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Notable Quotes:

"Thunder is good, thunder is impressive; but it is lightning that does the work "

Mark Twain

"A man may die, nations may rise and fall, but an idea lives on."

John F. Kennedy

"It's okay to make mistakes. Mistakes are our teachers -- they help us to learn."

John Bradshaw

Lichfield Community Newsletter

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Week 6 Term 3 Monday, 21st August 2023

Nga mihi nui kia koutou katoa,

Its been a busy time at school since writing the last newsletter. Our students got to enjoy an entertaining performance of Treasure Island from the NZ Playhouse actors. A big thank you to the LSSG for covering the cost of this experience.

Our school turned 139 on the 11th August. A great achievement, which couldn't have happened without the ongoing support At the last board meeting, it was decided from the Lichfield Community over the to implement the enrolment scheme



Unfortunately the recent winter weather Led Conferences will be held. caused the cancellation of our rescheduled Taku Wairua planting day and the Don't forget to check out some of the postponement of the Winter Sports disco photos inside this newsletter. Tournament.

Our students have, however, been able to Hei konei ra take part in some awesome skills sessions Owen Corlett with Scott from WaiBop Football. We look forward to Scott returning on 29th August

to run a second set of sessions for our classes.



developed with the Ministry of Education from the start of 2024. If required there will be a ballot held during Term 4. More details, including a map and description of our zone, can be found on our website. I will be providing more information about this in the weeks to come, but please feel free to contact the office if you have any questions in the meantime.

Coming up over the next couple of weeks: Our Year 6 students will be attending the Putāruru College Open Day, we will be fundraising for Daffodil Day and Student

Maths at Home

Ideas for using newspapers and flyers Junior scavenger hunt

Turn to a sports page with scores and ask:

- Can we spot any numbers bigger than 5/10/100? Let's circle them with a pen.
- o Can you find any numbers less than 5/10/100? Use a different colour and circle those.

Courtesy of: nzmaths.co.nz

Lichfield School Attendance Rate tracker (year to date)



59.6% of students have attendance rates of greater than 90% (44 out of 109 students have attendance rates of

90% or less)

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Regular School Events

Bible in Schools: Friday 10:55am House Time: Friday 11:45am

Assembly (All welcome): Bi-weekly Friday 2:15pm

August

Putaruru College Open Day Thursday 24th

& Evening

Friday 25th **Daffodil Day**

School Assembly 2.15pm

Thursday 31st LSSG Meeting 3.15pm

September

Tuesday 5th

Board Meeting 6.30pm Student Led Conferences

Wednesday 6th **Student Led Conferences** Thursday 7th Marae Trip - Room 1 & 5



Nga Kupu o te Wiki

Ko te reo he taonga

Here's this week's kupu to learn with your children:

moe-sleep

E moe, e te tau.

Go to sleep, my darling.

hiamoe - sleepy

Kei te hiamoe ana ahau.

I am sleepy/tired.





Aria Dunner & Archie Tippins



Aria has joined us in Room 1 - Kakano. She enjoys playing outside. In the classroom she likes watching the TV and drawing. She is very excited to be a big sister in December.

Archie has also joined us in Room 1 - Kakano. He is joining his big sister at school and loves to play on the slide at break times. He also enjoys watching the big TV in the classroom.



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Lichfield School Board of Trustees

At our last board meeting we received Booster Group and Special Educational Needs reports. We moved to adopt the enrolment scheme developed in conjunction with the Ministry from the start of 2024 and to hold a ballot, if necessary, during term 4. Our next Board meeting will be held on **Tuesday, 5th September.**

The Lichfield Board trustees are: Rodney De Vorms, Sarah Beaven, Vanessa Macneil, Thomas Scheres, Jonathon Cole, Ida Cloete and Owen Corlett.

LICHFIELD COMMUNITY'S LICHFIELD SCHOOL BIRTHDAY

139 Years Old!

Lichfield School had it's birthday on the 11th of August. We celebrated by having a korero about what Lichfield School used to be like a long time ago and we all got to enjoy a piece of chocolate cake!

We had a former student, Mrs De Vorms as well as our oldest student, MacKenzie Knap and our youngest student, Aria Dunner cut the cake. It's nice to be able to celebrate these huge milestones with all our students and staff.



Lichfield School Support Group

The LSSG is a group of dedicated parents who run fundraising and community building events throughout the year.

Our next meeting is on Thursday 31st August at 3.15pm in the school hall. All welcome.

Toasty Tuesday's are back! \$2.00 each for a cheese toasty. Students are welcome to use their sausage sizzle cards to purchase them.



LSSG: Calf Donation Scheme

It is time to start thinking about whether or not you are able to support our school by donating a calf to the LSSG calf scheme.

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