Principal’s Message

Curriculum
P-2 It was a lovely way to start our term seeing all the bright smiling faces of the P-2 children on Monday morning. We have a busy term ahead of us with new units in Maths, English, Science and History. Our English Unit involves discussing different types of words and how they are used in picture books. Science is the cause of much excitement as we look at “Our Place in Space”. The children received homework this week so if your child’s is missing please let me know. We have also noticed that a few children are not doing their nightly reading. Please make sure your sign their home reading log so that we know it is being completed. We are looking forward to a productive term.

Year 3-6 – Welcome back to term 2. This term will be busy, not only with curriculum delivery but with the start of the sporting season as well. There will be numerous opportunities for students to attend various sporting days as well as our inter-house athletics carnival held near the end of the term. Students are starting new units in English looking at media and how it influences us and ethical decisions that we make. In Math students are undertaking units of work in patterns and algebra. Students are also continuing their work in Art, History, HPE, Technology and Geography. In Science students will be researching planets, the earth and the moon.

ANZAC Day
This year the school will be involved in two events. The first is at the CWA hall on Friday 24th of April at approximately 10.30am. This is being held in conjunction with the Country Women’s Association and will involve the students attending and holding their ANZAC day ceremony in the hall. There is a guest speaker who will talk to the children as well.

The second event will be on the Saturday 25th of April. This is ANZAC day. The event will be held at Liberator Park after the march from the shop. Marshalling for the march is from 9.00 am with a start time of 9.15am. The ceremony will commence at 9.30am at Liberator Park. I hope to see everyone there.

Clifton State High School Principal Visit
On Wednesday 6th May, Clifton State High School Principal, Mrs Joy Craig will visit the Year 6 class for an information session for the students attending Clifton State High School in 2016. This will be a half hour visit with the students where they will have the opportunity to talk to Mrs Craig about the high school and the programs that they run.

Staffing Changes
We welcome Mrs Doreen Grant to our staff. Mrs Grant has transferred to Leyburn from Roma State College as a teacher aide. Please make her feel welcome.
Pre-service Teacher
Later in the term the year 3-6 classroom will have a pre-service teacher coming in to work with the students. Miss Heritage will be at the school from the 11th of May through to mid-June. During her time here she will undertake many duties of being a teacher. If you wish to know more information please contact the school office.

School Starting Time
Parents and students please be aware that supervision for students begins at school from 8.30am. Some students have been arriving at school before this time. Due to staffing there is a possibility that your child may not be supervised if they arrive before 8.30am. At times and in special circumstances some children may be able to arrive before 8.30am. This has to be organised with staff at the school so changes to staffing can be made. Please contact the office for more information.

P&C
The General meeting will be held on the 27th of April at 3.40pm. I would like to thank the following people for undertaking the executive positions for 2015. Belinda Smith – President, Cristy-Lee McIntyre – Vice-President, Nicole Jenkins – Treasurer. I look forward to working with the executive committee and the other P&C members over the course of the year.

Cross Country
I would like to thank all the community and the staff for the cross country carnival held at the end of last term. Well done to all the students who participated. An awards ceremony will be held on the 30th of April for our winners and to announce which house won the event.

School Pool
The pool has been finished and is now being set up for the winter period. It will be ready for use in term 4 this year when swimming commences again.

Tuckshop
Tuckshop will now be held each Friday. Orders are due into the tuckshop by Thursday.

Playgroup
Welcome back to playgroup. We are looking forward to a fun filled learning term. This week the children will be participating in ANZAC Day activities, we will also be introducing the children to different genre of music. Over the next two weeks we will be doing Mothers’ Day activities.

All community members are welcomed to attend playgroup. It is held each Wednesday from 9.00am – 11.00am. If you would like more information please contact the school office.

School Banking
School banking will occur on a Thursday. Please place all banking in the school box in the office no later than 9.00am Thursday.

Sam Gilmore
Teaching Principal

For community groups who wish to include notices within the school newsletter, please have them typed and emailed to the school at the.principal@leyburnss.eq.edu.au or chung1@eq.edu.au by 12.00 Noon the Tuesday prior.

Belinda Smith
President
Leyburn State School P&C Association
Leyburn Post Office

Big things are happening at the Leyburn Post Office, call in and see our changed floor plan.

Big discounts on all gift lines. Also, ask about the exciting new services we will be able to offer with the installation of flexipos in the coming weeks.

For more details drop into the Post Office or call 4695 0148

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TUCKSHOP MENU

TUCKSHOP DAY IS NOW FRIDAY

Please ensure correct tuckshop money is enclosed.
Orders can be dropped off at the shop before 9.30 Thursday Mornings.

(Prices and menu effective from 6th February, 2015)

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CWA MEETING

QCWA Meeting will be held the first Tuesday of each month
At 9.00am
Next Meeting 5th May, 2015
All Welcome

For Hall Bookings please contact:
Christine: 4695 0186 or Mary: 46950125

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LEYBURN AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

SATURDAY 2ND MAY

Morning Tea, Informal Discussion and Lunch

Special Guests: Ian and Geoff Graham, and Maxine Schrader (nee Graham), former Leyburn residents.

Leyburn residents are invited to attend this Morning Tea and participate in the informal discussion about the fascinating history of Leyburn, one of the oldest towns in Queensland.

Please bring a plate of food to share. Tea and coffee etc. will be available.

Time: 9.30am
Venue: QCWA Hall, MacIntyre Street, Leyburn.

The members of the Historical Society plan to hold these informal morning teas on a bi-monthly basis during 2015 to enable people to share their knowledge of Leyburn’s past.

Hana’s Hair Cuts
Professional cuts
Men, Ladies and Children’s cuts
Appointments necessary – available weekends
Phone 4695 0260
Cross Country