



### FROM THE PRINCIPAL & DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Fingers crossed that tomorrow will be another fine sunny day where everyone can enjoy Pets Day without the complication of wet weather contingencies.

If we are fortunate to enjoy a sunny day, please be mindful of sunhats, sunscreen and general care when outside for an extended period of time.

New supplies of sunscreen have been ordered for each learning space, however these may not have arrived by tomorrow. Your support with ensuring children have sunscreen on before leaving for school would be appreciated. We will ensure they do have access to sunblock during the day to re-apply.

Year 5-8 children enjoyed their Athletics day on Tuesday, whilst Syndicate One will celebrate theirs on November 18 and Syndicate Two on November 17.



The Lincoln Zone Athletics Competition for those senior children who qualified are being held on Friday 4 November. You will be notified if your child qualified for this event.

### Openings/Blessings

The official Opening and Blessing of the Junior Campus will be happening on Thursday 10 November. This will commence at 1:00pm. Formalities are scheduled to finish at 1:35-1:40. Children in Syndicate One will then be bussed back to the Main Campus for the Opening and Blessing of the modular buildings. Children in Years 4-8 will walk back to the main site. We plan to begin the formal proceedings for this building at 2:00pm. You are welcome to join your children in this celebration.

### 2017

Planning for 2017 is well under way. We have made some new appointments to our teaching team and will be continuing conversations with current staff relating to which levels and teams they will be working in next year. As our roll is continuing to climb, this is quite a complex time. Our forward planning is endeavouring to ensure there is capacity in all levels for additional students to enter our learning community.

### 3 - Way Conferences

Information on how to make bookings for our upcoming 3-Way Learning Conferences will be distributed tomorrow via email. These 3-Way Learning Conferences are scheduled for Tuesday 15 and Wednesday 16 November. On Tuesday 15 November 3-Way Conferences will begin in the early afternoon and we will be asking that children make their way home on this day from the start of lunch. If you are unable to assist in this regard, arrangements will be made for supervision of children on site until 3:00pm.

Kind regards,

**Viv Butcher and Cade Englefield**

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<http://lincolnprimary.ultranet.school.nz/WebSpace/148/>

Oct	28	Pets and Crafts Day	
	28	Christchurch Schools Music Festival	
	31	Agricultural Club Group Day	
Nov	3	Third HPV for Year 8's	
	4	Lincoln Zone Athletic Sports at Ellesmere College	
	4	Junior and Senior Discos	
	7-8	PP Zone Athletics dates	
	10	Official Blessing of Junior Campus and Modular Buildings Commencing 1pm at the Junior Campus	
	10	Grip Leadership Conference	
	11	Canterbury Anniversary (School Closed)	
	15-16	3-Way Learning Conferences	
Dec	16	Syndicate 1 Visit Lincoln Day Group	
	17	Syndicate 2 Athletics	
	18	Syndicate 1 Athletics	
	7	CPSSA Athletics at the Ashburton Domain	
	13	Tabloid Sports	
	14	Final Assembly—Lincoln Event Centre, 1-3pm	
	15	Term 4 Ends 1:30pm	
Jan	30	Term 1 Commences for all students	

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SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHY



Due to a delay in getting the naming templates back to Langwoods, photos will not be delivered for another couple of weeks. Once sent, photos will begin rolling off the printing machine. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Don't  
Forget!!

**Pets &  
Crafts Day  
Tomorrow.  
Friday 28  
October**



### Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic orders for Issue 7 are due in by 3.00pm on **Friday 28th of October**. Orders can be returned to either the Junior Campus Office or the Main Office. Please make sure that the forms are filled out fully and the money is correct (no change will be given). All cheques should be made payable to "Scholastic New Zealand".

Orders can be made with Scholastic's Linked Online Ordering and Payment for Parents (LOOP). Please refer to the order form for details on how to order. Online orders made via the LOOP will be electronically linked and delivered with the rest of our school order. The final date for this is also Friday 28th of October. Any orders made after this date will incur a delivery charge from Scholastic.



**School Hats** will be available for sale (\$15.00 cash) every Friday from the Second Hand Uniform Shop in the School Hall (Main Campus between 2.45pm to 3.15pm).



### Tea towels for sale

A limited number of "Lincoln icons" tea towels are still available for purchase.

Available in duck egg blue, light malt, red, and black. \$10 per tea towel or any 3 for \$25.

Please put correct cash (no change given) in an envelope labelled "Attention: Fair", child's name, year and number and colour(s) of tea towels required, and hand into the office.

### Food gift packs for sale

A number of gift wrapped food packages are still available for sale at significantly reduced prices. These include Fogdog batters and seasonings (including GF), Hakanoa ginger beer and syrups, Spice Trader spice packs, and Anatoth jam. Please contact [fair@lincolnprimary.ac.nz](mailto:fair@lincolnprimary.ac.nz) if you are interested in purchasing or viewing these items.

### Yates vegetable seeds for sale: \$1 per packet

Including tomato, cherry tomato, cucumber, capsicum, cos lettuce and spring onion.

Please put correct cash (no change given) in an envelope labelled "Attention: Fair", child's name, year and number and type of seeds required, and hand into the office.

### Disco: Friday 4th November

The PTA are looking for helpers to assist with the school disco.

Thursday 3rd November: 7:30-9pm (set up)

Friday 4th November: 5:30-7:30pm (junior disco)

Friday 4th November: 7:15-9:30pm (senior disco)

If you can help, please email Sarah [mark.sarah@actrix.co.nz](mailto:mark.sarah@actrix.co.nz)

More information to come in following newsletters before the disco.

## SCHOOL NOTICES

### Leavers

We would appreciate notification in writing if your child is leaving Lincoln Primary School to move overseas, leave the area or attend another school.

This enables us to prepare documentation, and remove them from our school system.

### Online Lunches

Parents, caregivers and students can order school lunches for Wednesdays (Subway) and Fridays (I-Sushi) using Luncheonline via the internet. Subway and I Sushi will provide your student's food choices fresh to the school in time for lunch. It is simple all you need to do is visit [www.luncheonline.co.nz](http://www.luncheonline.co.nz)

### Playground Stones

Please assist our wonderful caretaker, Bart, by discouraging your child/ren from removing or flicking stones out of the playground before and after school. Thank you for your co-operation.

### Head Health

There have been some cases of headlice in the community. Please ensure you check your children's hair weekly and treat when headlice are detected. Thank you.

### New Entrant Enrolments

Do you have a child turning 5 in the next 18 months? Do you know someone who does and lives in Lincoln or is moving to Lincoln?

To enable classroom planning for the future, we would appreciate all children are enrolled as soon as possible. Please collect an enrolment form from the school office, or download one from the enrolment section of the school website.

### Lost Property

Please check the lost property area in the stairwell by the Information Centre for any lost property.

All remaining un-named items at the end of each term will be donated to the second hand uniform shop or to charity.



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