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Linville State School Newsletter

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Term 3

Week 1– Term 3
11th July 2024

Upcoming events

Bike Ed
15th July

Benarkin to Linville Bike Ride
17th July

Cluster Athleics Carnival
19th July

Tuckshop Tuesday's

16th,30th July, 13th,27th August and 10th September

Wednesdays Toast & Milo
$2

Containers for Cash
The P & C number is C10255478

OUR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITY FOR 2024 – WRITING- which goes hand in hand and builds on our previous priority of READING.

EVERY DAY COUNTS – OUR 2024 Goal is 95% or better attendance
Our current attendance is 93.4% attendance

We welcome everyone back to Term 3 and hope you have all had a relaxing holiday.



Attendance as at this week is 93.4%. There are a few viruses going around at the moment. As we do not want these to spread to others, we thank you for keeping your child/ren at home if they are not well. We realise not every symptom a child displays is a reason for exclusion, however if there is green mucus etc this is certainly an indication that they should see a doctor. I am attaching a copy of the Queensland Health information sheet which is also on the wall under the classrooms.

Also please note: It is the school's duty of care to ensure we know where our students are at all times during school hours and on school days. This is why you will hear from us if we haven't been **advised of absences 9:00 a.m.** It is very important you call school and let us know if your child or children will not be at school on any given day. The best way is to phone the school before 9a.m. and talk to someone as we do not always get messages that may be left. You can also send a message to my phone. I also need to know reasons for absences as I need to enter a code next to absences of students.

Student absences – Please remember to call or email the school if your child is going to be absent from school. The School contacts are: Phone – 5424 7201 Email – admin@linvllless.eq.edu.au Mobile phone – 0436 620 568

BPOINT is our preferred method of payment. Access BPOINT at www.bpoint.com.au/payments/dete

BIKE RIDE – Next Wednesday 17th July is our Benarkin to Linville Bike Ride. Officer Brayden has organised 5 of his colleagues to join him on the ride. The police officers ride at the very front and no students are to pass this blue line. Our local Rural Fire Brigade truck follows at the very back of the pack and makes sure all gates are shut behind the riders. That leaves the students, teachers and parents riding in the middle. Students bring their own lunch boxes (they are carried in the support vehicles) and they have their morning tea when we stop half way down the range. We then finish the ride at Linville SS with a sausage sizzle and some games. Mrs Lipp will be at school for the students who are not riding and they will have activities set up to enjoy while the others are riding. There a many educational purposes for undertaking this bike ride each year. This will include bike education as well as the physical activity, the getting along with others, seeing how our emergency community interacts with everyone and learn that they are indeed approachable people and to have fun. The number of students attending will be approximately 40 which includes Linville SS and Harlin SS. *** Please note the change to the details on the excursion forms sent home.

Bike Ed- We are asking that everyone bring their bikes to school on Monday the 15th and keep them here until after the bike ride. We will be conducting bike safety lessons and going through the road rules in a safe environment for all students. This is a time ALL students can ride their bikes at school even if they still need to use training wheels, remember everyone learns differently and at different times. Officer Brayden came into school Wednesday and spoke to our students about the bike ride and bike ed.





BRISBANE VALLEY CLUSTER ATHLETICS DAY – Friday 19th July is the Brisbane Valley Cluster Athletics Day at Toogoolawah State School. Four of our students will be competing on the day. This is a continuation of our athletics day we had last term. The four students are Daniel, Mahalia, Angelo and Aidan. Ms Latoya will be transporting our students to the venue and bringing them back. Mrs Karreman will be there supporting our students as our PE teacher as well. There is an offer of our students purchasing tuckshop there on the day if students would like to be a part of this. A tuckshop form is being sent home and if students will be having tuckshop the order and money will need to be back by next Wednesday the 17th. If you have any questions regarding this please do not hesitate to call the school.

NAIDOC 2024 – Our students had a fun day celebrating NAIDOC last term at Toogoolawah State School. The camels were really interesting with other activities including making badges, playing games, learning about how communication happened all those years ago.



PJ DAY – Both staff and students enjoyed having PJ day on the last day of school. It was good weather for it as well.



FRUIT BREAK – Thank you parents for supplying fruit for the students to have before starting class. As we tell them, it is to feed their brain and body good food so they can get maximum learning happening in the first session of school.

CLOTHING ITEMS – As the weather is getting colder, the students are wearing warmer clothes to school. The day heats up and the students start peeling off their jumpers or long pants, then we find these items of clothing left behind at school**. ****PLEASE name all items of clothing being worn to school**** so if this happens, we can return them to whomever owns them. Our lost property becomes full very quickly if this does not happen. If you don't have a marking pen at home, come into school and we will lend you one.

P&C NEWS

P&C MEETING – There was a meeting held at the school on the last Friday of last term. A lot of topics were covered and plans made. Thank you to everyone who attended. More information about decisions made on the day will be advised in future newsletters and notes.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFASTS AND TUCKSHOP – Wednesday breakfasts are still being offered each week. Thank you, Di, Lisa and staff for being here on these days and getting the breakfasts ready. The next tuckshop will be Tuesday in week 2 and will be the normal meal deal of chicken fingers with the other meal being the students' favourite of potato bake.

CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE – A run of containers was done on the first Sunday of the school holidays and another one will need to be done soon.

Kind Regards
Jane Dean
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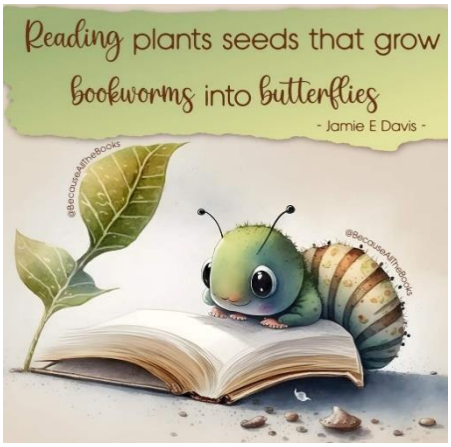
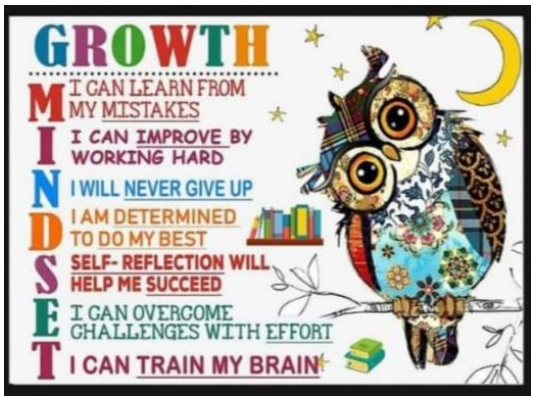
Please remember, reading is a priority to help children learn





School Contact – Please contact the school on 54247201 to ensure any messages you need to get across are taken by someone. Leaving a message on the answering machine does not guarantee we will get to hear it before the end of the day.

Transferring Money – If you are transferring money into the P & C bank account, it is really important that a description is given for what the money is payment for. For example, if you are transferring money for breakfasts, please note 'breakfast' and students' names. If it is for tuckshop then note 'tuckshop' and students' names. This helps those delivering these services to know who has been paid for and who has not. **Please make sure the funds are to go to the P&C and not to the school which has a separate bank account to have funds transferred to.**