# LIC News

### Langford Islamic College Newsletter

# Principal's Message

Assalamu-Alaikum Wahramatullahi Wabaratuh



Alhamdulillah, the blessed month of Ramadan is here. Let us all make this Ramadan a life-changing Ramadan, one where we shall try to change ourselves not only for the month of Ramadan, but for our entire life Insha-Allah.

Recently, Dr Rateb Jneid has been elected as the President of the Australian Federation of Islamic Councils (AFIC). I take this opportunity to congratulate Dr Jneid and thank him for

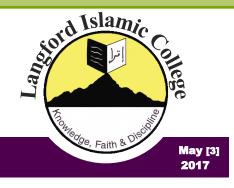
his sincere dedication and for his tremendous efforts and time in ensuring the wellbeing of Langford Islamic College (LIC) over the past four years, Jazaak-Allah khairan. Alhamdulillah, the College has excelled under his leadership. Dr Jneid will continue serving on the LIC Board as a Director.

On this note, it is my pleasure to introduce the newly-elected Chairman of the College Board, Mr David Taylor. Mr Taylor previously served on the LIC Board as an advisor. He started his career as a teacher before becoming a Lawyer. Congratulations to both Dr Jneid and Mr Taylor on their recent appointments.

There are several exciting events that are going to be held at the College during the month of Ramadan including the daily Ramadan Bazaar run by our wonderful Parents & Friends Association, a Special Ramadan Assembly, Ramadan Lecture by Sheikh Yahya Ibrahim and LIC Community Iftaar. The multi-purpose hall will also be decorated for everyone to view the beautiful Ramadan displays by our students.

I have requested all High School students and their siblings to be dropped off in the morning and picked up in the afternoon at Norbury Way. High School students and their siblings should NOT be seen in the main car park unless their parents have parked and come into the College. I request parents to cooperate as Norbury Way is a much safer and time-saving arrangement.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our Year 7-Year 11 students the very best in their upcoming Semester exams, Insha-Allah.



## **Upcoming Events**

- WA Day (Public Holiday, 5 June 2017)
- UNSW ICAS Writing
  (13 June 2017)
- UNSW ICAS Spelling
  (14 June 2017)
- LIC Community Iftaar & 'A Life-Changing Ramadan' Lecture by Sheikh Yahya Ibrahim (17 June 2017)
- Ramadan Assembly (20 June 2017)
- Y7-Y11 Semester One Exams (Week 6-Week 9)
- Merit Certificates Presentation (PP-Y1)
- Early release at 2:45pm in Ramadan

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*'Whatever is prayed for at the time of breaking the fast is granted and never refused' (Prophet Mohammad SAW)* Ramadan Kareem

Dr Popie Hossain Rhaman

# EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES FOR HIGH SCHOOL (Year 7-Year 10)

#### **Community Outreach Programme**

Since the beginning of 2017 Academic Year, a group of High School students has been working as part of the Community Outreach Program at our College. Mashaa-Allah the response from students has been overwhelming. There are three different projects that we have been working on:

#### 1. Halal Food Bank

We have been collecting donations and /or non-perishable food items from students from K-12 for this very worthy cause for the underprivileged in our community. Students have made cupcakes and sold them to raise funds. Mashaa-Allah they have worked very hard on this project. Once a month we collect food and/or donations and buy stock for the month. In March 2017, our school made up 30 boxes. During the April school holidays, we were able to keep the project going with six boxes. We are in the process of collecting at the moment for May. Inshaa-Allah, on Friday (19<sup>th</sup> May 2017), we will be packing boxes which would be ready for delivery on Sunday, (21<sup>st</sup>

May 2017). This will ensure that food items are delivered to the needy before Ramadan. Inshaa-Allah, in Ramadan we will also be collecting, packing and sending boxes of food. \$30 is all it takes to fill up a box. This equates to one Gold Coin a month from each one of us to make up over 30 boxes. Please encourage your child/children to donate from their own pocket money, so they too can learn to be giving and sharing with those that are less privileged in our community.

Project Halal

Halal



Extra-Curricular



Project Hala



# **EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

#### 2. Junior School Reading Program

Students have been going to Year 1 and Year 2 classes on alternate Fridays to help them with reading, writing

and art. The feedback from teachers and students has been very positive. The goal is to form partnerships and connections between Junior and Senior school so that younger students have good positive role models to look up to and Senior students become responsible, mature young adults who are positive role models.



