Term 3 Week 1
18 July 2014

From the Principal
Welcome Back
Welcome back to another exciting term at Leonay. We trust you all enjoyed a restful break and feel refreshed and ready for a busy start to this term. Over the coming weeks there are a number of important events occurring, so please keep a close eye on the calendar and the website for updated information.

Staff on Leave
Mr Gill will be on leave from Monday 14 July until Friday 1 August. During his absence Miss Payne and Mrs Gillett will relieve as principal. 5/6P will be covered by Miss Mills and Mrs Wallace for weeks 1 and 2. 1/2G will be covered by Mrs Pillay for week 3. Mrs Bearman will be on leave from Monday 14 July until Thursday 31 July. Mrs Marks and Ms Ellison will be replacing her.

Education Week
Education Week in NSW Public Schools will be held from Monday 28 July until Friday 1 August 2014. This week is set aside each year to recognise and celebrate the wonderful things that are occurring in public schools across NSW. This year our Open Day will be held on Wednesday 30 July. We look forward to your attendance on this day.

EDUCATION WEEK - OPEN DAY
INVITATION TO JOIN US
Wednesday 30 July 2014
9.15 am – 11.40am

9.15am – 9.55am Parent/Visitors Assemble in COLA – Book Character Parade & Book Fair

10am – 10.30am Junior Dance, Choir, Senior Dance Group Performances in the COLA

10.43am – 11am Recess / Morning Tea- Book Fair in the Library

11am – 11.40am Open Classrooms, Art Exhibition in the Hall
Athletics Carnival
Our K-6 athletics carnival is being held next Friday 25 July at the Emu Plains Sporting Oval, Leonay. We look forward to fine weather and an enjoyable day. Students turning 8 years and older will be walking to the oval under teacher supervision from approximately 9.15am for a 9.30am start. Kindergarten, Year 1 and those turning 7 in Yr2 will be walking to the oval at 10.15am. Parents and visitors are most welcome to attend. Please refer to the attached program for the primary carnival’s events.

Term Calendar
Attached to this Newsletter is a calendar of events for this term. Please be mindful that this information may change as the term progresses. Up to date information can always be found on the school’s website.

P & C Meeting
Next meeting is Tuesday 19 August, commencing at 7pm in the library.

Miss Payne
Relieving Principal

Open Day
Our Education Week Open day will be held on **Wednesday 30 July from 9.15-11:40 am.**

We look forward to welcoming parents and grandparents to our school for a wonderful morning featuring:

- Book character parade
- Book fair
- Art exhibition
- Creative and performing arts items
- Open classrooms

Start planning your outfit for the character parade now. This year’s theme is “Connect to Reading”, so you may come as any character you feel a connection to.

We can’t wait to see our favourite characters come to life at Leonay! There will also be lots of fabulous books to buy at our book fair. Don’t forget every book you buy helps our school library.

Book Club
Book Club issue 5 is due back to school by **Wednesday 30 July.**

Mrs Garbutt-Young

Spelling Bee Competition
During Weeks 4 and 5 students will be involved in a school spelling bee competition for Years 3-6. The school spelling final date for this competition will be 13 August. From this, 1 student from each year will represent the school at the Regional Final. The Regional Spelling Bee Competition date will be advised when information comes to hand. The official word lists for the spelling bee are available on https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/speaking-competitions/2014-premiers-spelling-bee.

The password is **decade**
Please note that Junior words begin at Level 1 and go to Level 5 and Senior words begin at Level 2 and go to Level 7.
PAYMENTS FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Leonay Public School provides a number of avenues for parents/caregivers to make payments. The following are currently available:

- Online payments (via the school’s website www.leonay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)
- Credit Card/Eftpos
- Cheque
- Cash

Whilst any one of these options is acceptable, the school’s preferred option is online payment. This system reduces the risks involved in cash handling and the possibility of lost notes and also provides the parent with proof that their payment was made. The school is advised by the bank that a payment has been made so the school has an electronic validation. Please refer to the website for instructions (see link below). If you are unsure or would like assistance, please do not hesitate to call the office. Feedback from parents who use this system has been very positive and it is hoped that more parents will start to utilise this option. Please be mindful that you must make the payment at least two days before the due date of an activity to ensure the payment is received by the school on time.


If you are making cash payments for any school activity, would you please ensure the payment is secured with the child’s name, class and what the payment is for. The school is receiving an increasing number of payments that are not secured with the money and note loose. The school cannot be responsible for any monies that go missing if your payment is not secured. Having cash/cheque payments organised at home ready for dropping off at the office would be very much appreciated. Please also be reminded that as we do not hold cash at the school and for security reasons, we are unable to give change over the counter.

Thank you for your co-operation

P & C NEWS

The P & C Committee and Leonay Public School would like to kindly acknowledge the contributions from the following local companies:

Specsavers Penrith; Plaza Rogue Valley Restaurant Penrith; Plaza Hogs Breath Restaurant Penrith Plaza; Sitiano’s Restaurant Penrith Plaza; San Churro’s Chocolateria Penrith Plaza; AMF Bowling Penrith; Unreal Mini Golf Penrith Cables Ski Park; Penrith Ming Chinese Restaurant.

Trivia Night – Friday 15 August 7pm
Book in your table of 8 for a fun night out. Order forms will be going home soon. Any donations for prizes, vouchers are gladly accepted.

