



Loreto Preparatory School

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Newsletter 3 – 21st September 2018

Dear Parents

What a busy week! The Commissioning Service last Friday afternoon was a very special occasion when Governors promised to ensure that all pupils receive an education of quality in a Christian context, parents promised to support the Governors and staff, teachers promised to educate and nurture the girls and the girls all promised to do their best.

Most of our clubs have started this week. The new booking process seems to have gone smoothly. It was lovely to see 47 girls attending running club on Tuesday lunchtime.

On Wednesday night the LPA had their Annual General Meeting. This is another group of people who work tirelessly to add to the school. I know that they would appreciate your support in any way that you can – big or small. Mr Kennedy (Prep 1 dad) was elected vice chair and takes responsibility for co-ordinating the LPA at the Prep School.

Yesterday I attended the ISA Art Competition and was very proud to see our artwork displayed. The current Prep 4 class won third prize in the group section for a piece of work they completed last year. Well done Prep 4.

Last night we had our first meeting of the parent forum and I look forward to working with this group to develop our school.

It was lovely to see so many parents and grandparents in school this morning for our Internationality assembly. Each year group has designed a poster which will be displayed outside the hall and they told us a little about the country that they will be focussing on during the year. A fantastic start to our year of Internationality!

Please remember our Prep 7 girls over the weekend, as they take their entrance exam to the Grammar School. Whatever the score they achieve, we know that they have worked as hard as they can and we are extremely proud of them.

Have a good weekend.

Mrs Roberts

Parent Forum

Thank you to those parents who have agreed to represent their year group on the Parent Forum. They are:

Prep 1 and Ducklings – Mrs Wilburn-Shaw

Prep 2 – Mrs Batty and Mrs McKenzie

Prep 3 – Mrs Fixter

Prep 4 – Mrs Cartwright

Prep 5 – Mrs Charnley

Prep 6 – Mrs Lee

Prep 7 – Mrs Eastwood

At the meeting we discussed the terms of reference for the group and these will be placed on the school website. The minutes of the meeting will also be published on the website as soon as they are available. The main aim of the Parent Forum is to provide an opportunity for parents to meet with each other and with representatives of the Governing Body to share ideas about the education of their children and to support the school.

Parent Forum gives a voice to the views of parents on matters of importance to the school as a whole, but it is not a channel for individual complaints and issues. Matters involving individual children, families or members of staff will not be discussed.

Paralympian Visit

We are all looking forward to Anna Jackson's visit to our school next Friday and can't wait to find out about her experiences as a Paralympian. I hope you have all received a sponsorship form. You will be able to make donations to this cause on the website. Alternatively, you can send your donation into school with your child. Sponsorship forms, regardless of whether your donation is via the website or via your child, should be returned to school if you are able to gift aid.

LPA Event

SAVE THE DATE – FRIDAY 12th OCTOBER – FAMILY EVENT



The LPA would appreciate your help – could you help on the night with desserts, drinks, a sweet stall? Could you donate a raffle prize. Please could you let Mr Kennedy or your Parent Forum representative know if you can help in anyway.

Thank You

To the Parents of
Love to Prep Girls
Thank you so much for
the vouchers you presented
to me on my departure
from the school. I will
let you know what I
have bought a
permanent reminder of
my time at the school is
a must but do not want
to rush into it.

Can I also thank
the parents and girls
for all the other
wonderful presents
that were given to me.
I was lost for words which
is not like me!
I wish you all good
health and happiness.
And thank you for being
so supportive during my
six years at the school.
Kind regards Jan Brett
xx

Congratulations!

to Our Award Winners on 18th September 2018

	Badges	Cup (P1, P2 & P3) Top Table (P4, P5, P6 & P7)
Prep 1	Leah C Lucia G Laukya K	Megan S
Prep 2	Darina D Elodie J Sophie W	Emma P
Prep 3	Cecily M Harriet N	Maddie S
Prep 4	Faye H Anya M Orla Mc	Hinako O Alisha H
Prep 5	Rosa G Nancy G Lorena F-S	Caitlyn E Iris C
Prep 6	Elise Mc Eve S	Bhavini Adelaide M
Prep 7	Clemmie Molly Erin Nell	Georgina Eliana

Dates for the Week Ahead

Saturday 22 nd September	8.30am 1.00pm	Loreto Grammar School Exam Our car park will be open for parents to drop off Carpark will be locked
Monday 24 th September	7.30am – 6.15pm 12.45pm -1.15pm 3.40pm – 4.30pm 4.00pm – 5.00pm	P7 at Edale String Group in the hall P4, P5 Football P6 After School Study Session
Tuesday 25 th September	12.00pm – 1.15pm 12.45pm -1.15pm 3.45pm – 4.30pm	P4 & P5 Tennis P4, P5, P6 & P7 Running Club P4, P5, P6 & P7 NO netball
Wednesday 26 th September	All Day 12.45pm -1.15pm 3.30pm – 4.30pm 3.30pm – 4.30pm 3.40pm – 4.30pm 3.40pm – 4.45pm	P7 Shakespeare Project P4, P5, P6, P7 Board Games P1, P2, P3 Multi-Skills P2, P3 Infant Art Club P4, P5, P6, P7 Yoga P4, P5, P6, P7 Chess
Thursday 27 th September	12.45pm -1.15pm 3.30pm – 4.45pm 3.40pm – 4.45pm	P6, P7 Recorder Group P1, P2 & P3 Zumba P4, P5, P6, P7 Junior Art Club
Friday 28 th September	12.30-1.15pm 1.00pm – 3.30pm 3.40pm – 4.45pm	Orchestra practice Paralympian Visit P4, P5, P6, P7 Streetdance
Saturday 29 th September	9.40am	Cross Country at John Leigh