



LOVEDAY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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'Loveday Primary strives for learning and growing together in a fun and safe environment.'

IMPORTANT DATES!



- * Friday 1st June
- * Monday 4th June
- * Wednesday 6th June
- * **Friday 8th June**
- * **Monday 11th June**
- * **Tuesday 12th June**
- * Thursday 14th June
- * Wednesday 20th June



**PUPIL
FREE
DAY**

Visiting Lyrup Primary School.
Visiting Cobdogla Primary School for Deadly
Australians Performance.
Tuck Shop – Macaroni and Cheese. Thank you Brigit.
Assembly 2.30pm
Pupil Free Day.
Queen's Birthday Public Holiday – No school.
Finance meeting 2.30pm. Governing Council 3.15pm
Tuck Shop – Thank you Mel.
Choir Rehearsal at Berri – 10.00am-1.00pm.
Tuck Shop – Thank you Jody.

VALUES: Respect, Honesty, Caring, Cooperation, Responsibility, Self Discipline

CURRENT FOCUS VALUES

Honesty and Respect

Dear Parents,

It is quite amazing to think that we are into the second half of the term. Last week, we held the traditional Loveday School Fun Run. The efforts of the students deserve a special mention. Well done to Leanne for completing the 3.3km course in the fastest time of 18.39. Today Leanne will be going to Oakbank in the Adelaide Hills to compete in the state SAPSASA Cross Country Championships. We wish Leanne the best of luck for her event. Joe also ran extremely well with a time of 21.18. It was encouraging to see the way the children supported each other and showed the benefits of doing a 10 minute run each Tuesday this term. The Fun Run was also an opportunity for the students to challenge themselves and try their best. A special thank you to Mrs Kregar for coordinating the day and also to Mrs Nettle for running with the students.



LYRUP PRIMARY SCHOOL EXCURSION

Thank you for returning your child's consent for our excursion to Lyrup School on Friday. As mentioned in the consent, we will leave at 11.00am and will return by about 2.50pm, travelling in staff cars. The day is an opportunity for the students from both schools to get to know each other in the lead up to the term four camp. It is also a chance to do some different activities that have been planned for us by Mr Trobbiani and Mr Freeman at Lyrup.

DEADLY AUSTRALIANS EXCURSION

Next Monday afternoon, we will be taking the students to Cobdogla Primary School at 1.30pm to see the Deadly Australians Performance. This will involve the students seeing and learning about a range of Australian spiders, snakes and lizards and promises to be a very educational and enjoyable presentation. The cost for the performance is being paid from the school budget.

Please be aware that we may not be back at school until about 3.15pm.

Please complete the consent form that is attached at the end of the newsletter.

STUDENT FREE DAY - Friday June 8th

A reminder that our next student free day is planned for **Friday June 8th**. On this day, all staff from our Small Schools Cluster will be involved in training on the Big 6 Ideas in Reading. The afternoon session will see staff working on Non Fiction writing. On this same day, SSOs from Riverland Schools will also attend a training day at Waikerie High School. Days such as this provide staff with the opportunities to further develop their teaching pedagogies as well as being able to share ideas and resources among teachers from other schools.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

I trust that you and your family will enjoy the long weekend with the public holiday on Monday June 11th.

HOME READING REWARDS

Due to students being away and our trip to Lyrup on Friday, we will be rewarding students for their Home Reading next Monday prior to lunch. I am really hopeful of a 100% result for the end of term 2, with plans to organise an out of school activity during the last week of term. Keep up the great reading at home. A special thank you from Jo, Sue and I to the parents for supporting their child/children and also the school with the Home Reading.

SMALL SCHOOLS BE ACTIVE

On Thursday the 21st of June, Week 8, we will be hosting a Small Schools Be Active session from 11.00am to about 2.00pm.

Staff and students from Cobdogla, Moorook, Kingston-On-Murray and Lyrup Primary Schools will join us for some Be Active sessions, with students

being placed in Year level groups to rotate through 3 Be Active sessions. As the host school we will offer a lunch option for our students and visitors. More details will be sent home on this next week with an order form.

To support our Healthy Eating program can you please make sure that your child brings a water bottle and a healthy snack for our 10.00am Healthy Eating break.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Rod Hanna ☺



Congratulations to Letesha who is the first to completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. Please support us and encourage your child/children to read at home.



