DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

APRIL
Thurs 11th
Fri 12th
- Parkview PS Cross Country 11am
- LNPSSA Softball Gala Day (LHS Ovals)
- K-2 Assembly (Hall) 12.25pm
- Final Day of Term 1

MAY
Wed 1st
Fri 3rd
- Term 2 Commences for students K-6
- Riverina PSSA Rugby League (Wagga Wagga)
- Riverina PSSA Girls Softball (Wagga Wagga)
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02 6971 3411

Please support the above sponsors who are supporting our school
It is hard to believe that the final week of the school term is upon us. Congratulations to our School Netball team who made the LNPSSA final of the local Netball Knockout on Friday! Well done to the girls. A more detailed account of their achievements is included later in the newsletter.

The weekend was a big weekend for Leeton and surrounding districts, with the unveiling of the tribute to Sir Samuel McCaughey at McCaughey Park in Yanco on Saturday. Parkview was well represented at this event. Thanks to Miss Quinlivan for coordinating our children’s involvement with a significant moment in our district’s history.

Pictured at right are our School Leaders with Mr Adrian Piccoli (State Member for Murrumbidgee) and Mr Michael McCormack (Federal Member for Riverina) alongside the newly unveiled statue of Sir Samuel McCaughey.

It has been a whirlwind term at Parkview PS, with a huge range of activities occurring throughout the term. When I reflect upon what has occurred in our school in recent months, it further underlines the rich, diverse and vibrant community we are involved with. Our children continue to make tremendous gains in all areas of the curriculum, embracing independent learning practices and meaningful self-monitoring strategies that will establish them as meaningful life-long and self-regulated learners.

We can all take great pride in the way our newest Kindergarten students have settled into the learning environment at Parkview, while the achievements and participation of our student body in a wide range of sporting and cultural activities has been fantastic.

The community spirit and fabric that we value so highly within our school was no better underlined than during our Wacky Hair Day on Thursday. Below is a summation of the events:

**Wacky Hair Day**
A big thank you to all community members who provided such tremendous support for our SRC as they raised money for Bruce Gilmour and his ‘Close Shave’ as part of the Team Michael Ride To Conquer Cancer.

The funds raised go towards the work the Peter Mac Institute does in attempting to find a cure for Cancer.

The event proved a wonderful day, with all community members getting into the spirit of the day. There really was some crazy and wacky hair on display at school.

In total $2151.15 was raised for the event, with the amazing amount of $322.40 raised by our SRC as part of the Wacky Hair Day, $381.45 raised by the generous Parkview PS Staff as well as support from Leeton High School Staff ($100) and Yanco Agricultural High School Staff ($72).

In addition, thanks to the following people for their support of the project:

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It will be a huge 5 days as we count down to the end of the school term. Please consider the following on the following pages as you plan your week:
Term 1 Reward Day

Students who have displayed appropriate behaviour across the 11 weeks of the school term will be invited to reward day which will be held this Wednesday, 10th April from 2pm. Students in Years 3-6 will head to the hall to participate in one of Mr Collins’ famous trivia and fun afternoons, while students in K-2 who engage in an activity afternoon being coordinated by Miss Boys which will feature challenges, treasure hunts and games.

Students who have been suspended this term or who have received 3 or more detentions in the last ten school weeks are ineligible for this activity and will be supervised by a teacher and will engage in other activities on Wednesday afternoon. They are still expected to attend school.

Parkview PS Cross Country

The Parkview PS Cross Country will be held this Thursday in the school grounds and adjacent Central Park area. Students have been training regularly in preparation for this event and are looking forward to representing their house!

Lunch orders for the family lunch being hosted at the conclusion of the Cross Country were distributed last week and were due back today. Last minute lunch orders must be submitted to the school no later than 9.20am tomorrow. No other lunch orders will be available from the canteen on this day.

Further information relating to the Cross Country and an expression of interest for parental assistance on the day is included in Talking Sport.

ANZAC Day March

ANZAC Day is again almost upon us, and although it falls in the school holidays, Parkview PS will again join the rest of the Leeton community in commemorating this most special and poignant national day of remembrance. Parkview is always well represented at the march and this year we are targeting 100 participants from our school in the town march.

Students are requested to gather at the Leeton Court House from 9.40am on Thursday, 25th April and join teachers and peers in marching to the Leeton Town Cenotaph adjacent to the Roxy Theatre. Students are requested to wear full summer school uniform for the march. As is tradition, some students will be asked to participate in the service at the Cenotaph and our captains will lay a wreath at the memorial service.

