

Bridgewater on Loddon Primary School NEWSLETTER



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A/C 132448242 YOUR FAMILY SURNAME
IS INCLUDED AS THE
REFERENCE!

BRIDGEWATER PRIMARY SCHOOL IS A CHILD SAFE SCHOOL
- We all have a responsibility to report child abuse!

Birthdays...

No birthdays this week



READING AWARDS

25 nights – Thane
50 nights – Angus & Ella



LAST WEEK OF TERM 1 STUDENT ATTENDANCE

Prep - 2 93%
Grades 3 - 6 88%

Excellent attendance, P -2!
TOWARDS ZERO ABSENCES

TERM 2, 2018

Monday 23rd
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards
Assembly 3:15 p.m.
Gr. 4 & 5 leave for Woorabinda Camp

Wednesday 25th
A.N.Z.A.C Day public holiday
Dawn service at Bridgewater Memorial Hall,
6:00 a.m., followed by a breakfast.

Thursday 26th
MARC

Friday 27th
Gr. 4 & 5 return from Woorabinda Camp

Monday 30th
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards
Assembly 3:15 p.m.

MAY
Wednesday 2nd
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards

Thursday 3rd
Swim/Gym Program commences – leaving 10:00
a.m. & returning 3:00 p.m.

Monday 7th
Junior Fun Day and Cross Country Run
- Malone Park, Marong

Tuesday 8th
Parents Club Meeting 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday 9th
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards

Monday 14th
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards
Assembly 3:15 p.m.

Tuesday 15th
Naplan Gr. 3 & 5 Language Conventions & Writing

Wednesday 16th
Breakfast Program 8:20 onwards
Naplan Gr. 3 & 5 Reading

Thursday 17th
Naplan Gr. 3 & 5 Numeracy
Swim/Gym Program

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Isabelle - for the excellent attitude, she has when at school! Bella takes pride in how she approaches her work. She always strives to achieve her best while listening for tips on how she can improve. Bella likes to be one of the first to finish, but is happy to spend time and hard work to complete her work to her satisfaction. Great Job, Bella!

Noah - for excellent improvement in his home reading! Noah has begun reading a new series that has reinvigorated his love for reading. He has shown excellent improvement and enthusiasm towards his nightly home reading, which is just wonderful to see. Keep up this fantastic 'can-do' reading attitude Noah, as we will continue to see amazing improvement within all areas of your schoolwork!



ANZAC DAWN SERVICE:



The ANZAC Dawn Service was a great success yesterday! A big thank you to the students who made the effort to be present on this important occasion and to the BOLD committee for the fantastic organisation. Well done to Connor, Keith & Lachlan in placing the wreath on the school's behalf and to Ella for being brave enough to read a portion of the service. I would like to thank our past students, Ashlee, Tom, Tom & Faith, who made themselves available to help out with the service.

JUNIOR FUN DAY & CROSS COUNTRY RUN:

The Junior Fun Day and the Cross Country will take place on Monday, 7th May. We will be leaving for Malone Park, Marong at approximately 9:15 a.m. Students will be travelling via bus. The day commences at 10:00 a.m. and run until approximately 2:00 p.m. Parents are invited to come along and support their children.

COLES SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS VOUCHERS:

We will cease collecting Coles Sports for Schools Vouchers on Friday, 27th April.

WOORABINDA CAMP:



Our Grade 4 & 5 students left for the Woorabinda Camp on Monday morning. Lots of excited faces, in anticipation of a week packed with adventure and meeting new friends! This photo is from Shannon's Facebook post. Our students are due back this Friday, no doubt with lots of stories to tell.

SWIM/GYM PROGRAM:

Bridgewater Primary School's swim/gym program for 2018 commences this Thursday, 3rd May. The dates are May 3rd, 17th, 24th, 31st & June 7th & 14th. We will be leaving the school at 10:00 a.m. each day and returning at approximately 3:00 p.m.



NAPLAN:

Naplan assessments for our Grade 3 & 5 students will take place on Tuesday, 15th May - Language Conventions and Writing, Wednesday, 16th May - Reading & Thursday, 17th May - Numeracy. It is vitally important that our Grade 3 & 5 students attend on these three days as this is an important tool for measuring student progress.

EGGS FOR SALE:

The school's chickens are laying well and we have a surplus of eggs for sale at \$4.00 per dozen.



MOTHER'S DAY CLASSIC:

Once again this year Bridgewater will host the Mother's Day Classic Fun Run/Walk to raise awareness and money for the National Breast Cancer Foundation. The event will be held at the Bridgewater Rec Reserve on Sunday 13th May (Mother's Day). Registrations open at 8am followed by a lovely walk along the river, and then a free breakfast will be provided afterwards. Come along and support this wonderful cause!

UNIFORM ORDERS:

If you would like to order items of school uniform you need to do so before the end of the week, Friday, 27th April. A uniform order form accompanies this newsletter. Orders are only sent off once per term.

BOOK CLUB:

New Book Club orders due back on Friday, 4th May.

MISSING UNIFORM:

Ella has a missing full-zip, size 9 jumper with her family named stitched on the back. Could parents please check to make sure it hasn't come home by mistake? Thank you