



LOVEDAY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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

IMPORTANT DATES!



LOVEDAY PRIMARY SCHOOL 90th and FINAL CELEBRATIONS Saturday 18th – Sunday 19th MAY

- * Monday 6th May
- * Wednesday 8th May
- * **Saturday 18th May**
- * **Sunday 19th May**
- * Wednesday 22nd May

- * Friday 7th June
- * **Monday 10th June**
- * Thursday 13th June

- Choir Rehearsal – Barmera Primary School.
- Funky Hair Day.
- 90th Birthday Celebration tea at the Cobdogla Club.**
- 90th Birthday Celebrations morning tea here at the school.**
- School Fun Run 11.30am.
- National Similtaneous Storytime 11.00am
- Be *active* day – Moorook.
- Queen's Birthday – NO SCHOOL**
- Junior Youth Environment Forum – Mr Trob and Year 7's.

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

Dear Parents,

*We have hit the ground running for Term 2. Students were bright and cheerful (mostly) and ready to go. Having the routines clearer and knowing students parents and staff, I feel we're set and right to go for a big term. Next Governing Council Meeting is set for **Tuesday 21st May** (week four) where we will be looking at some fairly important decisions. Hope to see everybody there. In the meantime I'm looking to talk with parents about their thoughts on the school of choice for 2014 for their child/children. Today the Year Sevens will be bringing home information about enrolling in specialist High Schools which may not be relevant to us.*

This will be helpful in setting up for each week and remembering about money or notes which need to be returned.

READ EVERY DAY AND CLASS BEHAVIOUR GOALS

Monday morning students and teachers had a very open and transparent class meeting to set our goals for this term.

Read Everyday

Reading every school night up to the end of Week Nine means a goal of Fourty Four nights (Queen's Birthday off).

* If we drop off four nights for family emergency that leaves each student a goal of fourty nights on from what they had achieved from end of Term One as their RED goal for the term. *

WEEKLEY PLANNER

Each Monday parents can expect students to bring home a Weekly Planner Sheet - just right for sticking on the fridge.



Class Behaviour Goals

Being such a small group students are under a lot more scrutiny than in a larger group. Even so we agreed that we should raise the bar in regard to the number of reminders that would be the limit for students to be eligible for the SRC end of term reward.

We have set this at **20** reminders for the term as the limit.

That is a serious expectation, at the same time we are challenging students to be engaged and contributing with ideas and contributing positive energy all the time.

N.A.P.L.A.N.

This involves our Year Seven students this year in Week Three.

A brochure is included with the newsletter for parents of Year Seven students to read.

90th BIRTHDAY



The 90th Birthday is just around the corner now and looking really good. I acknowledge the work and contribution of our committee in leading to this.

A HUGE thank you to: Jean Marks,

Gail Del Zoppo, Coral Hermanson, Max Scholz and Anne Haby and Jody Wilkinson-Thompson for their input.

I am fascinated by the stories coming out of our preparations for the 90th Celebrations such as -

Cyril Willis was the first Head Teacher. He was appointed in 1923 and began the school with 58 students. He was here for 5 weeks!

He must have left suddenly because the school was closed for 9 days after his departure.

Poor man!

I have also discovered that a former principal of Loveday Primary School Mr W (Bill) R Wynne 1955 – Sept 1956 was principal of Norton Summit Primary School where I completed Year Seven. Cross checking with Coral Hermanson has confirmed that he had similar success at Loveday as he did at Norton Summit. I remember that we gave him curry too!

1923 - The original school



WORKING BEE

Attention change of date
Friday 17th May

We are holding a working bee at the school on **Friday 17th May** to attend to a variety of tasks. I invite parents, Committee Members and supporters to come along. Join us for lunch at 1.00pm and help us get ready for the weekend's events.



Change of Working Bee date
(because original date is Mother's Day)

Time: 1.00pm - lunch provided by the school.

Please RSVP for catering and organising purposes by Wednesday 15th May.

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.

John Trobbiani ☺

YEAR SEVEN T-SHIRTS

Our Year Seven tops have arrived and look fantastic.



Hello everyone ☺

Welcome to term 2 at Loveday Primary. I hope you all had an enjoyable and refreshing break from school.

For the next few weeks we will be concentrating on the school value: **cooperation**. Cooperation means working together peacefully. Without it, we live in disharmony and get far less achieved. It is important for everyone to learn

how to cooperate within their school/workplace, home and the community.

Some guidelines for cooperative learning are:

- Be a good listener.
 - Distribute the work evenly among team members.
 - Encourage each other to contribute ideas.
 - Try to incorporate each person's ideas.
 - Treat each person of the group with respect.
 - Be open and receptive to new ideas.
 - Try to compromise to resolve differences.
- Staff will be looking out for students showing this value and I will acknowledge their efforts during assembly.

Coffee and Chat is continuing on Monday mornings again this term (9:30-10:30am) for parents/carers. I would love to catch up with you!

I hope you have a wonderful term.

Love, Erin



S.R.C. NEWS

Funky Hair Day

On Wednesday 8th May we will be holding **Funky Hair Day**. Come to school with a gold coin (which will be a donation) and get your hair coloured with coloured chalk. All money will be going to the Cancer Foundation.

TUCK SHOP

Wednesday 8th May SRC will be in charge of Tuck Shop. We will be having Hot Dogs with a milk drink. **PLEASE RETURN YOUR ORDER WITH THE MONEY TO BRIGIT ON TUESDAY.**

25 years ago

Trees sent to Cobdogla, Lyrup and Aloorook.

JOKE CORNER

What's in the middle of a jellyfish?

A jellybutton

By Maddy

1928 - The wood and iron building at its original site. Clem Michalaney was the principal.



Left to right: Norman Lewis, Clem Michalaney (teacher), Dick Newcombe, Alf Harris, 'Reddy' White, Harry Bennett, Leigh Lane, Shirley Malcolm, Joan Malcolm, Jack Newcombe, Frank Hart, Olive Lewis, John Lane (by post), Len Hawling (with his telescope), John Green, Madge Lewis, Len Harris, Bill Hart, June Kelly, Claggy Wicks (at post), Nest Harding, Margaret Dezman.

This is what the classroom looked like in 1928.



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WORKING BEE RSVP

Please return to the front office so catering purposes ☺

We can come to the Working Bee.

Name:

adults

children

Signature