Wednesday 6th June will be the next Tuck Shop. It will be Macaroni and Cheese with a juice. Please make sure your order form with money is in the plastic money bag that was supplied in the newsletter envelope and is given to Brigit by Tuesday morning.

Sorry, we can't take any late orders.

Tuck Shop will be held each week either on a Tuesday or Wednesday. Please check the lunch order each week.

S.R.C NEWS

Adidas School Fun Run

Thank you to nearly all families who have returned their Fun Run sponsorship booklet. **PLEASE** return outstanding booklets as soon as possible so I can order the children's prizes and know they will be back before the end of the term.

It is a school and Fun Run requirement to have all sponsorship booklets returned with or without sponsorship money. Thank you

Gaynor ☺



Hello everyone ☺

Isn't this term flying by!? We have had a busy couple of weeks, with quite a few birthdays (meaning quite a few birthday cakes and special morning teas!). I have been working with the students to create a mural to be displayed in the Loveday Store. So keep an eye out for their masterpiece! Also the tuck shop has been going well. Thank you to all the parents who have been involved and provided delicious hot lunches so far. We look forward to rest of the term!

As the weather is getting colder and cold and flu bugs seem to be going around, I thought I would share with you some simple tips to bring some relief and shorten the duration of the symptoms:

Stay rested: Resting when you first come down with a cold helps your body direct its energy towards the immune battle. Give your body a little help, by lying down under a blanket.

Gargle: Gargling can moisten a sore throat and bring temporary relief. Try a teaspoon of salt dissolved in warm water, four times daily.

Blow your nose often: It's important to blow your nose regularly when you have a cold rather than sniffing. Blow gently, if you blow your nose too hard this can cause pressure, which can lead to an earache. Wash your hands after blowing your nose!

Drink hot liquids: Hot liquids relieve nasal congestion and can soothe the uncomfortable inflamed membranes that line your nose and throat.

Take a steamy shower: Steamy showers moisturize your nasal passages and relax you. If you're dizzy from the flu, perhaps try taking a bath!

Use a salve under your nose: A small dab of mentholated salve under your nose can open breathing passages and help soothe the irritated skin. Menthol, eucalyptus and camphor all have mild numbing ingredients that may help to relieve a sore nose.

Apply hot or cold packs around your congested sinuses: Either temperature may help you feel more comfortable. For a hot pack, you could take a damp washcloth and heat it for 55 seconds in a microwave (test temperature before you apply it). Or take a small bag of frozen peas to use as a cold pack.

Sleep with an extra pillow under your head: This will help the drainage of nasal passages.

With this newsletter I have attached a letter about my position as the schools Christian Pastoral Support Worker. Part of this letter is a consent form.

If you are not happy for your child/children's to participate in the activities listed on the consent form, could you please fill it in and return it to the school. Not returning the form, will indicate you are happy for your child/children's to participate.

I hope you are all well and keeping warm!

I'm available on Mondays and Wednesdays, if you need to see me. Don't be shy!

Enjoy the rest of the term.

Love, Erin



Student of the week awards

Letesha for excellent reading at home and being the first to complete the Premier's Reading Challenge.

Joe (week 5)

Congratulations to the students who received a Mathletics Award

Silver

Joe

Bronze

Madison

JOKE CORNER

What is a cat's favourite song?

Three Blind Mice

By Madison

Community News

BERRI SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC

Please note the change to opening times from the week beginning Monday May 28, 2012. The clinic's telephone answering service will also reflect this information.

The clinic will be **OPEN** on the following days –Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday. Closed Wednesdays.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS FOR WHEN THE CLINIC IS CLOSED –

Urgent Emergencies on Wednesdays please call either –
Renmark School Dental Clinic on 85866403 or
Loxton School Dental Clinic on 85847014.

Please leave all non urgent calls or appointment making until a day that the clinic is open. The clinics noted above are able to assist with emergencies only.

Heather Isaacson
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BARMERA ST. JOSEPHS SCHOOL

Unfortunately there hasn't been a winner for the locked box. If you purchased a key at the Gala Night please contact the school to receive a raffle ticket. The ticket may give you a chance to open the box and win money.

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Deadly Australians Consent Form

I consent to
going to Cobdogla School on Monday June 4th for the purpose of attending the Deadly Australians Performance. Transport will be in staff cars, leaving at 1.30pm. Please note the presentation is scheduled for 1½ hours, meaning we will not be back at school until approx. 3.20pm.

Parent Signature: