



# LOVEDAY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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

## IMPORTANT DATES!

- \* Mon 18<sup>th</sup> – Tue 19<sup>th</sup> February
- \* Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February
- \* Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February
- \* Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> – Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> February
- \* Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February
- \* Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February
- \* Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> – Fri 29<sup>th</sup> February
- \* **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**
- \* **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March**
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Mr Trob away with a medical appointment.  
Tuck Shop – S.R.C. Hot Dogs.  
Year Sevens go to Aquatics.  
Enrolment Audit.  
Year Sevens and Mr Trob at Leadership Camp.  
Mr Featherston visiting Mr Trob.  
90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Meeting – 6.30pm in the Library.  
Tuck Shop – Jody.  
Mr Trob attending Teacher's Residential.  
**PUPIL FREE – Australian Curriculum – History.**  
Adelaide Cup Public Holiday.



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

Dear Parents,  
Week Three and routines are up and running.  
Students have enjoyed swimming.



Leanne, Brittany and Jamie using the noodles.



Tegan, Letesha and Maddy blowing Bubbles into the water.



Jess and Joe swimming laps of the pool.

They have made good progress in their swimming skills and confidence around water.

Next week our Year Sevens and Year Sevens from nearby schools will be attending a Leadership Camp on Thursday and Friday. I will be going too, to support them.

Our Year Seven students are also invited to an Aquatics Day at Barmera on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February.

Apart from that it could be a fairly normal week.

### ABC RADIO

If you are able to listen into the local ABC radio 1062AM to hear our Year Seven students will feature on the "What Do They Teach Them At School" these days segment on Narelle Graham's program



### SMALL SCHOOLS TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT / PUPIL FREE DAY

Next Tuesday our staff will join other Small School staff for a Training and Development session in our Professional Learning Program. This will be about Teaching Non Fiction Writing - particularly Exposition Writing.



On **Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>** teaching staff will be attending a workshop on the Australian History Curriculum. To enable this to happen there will be a **Student Free Day** for Loveday on that day.

### ERIN - OUR WONDERFUL C.P.S.W ☺



Our students and teachers benefit greatly from having Erin work with them. She is a positive, enthusiastic, caring and energetic person.

Erin has discussed with me her plans to begin 2013 and already mentioned these aspects of her role.

- Monday - lunchtime craft group.
- Involvement with S.R.C.
- Co-ordinate - Tuck Shop lunches.
- Involvement as extra student support person in the classroom.
- Set up Coffee and Chat sessions.
- Co-ordinate C.P.S.W. display outside Room 5. and more.

Later this year Erin will be going through a formal performance review process where I will be asking for parent feed back.

### 90<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

I will be calling together committee members for our next meeting on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm. (Members will receive a personal phone call.) If you have any input for the event please put your ideas on paper and get it to our meeting or talk to me about it.



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.



All children must wear a hat. No hat no play.

John Trobbiani ☺

### S.R.C. NEWS

We had our first meeting last Wednesday. These are some of the things we will be involved in this year: Fun Run, Pancake Day, Footy Colours Day and a lot more. We are looking forward to a fun 2013.

### YEAR 7 SHIRTS

Plans are well under way with the Year Seven Shirts. After much discussion they have made up a design and now we are waiting for the final design.

### PREMIER'S Reading CHALLENGE

Thanks to Mrs Kregar all students are registered in the Premier's Reading Challenge for 2013. Students are required to read 12 books by September.

**"Keep Reading"**



Hello everyone!

I hope you are going well and settling back into the school routine! There has been a strong emphasis on wellbeing for everyone in the community for a while now. Wellbeing is more than just physical health. The Department of Education and Child Development (DECD) has considered it important in their wellbeing framework to include emotional, physical, spiritual, social and cognitive wellbeing. If one area is not being nurtured, it can affect the other areas as well.

#### Some ways parents can positively impact their child's mental health

All parents want their child to do well and be happy. Here are some suggestions from Parenting SA on how to improve your child's mental health:

Stay in touch with your child. Be aware of and attend to any changes in your child's feelings or behavior.

Spending some time each day with your child is important. A special time could be listening to them read each night.

Take an active interest in what your child enjoys and what they are doing at school.

Encourage your child to talk about what is happening in their life.

Model appropriate behavior in your own relationships with others.

Spend time with your child in family activities both with fun time as well as chores.

Try not to involve your child in adult problems.

Don't compare your child with others.

Notice the things that your child is good at and tell them.

Encourage children's friendships.

Let your child know that you love them in as many ways as you can – make sure they feel loved and lovable.

Your child's emotional health is important! If you would like some more information or resources, I'm happy to catch up

with you. You are welcome to have a coffee and chat on Monday mornings, or please call the front office and make an appointment for a time more convenient for you.

I hope you enjoy the rest of your week. Take care!  
Love, Erin



Next week S.R.C will be offering Hot Dogs with a juice.

Please make sure your order form with money is in the plastic money bag that was supplied in your 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.

### Congratulations to the students who received a Mathletics Award

Bronze

Joe



**Birthday wishes go to:**  
**Mr Trob 27<sup>th</sup> February**

#### **JOKE CORNER**

What do you give birds when they are ill?

Treatment

By Leanne

## Community Notices

### BERRI JUNIOR NETBALL CLUB

SEASON 2013 Saturday morning competition  
(GIRLS FROM 5-13 YEARS OF AGE)

Registration: Tuesday 5th March

4.00-5.00pm - Berri Netball Clubrooms

Trainings Commence: Tuesday 12th March & each Tuesday following 4.00-5.00pm – Berri Netball Courts

Berri Under 11 & Under 13 development teams

Registration Tuesday 5th March

4.00-5.00pm – Berri Netball Clubrooms

Trials

Tuesday 12th March, 19th March & 26th March

5.00-6.00pm - Berri Netball Courts

(MUST attend at least 2 trials to be eligible and MUST be registered prior to first trial)

Enquiries, registration form and/or apologies to Kirsty Iovino

[Kirsty@regionalit.com.au](mailto:Kirsty@regionalit.com.au) or mobile 0408 849 486

### BERRI JUNIOR NETBALL CLUB

AN INVITATION START OF SEASON MEETING 2013 -  
ALL WELCOME

Tuesday 19th February 2013, 7.00pm – Berri Club

Please come along and offer your support in keeping this excellent Junior netball competition running

RSVP (for catering purposes), enquiries and apologies to Kirsty Iovino

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### STOP PRESS

Congratulations to Sue and Rod  
Bradtko on becoming Grandparents  
for the first time.

Makayde Drake  
came into the world on Sunday.

