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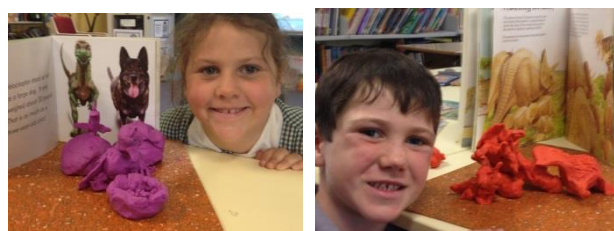
"Individuals can make a difference"

Term 1, Week 9
 22 March 2017

Infant Dinosaur Models

In Science this term students have been investigating the question 'How do scientists know what dinosaurs looked like?'

After researching for a couple of weeks to learn about fossils that paleontologists have found and comparing them with modern day skeletons of animals, students used what they'd learnt about features of dinosaurs to make a plasticine model.



Basketball

The students enjoyed their basketball lesson last Thursday.

Helen, who was our coach last year, commented on their improving skills and excellent attitudes.



Sporting Schools

We applied for Sporting Schools funding and are having basketball and tennis lessons this term.

Tennis

We used Sporting Schools funding to purchase extra equipment for tennis at school.

Esther and Tim are pictured with some of the new resources. The kit contains six of the nets, 30 tennis racquets and plenty of tennis balls.



Parent Surveys

Parent surveys were sent home last Thursday to collect ideas for 2017 planning. Please help us to improve Lowesdale Public School by acknowledging what we do well and how we can continue to improve.

Dates to Remember

Wednesday 22 & Thursday 23 March	LMBR Training Albury- Mrs Sharp
Thursday 23 March	HR Finance Training – Mrs Strachan – Albury 4 - 6 pm



STUDENT OF THE WEEK

is Esther Biddle
For being an excellent
listener and always
following directions.



An interview with Esther:

Favourite Subject: Art
Favourite Food: Pies
Favourite Book: BFG by Roald Dahl

Assembly Awards

School Leaders Awards: Tegan- doing her
Mathletics tasks at home and at school.

Library Award: Adelaide – consistently
borrowing during library.

Environmental Award: Terry – Looking after
the garden.

Sport Award: Will Hogan – Enthusiastic
participation in basketball.

Art Award: Sommers – Group work in Art
“totem Poles”,

Imogen – Group work in Art “totem poles”,

Esther – Group work in art “totem poles”,

Indi – Her painted detail on the “totem pole”.

Merits: Bradley – Improved attitude to
completing set tasks.

Will – having a good attitude in Mathematics.

Indi – working well in PDHPE.

Tegan – her beautifully presented
handwriting.

Home Reading

Congratulations to the following
readers:

25 nights of reading: Eric



Staff Training

Miss Pfahlert has attended Road Safety
Education in Schools training. She is
participating in a Multistage English Course.
Mrs Sharp has attended ongoing training at
South Corowa PS for the new Oliver library
system.

HOW2Learn Habit

The students have been encouraged to think
about the habit of **managing distractions**
this week.

These were some ideas suggested by the
students:

Keeping on concentrating when there are other
things happening around you.

- Focus on our learning and not others
around us.
- Keep on track- know what we have to do
in our activities.
- Try to reduce noise if possible eg shut the
door if it is noisy outside.
- Make sure we are not interrupting others.
- Ask the person who is distracting you to
stop. If they don't, tell the teacher
- Move to a different spot to do your
learning.
- Block the distraction out.

Energy Options- see attached flyer from Corowa Landcare

You are invited to come along to “Energy Options for
the Murray Region” Forum this Friday! Its free!
(Please see attached flyer). There will be discussions
on energy needs and issues for business and industry
and various renewable energy options available for
agriculture including information on Geothermal
heating & cooling. Also, there will be information on
the options for residential and community energy.
Program starts at 8.00am, at the Corowa Golf Club.
Registration at Eventbrite
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/energy-options-for-the-murray-region-tickets-32312731249>. Enquires:
Judy on 02 60331137 or
corowalandcare@bigpond.com

You are welcome to attend all day or just
pop into a session of your interest.

Library -Thursday

Have you put your library books in your bag?