

LATHAM TIMES

THIS ISSUE'S FEATURED ARTICLES:

- Who is the real Lyndall?
- How to be the best student you can during CoronaVirus
- Dogman or Dogbreath? Our Journalist has all the details



Meet Your New 'Pal

By Purple Fluffy Monster and Aphcraft

Did You Know: Lyndall Plays Minecraft? World traveller, dog owner and lover of purple. Meet your new principal!

The dreaded principal's office, where no kid wants to end up, yet here we are, sitting across the table from our new mate Lyndall, surrounded by dragons and plants and books, and it turns out, she's not so bad! In fact, she's more like us than we realised! We asked Lyndall "Why did you come to Latham?" She has clearly been a researcher because she said "I looked up information about the school and thought that this was a school where the children, families, and teachers were kind and interested in learning and thought, that's the school for me!" We think it's the school for her as well! Then we tackled the BIG questions. You know like, Lyndall, why do you like the colour purple? "When I was young I met a really clever woman, she loved purple and I have liked it ever since." Young women inspiring young women? That sounds like something we can get around! Obviously we were desperate to know more! Did you know that she has two beautiful chocolate labs? You can see the perfect faces of Hudson and Harlow in the photo above. Lyndall? We're just thankful you're a dog person! Diving further into our new 'Pal, we found that she really likes to travel!

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LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

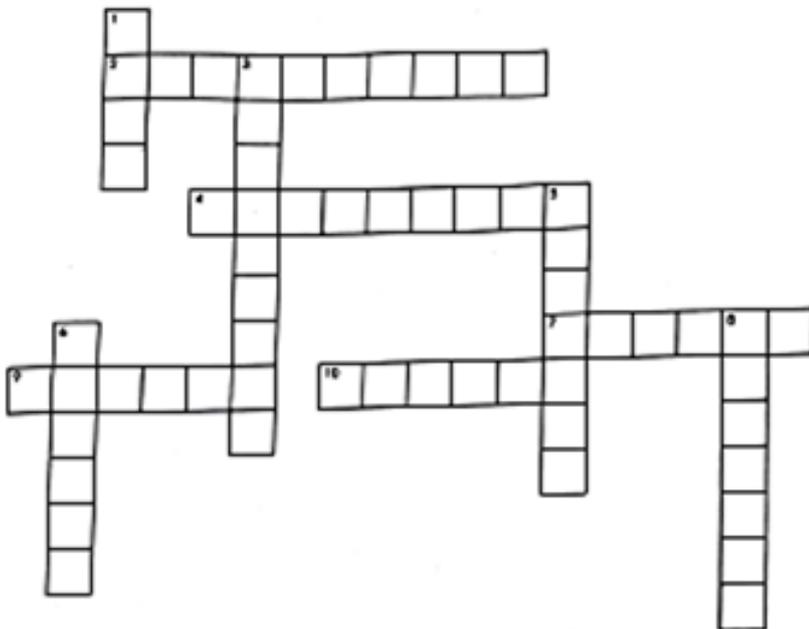
We are so proud to give you our very first edition of Latham Primary's inaugural newspaper! This is a place to hear all about what students are thinking and what they're feeling as well as to receive some really great advice on doing your absolute best in school activities and in the classroom. Our courageous writers sometimes tackle some controversial or hard hitting ideas so to protect their identity they have chosen different pseudonyms to write under for our editions. Don't forget to look out for your favourite writers each edition! Sit back and enjoy our musings and maybe pick up a tip or two. Keep an eye out for our journalists on the playground too, you never know, you could be interviewed for our next edition!

DogMan - What You Need to Know

By Steve LOL

Dogman has become a popular book series. It is great with the action and most of all with the toilet humour! If you want gigs and laughs then you need to read Dogman! From the creator of Captain Underpants, this will make you laugh with knock knock jokes and FARTS!

