DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

APRIL
Thurs 4th - Wacky Hair Day (Close Shave at 11.45am)
Fri 5th - LNPSSA Netball Gala Day (Leeton Stadium Precinct)
            - 3-6 Assembly (Hall) 12.25pm
            - Parkview PS Cross Country 11am
Thurs 11th - LNPSSA Softball Gala Day (LHS Ovals)
Fri 12th - K-2 Assembly (Hall) 12.25pm
            - Final Day of Term 1

MAY
Wed 1st - Term 2 Commences for students K-6
Fri 3rd - Riverina PSSA Rugby League (Wagga Wagga)
            - Riverina PSSA Girls Softball (Wagga Wagga)
*Please check the website for more dates!
Golden Apple Super Store
Yanco Road, Leeton
Phone: 02 6953 2000
- Groceries & Meat
- Fruit & Vegetables
- Gardening Needs

Quality Kitchens & Cabinets
By Qualified Craftsmen
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Preview Your Kitchen In 3D
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or Graham 6953 4985
- New homes
- Extensions
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- Touch-ups

S.T.C. Playgroup
Each Monday
11.00AM – 1.00PM
All Welcome
Out of School Care Building
Playgroup Is Free
Snack Provided For Children
FURTHER INFORMATION
COURTNEY or KELLY: 0406 730 250
02 6971 3411

Please support the above sponsors who are supporting our school
Welcome back to school after what I hope for all of you was a relaxing Easter weekend. The tone was set for the weekend last Wednesday with a wonderful family event in the form of our annual Easter Hat Parade. It was tremendous to see so many students participate in the parade and so many family members present to share in the Parade and then lunch afterwards.

All of the children who participated in the parade should be congratulated for their efforts on the day. Thanks is extended to Miss Boys and Mrs Davidson for the coordination of this activity and special thanks to the Easter Bunny for his special guest appearance despite the heat on Wednesday.

There were hats of all shapes and sizes, the heat of the day ensuring a number of sun-smart options were taken by students during the parade. Melting chocolate in the 36oC heat was a common site, while a guest appearance from the Easter Bunny ensured the young and young at heart were treated to a small Easter treat in recognition of the impending season.

Judges found it extremely difficult to judge the Easter Hats this year, looking for originality and evidence of collaboration in making and design between students and their parents.

Prize winners were:
KB: Shaniqua Pawa & Jay Longford
KT: Jayden Fichera & Tahlia O’Brien
KF: Maddison Weir & Connor Holden
1A: Beau Basham
1T: Jade Clough & Jeremiah Ashby
1/2H: Emma Hawkins & Seth Bourke
2S: Eligh Watson & Alira Lyons
3M: Calleigh O’Brien & Adrian Baker
3/4H: Danny Bloomfield & Cheyenne Roberts
5M: Cooper Holmes & Jorja Sink-Crowe
6C: Marni Cuningham & Mathew Axtill

This week at Parkview will be another very busy week despite the abbreviated nature of the week. Our girls in Years 5 & 6 will be preparing for Friday’s Gala Day, while all students will continue their preparations for next week’s Cross Country.

A reminder that Cross Country Lunch Order Forms are due to be submitted to the canteen no later than next Monday, 8th April.

Please consider the following as you plan your week:

Wacky Hair Day
Each term Parkview’s P&C support one charity as part of the SRC’s quest to develop civic minded citizens in our community. The SRC attempts to target charities that either directly support our community or a cause that has a direct link to our community.

This term the Parkview SRC has decided to support the Peter Mac Institute and its fundraiser ‘The Ride To Conquer Cancer’. Parkview community member Bruce Gilmour is part of the local Leeton group ‘Team Michael’ who are participating in this fundraiser and to support Parkview PS is hosting a Wacky Hair Day this Thursday.

For the fundraiser the kids are encouraged to bring a gold coin donation for the honour of wearing Wacky Hair. We will have some canteen vouchers to give away to each class for students who have the wackiest hair!

