



Lytton Street School

Thursday 5th March

Newsletter: 26/05

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STREET SCHOOL



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WELCOME

A huge welcome to Week 5 of the school term. Across the school things are all up and running and the kids are settled into a great routine. The Year 5/6 have been enjoying an awesome time rafting the Rangitikei River. The final three classrooms are due to head off next week. This has been a terrific experience for our kids - one that offers challenge and fun in a safe and structured environment. It is our aim to offer this type of activity in the future in line with our school camp programme.

A massive welcome to Lytton Street to Ida Löffler & Ceidy Wimutu-Cooper who have begun in Te Tipu. It is great to have you and your whānau as part of our school.

BUGGY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Jaxon Pollock, from Room 24, has spent the week representing at the Asian Buggy Championship in Pukekohe. With 183 cars entered in this international event, he has competed against drivers at least five years older than himself, making him the youngest participant ever in the history of the competition. Awesome effort Jaxon. Check out the photo right.



SKATEPARK HEROICS

A number of our kids competed in the skateboard competition held in Feilding over the weekend. I wanted to extend a congratulations to you all. Kaylin, pictured to the right, was a stand out, showcasing some amazing skills on the board! A well done to Arlo and Isla who also competed in the 10 and Under Bowl Jam event.



125th JUBILEE

A massive reminder that the 125th Jubilee celebrations are coming up extremely fast. There are a number of things that are on offer. Hats and plaque purchases and registrations for the event on the Friday night are essential. The weekend will be an awesome celebration of our school, it would be great if you could get involved.

SEESAW

A friendly reminder that as we have moved over to HERO for all of our communication and updates about learning, access to Seesaw will be coming to an end. Your seesaw accounts are open and will be until April, after that you will no longer be able to access Seesaw for Lytton Street School. We encourage you to go onto Seesaw and download any photos of your child's learning journey over the last few years as these will become unavailable once our time with Seesaw is finished. Please note, teachers will not be using seesaw for any posts or communication.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our Board of Trustees are meeting this Thursday at 5.30pm in the school staffroom.

Check out our website - www.lyttonstreet.school.nz

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RULES - SCOOTERS, BIKES...

The following information is provided to ensure our kids and whānau are safe coming to and from school and also operating bikes and scooters within the school grounds. Students are not allowed to come into classrooms prior to 8.30am. It is our strong recommendation that kids do not come to school until 8.30am as staff are not on duty to monitor them. In the event this does happen, then kids must remain on the courts at the front of the school.

Bikes and scooters must be parked on arrival in the stands provided and then used only on the bike track after 8:30am. Bikes and scooters are only permitted on the bike track. Also, a number of our students are riding to school on bikes without a helmet. This is against the law and also unsafe. Any child doing this will be warned and their parents contacted. The New Zealand Police will also be supporting us to ensure kids wear helmets and travel to school safely.

For many years our school has welcomed kids playing on the grounds so long as they are accompanied by an adult. Many schools in our district have closed their grounds to the public, but this is something that we really do not want to do. Please support us to ensure our grounds are a safe space for all.

BALLET

Our school dance programme is now underway. It is our aim to ensure all students have the opportunity to experience dance. Whaea Alecia runs this programme. The photo below is our specialist ballet programme. Students were afforded the opportunity to opt into this session. It was great to see so many kids keen to be apart of it. Well done to you all.

LSS SUNDAY HOCKEY

Kia Ora Whānau, our hockey registration form has been sent out this week through our HERO portal. Hockey commences in term 2 on Sunday mornings in Palmerston North. If you would like your child to be involved in this please check your HERO app for the registration form. Closing date for signing up is the 27th March. If you need any further information please let Matua Mike know.





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FEILDING BLUE LIGHT STREET PARTY

COMMUNITY STREET PARTY

Feilding Blue Light would like to INVITE you to a COMMUNITY STREET PARTY on MONMOUTH STREET FEILDING.

Bring your family, there will be FREE jumpy castles, food and activities for all.

*PLEASE NOTE - Road closure will be from outside 25 - 31 Monmouth Street, Feilding, from 4pm-7pm. Taylor Street residences will still have access.

THURS

5TH MARCH 2026

5.00PM - 6.30PM

WE'LL SEE YOU THERE!

EVENT IS FREE




125TH JUBILEE

Our 125th weekend (27th, 28th & 29th March) is fast approaching. Be sure to check out all the amazing things that are taking place.

FRIDAY SCHOOL TOURS & AN EVENING OF MINGLING & REMINISCING

Come along, let our school leaders take you on a tour of the school and then spend the evening with family and friends reminiscing over a drink and some nibbles. This will be a relaxing and enjoyable atmosphere.

THE GREAT LSS SATURDAY GALA

This action packed event will take place from 10am-2pm and feature stalls, games, loads of free stuff and a large variety of scrumptious food to get those tastebuds watering. Book out this day now and come join us.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TOURS

On Sunday the school will be open with our school leaders once again showing our awesome community the wonderful facilities we enjoy.

125TH CELEBRATION - TALES FROM THE ARCHIVES

In 1931 the Napier|Hastings earthquake shook the school grounds causing some damage. A school roof was buckled and four chimneys cracked and needed fixing. It was also interesting to note, that similar to the Christchurch earthquake 16 children from Napier attended our school for a period of time. This sense of community and support for each other has been a really strong aspect of our school for years.