I encourage all community members to attend this celebration and continue to value this important community activity and Australian Day.

Students can be collected from supervising teachers at the conclusion of the service at the Leeton Cenotaph, adjacent to the Roxy Theatre in Pine Ave.

Term 2 Recommenencement

Term 2 will recommence for students on Wednesday, 1st May. The school will be open for new enrolments and enquiries on Monday 29th April and Tuesday 30th April from 8.45am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-3.30pm, however staff will be engaged in professional learning on these days relating to the implementation of the new NSW Syllabuses linked to the new National Curriculum.

Students will be welcome in the playground at the normal arrival times (when buses arrive or 9am for students who walk to school or travel by bus.

Earn & Learn

We are excited to be taking part in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. You can help our school by collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Points. Just collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Points when you shop at Woolworths between Monday 8 April and Sunday 9 June 2013. We will redeem these for awesome educational resources for our school. For every $10 spent at Woolworths you will receive a Woolworths Earn & Learn Point. Pop them onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Points Sheet and once it’s completed, just bring it back to school or drop it into the Collection Box at your local Woolies. The more we collect, the more we can redeem. There are thousands of products available through the Woolworths Earn & Learn program, and we’d like to get lots of new gear! Products in the range include resources for mathematics, English, science, art & crafts, through to sports gear, library supplies and more. We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program. If you have any questions, please ask at school.

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.

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-ps.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 dockets 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

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**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.
SCHOOL BANKING SHOP
OPEN FOR BUSINESS
WEDNESDAY 10th April

Bring in all your tokens on Wednesday and use them to buy items from the BANKING SHOP.
The Banking Shop will be open at Recess.

Items for sale include;
Pencils, stickers, book lights, usb drives, pen pods, and more!

DON’T MISS OUT!!

Canteen Roster 2013

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P&C NEWS

MOTHER’S DAY STALL
FRIDAY 3rd MAY
GIFTS FROM 50c TO $7.50
P&C Coordinated Uniform Shop News

The Uniform Shop Service is available at the following times:
**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.

**NOW AVAILABLE FROM THE UNIFORM SHOP**
High Visibility vests for students to wear when riding (or walking) to school!

![High Visibility Vests](image)

$15 from the Uniform Shop. Please enquire if you would like your child to be safe while riding (or walking) to school!

**GIRLS WINTER UNIFORM BOTTLE GREEN TIGHTS-NOW AVAILABLE**
Bottle Green tights to complement the girls winter uniform are now available through the Uniform Shop. Tights come in a range of sizes relevant to your daughter’s age.

**Tights cost $7 per pair**. Limited stock available from May 1st, with orders available should stock be exhausted. Please contact the Uniform Shop during opening hours.

**UNIFORM STOCK ON ORDER**
Due to circumstances beyond our control, the winter uniforms will not be in until first week of term 2.

Orders can be collected from Thursday 1st May during opening hours.

**CANTEEN NEWS**
A new menu for term 2 & 3 will be sent home at the end of this week. The new menu will commence the first week of Term 2

Niomi McKellar/Rebecca Hogan
Welcome to the last week of Term 1 and what a final week it will be! The Parkview Cross Country Carnival is on Thursday with a special family lunch afterwards. We hope to see lots of family members here.

At last Friday’s assembly, these students were awarded with merit certificates for all their hard work.

**Year 3 OWLS – Mrs McAliece**
- Shannon Pengelly: working hard in all class tasks.
- Declan Trounce: a great model of “Wave Rock” for his Australian project.
- Charlie Longhurst: a fantastic “Road Train” model for his Australian project.
- Ryan Hughes: a terrific model and poster of Uluru.
- Amber Pengelly: great reading this week!
- Clair Godfrey: for trying her best at all activities in class.
- Jayden Gill: always trying her best at all activities in class.
- Makala Stone: a clever Australian project.

**Year 3/4 EAGLES – Mrs Hislop**
- Samara McMillan: brilliance in Mathematics.
- Madison Bischard: brilliance in Mathematics.
- Brock Halls: working hard when writing an exposition.
- David Greatz: always working hard to achieve his best.
- Lachlan Holden: working hard in subtraction.
- Brodie Lashbrook: working hard in maths.
- Bayleigh Ingram: brilliant exposition work.
- Corey Axtill: being an ‘expert’ in number difference.
- Courtney Ingram: great progress in reading.

