

Valley View

Hello everyone and welcome to another addition of the Valley News,

The festival at the end of each year has proven to be a very successful event that brings the community together. It is at this festival that we continue to showcase the learning of our beautiful students and the teaching that has been presented to them by our excellent staff. It's an opportunity for members of the community to meet in our school and reflect on the year that has passed and share in the stories that we have developed over the year with their children at the centre of them.

The festival this year will be even bigger and better than in the past with a range of activities and concert items on show. More information about the festival will be forthcoming in the coming weeks but I want you all to save the date

8th DECEMBER.

Next week we bid farewell to a large group of students from LN 3 who will be participating in Camp Coonawarra. This is a very exciting time for our students and I'll be joining them throughout the week to share in their excitement and adventures.

This week we have farewellled Nicole Blyth and have thanked her for all the work that she has done with our parent community, in particular our fabulous Parent Ambassadors. We wish Nicole well and know that she will continue to provide her new community with a wealth of knowledge and support.

I had the privilege of sharing a piece of cake and a cup of tea with our Parent Ambassadors last week. This opportunity enabled me to hear their stories and their aspirations for their

work and how to best support the school. I shared with them my professional and life journey and gave them a window into my world as a newly appointed acting principal.

As I said to the Parent Ambassadors, I am more than happy to hear from our parent community and encouraged them to pop in and come and see me when they feel the need to speak with me.

I hope you have had a great week and have the opportunity to relax and enjoy the weekend.

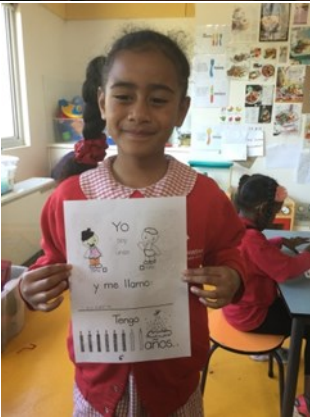
Kind regards
Carmela



LN1 Newsletter!

Week 7 in LN1

Hola! The students of LN1 have been working very hard during Spanish classes with Senorita Marina and the teachers in LN1. We have learning to count to 10 and some of our students can even count past 10. Ask your children what these Spanish numbers are. Uno, dos, tres, cuarto, cinco, seis, siete, ocho, nueve, diez! We have also been learning some Spanish greetings and how to ask some questions like "Como te llamas?" That means "What is your name?" Ask us and we can answer it in Spanish.

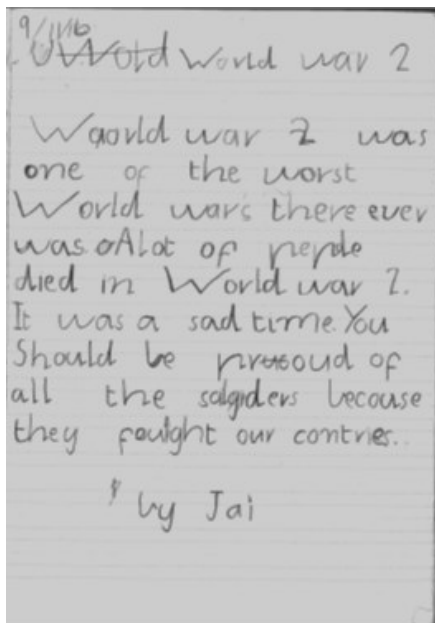


The BVPS swimming program is starting next week for the students in LN1 and LN2. A note for students participating in the swimming program at the Broadmeadows Leisure Centre has been sent home this week with a list of all the things that the students need

to take to swimming. Some of the items include bathers, a towel for drying, underwear and a plastic bag for wet clothes. Please read this list carefully so your child can participate in the program. Our parents are welcome to come and watch their children participate in their swimming lesson.

Earlier this week, we handed out a permission note for our Wildlife Exposure excursion. We are very excited to have them come out to the school and share some native animals with us. This will help us with the learning we have been doing during Enrichment on living and non-living things.

Friday the 11th of November is Remembrance Day. It is a day that all of us have taken the time to think about and pay our respects to those who have fought to protect our country. Have a read of these fantastic writing pieces about Remembrance Day.



Have a wonderful weekend,
Amy, Jamielee, Wendy, Cyndi and Rob.

LN2 Newsletter

LN2 time!

Keep an eye out on iTunes Spotify everyone... Students from LN2 have been laying down some sweet beats and rhymes in our digital studio. With little input from the teachers, the results are extremely impressive. We are looking forward to finalising these records and publishing for all to enjoy.



In the kitchen, we were transported to Japan where we enjoyed some delicious sushi! Yet another impressive dish put out by our wonderful kitchen group. We wonder who will be the lucky guests to join them in the Valley Kitchen Café.

LN3 Newsletter

It has been an exciting week in LN3 this week, as students prepare to go to camp next week. We have no doubt all the students will have a fantastic time and will be an adventure they will remember forever.



The Grade 6 graduation dance has been flying along, with Miss DePetro at the helm, the students are perfecting all their steps even practicing during their lunch times.



Finally, 10 lucky students have been selected to represent Broadmeadows Valley Primary School at the Student Maker Conference. They will write about their experiences in our newsletter in a three weeks' time.

In Reading, we are still learning about inference. We are learning about the importance of being able to read between the lines and understand what the author is trying to say without saying it. We have been inferring characters, settings, themes and plots. Students are using their new found knowledge and are applying it to their iRead books.

In Writing, students have finally had the opportunity to present their speech. It was fantastic to hear all their speeches on the big stage! Even more impressive was the way the students gave feedback to each other on what were the strengths and the areas students could improve their speeches. Students over

the coming weeks will have the opportunity to write a speech about the effects of non-renewable energy.

In Maths, we continue to build our understanding of fractions. Once again, we would like to promote Studyladder. All students have tasks set on their iPads catered to their needs. It has videos on how to do each task as well games and other rewards. If you would like more information, please come and see one of the teachers in LN3.

That's the latest news from LN3!
Have a great weekend!

PARENTS New Uniform Prices Effective from Monday 3rd Nov

SWIMMING PROGRAM

The swimming program will commence this term for students Prep-4. The program will run for 8 days, Monday to Thursday over 2 weeks commencing **November 14th—
November 24th**



Term 4 IMPORTANT DATES

**14th-18th Nov
LN3 Camp Coonawarra**



14th-17th Nov

21th-24th Nov

**Swimming
Program**

LN1 & LN2



**Every Friday
Conversational English
Classes**

Fridays 9.15 - 11.15am in
"The Hub" (LN1)
FREE!

Child minding available

"Fitness for All" program
11.45am. Please meet at the office.
Register your interest at Valley Cafe
or the office.

Birthdays

Emily M
Anthony M
Arati A
Quinton F
RJ Reed
Erakye H



Notice Board



SAVE THIS DATE: 8.12.2016 FOR OUR VALLEY FAMILY CELEBRATION



We are holding the **VALLEY FAMILY CELEBRATION** again this year on the 8th of December. At the celebration we will be having a raffle. If any of our families have anything they would like to donate it would be greatly appreciated.

VALLEY FAMILY CELEBRATION Group

We are asking for parent help with this year with the celebration. If you can assist us with wrapping raffle prizes or in any other way please give us a call on 9309 4066

STUDENTS LEAVING

If you are moving from the area and need to change schools in 2017, we would appreciate contact from you to let us know as soon as possible.

Prep Transition Program has started, it's very important that any preschool children are enrolled for school.

We have the new **BVPS Enrolment Forms** at the office, with Michelle, Amy, Lindy, and Jen willing and available to assist.

