



LINDENOW PRIMARY SCHOOL & WOODGLEN CAMPUS

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NEWSLETTER NO. 1

Principal's Message—Term 1, Week 1

Welcome back to all students, their families and our staff! It has been an excellent start to 2023 and our preps are already off to positive start. There is always a lot going on during a school term, so please pay attention to any updates on ClassDojo, Facebook and uEducateUs.

uEducateUs APP

Can all families please make sure they have downloaded the app on their phone and accessed their login. You will be able to record absences, receive updates, read newsletters, see the calendar of upcoming events and soon you'll be able to sign permission forms online.

*Any questions, please come in and see us at the office or give us a call.

BIG BABY NEWS

We are very excited to announce that Mrs Dyer is expecting her second child mid-way through this year. We wish Mrs Dyer, her husband Grant and their little boy Patrick all the best leading up to the arrival of child number two.

To the parents of 1/2DO, we are already finalising a plan to make sure your child's class has a high-quality replacement for Mrs Dyer.

LUNCH ORDERS

Students will be able to drop their lunch orders into the box outside the Wy Yung building as of tomorrow. Lunch orders are only on Friday's and there's a price list on the next page.

COVID UPDATE

A reminder to all families that there are still positive COVID cases being recorded in the area. If your child tests positive, the guideline is they stay at home for 5 days and can't return to school until they are symptom free. There are still rapid antigen tests available at the office if you need.

We are looking forward to a wonderful year!

Mr Cairns

DID YOU KNOW.....

Your nose gets warmer when you lie!

EVENTS CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

Thursday 9th—Library Bus @ 1.00pm
Monday 13th—School Council Meeting
Tuesday 14th—Swimming Carnival
Friday 17th—Edition 1 Bookclub Closes
Thursday 23rd—Library Bus @ 1.00pm

MARCH

Wednesday 8th—Welcome BBQ
Thursday 9th—Library Bus @ 1.00pm
Monday 13th—Labour Day Public Holiday
Thursday 23rd—Library Bus @ 1.00pm
Tuesday 28th—School Council Meeting

LINDENOW GENERAL STORE LUNCH ORDER PRICE LIST 2023
 ORDERS MUST BE FROM THIS LIST – AVAILABLE FRIDAY ONLY

Please Note: Pricing Increases

SANDWICHES		HOT FOOD	
Vegemite	\$2.50	Pies	\$4.00
Cheese & Tomato	\$3.50	Party Pies	2 for \$1.60
Chicken	\$3.50	Pasties	\$4.00
Ham	\$3.50	Sausage Rolls	2 for \$1.60
Salad with Meat	\$6.00	Hot Dog in Roll	\$4.50
ROLLS		Steamed Dim Sim	\$1.00
Chicken & Salad	\$6.50	Toasted Sandwich	\$4.50
Ham & Salad	\$6.50	Mini Pizzas	\$5.00
		(No Charge for Sauce)	
Mini Muffins	\$1.50	<i>Please check prices before ordering, write your order and name clearly on an envelope and enclose money. Lunch orders must be placed in the box on Prep wall prior to 9.30am. Late orders cannot be accepted. It would be appreciated if orders could be put in at school rather than directly at the shop. Thank you</i>	
DRINKS-No Glass Bottles			
Bottled Water	\$2.00		
Small Flavoured Milk	\$3.00		
Prima/Fruit Drink	\$2.20		






**POWER SAVING
\$250
BONUS**

**POWER SAVING BONUS:
COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM**

Over-the-phone and in-person support to apply for the \$250 Power Saving Bonus is available through our Community Outreach Program.

Call Anglicare's Energy Team 1800 531 741

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible to claim the \$250 Power Saving Bonus, you must meet the following criteria:

- You must be a Victorian residential energy consumer (i.e. have a residential electricity account)
- You must be the account holder
- Only one payment is available per household

*Concession card holders who applied for the previous \$250 Power Saving Bonus can apply again for the program that launched on 1 July 2022.

