Principal’s Perspective

Mr Brett Hunt from the Department of Education’s Expert Review Group and Mr Ken Perris, Regional Executive Director for the Goldfields visited the school recently and tabled the Expert Review Group’s Report. Ms Sharyn O’Neill, Director General for Education, has endorsed the report and has said that she is satisfied that the prescribed improvement strategies outlined in the report will provide the basis for sustained school improvement. A copy of this report has also been sent to the Leonora District High School’s School Council Chairperson, Mr Kado Muir. The report will be discussed at the next School Council meeting due to be held at 5:30pm, Thursday June 27th in the school staff room.

With the support of the Regional Executive Director, Mr Ken Perris, I, along with the staff, are looking forward to developing an intervention plan which reflects the substance and intent of the prescribed improvement strategies. It is my intention to keep the Leonora District High School community fully informed and briefed as the school advances the school improvement process.

Underpinning this improvement process is my belief that every child deserves a high quality education and a school environment that both encourages and supports students’ development, academically, socially, and emotionally. I am committed to educating the whole child and through the continuous improvement process create a school of excellence that is a pillar in the community. No Exceptions, No Excuses!

My vision is to create a tolerant, caring school community that will prepare and educate ALL students to be self-motivated, independent, life-long learners who are equipped for the future to be leaders impacting change for themselves, their families, and their community.

On other matters it was a pleasure to see so many parents in the school for the Book Dress up Day. The staff and students looked terrific in their costumes and I would like to thank Ms Calcott, Mrs Collard, and Mrs Reddingius along with everyone else involved in the day for their initiative and effort.

Mr Tim Dutton will be taking term three off to undertake teaching practice obligations. I wish Tim all the very best with this endeavour and look forward to his return in term four. Best wishes also to Miss Emily Taylor who is leaving to do some volunteer work overseas. Thank you to Miss Taylor for her work in the Junior Primary.

In closing I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the contribution of the school registrar, Mrs Denise Norrie, who after six and a half years is leaving the school at the end of the term. Denise’s commitment to the ever changing and challenging role of registrar was vital and helped the school effectively manage its finances and staffing. Denise was also a valued link between the school and local community.

Ian Masarei, Principal.

Breakfast Club

We are very fortunate that our school’s AIEO are now operating a Breakfast Club for students who need breakfast before school and also lunch if they don’t have the means to get any.

When: Every morning before school
Where: Home Economics classroom and Parent Room
Time: 8:15am
Cost: No charge

Students need to see Dianne Vincent and Fifi Haris to get their healthy breakfast and lunch organised. We would love your support and parents are very welcome. We have already had some parents volunteer their time and this has been much appreciated.
**From the Staff and Students**

The staff and students at Leonora District High School would like to wish our hardworking educational assistant, Mr Tim Dutton, all the very best of luck as he leaves our school to complete his final Teaching Practice throughout Term Three. Mr Tim informs us that he’ll be “at Pinjarra Senior High School, near Mum and Dad and I’ll be teaching my two favourite subjects …. Science and Society and Environment.” We’re very happy to hear that Mr Dutton assures us that he can’t wait to return to Leonora DHS in Term Four.

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**On the Horizon**

- 20th June - Junior Primary Assembly 12pm
- 21st June - School Development Day – no students
- 24th June - Lunch orders through Eagle start
- 27th June - School Council Meeting 5:30pm
  - P&C Meeting 6:30pm
- 28th June - Cross Country
- 2nd July - Whole School Assembly 9am
- 4th July - Leonora Bike Challenge
- 5th July - Last day of term 2

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**Uniform Shop**

The Uniform Shop is now open every
Thursday morning 8:30—9:30am.
Please come and see Jodie to organise your child’s uniform.
Lots of sizes available.
Uniform will be compulsory next term.

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**Eagle Roadhouse**

**School Lunch Menu**

**HOT**
- Sausage Roll and Sauce ….. $3.50
- Chicken, Corn Roll …………. $2.50
- *Limited time* Blasta Pasta Lasagne ……. $5.00
- Blasta Pasta Spaghetti and Bolognese ……. $5.00
- Pizza Singles
  - Hawaiian …………. $4.00
  - Supreme ………….. $4.00

**FRESH**
- Ham Sandwich ….. $2.50
- Cheese Sandwich ….$2.50
- Ham & Cheese Sandwich … $3.00
- Ham & Salad Sandwich … $4.00
- Chicken & Salad Sandwich … $4.00
- Chicken Caesar Wrap … $4.50
- Chicken & Sweet Chilli Wrap … $4.50
- Chicken & Sundried Tomato Wrap … $4.50

**TOASTED SANDWICHES**
- Ham cheese …………. $4.00
- Ham cheese & Tomato ……. $4.00
- Cheese …………. $4.00
- Chicken Cheese and Mayo ……. $4.00

**FRUIT**
- per piece
  - Seasonal Fruit ………….. $0.80

**DRINKS**
- 300ml Flavoured Milk
  - Chocolate …………. $1.00
  - Strawberry …………. $1.00
- 250ml Juices
  - Pineapple …………. $1.00
  - Orange …………. $1.00
  - Orange Mango …………. $1.00
  - Apple …………. $1.00
- Fruit Box’s
  - Apple …………. $2.00
  - Blackcurrant …………. $2.00
  - Orange …………. $2.00
  - Tropical …………. $2.00
- 600ml Mt Franklin Water … $1.00
- 750ml Pump Water … $5.00

*Wraps have the option to be toasted*

**Ordering lunch through Eagle Roadhouse**

Thank you to Eagle Roadhouse for organising this healthy menu and lunch ordering system for our students. There are lunch ordering bags and menus available from the Front Office and your child’s classroom.