Community members can also donate to this cause if you wish. Bruce will be shaving his head as part of the day. The amount of money raised on the day will determine just how close the shave is!

The levels have been set as follows:
$500-Number 3 cut
$1000-Number 2 cut
$1500-Number 1 cut
$2000 plus-Zero cut
An Easter Saturday collection of local businesses and shoppers in Pine Ave raised **$815.20** for Bruce’s ‘Close Shave’, so we are well on the way to a number 2 cut (at least). A big thank you to the following businesses and individuals who became sponsors of this event on Saturday:

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Staff at Parkview PS and Leeton HS will be passing the hat around to support Bruce in his quest, with the aim of hopefully seeing him lose all of his locks on Thursday, at the school hall from 11.45am.

If you would like to make a donation, feel free to drop in your donation to the Administration Office at school prior to Thursday’s shave!

**Voluntary Contribution Fees**

Attached to today’s newsletter is the 2013 Voluntary Contribution Fees. The P&C endorsed the Voluntary Contribution Fee at the AGM and have set the fees at the following prices:

- **1st child enrolled at Parkview:** $25
- **2nd child enrolled at Parkview:** $20
- **3rd and subsequent children enrolled at Parkview:** $15

Your voluntary contributions assist the school in the on-going purchase of a range of consumable items that ensure your children’s learning is as innovative and engaging as possible. We appreciate the P&C’s endorsement of Voluntary Contribution Fees.

**Winchingara 0-5 Early Learning Centre**

A reminder to Parents and Carers of children who are yet to commence school, that Parkview PS is currently coordinating a 0-5 Early Learning Opportunity at Gossamer Cottage (Gossamer Street, Wattle Hill) for all families who have children they wish to engage in fundamental learning skills.

Children engage in a range of indoor and outdoor activities from 9.15am-10.45am Wednesdays. We encourage parents to come along, meet some new people and allow their children to immerse themselves in the activities provided and develop social networks with children they are likely to go to Pre-School or Kindergarten with.

A healthy morning tea is provided and there is no charge for the activity.

**Uniform Shop**

A reminder that the Uniform Shop Hours have changed, providing a morning timeslot for parents who wish to utilise the service. The new hours are:

- **Thursdays 9am-10am**
- **Fridays 2.15pm-3.15pm**

Community members are welcome to make purchases, laybys or browse at any time during these hours. **If you cannot make it to the Uniform Shop during these times it is vital that you ring the school to make an appointment** with coordinator Niomi McKellar. Please ring the school on 69532600 and you will be transferred to the Canteen/Uniform Shop.

**Allergies**

A number of children enrolled at our school have severe allergies. Some have anaphylactic reactions to nuts and nut products and in other cases fish products.

With this in mind we ask that the amount of peanut products provided for lunch or recess foods be kept to a minimum. Examples of items we would prefer not see at school include, but is not restricted to **Nutella, Snickers Bars, Peanut Butter sandwiches or cakes and slices made with peanuts or peanut products.** We thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Our preference is for all children to bring nut free items to school. If this is a challenge for families we ask you to discuss this with the school as a matter of urgency. The safety of all children in our school is at the centre of this request.

Class teachers have discussed the need to be wary about the health of students in our school. To assist us with this, please ensure you chat to your child about not sharing or swapping food at school.
Parkview Public School Website
Don’t forget to log on to www.parkview-p.schools.nsw.edu.au for all of the latest news, pictures and calendar updates for your school and links to educational information that is relevant to your child!

Golden Apple Docket Fundraiser
Please keep your Golden Apple shopping docket cards and place them in the container at the front office. This is a great way to raise funds for our students. Parkview Public School receives 5c from every ten dollars collected.

If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact me.
Have a great week!
Travis Irvin
Principal

SCHOOL BANKING

School Banking continues tomorrow!

Banking news!!