School Newspaper Crossword

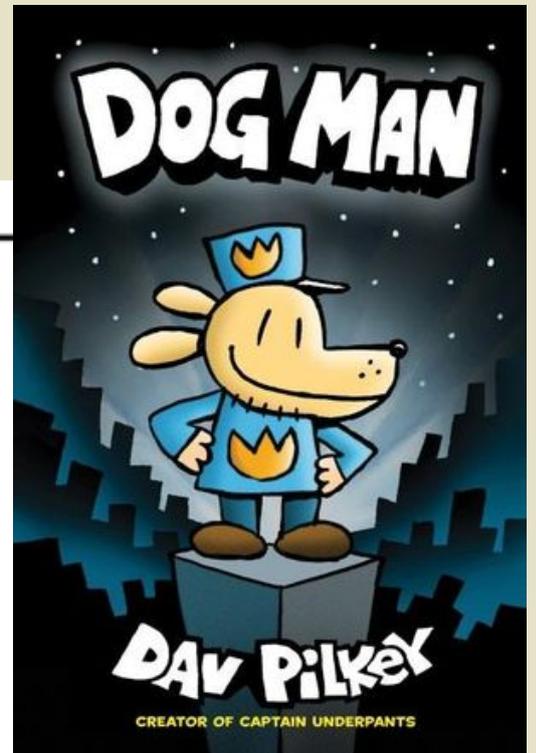


Across: →

- 2. entertains us
- 4. Daily Profit
- 7. epic colour
- 9. information provider
- 10. fun teacher

Down: ↓

- 1. it would win
- 3. exclusive behind the scenes story
- 5. kindness
- 6. Dav Pilkey
- 8. principal



Headline story continued..."I've travelled all over the world. I've lived in Japan for 2 years and last year I went to England for a holiday." I bet she can't wait for coronavirus to settle down so she can start scurrying across the globe again! To finish off our interview, we wanted to know what her vision for our school is. "I want to listen to the children and the teachers about what they think can be better and help them to make it happen." So our fellow Lathamites, it sounds like we're in pretty good hands! Coming next issue: What YOU want to know about lyndall? Send your questions to Lily M or Isabel B and they'll leave no stone unturned!

The Smiley M & M's fortnightly Trivia

1. What is the color of an emerald?
 2. On a farm, what is a kid?
 3. In which capital city of Europe would you find the Eiffel Tower?
 4. A scientist who studies rocks is called a what?
 5. How many bones do sharks have?
 6. What percentage of the brain is made up of water?
- For answers, tune in next edition, or if you can't wait, bug your teachers!



Washington's Reviews our Student Toilets

Oh my! Holla, tis thy president George. I liketh washrooms... A lo! Aye, tis true! I am a tad bit sick with a throat infection (maybe look up how George Washington died there, teachers!) but tis fine, I'm sure I'll survive.

Alloweths beginneth. The door's art is quite nice. Well done to the 5/6 students who designed those! Peasant, please receive those folk to design mine own washroom doors! Ah, anywho. As we enter, I see some toilet paper on the roof. It is a tad bit unpleasing, do all you people like to play with the toilet paper? We've been through a toilet paper crisis people! Next, we see the stalls. The doors to the stalls are quite fine, a simple green colour, very calming for such strenuous activities. Nice toilets, and the toilet paper is nice. Soft even. Next, allow me to try the toilets. A tad bit tiny, but those things are for the seniors after all. Those things open and close easily, it is flushed quite well. The taps are a tad bit tiny, but workable given how quickly I'm in and out of there. I don't like how the water is only on for a small bit of time. The soap does the job no coronavirus for me! The hand dryers are nice, and I liketh how warm it is. Tis a nice public bathroom! I wouldst go there! I wanteth to thanketh this designeth'r, again. Hire those folk, anon! Thanketh thee for listening to mine own newspaper'r article. ov'rall, a ten out of a ten!

Sports Report

Hello, my dear students! Today I would like to tell you about House Captains.

1. Come to the Sports Shed on Wednesday and Friday!! I would like to inform you that the Sports Shed has new days which are Wednesday and Friday. It means that it doesn't work on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Also if you find or lose a piece of sports shed equipment PLEASE tell a House Captain or a teacher.
 2. The sporting events - At the moment we don't know anything about the Cross Country or The Athletics Carnivals future. Hopefully we will still be able to participate in these events this year, but for now we aren't sure. Do you want to see some carnival options? Let your teachers know what you want so they can pass it on!
 3. Green is the Colour!!!
- This Fortnights winner is Umbagong. The points were very close, but Umbagong managed to win [unfortunately - hint, I'm not an Umbagonian, but I might just be a House Captain]. Congratulations Umbagong!!!