



Warrenheip Primary School Newsletter

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon	May 1 st	School Council meeting 6pm
Wed	May 3 rd	Marine Discovery Centre Queenscliff
Thu	May 4 th	Life Ed. Van visit Hot Lunch Order
Fri	May 5 th	Athletic Sports (Llanberris)
Tue	May 9 th	NAPLAN (Grades 3 / 5) (3 days)
Fri	May 12 th	Winter Sports
Fri	May 26 th	Winter Sports
Mon	Jun 5 th	Grade 2 Sovereign Hill School Council meeting 6pm

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"The greatest glory in living lies not in never failing, but rising every time we fall."

Nelson Mandela

Dear Parents and Community Members,

The winter weather has really started to bite now, and I am sure that everyone has got their fires going and is settling in to the 'winter routine'. At school we had a small flood over the ANZAC day holiday and have had to get a de-humidifier and two big commercial fans in to the 3/4 classroom. Well done to Mrs Tromp and the children for coping with the disruption.

Next week is a very busy one, with three special events: Queenscliff, the Life Ed van and Athletics. Can I please ask that you make sure that you have returned all 3 permission notes?

Please remember that Athletics is at Llanberris – children need to be dropped off there by 9am and can be picked up at about 2.30pm. Children who are intending to participate in the 1500m need to be there at 8am for an 8.20 start.

Don't forget the Mother's Day activity form, which came home

last week, and also Book Club, if you would like.

School council meets on Monday night – councillors should have received a package of reports and plans to review before the meeting. Please check your child's bag if you haven't got the envelope!

We will be having a Hot Lunch next Thursday instead of Friday (due to Athletics). The order form is attached to the newsletter.

As we continue to get the school portal up and running I am now sending home a brief explanation of the system and what it will do for us. There is a place there for you to send in your email address so that we can send information and (eventually) permission forms straight to your phone, tablet or computer. Please take the time to fill in the form and return it to school.

Many thanks to Julie for doing the mowing around the school and getting us ready for the Winter Sports program, which starts this afternoon.

There are a couple of requests for help which I must put out there.

Firstly, I have had a request from the ELGAS rep to cut back the vine around the gas tank, especially around the gate, and on the inside of the enclosure (there is supposed to be a 900mm gap between the tank and any plants, apparently!). Any assistance would be very much appreciated.

The second request is for help putting up the new basket-ball backboard. It needs to be lifted in to place and clamped, drilled and through-bolted. It will be a two man job as the board is quite heavy, and I need to buy the fixings before we can do the job. If you would be willing to help could you please contact me at school. Thank you!

Finally, Mrs Le Marshall will be away for the next two weeks on long service leave. We hope that she has a lovely time and enjoys caring for her grandchildren. She will be replaced mostly by Mrs Chandler and Miss Keighrey.

Have a great weekend,

Arthur Lane