

Colour Fun Run

Congratulations to the Leeman Primary School P&C on a fantastic colour fundraiser. Monty's Slime Colour Fun Run was an absolute blast! Students, teachers, and families came together to run, walk, and get covered in vibrant, colourful slime, best of all the student who raised the most money in their classroom got the pleasure of dumping a bucket of slime on Mrs Rosenthal!















Sporting for Schools

Gecko Sports recently brought a fun basketball clinic to our students, offering an exciting opportunity for all skill levels to develop their basketball abilities. The clinic was led by an experienced coach who provided instruction on everything from shooting and dribbling to teamwork and strategy. Students had fun learning new techniques and building confidence on the court.





Upcoming Events

EASTER BAKE SALE

Seaside Supplies - Starting at 8am Saturday 19th April

FIRST DAY OF TERM 2

Monday 28th April

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY (PUPIL FREE DAY)

Friday 30th May

LABOR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday 3rd June

SCHOOL CAMP Y3-6

Tuesday - Friday 17th - 20th March

Junior Class News

The Junior Class has been very busy over the last few weeks. Students are flying along learning new words and sounds and have been completing a lot of work with numbers and addition.

In Maths we have been learning about number lines and that numbers go on forever. We have also been skip counting by 2s, 5s and 10s.

Friday 21st March, we went in the Colour Fun Run. The best parts were getting colours on us and sliming Mrs Rosenthal.







The Kindergarten and Pre-Primary students have been learning about rhyming words. The Pre-Primaries have learned the sounds 'm', 's' and 't'.

The Kindergarten students made butterflies and ladybirds. They have also been having fun reading lots of books.



In Digital Technology we have been learning how to be safe when we are online.

In Science we were learning about migration. It is when animals move to different places when the weather changes.



In Art we learned about colour mixing and we made an ice-cream artwork. We are also making a colour wheel flower.





On Fridays we go to breakfast club before school. We get to have toast, cereal, fruit and milk.







Senior Class News

The Senior Class hosted our first assembly of the year in week 8, and the students did a terrific job learning a song to present to the school community. Titled "Skin" the song was about taking care of your skin, by keeping it clean and protected. This tied in neatly with Health, where we also explored ways to stay sun smart. The students wrote their own speech to give at assembly, summarising an aspect of our learning this term.









In English we have been writing narratives: stories with characters, settings, complications, resolutions and endings. We have practised using adjectives (words that describe nouns) to develop our descriptive writing.

In Art we have been creating Pop Art. The students learned about the history of the style and its characteristics. They then applied the techniques they learned to create their own Pop Art creation.









We have introduced a system called ClassBank into the classroom, to enable students to learn about real life skills such as applying for a job, managing a bank account, and setting savings goals. The students can receive bonuses

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During the last few weeks, Science has been all about living things and lifecycles. Students have explored the stages in the life of various animals, such as frogs, butterflies, and lions, as well as plants.





SIDE this term has been an exciting journey for the students as they engage online teachers for SIDE. The platform has empowered students to navigate the program independently, fostering online learning.

Koby is currently investigating 'Living Things in Their Environment' - he is conducting an experiment with his teacher using mouldy bread and making predictions about the conditions that affect yeast activity.

Year 4 Curriculum focus is Life Cycles - they are focusing on Wonderful Wind and seed dispersal - enhancing their understanding of the interconnectedness of life and the environment.

The students have worked hard this term and continue to be enthusiastic about studying science.













From the Princippal's Nesk

Congratulations to everyone on a fantastic start to the school year. Term 1 certainly was very busy with lots of activities and fundraising.

ON-Entry and NAPLAN testing was completed and this went smoothly with no catch up tests needing to be done. Students tried their best and that is all we ask of them. On our annual review form the Public School Review, the area of focus is student achievement. Both On-Entry and NAPLAN provide solid local, state and national baseline data of student achievement, and are just some of the formal assessments used to guide the teaching and learning here at Leeman PS.

Teaching staff have recently attended Professional Learning on Talk For Writing, so keep an eye out in the future for some literary masterpieces. On Thursday this week, the Senior Class is heading to Eneabba PS for a STEM Day which is being run by the SIDE teachers. It is a fantastic opportunity for the students to meet their teachers and students from Eneabba PS and Chapman Valley PS and enjoy some hands on Science lessons in small group rotations.

Well done to the P&C, students and parents for your continued efforts in fundraising for our school.

This term has been busy with election bbq, lunch orders, chocolate and lolly box sales and most excitingly for the students, the Colour Fun Run. It was certainly an experience being slimed, with the highlight being able to watch all of the children have a wonderful time. Some of the funds raised from the P&C are being used to help fund some of the Senior Class camp next term. We are certainly looking forward to this experience.

Next term, school returns on Monday 28th April. The weather will have cooled by then, so a reminder that winter school uniforms are available to be purchased from the P&C at the school office. I am looking forward to seeing everyone return in their full school uniform next term.

Have a happy holiday break and enjoy Easter too. See you all refreshed next term.

Kind regards,

Evelyn Rosenthal Principal

Merit Certificates



Esme Cate - Academic
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Remmi Jongedyk - Academic
Xander Mackenzie - Academic
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Georgia Bull - Academic
Jackson Bull - Physical Education



Learning Journey

On Tuesday 8th April, the classrooms we a buzz for our Learning Journey afternoon. This was a great opportunity for the students to show off their work and reflect on their progress and to see how much they have achieved this year so far. Thank you to all of the families that joined us for the Learning Journey.















Leeman Primary School P&C

We would like to say thank you to the Leeman Primary School P&C who have been hard at work with some really great fundraisers this year. Term 1 has seen the chocolate box fundraiser, colour fun run, the winning margin, school canteen and the upcoming Easter raffle and bake sale.

All funds raised by the P&C go towards the purchase school resources and IT equipment for the students to enjoy.

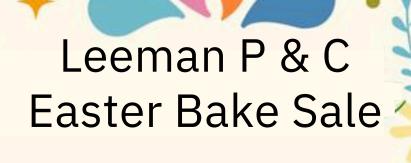


Birthdays

A big happy birthday to everyone who is celebrating their birthday over the holiday or has a birthday coming up!

Tucker Kaci Mrs Bailey Mrs Lewis

Mrs Rosenthal Sophia Mair Mrs Buckeridge



Easter Saturday, 19th of April, 2025 at Seaside Supplies from 8am.

We are seeking donations of Easter items for our *Easter Basket Raffle*.

Donated items can be dropped off at the school office prior to the end of Term 1, 11th April 2025.

<u>Easter Bake Sale</u> – we are also seeking items for our bake sale, such as: *cakes biscuits slices muffins pizzas sausage rolls pies*Donated items greatly appreciated. (Please add a sticker with ingredients used on each item.)

Items can be dropped off Easter Saturday morning before 8am, or to drop off prior to the date please be in contact with:

<u>Leeman</u> Tia Pol (0478779533) Green Head Kate Zimmermann (0409293376)

All fundraising efforts benefit the students at Leeman Primary School For further information please contact a P&C member or call the school on 9953 3100.



Easter Bake Sale

Raffles & Money Board Cakes and savoury items