• Tokens- 1 token will be handed out for every deposit made through School Banking
• Collect 10 tokens and exchange them for a prize (information handed out at that time)
• New yellow banking wallets will be handed out when old ones break
• New deposit books will be sent home when they are running low.

CONGRATULATIONS YEAR 3
on making the most deposit over the last 3 weeks!!!!
Zooper Doopers will be coming your way soon!!

Canteen Roster 2013  Term 1

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**SRC - WACKY HAIR DAY!**

Parkview SRC has voted to have a 'Wacky Hair Day' to collect money for Mr Gilmour who is raising funds for 'The Ride To Conquer Cancer'. Bruce is going to shave his head for the occasion!

The more money we raise the closer the shave!! Please bring in a Gold Coin donation or more if you can spare it and let's have a great day for a great cause.

**When : This Thursday 4th April**

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**Easter Guessing competition**

1st Prize (Roxy Theatre Pass for 6 and Easter Basket valued at $200):

**Sarah Morris**

2nd Prize (Eggs Cups and Easter Basket valued at $100):

**Mark McMillan**

3rd Prize (Easter Basket valued at $50):

**Paul Bowyer**

Lucky Ticket Seller Prizes went to **Summer Fattore (K-2) and Sheridan Scali (3-6)**
NEWS FROM K-6

No assembly last week due to public holiday on Friday

**READER OF THE WEEK**
KB – Ella Ryan
KF – Axel Patten
KT – Jayden Fishera
YR 1 A – Jasmine Minchin
YR 1 T – Leyton Sharpley
YEAR 1/2 - Klem Penrith
YEAR 2S – Mason Boardman
YEAR 3 -
YEAR 3/4 – Katie Richards
YEAR 5 – Ruby Kiker
YEAR 6 – Chelsie Wood-Jorden

**3 - 6 Assembly**
Friday 5\(^{th}\) April
Year 5 – Item
Year 5 - Stories

**K – 2 Assembly**
Friday 12\(^{th}\) April
KB - Stories
KT - Item

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Monday 22\(^{nd}\) – Wednesday 24\(^{th}\) April 2013

*Specialist coaching catering for all skill levels of players 12 to 16 years.*

**All players receive:**

- Top class coaching and instruction from NRL Development Staff, guest coaches and the opportunity to meet current NRL players (subject to availability).
- Dormitory room accommodation with dining, recreation, video, seminar rooms and use of the Borambola Camp’s facilities
- All meals from dinner Monday to lunch Wednesday
- 2 nights’ accommodation, CRL Football, 1 training shirt, Cap, Water bottle, Camp Photo and Certificate of Attendance

The Camp cost is $220.00. There are no additional costs and the three-day camp provides the players with an invaluable Rugby League experience they will always remember. Throughout the duration of the camp, players will follow a carefully balanced program designed to promote skill development, sportsmanship, fun and enjoyment. All players are fully supervised throughout the duration of the camp by trained NRL Staff and NSW Sport and Recreation Staff.

**For further information, email:**

dskinner@crlnsw.com.au
or register online
www.bidgeebulls.leaguenet.com.au

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PPS CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL 2013
The 2013 Parkview Public School Cross Country Carnival will be held the last Thursday of Term 1 (April 11th 2013). As in previous years, the course will be a school based track which includes Parkview school grounds and its immediate surrounds. Children across all grades will prepare for the carnival by participating in daily runs at school beginning this week. Any extra training your child completes at home will only help to prepare them further! A family lunch will proceed after the completion of the final event on the day. Information for this lunch will be distributed next week. If you are able to assist on the day of the carnival please complete and detach the bottom of this week’s edition of Talking Sport.

