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Dear Families,

Last week was so busy! Students went on an excursion around community and a bush trip. There were two stand-outs though. First, <u>Juanita Davis is doing a great job of teaching the I-CAN Program</u> (Indigenous Communities for Activities and Nutrition). Every Wednesday, Juanita works with classes on their physical fitness. Students play fun games and exercise. A special track is being built around the oval. This is for the whole community to use. More on Juanita, I-CAN and the track to follow (some photos). On Wednesday and Thursday, two artists worked with the Senior class to design and make a **mural for the AAAC Youth Space**. Mr W and the students were very excited about it. What a success. Just check out the pictures below:



LTYENTYES YOUTH SPACE

Last week's Award Winners and Super Spellers !



What's Happening at School THIS Week?

Reading is my SECRET POWER	• This week we celebrate BOOK WEEK at LACS. The students are all learning that <i>'Reading is their Secret Power'</i> as they practise each day to improve this very important skill.
	 Teacher Jayde would like ALL of you to look at the school Facebook page at 7pm <u>each night this week</u>. Teachers and staff will be reading bedtime stories for the children. The videos could be funny! <u>https://www.facebook.com/LtyentyeApurteCS/</u>
	 For Book Week, families are invited to participate in the Dress-Up Day Parade which is on Thursday 29th August at 12 o'clock, followed by a community BBQ. Come along and join in the fun.
	 We welcome back MACCA who will be teaching Seniors Carpentry in the work shed all week. Last time students created wooden boxes with lids and hinges. What will they make this time?
	 On Tuesday 27th August, Middle 2 will be going on their bush trip to Arrutnenge Gap at Allambie Station. They will learn about country, the story of the place, Dreaming stories and bush foods.
FATHER'S	• Sunday 1 September is Fathers' Day. We ask God's blessing on all our fathers and those in our families who are like fathers to us. The school celebration will take place in the library on Monday 2 September at 12 o'clock. Then families, especially fathers, are invited to visit the classrooms with their children to see all the work they have been doing. Lunch will be provided.

Have a great week, everyone and God Bless.

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Deputy Principal

Ltyentye Apurte Catholic School is committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people. We are committed to the teachings of love and justice from Jesus in the Gospels. We have zero tolerance for child abuse and exploitation.