



Warrenheip Primary School Newsletter

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DATES TO REMEMBER

May

Tue	18	Somers Camp departs
Thu	20	GRIP Student Leadership conference (G6)
Fri	21	Winter Sport
Sat	22	Bunnings BBQ
Wed	26	Somers Camp returns
Mon	31	Pupil Free day (Writing)

June

Mon	14	Queen's Birthday holiday
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Thought for the Day

*I have found that if you
love life, life will love you
back.*

Arthur Rubinstein

Dear Parents and Community Members,

A huge well done to all of the children who came out last Friday to the athletic sports at Llanberris. We had a wonderful day out there – the weather was fabulous and the children all enjoyed taking part in the various events. Especial thanks to the parents who helped out on the day; we couldn't have managed without you!

Well done also to the children in grades 5 and 3 for completing the NAPLAN this week. A quite stressful event which is now over for another year. NAPLAN results generally don't come out to us until September so don't be surprised if it takes a long time before you hear any more about NAPLAN.

Today the grade 3 – 6 children are taking part in the second day of winter sports and so far the rain has held off. Fingers crossed for the rest of the afternoon.

This week we had our first visit from our new resident artist Jacinta from the Creative Artists in Schools program. There is a special flyer being sent out with this newsletter with more information about the program, the artist and some of the

extras that will be available. We look forward to our collaboration with Jacinta over the next two terms and seeing all the wonderful art works that the children will make!

We need your empty bread bags! Warrenheip PS has signed up to the Wonder bread bag recycling program which could bring in some free sports equipment for the school. All we need you to do is to keep your empty bread bags (any brand) and send them to school. We will package them up and send them back to Wonder for recycling and for points to go towards sports equipment. Thanks for your help!

Parents club have a note coming out with this week's newsletter – they are looking for donations towards the Bunnings BBQ. Napkins, drinks and an esky are all on the list – please check it out and help if you can. Parents club would also like me to let everyone know that there will be a meeting of parents club next Tuesday the 18th at school at 3.15pm. Please come along to support your primary school. Also, don't forget that Playgroup meets at school on Fridays from 9.15 to 11am.

Coming home in hard copy this week are some notes for the older children. On Thursday next week the Grade 6 children will be attending the GRIP student leadership conference at Fed. Uni. This will be a great opportunity for them and comes very highly recommended.

Also in hard copy is the very first note for the cluster camp later this year. Children in grades 4 – 6 will be coming to Melbourne to take part in a number of exciting activities over 3 days. More details are in the note. We need to get an idea of numbers for the final bookings so please return these notes as soon as possible.

In the diary this week are 2 days when school will be closed. Monday the 31st May will be a pupil free day for staff to attend a writing course, and Monday 14th June is the Queen's birthday holiday.

Best of luck to the Somers campers who leave next week – I know that you will have a fantastic time and make a lifetime's worth of memories!

*Have a great weekend,
Arthur Lane*