

ISSUE 4 | 6<sup>th</sup> April 2023

# IN THE LOOP



*Our Talented Students created 3D Paper Portraits*

*on behalf of all of the staff at Lalor North Primary School, we wish you all...*

**happy  
holidays!**

**Acknowledgement to Country**

We are learning on Wurundjeri Country and in the spirit of reconciliation, Lalor North Primary School acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we are learning. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.



# Important Dates

## Term 2, Week 1

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April – Student Free Day, PPD Day

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April – ANZAC Day Holiday

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April – ANZAC DAY CEREMONY

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Breakfast club @8.15am

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Playgroup 9am – 10am

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April – Whole School Assembly @ 2.45pm

## Week 2

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May – Grade 4,5,6 Incursion

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Lalor District Cross Country

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May – Breakfast club @8.15am

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May – Playgroup 9am – 10am

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Interschool Sport

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May – World Environment Day

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Whole School Assembly @ 2.45pm

## Week 3

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May – Mother's Day Stall

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May – Mother's Day Stall

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May – Breakfast Club @8.15am

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May – Playgroup 9am – 10am

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May – Interschool Sports

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May – Whole School Assembly @2.45pm

## Week 4

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May – School Photo's

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Student Leaders Meeting

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Breakfast Club @8.15am

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Playgroup 9am – 10am

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May – Interschool Sports

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May – Whole School Assembly @2.45pm

## Our School Values

### Honesty

*We communicate openly and work together to solve problems. By demonstrating honesty and acting with integrity we build trust, which enables us to collaborate, to take greater risks with our learning and to be more resilient when things go wrong.*

### Respect

*We respect ourselves, our school and each other, and understand that our attitudes and behaviour have an impact on the people around us.*

### Unity

*We have many languages, come from many backgrounds and are a school of many differences, but we speak with one voice, as one school. We develop a sense of connection and belonging within each part of our school, and across the whole school.*

### Success

*We help each other learn so that everyone experiences success every day. Success means doing new things, learning new skills, finding new ways of thinking and solving interesting, complex and challenging problems.*

### Resilience

*We know trying new things, experiencing challenges and bouncing back from adversity are central to life and to learning. Only by building our resilience can we experience strong levels of growth.*



## School Holidays



Dear Families,

What an exciting fun filled way to end the term!

Our Colour Fun Run was a huge success with lots of happy students and many parents who came along to see the colourful display of enthusiasm. Next term we will see the results of the Colour Fun Run as a fundraising activity and communicate funds raised to the school community and what the funds will be spent on.

### **Athletics Carnival**

As usual our students always represent our school with pride, and we are especially proud of their competitiveness and how they push through challenges. We had some outstanding results at the Athletics carnival this week.

### **End of Term One**

The end of term dismissal is Thursday (today). All children will be dismissed from their classrooms today at 2.30pm. Parents are asked to make necessary arrangements to collect their children on time.

### **SCHOOL COUNCIL**

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) was held on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023 and the following Office Bearers were elected:

**President:** Leah Gregory

**Vice President:** Maria Pejoski-Aleksovski

**Treasurer:** Marija Petrovski

### **SCHOOL COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES**

The following Subcommittees were formed at the AGM:

#### **Finance and Fundraising**

Elizabeth Bryan, Maria Petrovski, Leah Gregory, Dani Lupeski, and Marija Andonovski

#### **Facilities-Buildings and Grounds**

Elizabeth Bryan, Ann Hague, Zack Kotevski, Anthony Williams, and Marija Bozinovski

#### **Education and Policy**

Elizabeth Bryan, Tina Sangov, Marija Pejoski-Aleksovski, and Jessie Pitt

We would like to extend a special thank you to our retiring school councillors for their time, interest and contributions to our school. We certainly value all your commitment and greatly appreciate your care for our school.

## RAMADAN

We have many families in our school communities who will be celebrating Ramadan in the coming weeks. Ramadan is the ninth month of the Islamic calendar observed by Muslims from all around the world by fasting from Sunrise to Sunset. The month of Ramadan can last between 29-30 days, depending on the sighting of the crescent moon to the next.

It's followed by Eid Al-Fitr which means Festival of Breaking the Fast, celebrating the end of the month, Eid usually lasts 3 days and is celebrated with family and friends, where everyone comes together for a big meal and exchanges of present, it's kind of the Muslim version of Christmas.

Depending on the moon sightings, the last day of Ramadan will be on Friday 21st of April therefore Eid will be on Saturday 22nd of April.

Happy Eid to all our families celebrating. *Eid Mubarak!*

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## Easter celebrations



Easter is a special time of the year which can bring families together to enjoy good food, creating special memories and as well as celebrating culture and tradition.

We wish all our families a wonderful Easter this weekend as well as the families who celebrate the following weekend for Orthodox Easter.

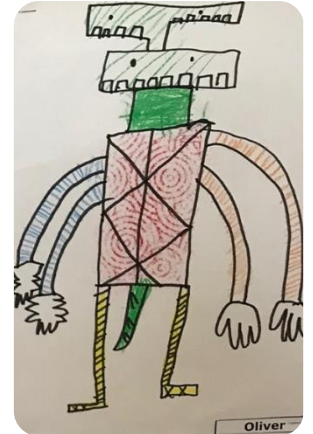
**Καλό Πάσχα!**

**Среќен Велигден**

**Buona Pasqua**

*Elizabeth Bryan & Ann Hague*

# Robots .... exploring shapes, patterns, and lines in art. Prep/one/two designs



## Mother's Day and Special Person Stall



Next term we will be having a Mother's Day and Special Person Stall. For our students that would like to consider buying a gift for their grandmother or special person that is their support person or carer there will be opportunities to celebrate these significant people. More information to come!

