



Dear members of the Lisieux community,

Some questions our staff are frequently asked include:

How do you manage conflict between students?

What is the process when my child is involved in a disagreement with another child?

What consequences do you apply when a student does not meet a school expectation?

Are students held accountable for their choices?

Since our beginning in 2018, Lisieux has maintained a focus on restorative practicesstrategies which are used to solve interpersonal issues and restore positive relationships. Through school-based practices including circle time, conferencing, restorative conversations, the goal of this approach is to:

- Teach and model school-wide behaviour expectations to develop a safe, respectful and productive learning environment;
- Hold students accountable for their actions in a way that repairs harm and respectfully restores relationships.

This year, as previously communicated in our newsletter and through social media, we have teamed with REAL Schools to ensure that, as a growing school, all our staff are trained and competent in the use of this educational restorative approach which REAL Schools call RP2.0. We very much want all our Lisieux families to understand this approach — why we use it and how it works - so we strongly encourage you to come along to our **Family Information Evening on Monday 17 June** so you can hear more about it, and so we can develop a shared understanding and language about this approach. Please lock in the date and join us.

## MAY

Fri 31st Fresh Fruit Friday
To volunteer please click
on the link School24

### **JUNE**

Tues 4th Year 3 Beach Discovery

Wed 5th Year 4 Beach Discovery

Thur 6<sup>th</sup> Staff Wellbeing Conference STUDENT FREE DAY

Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Staff Wellbeing STUDENT FREE DAY

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> King's Birthday Public Holiday STUDENT FREE DAY

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Year 5 & 6 Beach Discovery

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Lisieux Trivia Night

Sun 16th Sacrament of First
Eucharist Year 4 Students
St Therese Church
8.45am

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Assembly- Led by Year 3 11.30am

> Lisieux Approach to Restorative Practice 7pm, Multi Purpose Room *More details to follow*

Thur 20th Regional Cross Country

Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Sacrament of First
Eucharist Year 4 Students
St Therese Church
8.45am

Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Reports issued

Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Pyjama Day & Sausage Sizzle Final Day of Term 2 3.15pm Finish

Thur 27<sup>th</sup> Term 2 Student Learning Conferences 9am-4pm Next week all our Lisieux staff will participate in a 2-day Wellbeing Conference. This is an important part of our annual calendar and is designed to support the mental and emotional health of our dedicated staff team, who play a crucial role in shaping your child/ren's educational experience. By prioritising staff wellbeing and professional development about mental health, we aim to improve teaching and learning, enhance school culture and invest in our school's most precious resource – our educators. When I use the word 'educators' I refer to all who work at Lisieux, whether they are classroom teachers, specialist teachers, learning support staff or administration staff, as each person who has committed to work in our learning community has a vital role in supporting the education of our students. We are united by a shared purpose and this time together will strengthen our mission. I look forward to sharing more about our learning experience upon our return.

Congratulations to staff member, Siobhan McManus, who marries her partner Jacob this weekend. We wish you a lifetime of love and happiness together. As there will be no newsletter next week, we also farewell staff member Brydie Harman in this edition. Brydie's last day will be next Wednesday 5 June as she begins maternity leave and looks forward to welcoming her baby in the coming weeks.



#### **Your Facilitator**

Trish Coelho has spent her whole career as a teacher, principal, and system leader, bringing quality education to students living in regional and great NSW

As the lead learner of many communities, she has a successful record in building the cultural capacity of all.

Her ability to coach and mentor has enabled schools to thrive, set new directions and challenge the status quo, within an environment of positive risk taking. She is compassionate to the demands placed upon leaders and is a creative thinker in her problem-solving approach.



# How do we ensure Lisieux Catholic Primary School's teachers and parents are on the same page?

How do we work together to mould young people for today and tomorrow?

How can we use the same strategies to manage behaviour, encourage responsibility, and improve the chances of success?

They seem like outrageously big questions, don't they? And they are... but they do have answers. Unfortunately, too often parents and schools are not on the same page when it comes to answering them.

Lisieux Catholic Primary School wants to do something about that, and has commenced a partnership with Real Schools to make it happen. But the school can't do it alone. That's why we need you at this critical event in the history of your school and the future of your children.



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#### During the session, we will:

- Tell you all about the Restorative Practices Partnership that the school is embarking on.
- · Ask for your input.
- Provide you with strategies to use immediately in your parenting ... the same strategies your teachers are using now.
- Learn how to respond, rather than react, to your child's behaviour.
- Share the best ways to build a meaningful partnership with your school.

For more information drop us a line at info@realschools.com.au

God's blessings for the week ahead and a special extra-long weekend for Lisieux families,

Susan Ryan

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# **Reconciliation Week Prayer**

Holy Father, God of Love, You are the Creator of all things.

We acknowledge the pain and shame of our history and the sufferings of Our peoples, and we ask your forgiveness. We thank you for the survival of Indigenous cultures

Our hope is in you because you gave your Son Jesus to reconcile the world to you.

We pray for your strength and grace to forgive, accept and love one another, as you love us and forgive and accept us in the sacrifice of your Son.

Give us the courage to accept the realities of our history so that we may build a better future for our Nation.

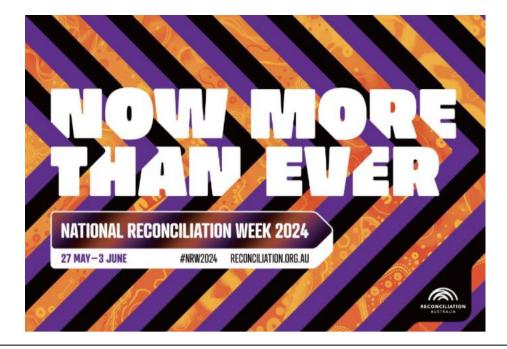
Teach us to respect all cultures.