LNPSSA NETBALL GALA DAY
The LNPSSA Netball Gala Day will be held this Friday. All Year 5 and 6 girls will be attending the day. Please ensure notes and money are returned to myself ASAP. Miss Claire Marks

2013 HOUSE CHAMPIONSHIP
Accurate at 25/03/13

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Matt Collins
PPS Sports Coordinator

PPS CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL 2013
The Parkview Public School Cross Country Carnival will be held on Thursday April 11th (Last Thursday of Term 1). As in previous years the assistance of parents and community members is crucial to ensure the smooth running of the day. If you are able to assist in anyway please return complete, detach and return the bottom of this form.

I _____________________________ am able to assist at the 2013 PPS Cross Country Carnival.

I can assist ; ○ Whole Day ○ Times ____________

Signed: ______________________________               Date: ______________________
Leeton Netball Association Registration day's

Saturday 30th March
Jarrah Mall 9 – 12 pm
Wednesday 3rd April
Leeton Stadium
Net Set Go – Kinder and year 1 - $80 (a backpack with goodies is provided in price)
D Grade – Years 2 and 3 - $80
C Grade – Years 4, 5 and 6 - $80
B Grade – years 7 – 10 - $100
Competition starts 4th May 2013 and runs for 11 weeks
Any queries please contact
Rachal Broadbent – 0404841826 or jbr06043@bigpond.net.au
Alison Evans – 0428277144
Team and individual nominations accepted

School Holiday Fun

Kids Bingo @ The Soldiers

Leeton Soldiers Club
Wednesday April 17th
11.00-2.00 (Approx)
$12.00 per child including -
Bingo book, Marker, Lunch & Drink
Heaps of cool prizes to be won!!
(Kids under 10 must have adult supervision)

Gables Family Day Care
With Newtrain Family Day Care

Child Care Vacancies Now Available
I am a licensed and registered family day carer with the NewTrain Family Day Care Scheme
I currently have vacancies for children up to five years of age, in my home based child care business
located in Leeton.
I also provide before & after school care and vacation care.
Age Appropriate activities are programmed to encourage your Child’s personal development.
As a licensed family day carer you may be entitled to assistance with your child care fees, via the
Child Care Benefit (CCB).

Business Hours are
Monday to Friday
From 8.00am to 5.00pm
Call me now for more information

TRACEY BULLIVANT
Your Local Family Day Carer
4/10 Waratah Street, Leeton NSW 2705

Telephone: 02 69556286 (H) or 0428556286 (M)
Email: trackiebullivant@harboursat.com.au
ABN NUMBER: 95921417032
Autumn 2013 Western Riverina Junior Chess Tournament in Griffith

WHERE: Father O’Dea Hall
St. Patrick’s Primary School, Griffith
(cnr Warrambool St and Animoo Ave)

WHEN: Monday 22nd April 2013
(week 2 of the school holidays)

TIME: 9:15 am to 3:30 pm

ENTRY FEE: $10 [$15 for a family]

OPEN TO: Anyone under the age of 18 who likes to play chess

PRIZES: Trophies for 1st, 2nd & 3rd
in Under 18 and Under 12

REGISTER BY: 19th April 2013 by contacting:
Noel Maddern Ph 0428 887 626
or by email: noel.maddern@det.nsw.edu.au

WHAT TO BRING: Lunch & refreshments [soft drink, juice and water available]

You don’t have to be a great chess player, as this is a fun tournament,
but knowledge of the rules is required.

The results will be sent to the NSW Junior Chess League for ratings.

Chess: the clever sport
The voluntary school contribution is used to provide the much needed equipment and resources that are not provided by the Education Department.

Whilst this fee is voluntary, it is very beneficial for the use of our students. It would be appreciated if as many people as possible were able to pay this school contribution.

These fees specifically target:
- Classroom student consumables
- Subsidising some whole school activities
- New library books

Our school contribution fees are very cheap i.e. First Students $25, Second Students $20, Third or more students $15 each.

Please support your school by paying your child/ren’s school contribution.

Travis Irvin
Principal

(Please detach and send together with payment to class teacher)

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VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION
Please find enclosed my school contribution of $ ________

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