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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week 1 23/4 ~ 27/4 Term 2

Mon 23/4 First day Term 2
Wed 25/5 ANZAC DAY holiday
Frid 27/4 Special Lunch -
Oven baked wedges & vegie dippers
Anzac biscuits

Week 2 30/4 ~ 4/5

Frid 4/5 Special Lunch -
Minestrone soup & garlic bread
Surprise dessert

Week 3 7/5 ~ 11/5

Tues 8/5 Governing Council mtg 8:45am
Frid 11/5 Special Lunch
Sausage Rolle with salad bites

SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB

Please find Scholastic Bookclub
brochures with your Newsletter
today.

Please return any orders and
payments by
next Monday 30th April.

DOC'S EASTER VISITOR

Doc is convalescing now, back at home. He had a special visitor while in the hospital in Adelaide. While he is on sick leave we will be covering his absence.

We are grateful for the offers to mow the grounds from the Rudd and Schultz families. That will be a bit of help. I'm sure we will keep our grounds in excellent shape. In the meantime the school community extends their best wishes to Doc on a speedy recovery.

Also many thanks to those who helped out over the holiday break by looking after the Lyrup chooks. Despite a bit of cabin fever – they're doing quite well!



PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

TERM 2 BEGINS

School resumes again with the seasons changing. Term 1 was very important in setting the year up – now we build on those foundations and get some runs on the board. It was promising to see all our students at school and organised by 8:30am this week. I call on parents to continue with this over the term by establishing consistent routines and expectations with their children.

ANZAC DAY COMMEMORATION

Students have discussed the history and significance of ANZAC Day in Australian culture this week.

On Tuesday students cooked ANZAC BISCUITS – some of which will be enjoyed for School Special Lunch this Friday.

Some have been packed away in a ANZAC Biscuit Tin (on loan from Rhonda) which we will stash away to open in 8 weeks time – that's how long the biscuits would have taken to get to the Diggers from Australia.



Students under Mr Trob's watchful eye, prepare ANZAC biscuits to pack in the ANZAC tin



Packing the biscuits and letters in the ANZAC tin

Along with the biscuits are letters written by students in the style of letters to the Diggers written by the parents and loved ones. The letters make interesting reading.

Dear Jesse
 Hello, how have you been? We hope you are doing well in Gallipoli. We think you'll be back.
 The weather here is very well, it's helping the garden.
 We have sent you some biscuits, they should help your diet, they contain no eggs, so they don't rot.
 Enjoy them!
 Doing great with our pension. Times are hard but we are doing great.
 They're making us give our eggs for rations for troops.
 Nana is doing finer, she is getting support.
 Bye love you.
 STAY SAFE
 From Mum & Dad

Dear Hayden
 How are you? We hope your are OK.
 The chickens are laying lots of eggs.
 The dog has run away and maybe having babies.
 We made the ANZAC biscuits for you.
 We love you lots.
 From Mum and Dad.

Dear Shannon
 Hello, how are you. Hope you are well.
 Banana the dog had puppies and there are 3 puppies. They are so cute. One puppy is white so we called it *MacArthur*. The second puppy is black so we called it *Pokemon*. The last puppy is smart so we called it *Mr Dance*.
 When you left we bought a horse and cart. It's a good horse. It's strong, good and can be ridden.
 Billy, your brother was blown up by a bomb when fighting in France. He was blown up by a new fangled Aeroplane.
 He wanted you to know that he wants you to have all his money.
 Last week we bought a radio to listen to all the stations here in the city. We all like the channel with the old men singing songs.
 On Friday a new neighbour moved in and they showed us how to cook cake. They started a bakery down the road and we invited them over for dinner, so as a thank you they taught us how to cook cake.
 All the family is happy and well.
 Bye, keep safe and come home.

Mum and Dad

WE APPRECIATE YOUR WORK TRACEY

Thank you Tracey Cannon for the great job you do in cleaning the school in the short time you have allocated.
 What a pleasure it is to come to such clean and tidy classrooms and work spaces.



Tracey takes pride in her cleaning of Lyrup Primary School and we certainly appreciate her friendly and happy manner

NEXT GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING

This is set for Tuesday 8th May at 8:45am. It is very important that all our families are represented. See you then.

*John Trobbiani
 Principal*

Scott's Speel

Welcome back to term 2 to our students and families at Lyrup Primary School. I am very excited about what is shaping up to be a very busy and eventful term. John, Rhonda and myself have been busy discussing the calendar and identifying activities and events that can be included in term 2. Stay tuned as these are finalised and announced! One of the first projects on the horizon is a Landscaping Day. As part of our commitment to ongoing improvement and maintenance of the school grounds, we have identified an area which requires some attention. The learning benefits that come with including the students in the planning, preparation, establishment and ongoing maintenance phases of large hands-on projects are immense and build the students' sense of pride and belonging.

I have been impressed to see the positive and motivated learning behaviours that our students have brought back to school after holidays. Our students are straight back into the Reading at Home program and coming to school early, ready to begin a days learning. This first week of term 2 has had a focus on the meaning of ANZAC Day, and students have demonstrated a willingness to learn and respect the importance that this day means to so many Australians. Well done!



Students learn about ANZAC Day through our school museum!



There will be some minor changes to programming and lesson planning for term 2 to ensure that individual student learning needs continue to be fully realised, and the school day is fully utilised. As such, some changes to daily responsibilities have been made and are included in this newsletter for your information. We encourage parents to be involved each week in assisting students in the preparation of afternoon talks to continue the development of descriptive and informative vocabulary and speaking skills.

Congratulations to ~



Hayden, Bryce & Breanna for reaching 50 nights of reading at home.

Wonderful effort, and I'm sure that Jesse and Shannon are right on their heels as well!

I look forward to a busy and eventful term 2. A focus in term 2 will be challenging students to work towards teacher expectations, encouraging students in setting themselves high standards and then producing high quality work that meets the expectations of the student and teachers. We look forward to students demonstrating their capabilities and new understandings and sharing that with the school community. Until next time!

Scott Freeman
Teacher

COMMUNITY NEWS

BERRI AUSKICK
Starts this Saturday 29th April
Berri No 2 Oval at 9am

For further info call Jane 0408836045

Afternoon Talks Term 2

	Topic of the Week
Week 1	In the Holidays
Week 2	A relative/ person who served in a war
Week 3	My favourite meal is
Week 4	If I could go anywhere I would go to.....
Week 5	My favourite song or video is....
Week 6	A person who I admire is.....
Week 7	Free Choice
Week 8	My favourite day of the week is.....
Week 9	My hero is.....
Week 10	What I have planned for the holidays

Daily Responsibility Roster



Chooks

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Mr Trob	Mr Freeman	Rhonda	Mr Trob	Brad
Shannon	Hayden	Breanna	Bryce	Jesse



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