Term 1, Week 10, 2nd April, 2015

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Rocky River Sports Day
What a great day! Our students consistently tried their best in all events and participated well in the Tri Skills activities. Of particular note was the way that they supported each other and our school during the whole day. This was evident in LPS winning the Fogarty Shield for sprints and relays and coming third overall in the Rocky River Shield.
Our students enjoyed the day and it was great to see so many family members attending and supporting individual students and our school. All in all, a wonderful day!

2015 NAPLAN Tests
Year 3, 5 and 7 students will be doing the NAPLAN (National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy) Tests on 12th, 13th and 14th May – Week 3 Term 2. Students absent on any of these days may do any tests missed on 15th May. Results of the NAPLAN Tests are expected to be available in September.

Staff News
Sandra Zander is taking Long Service from the beginning of Term 2 until the end of Week 7 Term 2. During this time, Heather Flavel will take on Sandra’s teaching responsibilities.

Parent Teacher Interviews
It’s been great to see so many parents/caregivers coming along this week to discuss the progress of their children. Lots of positive discussions have been taking place and the sharing of information has been appreciated by both teachers and parents/caregivers. Thank you to everyone who has been able to be involved.
If you haven’t been able to make a time for an interview, please contact your child’s teacher – it’s never too late!

Daylight Saving
Just a reminder that clocks go back one hour this Sunday 5th April. With some of our students and others coming to school a little bleary eyed just recently, the change might be just what some of us need!

End of Term 1
The last day of Term 1 is Friday 10th April with school dismissing at 2.20pm after a short assembly. Term 2 begins on Monday 27th April.

FOLK FAIR PARADE
Reminding you all that the theme for the parade this year is Ancient History/History. We ask that the children assemble at the Caravan Park by 11.45am for a 12pm start.
The children will walk down the street to the main stage where they will sing the National Anthem.
The children will then move on to the lawn area behind the Archives Building for a costume parade. All children who participate will then be given an ice cream voucher to take to the Golden North Van.
Any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school.
Sandra Zander

Congratulations Laura Primary on winning the Fogarty Shield

Have you downloaded the tiqbiz app yet?
COMMUNITY NOTICES

SAPSASA 2015

SWIMMING
On Friday 27th March, George Klemm and Casey Cleggett represented North Eastern SAPSASA Swimming Team. They competed in the State Carnival at S.A. Aquatics Centre. George was in Under 11’s Freestyle, Breaststroke and Backstroke events. Casey came 10th in Breaststroke, just missing out on a final. Well done.

NETBALL
Georgia Winter and Casey Cleggett participated in the SAPSASA Netball trials held yesterday at Jamestown. They were a part of the Rocky River Team and won all except one game. Thankyou to Liz Winter and Kristen Cleggett for umpiring and transporting the girls.

Southern Flinders Football Club
Mini and Sub-mini Colts players
Training commences
Thursday 9th April
At Laura Oval
Starting at 5:00pm
Any queries please call...
John Hennessy 0409 723 622
Leonie Harris 0400 267 152

SOUTHERN FLINDERS NETBALL CLUB:
Netball Training will be held at Laura on the 9th April.
Subbies and Minis (8yrs and up) 4:30 p.m.
I grade 4:30 p.m.
G and H Grade 5:30 p.m.
E and F grade 6:00 p.m
A to D grade 6:30 p.m

Gardeners’ Gathering
Homegrown, low cost plants for sale
Grown by Garden club and Plant Society members
Gardening Advice – including Neutrog rep.
All day catering
Wirrabara Producers’ Market Site
Sunday 12th April, 9.30am to 3.30pm

Yum! Hot Cross Buns
The Reception Class today made Hot Cross buns for the whole school.
Thank you Mrs. Wurst for all your help.
Students wore casual clothes today for a gold coin donation to go to Guide Dogs SA. $64 was raised.
Happy Easter everyone!