



Warrenheip Primary School Newsletter

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DATES TO REMEMBER

March

Mon	22	School Council meeting 6pm
Tue	23	Preparation for Puberty (5 / 6)
Wed	24	Responsible Pet Ownership (All)
Wed	31	Easter Raffle draw

April

Thu	01	Class party; casual clothes Last day of term; 2.30pm finish
Mon	19	Start term 2

Puzzle time!

What is this well-known saying / activity?

Travel

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Dear Parents and Community Members,

What a busy 2 weeks we have had since the last newsletter! Cross country was a great success for both groups of kids – the younger children benefitted greatly from the opportunity to meet other students from different schools at Lal Lal, while the older kids did a fabulous job of running or supporting at Russel Square. Also that week staff visited Lal Lal one evening to work with teachers from the other small schools to improve our teaching of writing.

Unfortunately I was sick that weekend, but I was very pleased that we started to have the Grade 6 students run our assembly for us. This will be an ongoing thing and will provide the G6 children with valuable leadership opportunities and experience.

This week the older children began their puberty education, which will continue next week. This is a standard part of the curriculum and is taught in all schools. It does occasionally raise some questions at home, so if you have any concerns or need further support please don't hesitate to get in touch.

On Wednesday all the students went back to Lal Lal PS for a joint session in the Life Education van. Healthy Harold was a big hit as usual and we had another opportunity to socialise with a bigger group of kids.

We are only 2 weeks from the end of term now so the diary dates have started to show events for next term, to help with planning. Next term looks to be just as busy as this one, so thank goodness there's a holiday in between!

This week's newsletter sees a return of the newsletter puzzle feature (by popular demand!). Children can tell me the answer to the puzzle and I will announce a winner in the following newsletter. Winners receive fame and glory and the satisfaction of knowing they were right!☺

EASTER RAFFLE

I'm sure you have seen on the parent's Facebook page that the Easter raffle is being held again this year to raise money for the school. We need you to help us by donating Easter eggs or other yummy things for the raffle prizes. We also need you to get busy selling the tickets to family and friends. Tickets are coming home

today with the children – you have to be in it to win it!

MILK BOTTLES

Many thanks to all who have brought in milk bottles so far – we are doing really well but we still need more so please keep collecting and sending to school. Thanks!

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Due to my illness school council will now meet on Monday at 6pm. Are you interested in helping to run Warrenheip PS? School council performs a vital task in the governance of the school and we have vacancies for interested parents. Please contact me for more info.

PARTY

Thursday 1 April is the last day of term, and since it is a Thursday and all of our staff will be here we would like to throw an Easter party. We would like the children to bring a plate of food to share for lunch on that day, and we will be in casual clothes. There may even be an Easter egg hunt....

*Have a great weekend,
Arthur Lane*