



## Flat Chat

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**Week 5 Term 3 Friday, 19 August 2022**

Dear Long Flat school community,

### Education Week

Education week, 2022 celebrates education through the theme 'creating futures – education changes lives'. It acknowledges and supports the quality education we provide and the opportunities available to everyone in NSW public education.

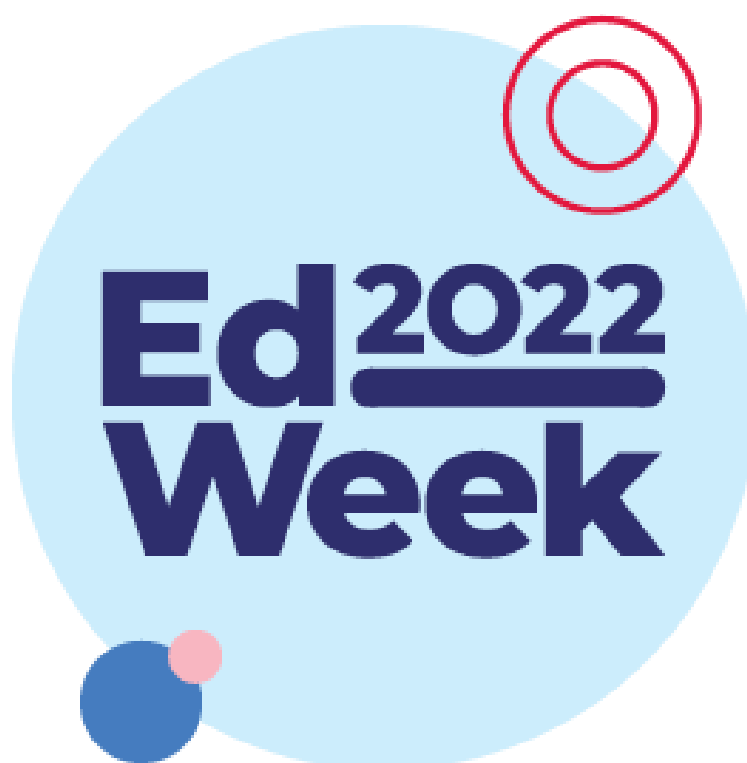
This year we continue to celebrate the journey students and learners take throughout the NSW Education system, focusing on how we are creating futures for our students, staff and families.

From the first days in child care to post-school pathways, our education system is preparing young people to be agile thinkers and lifelong learners.

We celebrate all types of learning that occurs at all levels across our education system and we have a shared responsibility in helping to shape the lives and create the future of today's learners.

Public education can change the lives of not just our students, but also the lives of our teachers, staff, families and communities and we are proud to represent this for the Long Flat community.

Please join us on Friday (if you can) for our open classrooms and education week assembly and show your support for your children, our students, in their education!



### Coming Events

22 August	LNC Athletics
23 August	Preschool Transition
23 August	Library Van
2 Sept	Father's Day Stall
6 Sept	Preschool Transition
9 Sept	Cross Country

## Book Week

Each year since 1945 the CBCA has brought children and books together across Australia through CBCA Book Week. During this time schools and public libraries spend one glorious week celebrating books and Australian children's authors and illustrators. Classroom teachers, teacher librarians and public librarians create colourful displays, develop activities, run competitions and tell stories relating to a theme to highlight the importance of reading.

This year, the theme is 'Dreaming with eyes open...' and we are lucky enough to be celebrating concurrently with education week. Seems fitting, no?

Let's combine them to 'Dreaming of our futures and striving for the best'. Too much? We had such a great time on Tuesday with our dress up day! Enjoy the photos.



**Very Creative  
Book Week Parade  
Costumes**





## Small schools excursion to Lake Keepit 2022

Our incredible P&C have pledged to put \$100 toward each child's camp fee. Such a generous gesture is greatly appreciated. Thank you P&C.

## Rapid Antigen Tests

Please contact the office if you need some tests sent home.

## Change of routines

If you need to change your child's routine please notify the school first. Your child will be given a slip to give to the bus driver.

Thank you, again, for all the support. It is not easy for a school community to go through so much change in staff and leadership. The students have adapted quickly and the staff are amazing!

Kind regards,

**Mr Small**

***Relieving Principal***



Merit Award Recipients Term 3 Week 4



Public Speaking Entrants 2022



Public Speaking Winners 2022



### Lunch Box ideas from the Healthy Kids website

<http://healthy-kids.com.au/10-great-lunch-box-ideas/>

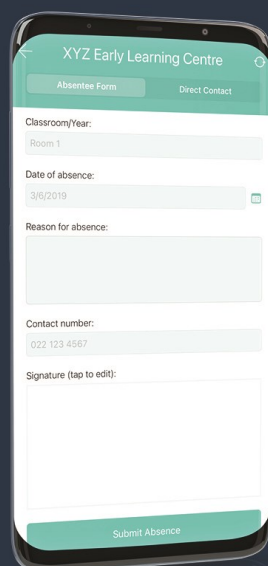
Double decker sandwich  
Pikelet lunch served with hard boiled egg  
Pasta salad works!  
Mini wrap rolls



**Library van is coming!**  
Tuesday 28 August 2022  
Get ready to borrow.



Thank you to Libby and all the staff from NSW Health for taking good care of our students' teeth!



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