## Congratulations to Marko Jovevski!

Late last year at our assembly we recognised the fantastic achievement of Marko Jovevski being awarded the 1<sup>st</sup> place prize in the Science Talent Search in the Upper Primary – Inventors Section for Victoria. Earlier in the week the national award winners were announced and we are very proud to announce that Marko was awarded the **1<sup>st</sup> prize across all of Australia** for his amazing invention. Marko was presented the award in front of several ministers of science and we are so impressed with the work Marko has done to receive such a wonderful award.

# Student of the Week – 31<sup>st</sup> March

| Room Number | Student            | School Value      | Reason for award   |
|-------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|
| 1           | Roni K             | <b>Respect</b>    | For displaying the value of respect through focused listening and a positive attitude towards school work and his friends.   |
| 2           | Serina             | <b>Success</b>    | For writing an excellent persuasive writing text about why animals shouldn't be kept in cages. Great effort  |
| 3           | Abhiraaj D         | <b>Success</b>    | For always working hard on all subject areas and making excellent progress and completing extra work at home to consolidate his learning of new topics                             |
| 4           | Davin B            | <b>Honesty</b>    | For handing in money that he found on the oval. Keep up the great work Davin!  |
| 5           | Abraham S          | <b>Resilience</b> | For working hard to understand and group 2-digit numbers into tens and ones. Well done on your hard work and concentration.  |
| 6           | Stathis N          | <b>Resilience</b> | For showing extra resilience, attempting all tasks with vigorous effort and full concentration. Fantastic result Stathis!  |
| 7           | Lyndi K            | <b>Success</b>    | For settling into her new school extremely well, making friends and completing all set tasks. Wonderful job Lyndi!   |
| 8           |                    |                   |  |
| 9           | Marks J            | <b>Success</b>    | For achieving great results and finishing number 1 in Australia for the ASTA ingenuity award. Bravo!!!   |
| 10          | Simona P           | <b>Resilience</b> | For showing persistence when working through challenging tasks and trying her personal best!   |
| 11          | Hamza R            | <b>Success</b>    | For consistently trying his best in every task he completes and always being willing to have a go. He is also the most helpful Teacher's Assistant. Keep up the great work, Hamza! |
| 13          | Elana K            | <b>Respect</b>    | For always being a kind, friendly and polite class member. We love how you listen attentively and respect your peers and teachers. Well done Elana!                                |
| 14          | Anastasija M       | <b>Success</b>    | For working hard during Mathematics sessions and making models of numbers using materials. Well done!  |
| PE          | Damian B (Rm 13)   | <b>Success</b>    | For working hard during PE lessons to improve his underarm throwing and catching skills. Well done Damian!   |
| ART         | Annabelle N        | <b>Respect</b>    | For an amazing attitude to Art and always coming prepared to learn . A fabulous 'Paper portrait' Annabelle!  |
| ITALIAN     | Annabelle S (4/5M) | <b>Success</b>    | For her ability to translate numbers to 100 in Italian. Brava!   |
| STEM        | Hayden O           | <b>Success</b>    | For using radio waves to make the Microbits in our STEM classroom communicate with one another   |
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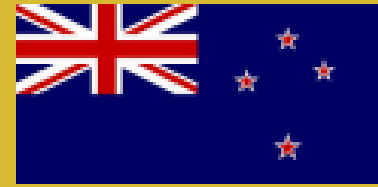
# THE MOST COLOURFUL DAY AT SCHOOL

## Our Lalor North Colour Fun Run WEDNESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> APRIL





# **Lalor North Primary School's**



# **ANZAC**



## **Commemorative In-school Service**

**Wednesday 26th April, 2023**

**1pm**

**We are honoured that Epping RSL veterans  
will be in attendance.**

**Parents are welcome to attend our service.**

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### **FLORAL WREATHS**

**On the morning of our in-school service, each class will  
be making a floral wreath to present at our service.**

**Families are welcome to donate flowers  
to add to their child's class wreaths.**

**If you are able to donate flowers,  
please bring them to your class teacher on this day.**

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### **SELLING OF ANZAC BADGES**

**In support of Epping RSL ANZAC Appeal,  
our student leaders will be selling ANZAC badges  
on Wednesday 26th April, which can be worn at our service.**

**Badges are \$1 and \$2.**

**We sincerely thank you for your support.**





## **Lalor North Primary School Uniform**

The purposes of the school uniform are to distinguish the school in public, build a school identity, help build an inclusive environment and to provide parents with cost effective and convenient clothing for school.

Lalor North Primary School has a compulsory school uniform. It must be worn at school, on excursions, at sporting activities and any other special occasions where students represent the school. It's important that every student feels comfortable and has a sense of belonging to our learning community while feeling pride about being a member of our school community each school day.

## **A PLUS SCHOOLWEAR** **Northern Regional Uniforms Shop**

**Address: Unit 3 /30 Heaths Court Mill Park**

**Contact: [03 9436 4005](tel:0394364005)**

**Email: [info@northernregionaluniforms.com.au](mailto:info@northernregionaluniforms.com.au)**

### **Trading Hours:**

Monday: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Tuesday: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Wednesday: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Thursday: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Friday: 9.00am - 3.00pm

Saturday: 9.00am - 12.00pm

**Closed Sundays and Public Holidays.**