



Lytton Street School

Thursday 20th August

Newsletter: 26/25

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TEACHER ONLY DAY - FRIDAY 21ST AUGUST 2026

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WELCOME

And just like that it is disco-week. Tonight our Neon-Safari Disco kicks off with the Year 0-3 at 5.15pm followed by the Year 3-6 at 6.30pm. This will be an awesome event - a super way to cap off another fantastic week at Lytton Street. Please remember to pick your children up from the school hall. No children will be allowed to leave without their caregiver. A special thank you to our wonderful school leadership team, Te Raukura, who will be hosting this evening.

WRITER'S TOOLBOX

A big thanks to everyone who came to Whaea Nicola's Writer's Toolbox session last Thursday afternoon! It was fantastic to see so many Year 4 parents there, getting a preview of how their children will use this AI tool next year.

Whaea Nicola walked through the common language our Year 5/6 classes use and explained how the AI provides instant feedback, helping students polish their writing before checking in with their teacher.

She also shared the 12 sentences we teach the students right from Y0-Y6. Have questions or want to find out more? Drop an email to ncampbell@lss.school.nz

FEILDING INTERMEDIATE VISIT

Our annual visit to Feilding Intermediate will take place on Tuesday 25th August 2026. All our Year 6 students will attend this visit. If you require any support with enrolment or follow up information please feel free to pop into the school office.

2027 ENROLMENTS

Our school is beginning to prepare for the 2027 school year. If you have a child turning 5, or know of a child who is turning 5 and intending to enrol, please make contact with our school office. In addition, if any students you know of are considering transferring to our wonderful school it would be great to know. The more information we have the better we are prepared for the school year. Thank you for your support.

TEACHER ONLY DAY

Tomorrow our school will be closed for our Teacher Only Day. Staff will be completing their First Aid training. This is a hugely important course for our teaching staff.



PTA PIE FUNDRAISER

Choose from a variety of delicious sweet and savoury Rosebowl family-sized pies - perfect to stock up the freezer just in time for the school holidays! \$11 per family-sized pie. Choose from: Mince, Mince & Cheese, Mince & Potato, Steak & Cheese, Steak & Mushroom, Vege, Chicken & Vege, Bacon & Egg, Apple, Apricot and Blackberry & Apple.

How to order:

1. Order forms went home with your child, or you can pick up an extra order form from the school office
2. Complete your order and write your child's full name on the form
3. Return your order form to the office.
4. Make one payment per order form.
5. Payment and orders must be received by 31 August.

Please note: Orders will not be placed without payment. The Office will not be taking cash or EFT payments outside the above dates/times.

Pie Pick-Up: 25 September, LSS Hall, 2.00pm–6.00pm.

Thank you for supporting our school! Every pie sold helps support our tamariki. And a special thank you to Rosebowl who are sponsoring this fundraiser.



Pie Payment Options

Internet Banking

Account: 12-3143-0396712-02

Account Name: Lytton Street School

Reference: CHILD'S FULL NAME + PIES

OR pay cash/EFTPOS in the school office with one of our PTA volunteers on the following dates: 26, 27, 28 & 31 August, 8.30–9.00am and 2.30–3.30pm



MATHEX

Last Friday we had 2 teams of mathematicians take on schools from around the Manawatū. It was a competition to see who could answer some very tricky problem solving questions in the fastest time. It was a great experience for the students who had a chance to challenge themselves against the best maths brains around. Well done to Hudson, Harry, Charlie, Hadley, Jack, Vili, Reese and Lily-Anne - photo above right.



NETBALL

Congratulations to all our students who have been involved in an awesome netball season. You can all be really proud of the growth, enthusiasm and effort you have put in. A special congratulations to Kea won their grade - photo above right.



YEAR 3/4 SWIMMING SPORTS

Well done to all of our middle school swimmers last week. We had everyone giving it their best go from those who are new to swimming and working on confidence, to those who could probably swim 25m faster than most of us. Thanks to all the supporters who were there cheering them along. Thanks also to our Board who continue to fund our swimming lessons. Below are the results of the overall championship. An assembly will be held later this term for these these swimmers.

Boys	Girls	Classroom Points
1st = Jack M & Hugo B 3rd = Hunter W	1st - Kaira H 2nd = Frankee M 2nd = Ava H	Classroom Points: 1st - Room 23 2nd = Rooms 12 & 14



UPCOMING DATES

- Tuesday 25th August: Year 6 visit to Feilding Intermediate School
- Friday 28th August: Jan Williams Netball Tournament