Teach us to care for our land and waters.

Help us to share justly the resources of this land. Help us to bring about spiritual and social change to improve the quality of life for all groups in our communities, especially the disadvantaged.

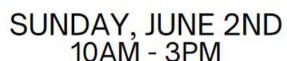
Help young people to find true dignity and self-esteem by your Spirit.

May your power and love be the foundations on which we build our families, our communities and our Nation, through Jesus Christ our Lord.



The National Reconciliation Week 2024 design and artwork represent the momentum of the theme *Now More Than Ever*. The chevron, a universal symbol for pointing the way, signifies advancing as one as we look towards a reconciled future; and the vibrant artwork of Gubbi Gubbi artist Maggie Douglas encourages connecting with one another, understanding and continuing to move forward.

# RECONCILIATION IN THE PARK JOHNSTONE PARK





# 'NOW MORE THAN EVER'

# EVERYONE IS WELCOME | FREE ENTRY

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

LOCAL DANCERS | COMMUNITY PERFORMERS | HANDS ON ACTIVITIES

UNCLE ROB BUNDLE | NGARA AND PIPER

POSSUM SKIN CLOAK YARN | KIDS ACTIVITIES | FREE BBQ FROM 11:30

COFFEE VAN | LOCAL ARTS AND CRAFT MARKETS



















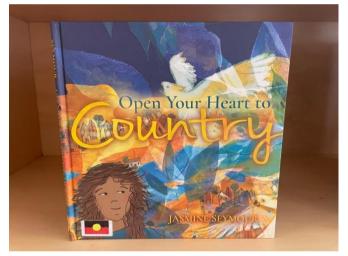








As it is Reconciliation Week, we have featured a range of beautiful books written from a First Nations perspective. 'Open your heart to country' by Jasmine Seymour, is the winner of the 2023 Prime Minister's Literary Award and was also short-listed for the 2023 Karajia award for Children's Literature. It is a stunning bilingual story of healing and belonging, invitig readers to reflect on the importance of place, not only for First Nations' peoples, but for everyone.







There will be no newsletter next week due to school closure on Thursday 6 and Friday 7 June.































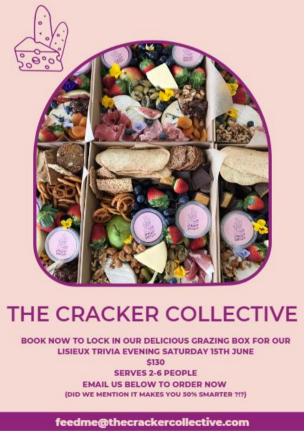
Not long to go, be sure to secure you team or ticket. Teams can go up to 8 or purchase an individual ticket and we can put you on a table. Sales close 7 June

Thanks to the support of amazing local and Australian businesses, we received some fantastic raffle prizes. Check them out below – one sponsors has even offered you a discount on their product.

Tickets can be purchased here <a href="https://www.trybooking.com/CPTXU">https://www.trybooking.com/CPTXU</a> if you can't make it to the trivia night, but would still like to be in with a chance to win an amazing prize you can just purchase raffle tickets, through the same link.

You can also take the hassle out of your food by ordering a delicious grazing box from Brooke feedme@thecrackercollective.com.au





# Trivia Night Raffle sponsors...



# **Trivia Night Sponsor**

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Pack More Fun Into Your Beach Days! 7

We're thrilled to support your trivia night with two of our fabulous beach bags as prizes!

To keep the good vibes going, we're offering a special discount just for your school.

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Thanks for letting us be part of the fun!

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# Mike McLean artwork series





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#### Sausage Sizzle alongside Pyjama Day

On Wednesday 26th June (last day of term 2) the P&F Committee will be organising a Sausage Sizzle alongside Pyjama Day.

At lunchtime each student will get:

- · A sausage in bread
- A packet of Cobs Popcorn
  - A mandarin

Please ensure that you place your order via the School24 app under the EVENTS tab - https://www.school24.net.au/

Cut-off date for orders is 09:00am on Monday 24th June.



## **Trivia Night and Golf Day sponsors**

We're looking forward to hosting two very exciting fundraising events this year. For both events we'll be looking for a variety sponsors. If you or someone you know has a business and would be interested in supporting either or both of these event in some way please contact <a href="mailto:lisieuxpandf@gmail.com">lisieuxpandf@gmail.com</a> and we can send you our sponsorship information.



If you would like to help out for Fresh Juice Friday - we'd love to have you. You can volunteer through the School24 app.

#### Newsletter advertising

If you or anyone you know would like to place an ad in our newsletter please see the below information.

Small: A6 148 x105mm Medium: A5 148 x 210mm Large: A4 297 x 210mm



### School Canteen and Lunch Orders:

- Thursday Lunch orders: Are to be placed through the Flexischools app by 8.30am on Wednesdays.
- Friday School canteen orders: Are placed through the School24 app by 6pm on Wednesdays.
  - o Steps on how to order through School24 are below
  - o Please also note these dates, as there will be no Friday Canteen
    - Friday 7 June
    - Friday 28 June
    - Friday 20 September

The last day for the canteen will be on Friday 29 Nov 2024



Always happy to talk through any real estate questions you might have.





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