Senior Class Camp

Thank you to everyone who supported, fundraised for and sponsored the Senior Class camp. Your contributions made this unforgettable experience possible.

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Assembly & Merit Certificates

Thank you to the Senior Class for hosting another great assembly. In week 4 of term 3 the assembly will be held on Thursday 14th August at **9.30am** followed by the Biggest Morning Tea Cancer Council Fundraiser.

Well done to the students who received merit certificates at the week 9 assembly.

Ollie Wann - Academic
Maeli Galvin - Academic
Colin Johannessen - Academic
Kale Larder - Academic
Benjamin Kempton- West - Values
Cruz Wann - Academic



Upcoming Events

First day of Term 3 Monday 21st July

Biggest Morning Tea Assembly 9:30am Thursday 14th August

School Development Day (Pupil free day) Friday 15th August

Sporting for Schools

In week 6 Gecko Sports visited our school as part of the Sporting for Schools program, to deliver a whole school golf clinic.

Although the wet weather was less then desirable, after a slight course adjustment that was a little less wet, nothing could stop the students' teeing off mini golf in the undercover area.

There were many skills learnt and lots of fun to be had!











Wishing all our students and families a safe and happy school holidays. Enjoy the break and we look forward to seeing you in Term 3!

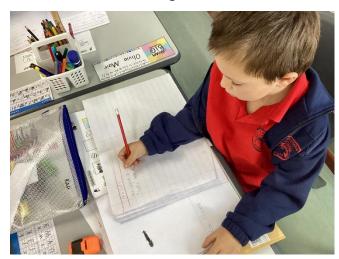
Junior Room News

Term 2 has continued to be a busy one! We enjoyed being the big kids at school during week 8 when the seniors were away at camp. We have two new students in our class this term.





In English the year 1 and 2 students have been writing their own stories and typing them on the laptops. They have also learned about plurals, irregular plurals and suffixes. The Pre-Primaries have learned the letters c, d, h and o and the Kindergarten students have been reading lots of books.





In Maths students have been learning how to make equal groups using skip counting and repeated addition. They have been skip counting by 5s, 10s, 2s and 3s. They have also been learning about patterns.



In Science students have been learning about how plants grow and the different parts of plants and trees. They planted some snow pea seeds. Some have grown, but others did not grow.

In week 5 Mr Sheriffs came and taught students how to play golf. The most fun was when they got to do big hits on the oval with wedges and when making their own mini-golf course. Students have also been doing cross country training every day. They run around the oval for 10 minutes and see how many laps they can do.

In week 7 students met the Peace Run team who are running with the torch around Australia. The students had the opportunity to run with the torch during their visit.



Senior Room News

The Senior Class have been working on speaking and listening skills this term and were given the task of performing interviews with each other. They wrote questions, prepared answers and practised good posture and hand gestures. They also practised using a strong, clear and variable tone of voice. At the end of the process, students filmed the interviews and created a show called *The Leeman Legends Show*, where legends of Leeman PS get to talk about themselves. It was very entertaining.









The Seniors have also had an opportunity to check the rain gauge on Wednesday's, reading how many millimetres of rain had fallen overnight. The activity ties in very well with their studies about measurement of volume and capacity. It is also a great chance to test out their estimation skills before reading the gauge.



Mathematics lessons have included a few topics this term, with some revision of what they have learnt so far throughout the year. Decimals, percentage and fractions have been on the list of topics, and students had a chance to place these on a number line to compare and find equivalence.





In Science, there has been further investigation into the topic of heat. The year 3 students ran an experiment to compare how different materials conduct heat more or less effectively. They found that metal was the best conductor of heat, because the butter melted.





Gear 3-6 School Camp

The year 3 – 6 students had an action packed week full of unforgettable experiences. From zooming down the Flying Fox and hitting targets in Archery, to a few friendly games at Zone Bowling. They also explored the wonders of AQWA, unleashed their curiosity at Scitech, and toured the impressive Optus Stadium. Based at Ern Halliday Camp School, each day was packed with fun, challenge, and discovery.

Today on the way to the camp site we went to AQWA and saw some fishes and turtles. We got to touch a Bamboo Shark and a Port Jaxson Shark, we also got to see some shark eggs and saw the people that work there cleaning the coral.

When we got to the camp we got to climb up a gaint sand dune next to the dorms and saw a kangaroo at 5:00 o,clock pm and we got to go on a zip line/ flying fox.

Im having a great time!









Koby Larder

Today we went to Aqwa. We saw a lot of fish. There was a under water tunnel and we saw sting rays' sharks' fish and a lot of coral. After that we went to our camp and had some afternoon tea. After we went on a zip line and had a lot of fun. After we went back to our house and had shouers. Then went to have dinner we had buter chicken and rice and for disert we are having chocolate cake.

Cruz Wann









Today we went to Scitech it was so cool there was sooooo much fun stuff there. My fav thing at Scitech was driving the car after that we went to Side and the yr 4-6 saw the teacher. Then we had aftoon tea for afternoon tea we had watermelon and icepoles. Then we went to archry it was soo fun i lost i got 3 points after that we went to have dinner for dinner we had mroocin chicken and veges it was so good for desort we had chocolate, strarberry,pineapple and marshmelos on a stick it was soooooo good i could not have any more after five bowes i was soo exited for it.

Georgia Bull











From the Principals Desk

The school holidays are finally here, a time to rest and recharge. The term has been a busy one, with a lot of events for the students. We have had 2 days of Gecko sports, delivering golf sessions to the students, Peace Run incursion, Yirra Yaakin Theatre Company performance and Senior Class Camp.

Senior Camp has been a real highlight for our students and the whole school community. Thank you to everyone who supported our students to be able to attend a school camp- the first one in a very long time. Moving forward, we are planning for Senior Camp to be every two years.

School reports are coming home this week. Students are to be congratulated on their efforts so far this year. It was fantastic to see so many 'consistently' achievements in the Attitude, Behaviour and Effort of students' learning.

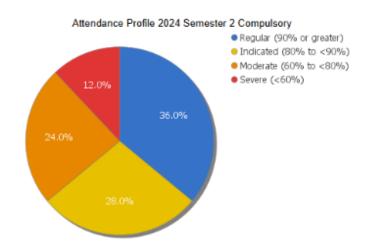
Some pleasing data to share with our school community is the current attendance data. At the end of Semester 2 last year, we had 12% of our students indicating severe attendance, and this year we have no indicated severe attendance. Congratulations to parents and students on this fantastic effort. Hopefully next semester, we can decrease our moderate attendance to increase our regular attendance.

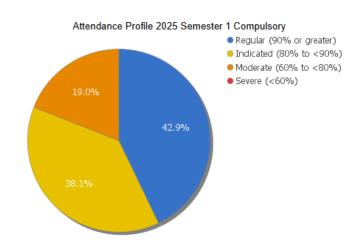
Have a happy, safe and healthy school holiday break. We look forward to seeing you all next term.

Kind regards,

Evelyn Rosenthal

Principal





If your child misses	That equals	Which is	and over 13 years of schooling that is
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 ½ years</u>
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over <u>2 ½ years</u>
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over <u>5 years</u>
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly <u>8 years</u>



Morning Tea



Hosted by Leeman Primary School P&C Association

Join us for the Biggest Morning Tea, starting with a school assembly at 9.30am, followed by morning tea and raffles.

Where: Leeman Primary School

Date: Thursday, 14th August

Time: 9.30am

We are seeking donations of prizes for the continuous raffle, and morning tea items.

Items can be dropped off at the school office.



Proceeds go to the Cancer Council

