#### 3. Visit to Leighton Aged Care Facility

Alhamdulillah, in Week 9 last term we visited an aged care facility to spend some time with the elderly in our community, so that we could experience first-hand what it is like to be old, frail and dependent on others for even the most basic physical needs. It also reminded us to be thankful to Allah (SWT) for giving us good health. More

importantly we have learnt to appreciate the importance of the Senior Citizens in our community. Inshaa-Allah our next trip is planned for Week 10 this term, after Eid ul Fitr. Jazak Allahu khairan.

By: Sr Munira Parkar Islamic Studies Department (High School)



# Snapshots of Pre-primary Purple

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It is hard to believe how quickly the year is passing by. I am very proud of everyone in Preprimary Purple for all their hard work and their fantastic attitude towards learning. Each and every student has come a long way since the beginning of the year, and this wouldn't have been possible without the wonderful support of their parents. I look forward to continuing our learning journey together and watching them grow every day into more independent and confident learners.

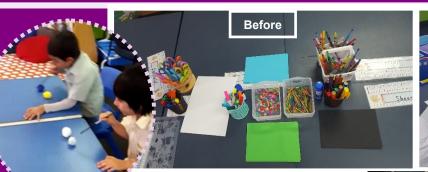
Below are some snapshots of our class activities this year.



#### Measurement: Exploring short, long and tall.

Students collected sticks to arrange them from shortest to longest. The hard part was deciding where along the base line they had to place their stick.









One of our favourite time of the week is Friday Fun Day. Lots of activities to choose from in the afternoon with particular focus on our fine motor skills.











Working in groups to find out all the different ways to make 10.



We love our Lego in Pre-primary Purple. We have future engineers and architects, I think... Look at our awesome creations!





LEGO



# Look Who's Blooming In Year 3 Violet

#### Highlights of Term 1

Term 1 was definitely one to remember in Year 3 Violet.

A highlight in Term 1 was our focus on our Science topic called 'Living and Non-Living things'. Students became fossil hunters where they were able to explain what fossils are and create their own mould. In Literacy, they enjoyed learning about persuasive texts. This lead them to write about why books are better than television. For reading, students were engaged in learning about Roald Dahl and how he brought his stories and characters to life. They also explored narrative features using links with Georges Marvellous Medicine. In Mathematics, students focused on learning strategies to help them



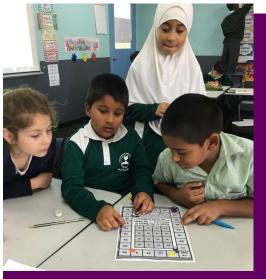
understand Place Value by drawing their attention towards number expanders, rounding and estimation. Lastly in the Arts, the class explored Aboriginal art through dot painting and by using various Aboriginal symbols from the Papunya community in Central Australia.



Working collaboratively on rounding numbers.



A completed fossil.



Playing a game to consolidate learning of rounding numbers.

#### By Miss R Alhabsyi

# Term 2

The start of this term proved to be very busy for the Year Three team. Students began the term with lots of preparation for NAPLAN and how to get them-

selves ready before undertaking a big test. By the third week in May, all tests were done and they celebrated their hard work!

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Students working on their dot painting.



















Safer School Parking

Where you park matters



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Walk together, bike together or car pool

Try arriving a bit earlier or later to avoid peak times Park a short distance from school and walk the rest

of the way



# Important Information

In order to ensure better traffic management, we are implementing the following with regards to drop-off and pick-up location.

# DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

Norbury Way is the <u>ONLY</u> location for <u>DROPPING OFF & PICKING UP</u> your child/ren (not the car park).

Parents must remain in the car and be waiting for 5 minutes maximum. Parents must not park & leave the car unattended in Norbury Way.

## COMING INTO THE COLLEGE: PARK AT MAIN CAR PARK

PARENTS WHO ARE COMING INTO THE COLLEGE ARE TO PARK AT THE MAIN CAR PARK (Osten Drive). PARENTS MUST NOT DROP-OFF OR PICK-UP THEIR CHILD/REN FROM THIS CAR PARK.

## **IMPORTANT:**

Please also note that it is the parents' responsibility to supervise their child/ren in the car park at all times.

Your cooperation in complying with the above is required.

Jazaak-Allahu-Khairan Management

