



Dear members of the Lisieux community,

Here we are back at school after a short-circuited lockdown. This time not only was the announcement of lockdown a surprise, but the return to work/school advice was even more of a surprise. We are certainly learning to be agile and flexible during these times! The good news is that students seem to have adjusted quite well and we are making the most of face to face time while we have it.

We are very fortunate that construction has not been slowed during these uncertain times, and we are now very close to being able to take over the Stage 2 building. You may have also noticed the installation of the oval moving ahead – we are confident that students are going to love this space and it should provide a boost for all once it can be used, and landscaping works are complete.

Last week we commenced Annual Review Meetings at Lisieux. This is a time of year when I meet one on one with each member of staff, to review their professional goals, discuss successes and challenges of the year and work towards planning future goals. It has been a very rewarding time for me, personally, listening to staff share what they are most proud of and what future aspirations they are striving for. At the same time, we are receiving many applications for teaching positions in 2022 and are currently shortlisting these for interview next week.

Book Week is coming up in just over a week and this year the theme is “Old Worlds, New Worlds, Other Worlds.” We will kick the week off with a costume parade on Monday 23 August and there will be a range of activities throughout the week celebrating the love of literature. One of our annual events is a Book Exchange which has become a highlight of the week at Lisieux. Every child is asked to donate a new book, one that they have chosen and enjoyed. Books will be wrapped in brown paper at school and children will decorate their chosen book with their own blurb and recommendation for the book. During a Book Exchange event, every child will then select a mystery book to keep. Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation, the funds of which go to The Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

God’s blessings for the week ahead,

Susan Ryan

Principal

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AUGUST

Fri 13th Curriculum Day
STUDENT FREE DAY
CANCELLED-will be re-scheduled at a later date
THIS WILL BE A NORMAL SCHOOL DAY

Mon 16th July/August Birthday
Morning Tea with Principal

Thurs 19th Year 3/4 Beach Discovery Day

Mon 23rd **BOOK WEEK**
Book Week Parade

Tues 24th ‘Teeth On Wheels’
forms due back to Reception

Thurs 26th Book Exchange Stall

Fri 27th Year 5/6 Beach
Discovery Day

SEPTEMBER

Fri 3rd Father’s Day Breakfast
And Father’s Day Stall
(subject to COVID regulations)



PRAYER

The Daily Examen is a technique of prayerful reflection on the events of the day in order to detect God's presence and discern his direction for us. The Examen is an ancient practice in the Church that can help us see God's hand at work in our whole experience.

This is a version of the five-step Daily Examen that St. Ignatius practiced.

1. **Become aware of God's presence.**
2. **Review the day with gratitude.**
3. **Pay attention to your emotions.**
4. **Choose one feature of the day and pray from it.**
5. **Look toward tomorrow.**

God, may my life be filled with thanksgiving and praise for your countless blessings. Give me time to reflect and be aware of the blessings I have. Let me be your hands, your voice, your heart in my daily interactions with others.

Amen.

FIVE-STEP DAILY EXAMEN

1. Ask for God's Grace
2. Give thanks for the Gifts received
3. Recognize my faults
4. Ask for Forgiveness
5. Look toward tomorrow





We have been learning about arrays. We know that arrays are equal rows and columns. We created an array city. The lights in our buildings are all arrays.



TAKE NOTE

We ask all families to provide a book for your child/ren to donate to our Book Swap during Book Week. Books should be new please. Your child will select a mystery book from the swap and in order for every child to receive a book, we need all families to donate a book. Many thanks.

We continue to have challenges with parking in our no standing zone during pick up time. Please note that this zone is **NO STANDING** during 3:00pm-3:45pm. This means you should only pull into this space if your child is ready and waiting, can get in the car and allow you to move on. **PLEASE DO NOT** line up here waiting prior to 3:15pm. We have ample parking space now and you are asked to park and alight from your car to collect your child, where possible. This is a simple request and will avoid traffic congestion.

Staff profile

Q: What is your role at Lisieux?

A: Classroom teacher in 5 Ubuntu Bleu.

Q: Who is in your family?

A: I live with my wife, Caitlin, two daughters, Lucy (4) and Rosie (2) and of course Gus.

Q: What is your favourite place to travel to?

A: Indonesia. I have visited numerous times and the local people are always kind and caring. The weather and food also keep me coming back.

Q: What is your Favourite music?

A: I have always had a soft spot for Australian Hip-Hop and love Hilltop Hoods, Bliss n Eso and Illy.

Q: What is your favourite food?

A: Vietnamese Food. I love banh mi, rice paper rolls and pho soup.

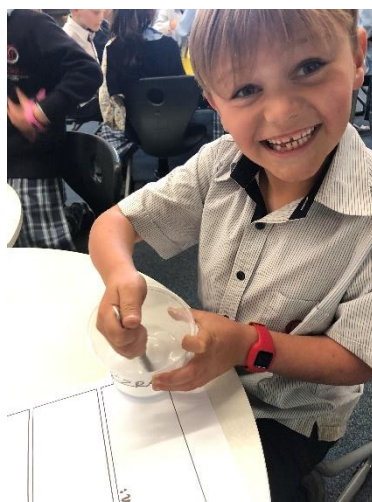
Q: What is your favourite book?

A: I particularly enjoy fantasy novels. If I had to pick a favourite it would be the story of Fitz. His journey takes him from abandoned child to a high royal and is spilled out across 9 books by Robin Hobb.





LEARNING COMMUNITY IN PICTURES







New category for Gromit Snappers!

Photographers aged 18 & under - show us your stuff!

The winning shot from this category will be featured in our 2022 calendar.

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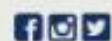
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Two kids trail running events here on the Surf Coast!!



4km

Sunday 8 August - Anglesea Riverbank

4km race held as part of the Trail Running Series event (8km, 15km and 23km races also being held!)

TrailRunningSeries.com.au



100KM
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2.5km

Sunday 12 Sept - Anglesea SLSC

A fun kids' run held as the finale of the 100km solo and teams Surf Coast Century ultra marathon

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