

Newsletter – 12th November 2025

next week:

Monday 17th November

Book Fair week – Classes walk through to make wish lists.

Tuesday 18th November

Book Fair open 8.45am-9.15am and 3pm-3.30pm

Wednesday 19th November

Book Fair open 8.45am-9.15am and 3pm-3.30pm

LESC Yr 7 Transition

Thursday 20th November

Book Fair open 8.45am-9.15am and 3pm-3.30pm

LESC Yr 7 Transition

Friday 21st November

Book Fair open 8.45am-9.15am and 3pm-3.30pm (Last Day)

2026 Prep Transition

9am – 3pm 1st full day

Breakfast Club 8:15 – 8:45

Assembly 2.45pm

coming up:

Friday 14th November

2026 Prep Transition

9am – 3pm 1st full day

Grade 6 return from Corrangle Camp - approx. 2pm

reminders:

Can you spare time to help in the morning or afternoon during Book Fair? If so, please call the LEPS office.

You're invited to Book Fair

Book Fair commences next Tuesday 18th November and concludes Friday 21st November.

Monday 17th, class groups will walk through to make wish lists.

The fair is open at **8:45am – 9:15am** and at **3:00pm – 3:30pm** and will be held in the library.

You're invited to our SCHOLASTIC Book Fair



OCEAN ADVENTURE
Mr Luke's class opened a magic book and found themselves under the sea!
100144570 | HB PICTURE BOOK | AGES 3+
\$10

TWO CRANKY BEARS
Can two cranky bears learn to share?
100144522 | HB PICTURE BOOK | AGES 3+
\$10

Wombat.
A funny look into the life of a wombat.
100141320 | PB PICTURE BOOK | AGES 3+
SPECIAL VALUE \$6

THE PUPPY PARADE
A new series all about Ella and Olivia's puppy, Bob.
100144370 | CHAPTER BOOK | AGES 5+
\$6

NINJA SUPERSTARS!
Can Ninja Girl and Karate Kitten save the town from evil lizards?
100145003 | CHAPTER BOOK | AGES 7+
\$10

Pizza and Taco
DARE TO BE SCARED!
100145054 | GRAPHIC NOVEL | AGES 6+
\$10

SLEEPOVER BFFS: BIG DREAMS
These BFFs make a business out of planning sleepover parties for people!
100145640 | PB NOVEL | AGES 9+
\$10

EVERY DOLLAR EQUALS RESOURCES FOR OUR SCHOOL

SCHOLASTIC

SCHOLASTIC REWARDS

Principal's Report

Corringle Camp

This week our Grade 6 students are attending Corringle Camp. Corringle has been a long-standing tradition at our school, with some parents even recalling their own experiences from when they attended. Reports from staff and photos shared on Facebook show that students have been engaged, working well together, and are giving every activity a go, even when faced with some challenging weather conditions. I look forward to joining them to assist with sailing.

Thank you to the parents who assisted with the camp setup, your support is greatly appreciated.

Remembrance Day

On Tuesday, two Grade 5 students and staff attended the Remembrance Day ceremony at Mechanics Hall to represent our school. They took part in the service and laid a wreath on behalf of our school community to honour those who have served. Thank you to our Grade 5 students for proudly representing our school while our Grade 6 leaders were away at camp.

Class Structure

Thank you to all parents who have submitted class placement requests. Please be assured that all requests have been received and are being carefully reviewed. Over the next few weeks, I will begin the process of organising classes for next year. I am continuing to read through each request and will contact families if any additional information is needed.

Students will find out their grade and teacher during our whole-school transition sessions on Tuesday 9th and Wednesday 10th December.

Book Fair

The Book Fair is once again returning to LEPS! As one of our major fundraisers each year, the fair will be set up in the library for students and families to purchase new books. Every purchase helps our school earn reward points, which are then used to buy additional books to support our library.

Having purchased 2,000 books last year and another 2,000 this year, we are continuing to promote the importance of reading among our students. All classes will have the opportunity to view the books on Monday 17th November.

This year, the Book Fair will run from **Tuesday 18th November** until **Friday 21st November**, opening before school from **8:45am – 9:15am** and after school from **3:00pm – 3:30pm**.

The Importance of Reading...

A child who reads:

- 1 min a day will read 8,000 words a year,
- 5 mins a day will read 282,000 words a year

But a child who reads:

- 20mins a day will read approximately 1.8million words a year!!!!!!

As part of our whole school approach to literacy, every child reads a dedicated 20mins each day!

- Any additional reading you can follow through with at home, each day, will only increase their word knowledge and improve their reading skills!

Have a great week!

Simon Prior

Pupils of the Week - Congratulations:

David Noah Villarta – For always making others feel as though they belong and encouraging others. Thank you for bringing joy and laughter to our class!

Riana Singh – For listening and joining in with sharing ideas on the floor mat!

Evie Henderson & Peyton McDonnell – For welcoming new students with care and attention and helping them feel a sense of belonging in their new school!

Monica Orr - Monica you have settled in beautifully and you are such a valued member of our school community. You have shown kindness, enthusiasm, and a positive attitude, making new friends and joining in with every activity. We love having you in our classroom!

Autumn Evans – You have been so kind, patient and supportive with anyone you have been in a group with. Keep being a role model!

Ashlee Meloury-Clay – I am so proud of the kindness you have been showing to others and your constant willingness to help someone in need. Keep up the good work, Ash!

