



Leeman Primary School

Turquoise Coastal Schools Alliance Newsletter

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Dates to Remember

Mon 27 July	Newsletter
Wed 29 July	Canteen After School Sport
Fri 31 July	Cross Country @ Eneabba
Wed 5 Aug	After School Sport
Thu 6 Aug	Assembly
Mon 10 Aug	Newsletter
Wed 12 Aug	Canteen After School Sport
Thu 13 Aug	Wakakirri
Wed 26 Aug	Book Week Dress Up Day

From the Principal's Desk

Lapathon



We raised **\$1344-55** from this year's Lapathon and we would like to thank everyone across the Leeman community for their support. Staff and students have prioritised some requests for purchases and these will be presented to the P & C for their consideration. We will keep you informed of what's happening.

Wakakirri

Our Wakakirri performance at Regal Theatre in Subiaco, takes place in just over three weeks on Thursday 13th August. I have sent two things home today for you to read or action:

A permission form for the Wakakirri excursion.

This form is just to confirm the permission details formally. I will send another note home next week to let you know what your child needs to take on the bus, what we will be doing during the day and to give details about picking up students after the performance etc.

A map showing the parking places available and transport options in Subiaco.

Regal Theatre is on the corner of Hay Street and Rokeby Road in Subiaco and plenty of parking is available. Be aware that the parking inspectors are always in the area, even in the evenings, so pay for your parking ticket correctly to avoid receiving a hefty fine. Subiaco Train Station is also only a few minutes from the Regal Theatre if needed.

Other Notes

After School Sports starts again Wednesday 29th.

Cross Country (selected students in yrs 3,4,5,6) permission form

Canteen news and colouring-in competition

Turquoise Coastal Schools Alliance (TCSA)

On the Pupil Free Day on Monday 20th July, staff from the three TCSA schools (Leeman, Cervantes and Jurien Bay) participated in a day of professional learning. The morning session focussed on familiarisation with Stepping Stones modules and resources to support our Stepping Stones Maths program. Trevor Martin, Midwest Aboriginal Education Officer, also presented a Cultural Awareness session. Later this term, the three TCSA schools will again meet to moderate work samples from our students to ensure we all have the same expectations for the grades that we allocate for reporting.

Values

Last term we asked parents, students and staff to identify the values that are relevant to our students. We are reviewing the Values Plan which will be presented to the School Board for approval once it's finalised. Our school will focus on specific values over the year and students will investigate the definitions and examine examples of the various values in different contexts for different grade levels. Leeman PS values will be eventually published in the newsletter each fortnight.

This table shows how our school values link to the *Nine Values for Australian Schools*.

Nine Values for Australian Schools (not in any order)	Leeman Primary School Values (priority order)
Honesty and Trustworthiness Integrity	1. Honesty
Responsibility	2. Self-control
Respect Freedom Fair Go	3. Respect
Care and Compassion	4. Caring / Kindness
Respect	5. Good Manners
Fair Go Doing Your Best	6. Co-operation
Responsibility	7. Responsibility
Doing Your Best	8. Focusing
Doing Your Best	9. Listening
Understanding, Tolerance & Inclusion	10. Patience
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Warm regards
Jackie Miller



Don't forget!
Book Club
orders
are due:
7th August

If your Book Club order is a gift and you don't want your child to see it, please add a note and phone number with your order so I can arrange an alternate collection.

Children's Book Week



This year's Children's Book Week runs from Saturday 22nd to Friday 28th of August with the theme "Books Light Up Our World".

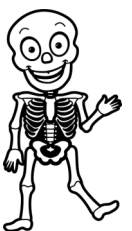
Mrs Lewis, our school librarian, will be organising a **Dress-Up Parade** for Book Week again this year on **Wednesday 26th August**.

Active After School Sports for term 3 will start Wednesday 29 July and finish Wednesday 9 September.



FUNNY FACTS

Your skeleton has about 300 bones when you are born, but only 206 when you grow up.



Butterflies taste food by standing on top of it! Their taste receptors are in their feet unlike humans who have most on their tongue.

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W	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	July 20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Cultural Awareness Pupil Free Day				P&C Meeting		
2	27	28	29	30	31	Aug 1	2
	newsletter		AASS Canteen		Cross Country Eneabba		
3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			AASS	Assembly			
4	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	newsletter		AASS Canteen	Wakakirri			
5	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
			AASS				
6	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	newsletter		AASS Canteen Book Week Dress up Day	Assembly			
7	31	Sept 1	2	3	4	5	6
			AASS		Faction Carnival		
8	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	newsletter		AASS Canteen				
9	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
				Assembly	Interschool Carnival		
10	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	newsletter		Canteen		End Term 3		
	28	29	30	October 1	2	3	4
	Queen's B'day holidays						
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	holidays						