**Year 5 PEACOCKS – Miss Marks**
- Kiana Wortley: always striving to improve herself academically.
- Sheridan Scali: planning and publishing a wonderful recount.
- Brodie Cregan: planning and publishing a wonderful recount.
- Jorja Sink-Crowe: planning and publishing a wonderful recount.
- Daniel Higgins: writing and publishing a terrific exposition.
- Bryce Pearce: writing and publishing a terrific exposition.
- Tayah Preston: showing great enthusiasm and dedication completing her mini-project.
- Callie Godden: sharing her efficient mathematical strategies during class discussions.
- Kate Balaz: sharing her efficient mathematical strategies during class discussions.

**Year 6 HAWKS – Mr Collins**
- Lara Cameron: an impressive mini project.
- Hayley Graham: continual excellence across all subjects.
- Acadia Lee: for an outstanding original film on the basics of Archery.
- Sophie Smith: always putting in 100% towards all set tasks.
- Chelsie Wood-Jordan: an original presentation based on her favourite novels!
- Maanu Alexander: an outstanding project on Greek and Roman Gods.
- Caleb Watson: impressive results in Extension maths.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to:
- Cooper Holmes
- Hannah Pianca
- Kate Balaz
- Danny Bloomfield
- Corey Axtill
- Katie Richards
- Izac Ison
- Kaitlyn Thornton
- Clair Godfrey

**READER OF THE WEEK**
- KB – Mikaela Wells
- KT – Jeremy Fisher
- KF – Cohen Dowley
- YEAR 1A – Blake Eisenbut
- YEAR 1T – Hayden Gilmour
- YEAR 1/2H – Ethan Ingram
- YEAR 2S – Shay Bandy
- YEAR 3 – Amber Pengelly
- YEAR 3/4 – Shakira O’Connell
- YEAR 5 – Brodie Cregan
- YEAR 6 – Chelsie Wood-Jordan

Have a great week and a very enjoyable holiday. 

Julie McAliece – Assistant Principal
PPS CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL 2013

The Parkview PS annual Cross Country Carnival will be held this Thursday, April 11th 2013. A note outlining the organisation of this year’s Cross Country will be distributed today. Weather permitting the day will run according to plan with the first race marshaled at 11.10am.

Students will be given further opportunity to run sections of the course each morning this week with a full walk through of the 2km and 3km course to be completed during the week.

A reminder that students and community members who wish to order lunch will need to return their order(s) with payment to school by Tuesday 9th April.

Thank you to the small group of community members who have expressed their willingness to assist on the day. I’m currently still looking for help and would greatly appreciate any parents who are able to assist to detach the bottom section of the following page and return to school.

LNPSSA NETBALL GALA DAY

The LNPSSA Netball Gala Day proved to be yet another wonderful opportunity for Parkview’s students to showcase their exceptional sporting and teamwork skills! I was absolutely fizzy to receive compliments from other schools on our behaviour, manner and sportsmanship on the day! Congratulations girls you have done myself, our school and yourselves proud.

The first game of the knockout seen an excited but very nervous Parkview PS come up against Small Schools. Our team gelled immediately with the girls engaging in lots of constructive talk on the court. Great communication, high energy play and Hayley Graham and Chelsea Wood-Jordan’s accurate shooting helped us to gain a convincing lead in the first half. The second half followed suit with a swift Tess Staines using quick hands to pick up loose balls left right and centre providing more opportunities for Parkview to score. Olivia Eisenhut worked hard to move the ball down the court while Acadia Lee fed well into the goal circle. Hayley Graham again showed her talent, shooting and rebounding superbly under our ring. Marni Cunnigham and Catlin Sohier constantly moved around the court creating extra options for passes. We had a convincing win 31-0. This took us to the knock-out game against a well-drilled Leeton PS team. The game was tight for the first 10 minutes with both teams fighting for the first goal. Bree McKellar, Sophie Wozniak and Sophie Smith worked tirelessly to prevent the ball from reaching Leeton PS goal circle. Unfortunately, we began to fatigue; Leeton jumped on this opportunity and took the lead! The second half provided a few openings for Parkview PS to put shots up but Leeton’s Goal Keeper and Goal Defence’s height and experience shone through when rebounding our attempts for goal. Parkview PS put in an admirable effort but went down to Leeton PS 17-0.

Big congratulations to Hayley Graham and Tess Staines on their well-deserved selection in the LNPSSA Netball team for 2013.

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: ________________
PHOTO GALLERY

Wacky Hair Day...
PHOTO GALLERY

Discovery Learning Fun...
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)

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ABN NUMBER: 95921417032
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)

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION

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