Olivia Walker – You have been kind and respectful in 3/4C this week, willing to help anyone. Great work!

Chloe Walker – Thank you for being such a superstar this week and helping Mr Boyd out so much!

Azallia Bertram – I'm so proud of the way you adapted to this week and showed wonderful leadership qualities!

Nylah Walker – You have had such an outstanding week. I've enjoyed seeing you participate in class discussions and leading by example!

Drama Award – Milly Comber-Tidswell – Milly you have joined in our Drama classes with ease! It's been great seeing you learn our games, participate and share ideas. Well done!

Phys Ed Award – Ashton Luu – Ashton is always encouraging others to do their best in Physical Education. Keep lifting others up, you're a legend!

Visual Arts Award – Hunter Joseph – For applying himself in the art activities and creating many shades of orange. Well done!

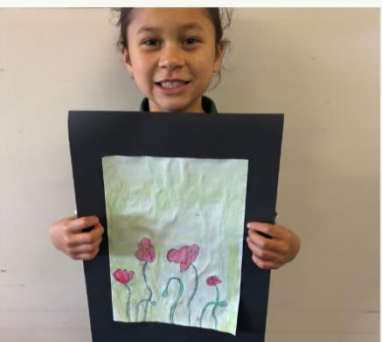
<u>WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE</u> <u>Week 4</u>		<u>WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE</u> <u>Last week</u>	
Monday 27/10	79.80%	Monday 03/11	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 28/10	85.86%	Tuesday 04/11	Melbourne Cup
Wednesday 29/10	85.86%	Wednesday 05/11	80.30%
Thursday 30/10	80.81%	Thursday 06/11	81.31%
Friday 31/10	79.29%	Friday 07/11	77.27%

Belonging in 1/2c

This week, our class focused on the value of belonging. Together, we created a Remembrance Day artwork to honour those who have served and to show that we all belong to a community that values respect, gratitude, and togetherness. Each student's contribution was an important part of the final piece, reminding us that when we work together, we create something meaningful and beautiful as one.



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Drama

Senior students have learnt a new game in Drama this week. Our game features strategic movement to prevent the 'Penguin' from sitting down. The game encourages students to work together, while discussing possible outcomes. Nice work kids!



Remembrance Day

November 11th 2025

Yesterday Sienna and Shyloh placed a wreath at the Remembrance service at the Mechanics Hall on behalf of our school. We paused to remember and honour the brave men and women who have served and sacrificed for our freedom at 11am at school as well. Lest we forget.





Lunch time 'Rubbish Heroes'

Shout out to **Mason Snell, Isla Dart, Jakaine Wanganeen and Ledger Elliott** for collecting bags of rubbish during lunch time.

These heroes weren't asked to collect rubbish, they showed mutual respect, success, persistence and belonging by taking pride in their school playground.

Book Club



How parents order from Book Club online

1. Log in, or create a new account at [LOOP](#)
2. New parents can follow the Wizard to set up a child's profile
3. Click the ORDER tab, and select the child's school and Issue of Book Club
4. Select your child's name
5. Enter the product item number from the Book Club catalogue
6. Apply promotional codes that children may have earned from previous issues
7. Make a payment via credit card
8. Feel great about the Scholastic Rewards that have been earned for the school!

Don't forget to have your orders ready before or on the cut off date.

Book Club orders 2025 Issue 8

Cut off date: Friday 28th November.

Keep in Mind next week is Book Fair – Every purchase from Book Fair helps make new purchases for our Library



The poster is titled 'BOOK WEEK VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!' and is surrounded by various school-related illustrations. At the top left is a red apple on a stack of books. At the top right is a blue owl wearing a graduation cap. On the left side, a girl with red pigtails sits on a stack of books, reading. On the right side, there are two crayons (blue and orange) and a globe on a stand. At the bottom, there is a large stack of colorful books. The text is centered and provides details about the volunteer opportunities.

BOOK WEEK VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are seeking parent volunteers to help run our Book Week stall during the following times:

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If you are available to assist during any of these times, please let the office know. Your help will make a big difference in making Book Week a success. Thank you!

Victorian Track and Field State Championships

Last week, Benji and Junior represented LEPS at the Victorian Track and Field State Championships at Lakeside Stadium in Albert Park Melbourne.

☀ Benji competed in the 11yr 2kg Shot Put. He bet his regional score (9.32m) throwing 10.19m. Benji is ranked 10th in the state for his age.

☀ Junior competed in the 12/13yr 3kg Shot Put. He also bet his regional score (9.15) throwing 9.98m. Junior is ranked 11th in the state for his age.

What an achievement and experience for these boys!



Lakes Entrance Little Athletics Centre

Home – Centres – Lakes Entrance Little Athletics Centre

🏃 Registrations Are Now Open! 🏃 Whether you're ready to commit or just want to give it a go, we've got options for everyone! ✨
Memberships: Join the fun and become part of our Little Athletics family — we'd love to welcome your child to the track! 🏃 Trials: Not sure if it's the right fit? No worries! Sign up for a free trial and enjoy two sessions before deciding. It's the perfect way to test the waters and see what Little Athletics is all about. 📅 Ready to register? Head to our registration page or reach out for more info — we're here to help!

<https://lavic.com.au/centres/lakes-entrance/> Let's get moving, learning, and having fun together!



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