## ismore Primary School Scoop

Our vision is to develop well rounded, confident and responsible individuals who aspire to achieve their full potential. We will do this by providing a welcoming, happy, safe and supportive learning environment in which everyone is equal and all achievements are celebrated.



Lismore Primary School would like to acknowledge the Wathaurong People, the Traditional Owners of the land on which we are gathered and pay our respects to their Elders-past and present and emerging.

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## FROM MY DESK

Welcome back to everyone!

A big well done to all students for how they have settled into term 2. It was great to see all the students back with a smile on their face and ready to learn.

Monday we went to Derrinallum P-12 for our Cross Country. Again all students should be congratulated on their behaviour and effort while representing Lismore Primary.



This Thursday is ANZAC day, we have Jackson Rumler reading 'In Flanders Fields' by John McCrae. The service will be held at the Derrinallum Cenotaph, starting at 10:45am for anyone interested in attending. Thursday is also a public holiday, so there is no school.

If you are requiring a meeting with any staff member please call the school or message via Seesaw to make a meeting time. We are often busy with setting up for the day ahead, have meetings or other pre scheduled events happening. So that we can give every family the time they need without interruption, booking a time with us will assist in this. Please use Seesaw for any quick messages that you may have forgotten to write in the school diary or for absences.

Next Thursday will be our whole school assembly starting at 3:15pm, we will be awarding students who participated in Cross Country their place ribbons from the day. It will be wonderful to see everyone here to celebrate.

We have the Athletics Carnival coming up on, 7th of May. All families are asked to bring their students down to the Llanberris Oval in Ballarat. If you are unable to get your child/ren there please speak to your classroom teacher as soon as possible.

We will also be having a student free day on Monday 27th of May. There will be no staff present at school on this day.

Tegan Aquilina





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Respect Responsibility Excellence Persistence

## F-2 NEWS



#### Welcome to Term 2 Week 2!

What an exciting week it has been already with Cross Country and various ANZAC activities including making ANZAC biscuits with the senior students.

## **CURRICULUM**

The Sounds-Write program continues daily from 9:00 -9:30am. Students work in groups according to their ability levels. In Reading students are focusing on the reading strategy of Questioning to develop a deeper understanding of the text they are reading. In Writing we are working on narratives and in Maths the focus is on Time.

## **ANZAC ACTIVITIES**

On Monday to celebrate ANZAC Day we joined with the senior class to read the book ANZAC Ted, and completed ANZAC Ted directed drawings. They look fabulous and are displayed on the wall near the staffroom. We have also enjoyed making poppies and some yummy ANZAC biscuits.

## TAKE HOME READERS

Please keep up the home reading as it is such an important part of your child's reading journey. It also helps consolidate concepts taught throughout the week. Unfortunately, we are only averaging two students reading a night. If your student is to reach expected level in reading, usually it also requires nightly home reading in conjunction with the reading that happens at school.

## Week 2 - OTHER NEWS

**Monday-** Cross Country

Tuesday- ANZAC Biscuit making/ PE (this week only)

Wednesday- Library/Auslan

Thursday- ANZAC Day Public Holiday

Friday- Show and Tell/Dojo Spendin

We hope you have a fabulous week!

Kind regards, Narelle & Pauline





ONE LINERS!



- F-2 The F-2 students really enjoyed the Cross Country and all did their personal best!
- **3-6** The 3-6 students have begun Term 2 with a very positive mindset. Activities such as Cross-Country and ANZAC DAY have been enjoyed by all.

## 3-6 NEWS



#### Welcome back to term 2!

All students in the 3-6 classroom have started this term with a very positive mindset and are ready to learn. We have implemented the Sounds-Write program daily from 9:00 -9:30am. Students either work in a group with Pauline or myself. This term I have also introduced daily reading rotation activities. Students complete guided reading with teacher, word work/spelling, reading comprehension and independent reading. In writing we have finished editing, publishing, and illustrating our holiday recount text.

Our numeracy focus is addition. Strategies such as jump, split and compensation have been explored. Our Inquiry unit this term is Early Explorers/Australian colonies. We have constructed ships and old ship maps as a lead into this unit of work.

Finally, we have read ANZAC TED, completed direct drawings and made yummy ANZAC biscuits to celebrate ANZAC DAY. ANZAC TED is a story about the Anzac spirit; and how through courage, loyalty and love, a child's teddy bear not only helped to bring our soldiers home, but can remind us about what it truly means to be human.

Congratulations to all students for completing the Cross-Country run at Derrinallum on Monday. I was so proud of everyone for their effort and behaviour.

Remember If you have any concerns or questions, please contact me via email or in your student's diary.





F-2 Class Rory for displaying great leadership qualities. He is always willing to support others and does so with a smile on his face. Well done Rory!

3-6 Class Ava for really trying to manage her belongings and organising herself ready for learning. Keep it up Ava!

## **School Dates to Remember**

Thursday 25th April	Anzac Day public holiday / No School
Tuesday 7th May	WPSSA Athletics @ Llanberris
Thursday 16th May	School Council meeting
Monday 27th May	Curriculum Day / No School for students
Monday 10th June	Kings Birthday public holiday / No School
Thursday 20th June	School Council meeting
25th-27th June	Dental Van visit
Friday 28th June	End of Term 2
Monday 15th July	Start of Term 3

## **DENTAL VAN VISIT**

## Smile Squad is coming to this school

Dear Lismore Primary School families,

The Smile Squad team from Dental Health Services Victoria are coming to your school soon.

Smile Squad is the Victorian Government free school dental program.

This means all students can get a free dental check-up, preventive services, and treatment at school.

## How to access free dental care

We need your consent before we can provide services. Consent is usually provided by a parent or guardian Sign up to Smile Squad at: <a href="https://bit.ly/smilesquadvic">https://bit.ly/smilesquadvic</a>
OR use the below QR code:



Please complete and submit the consent form by Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

Paper copies of the consent form are available. Please contact the school office if you would like to request one.

## Do I need to attend my child's appointment?

No, you do not need to attend your child's appointment. You can attend if you would like to.

The Dental Health Service Victoria Smile Squad look forward to seeing you soon.



# LISMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL FOOTY TIPPING LEADERBOARD.

After round 6 the leaderboard is as follows:

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Dot Halloran	37	Corey Smith	33	Tyler Daffy	30		
Breeana Daffy	36	Blue Yabby Café	33	Moyle Family	30		
Sarah Marquand	36	Rumler	32	Janine Richards	29		
Christine Dance	35	Cheryl Leech	31	Noel Smith	28		
Pauline G	34	Sheila Brett	31	Chantelle Murdoch	24		
Judi Parkhouse	34	Narelle Evans	30				
Declan Leech	34	Tegan Aquilina	30				