Athletics Carnival BBQ
Orders are due back next Tuesday 22 July. We are in need of helpers on the day to prepare and pack orders. Please see Doris

Canteen
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday – open for snacks and drinks at lunchtime. Thursday – CLOSED
Friday – open for snacks and drinks at recess and lunch. Lunch orders available.
Fathers Day Stall
Donations for gifts are needed for the stall to be held on 4 September. Ideas for donations include socks, chocolates, mugs, golf balls, handkerchiefs and toiletries. Please leave any donations at the office.

Term 2 Week 9

Bronze Award Winners

Silver Award Winners

Gold Award Winners
Max W, Anthony B, Lana K, Abbey H

Congratulations!

School Banking Wednesdays
STAGE 3 FUNDRAISING RAFFLE

**Major Prizes**
1 x $30 AMF bowling voucher
1 x $30 Hoyts voucher
1 x $20 Smiggle voucher
2 x $20 iTunes vouchers

**Minor Prizes**
5 x $2 Canteen vouchers
1 ticket for $1
3 tickets for $2
7 tickets for $5

Tickets on sale before school, at the Athletics Carnival and on Open Day during Education Week.

Prizes will be drawn at Week 3 Assembly.
KATRINA’S HAIR SOLUTIONS

Mention you are from Leonay Public School and $1 from every hair cut will be donated to the Leonay School P & C fundraising.

All other hair services available.

Children’s Cuts $10
Adults Cuts $17

BLUE MOUNTAINS
BASEBALL & SOFTBALL CLUB

Summer Softball Registrations
2nd and 3rd Sundays in July (13th and 20th July)
2pm - 4pm
Lomatia Park, Springwood

Junior – Adult
Girls/Boys,
Male/Female

Training is at Lomatia Park, Springwood
All games are played on Saturdays
at
Surveyors Creek Softball fields,
Glenmore Park

NEW Junior players, please bring
Birth Certificate (original & a copy)

For further details ring Barbara Povic
0417 289 089 or check our website:
bluemountains.softball.org.au
Dear Parent,

Harvey Norman is proud to announce the launch of a new fund raising program in partnership with the Leonay Public School.

After many years of partnering local schools and community groups in fund raising activities we have developed a tried and proven fund raising program that is a simple and effective way to generate significant revenues for your school while offering huge savings to parents on computer equipment.

The fund raising program utilises our Factory Outlet division, where we offer refurbished trade-in computers at heavily discounted prices direct to the public. Our fund raising program offers schools like yours a 15% contribution on all computers sold to parents.

The key characteristics of the fund raising program are detailed below:

The computers

- We only carry the biggest and best computer brands including: Sony, Hewlett Packard, Toshiba, Asus, Samsung and Acer
- All computers are less than 12 months old
- We have a massive range in stock at all times including, laptops, tablets, desktops, all-in-one desktops and Ultrabooks
- All units are refurbished trade-ins that come complete with a 6 month replacement warranty
- They show a saving against similarly specified new computers of approximately 50%

The fund raising program

- Please see the attached flyer that shows you just a small example of the terrific value we offer parents when purchasing computer equipment as part of the fund raising program
- The flyer has a special and unique customer code so we can track all purchases made by parents from Leonay Public School.
- At the end of the promotional period (normally 30 days), we total up the gross and send your school a donation for 15% of the total equipment purchased.
- All you need to do is to bring in our flyer and we will do the rest.

To take advantage of this promotion, all you have to do is bring the attached flyer to the store located at the Cnr. Mulgoa Rd & Wolsley St Penrith (inside the Domayne Building).

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Yours sincerely,

Joseph Brybag
Fundraising co-ordinator
Leonay Public School – fund raising drive

Leonay Public School fund raising tracking number: FR1023

Please see below just a small example of the hundreds and hundreds of amazing computer specials we are proud to offer parents and carers as part of the Leonay public school fund raising program.

Fund raising program runs from July 1st to 31st.

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<td>Convertable tablet</td>
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Remember that 15% of the sale price of all computers purchased is donated back to your school!

- Please remember to bring this flyer with you when you visit the store when purchasing
- All units are refurbished trade-ins and come with a 6 month replacement warranty.
- All products listed above are one-offs and may be sold prior to your visit to our store.

Harvey Norman Penrith Factory Outlet
Cnr Mulgoa Road & Wolsey Street Penrith NSW 2750 (Located in the Domayne Complex) PH: (02)47375050
End of Carnival

Round One (1pm Start – 30mins)
Novelty
Short Put
Sprints 11 Yr Boys/Girls
Long Jump

Round Two (1:30pm Start – 30mins)
Novelty
Shot Put
Sprints 11 Yr Boys/Girls
Long Jump

Round Three (2pm Start – 30mins)
Novelty
Javelin 12 Yr Boys/Girls
Sprints 11 Yr Boys/Girls
Long Jump

Field Events – A bell will ring at the end of each round
12:30 – 1pm Lunch

Senior Girls
Senior Boys
Junior Girls
Junior Boys

Heats

100m Heats only

100m Heats will be the first races

7 Yr Boys/Girls
11 Yr Boys/Girls
12 Yr Boys/Girls
11 Yr Girls
10 Yr Girls
9 Yr Girls
8 Yr Girls
7 Yr Girls
6 Yr Girls
5 Yr Girls
4 Yr Girls
3 Yr Girls
2 Yr Girls

100m Preliminaries

100m Preliminaries will be run in three heats

Senior Girls
Senior Boys
Junior Girls
Junior Boys

War Cries

2014 LEONAY PUBLIC SCHOOL ATHLETES CARNIVAL
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