How to Claim

1. Check you are eligible for the \$250 Power Saving Bonus.
2. Get a copy of a recent electricity bill. You'll need to provide information from it to confirm your eligibility. Also have your bank details ready (BSB and Account number) so you can receive the \$250.
3. Contact Anglicare Victoria's Energy Assistance Program on 1800 531 741 (between 8am and 7pm, Monday to Friday excluding public holidays) or email energy@anglicarevic.org.au.
4. If your application is approved, you'll receive \$250.



Scan here to find out more.

anglicarevic.org.au



Translating and Interpreting Services are available

This program is supported by the Victorian State Government





Woodglen Playgroup 2023



Our sessions will run from 9:30 – 11:30am at the Woodglen Primary School, Woodglen. Please if you have time bring a plate of food to share for morning tea. Tea/Coffee provided. We do run during school holidays, as we only meet once a month (every 4 weeks). This means if a session is during the school holidays, older school aged siblings are most welcome to attend. We try our best to not clash with any Lindenow Kinder days for the 3yr & 4yr Programs.

This year I am also starting up a Messenger Group as well as I feel this will allow for hopefully quicker notification to all those who wish to attend. I will also be seeking best contact details so that if I need to let you know about a change you will be informed ASAP. I plan to email, text & put up in messenger dates this year. So please feel free to add people in the local area who you feel might be interested in our playgroup, the more the merrier.

Just a further reminder that this will be my last year coordinating this. Would be lovely to see this little local playgroup continue and I will be still supporting it with my youngest if there is interest to keep it going, however, it will be time to hand over the reins. So if you are interested in taking on the job (really not much to it) please let me know. More than happy to help with a hand over process if unsure during the year.

Looking forward to seeing everyone in February!

Katie Hunter


CONTACT DETAILS

woodglenplaygroup@hotmail.com or Katie Hunter 0427836274

MONTH	DATE
February	Monday 6 th <small>Water fun (if warm day)</small>
March	Monday 6 th
April	Monday 3 rd <small>Easter Activities</small>
May	Monday 1 st
June	Monday 5 th (is 4's kinder day)
July	Monday 3 rd
August	Monday 7 th
September	Monday 4 th
October	Monday 2 nd & Monday 30 th
November	EOY/Christmas Celebration Monday 27 th <small>Christmas activities</small>



Community Notices.....



**"GETTING THE RIGHT SUPPORT EARLY
CAN MAKE ALL THE DIFFERENCE"**

Want to know more? Please speak with your Early Help Family Worker or speak with a staff member who can refer you to the Early Help Family worker.

Early Help Family Worker

Contact

Email

Location

Early Help Family Services is here to support you and your family in your community and be available where you live, work, learn and play.

Early Help is available to parents/caregivers and families with children from birth to 18 years.

Early Help can provide;

- Individual support for families and caregivers
- Safe and confidential parenting groups
- Connection to peer support groups
- Support, information and referrals to help with parenting, child/adolescent behaviour, housing, family problems, mental health and disability



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**HEALTHY
LUNCHBOX WEEK**
5-11 February 2023
www.healthylunchboxweek.org.au

Healthy Lunchbox Week

Nutrition Australia

Get set for a year with healthy lunchboxes.

Healthy Lunchbox Week is an initiative of Nutrition Australia that helps families access credible lunchbox nutrition information and recipes setting them up for the year ahead.

Around one third of children's daily food intake comes from their lunchbox so let's make sure it counts. Use this time to build your bank of lunchbox inspiration and know-how.

Nutrition Australia have teamed up with other health-focused organisations providing a collection of lunchbox resources making the Healthy Lunchbox Week website a hub of the best lunchbox information.

For recipes, lunchbox tips, videos and more, check out www.healthylunchboxweek.org.au .





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31st January 2023

To whom it may concern,

I would be very grateful if the following information could be advertised in the newsletter to inform your school community:



St Mary's Parish Bairnsdale is commencing its Sacramental Program for 2023. If any parents/caregivers wish their child/ren to be involved in the programs for Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, or Confirmation, please contact Michelle Grimsted at the Parish Centre on 5152 2942 or stm.michelleg@gmail.com Information sessions begin 21st February 2023.

Thankyou for your support.

Michelle Grimsted
Sacramental Coordinator
St Mary's Parish, Bairnsdale