Orders can be placed through either:
- Your child filling in their lunch ordering bag in their classroom. Your child puts their money in their bag OR
- Parents can order and pay for lunches at Eagle.

Junior Primary orders must be marked “Junior Primary”.
Eagle will then bring the lunches to school at lunch time. All orders must be received by 10am.

**This will start next week**
Monday, 24th June.
The students, teachers and parents of our Junior Primary classes recently held a Book Day to promote reading amongst our young students. Each child was encouraged to come along dressed as their favourite book character. A short parade by the children allowed us to see firemen and ladies, Cinderella's, Snow White’s, fairies, Spidermen, cowboys and girls and a wide range of famous animals and insects from the Book World. This was surely a highlight of the morning. Afterwards, our lovely mums and dads spent time with their children reading and chatting about books.

Book prizes were even handed out on the day to students who were wearing costumes which had won a special mention. They were...

Sophie Daly dressed as ‘Minnie Mouse’  
Jet Butson as ‘Spiderman’  
Edwina Beam as ‘Ambulance Volunteer’  
Oliver Adams as ‘Sheriff’  
Mervyn Sullivan as ‘Diego’  
Steffena Dann as ‘Cinderella’  
Leigh Lewis as ‘Spiderman’  
Jazz Maynell as ‘Caveman’

All students in Kindy and Pre-Primary will receive a collection of books kindly donated by ‘Better Beginnings’, a family literacy program. Congratulations to everyone for your fantastic costume choices. You all looked great!
Four high school students will shortly be experiencing life as small business owners. Giana Adams and Moana Matthews, proprietors of ‘Baby Cakes’ will be buying their ingredients, baking and decorating very sweet and absolutely delicious treats which they will be selling to everyone as part of a life experience program sponsored by Gihan Munasinghe. Moana says, “It’s just for people (customers) who are at the school at the moment, until we gain some experience, and then we’d like to take ‘Baby Cakes’ down to the main street and see if everyone down there would like to buy them.” On sale is a range of cupcakes and cakes at very affordable prices… $3 each. Not to be outdone, Tyler Nairn and Vaughan Harris are hoping to build their coffee empire by offering a range of hot drinks including cappuccinos, lattes, flat whites and hot chocolates (just perfect on a cold winter’s day). Vaughan says, “A great cup of coffee made with a smile for the terrific price of $3.50 with every third cup for just $2.” Their business is called, ‘Coffee Express’ and both businesses will be operating out of the Home Economics Room on Tuesdays and Thursdays at recess and lunchtime. Doors open tomorrow 20th June. Hope to see you there!!!

On Saturday the 25th May, a selection of students performed at the P&C Market Day as part of the Drumbeat Troupe. The students rehearsed for three weeks and performed an old favourite, “Dynamite” by Taio Cruz, along with “Smooth Criminal” by Michael Jackson.

Many thanks go out to the drummers and the dancers who gave up their Saturday to be involved:

- Jake Dann (drummer) Sophie Maree Daly (dancer) Braedyn Butson (dancer)
- Nigel Dann (drummer) Sarah-May Douglas (dancer) Vanya Butson (dancer)
- Charne Mackie (drummer) Taliah Lewis (dancer) Rebecca Yates (dancer)
- Colby Norrie (drummer) Katma-Stil Matthews (dancer) Jasmine Taylor (dancer)
- Clinton Whitby (drummer) Aishah Muir (dancer) Elizabeth Shepherd (dancer)

Additional thanks to the parents who ensured the students were in their dancing and drumming clothes and for encouraging participation.
This term in Home Economics there has been a strong focus on healthy eating. The students had to design and create their own healthy lunch snack. Ask your child to cook you a healthy meal tonight!
The Golden Gift weekend presented an excellent opportunity to do some much needed fundraising for the Leonora District High School P & C.

Our stall provided much needed hot coffee, tea and milo to warm the bones on a cold Sunday as well as chocolate, show bags and face painting for the kids.

As ever we had the much appreciated and generous support of local business. A big thanks to NT Link who generously donated the show bags.

Leonora Goodwill Games

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The Leonora Goodwill Games
Saturday and Sunday
July 27th & 28th 2013

NO DRUGS
NO ALCOHOL
NO VIOLENCE
NO SMOKING

Junior and Senior football; Junior and Senior netball, Rookie games plus other activities for the whole community.
Community BBQ Saturday evening followed by live music with local bands and appearance by YABU BAND
Sunday morning GRANDFINAL plus community BBQ breakfast and presentations.

THIS IS A FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

[Logos]
Prizes
Glowsticks for Sale
Food and Drinks for Sale
Activities games and music

Leonora Recreation Centre

Door Entry - $3.00

Juniors
K - Year 3
6:00 - 7:45

Seniors
Year 4-12
8:00-10:00

Friday, 21st June

Juniors must be collected by a caregiver at the end of the disco.
No Juniors to stay for the senior disco. Parents more than welcome to come.
If you would like to help on the night, please go to the Canteen. Be great to see you there!