Compass when they are ready to order!



Maths Game of the Week

Learn how to play Land Grab!



This fun and engaging game supports children's conceptual understanding of multiplication and offers another way to help your child learn their times tables facts.

Materials

- Piece of graph paper
- Two dice (six, ten or twelve-sided)
- Two different coloured pencils

How to play:

1. The first player rolls both dice. The numbers become the dimensions of the rectangle/square the player will draw to take up the most land. Players can choose which numbers will form the length and the width of the rectangle, and consider the best strategy in order to claim the most space on the playing board.
2. The first player colours in the area with their colour. They then write the multiplication sentence in the middle of their shaded array (for example, $4 \times 5 = 20$).
3. Players take turns until the graph paper is almost filled. At the end, there will be plots of land that require an exact number roll to fit into the space provided. If this is the case, players have to skip their turn if they don't roll that particular number. Be ready to get competitive at the end!
4. Whoever claims the most land, wins!

This game can easily be modified by using different sets of dice. If you are just learning your multiplication facts, use dice with stickers on the faces, marking the numbers 0-5 only.

Learning Snapshot

F-2	Junior students have been working on patterns with numbers and shapes in Maths.
3-6	In Reading seniors have been using flexible reading strategies. In Writing we have been writing information reports and focusing on punctuation.

Name - Marley

Year - 4

Favourite subject – Marley likes writing because it's entertaining and not boring.

What do you play at recess? Marley most days of the week kicks the footy.

What is your opinion of Wheelie Wednesday? Marley claims that wheelie Wednesday is the BEST!

What do you want your future job to be? Marley would like to be an engineer when he is older.

Bonus question.. Marley's highlight for sovereign hill costume school was the gold pour.

Student Profiles – interviews by Liam



Name - Raven

Year - 2

Favourite subject – Raven likes mindfulness because it is quiet.

What do you play at recess? Raven likes to draw at recess by himself.

What is your opinion of Wheelie Wednesday? Raven likes wheelie Wednesday a lot.

What do you want your future job to be? Raven wants to be a cartoonist when he grows up because he's good at drawing.

Bonus question.. Raven liked the art gallery because he liked catching a moth.

Name - Mr Vagg

Year - Teacher

Favourite subject

– Mr Vagg likes teaching history because he likes sharing his knowledge of things that happened around the world

What is your opinion of Wheelie Wednesday? ? It gives the kids something to do at playtime, which Mr Vagg thinks is awesome.

Bonus question.. Mr Vagg absolutely loved the sovereign hill experience, however he's not sure he'd like dressing up everyday!

SOVEREIGN HILL

This week all the seniors went to Sovereign Hill and did a dress-up Costume Experience for the Red Hill School. Our teacher's name was Karen, but we all called her Ma'am - you call every lady Ma'am and every man Sir. You call boys Master and girls Miss. The fun thing was the ink pen writing. The girls also did sewing and the boys did drawing.

Abigail

On Tuesday and Wednesday last week, the Linton primary school seniors went to the Sovereign Hill Costume School for an excursion! My highlight for Sovereign Hill was holding a \$350,000 bar of gold! I also enjoyed the old style of clothes we had to wear. My favourite activity was gold panning 👍

Liam





