PRINCIPALS REPORT

2016 is rapidly drawing to a close. For our parents and local community the Labertouche PS Staffing Structure for 2017 will be:

Principal appointee: (0.5 admin)

Senior class: Principal appointee (teaching load 0.5 - 2 1/2 days – Mon, Tue, First half Wed) / Nicola Murphy (0.5 - 2 1/2 days – Wed 2nd half, Thu, Fri)

Junior class: Brooke Robinson (1.0 - 5 days)

Junior class: Full time teaching support - Jenny Smart (0.6 – Tue, Wed and Thu) and Kate Howard (0.4 – Mon and Fri)

P.E. / Art / Music: Peta Waterhouse (0.2 - 1 day - Thu)

Business Manager: Kayte Heard (0.6 - 3 days - Actual days of the week still to be confirmed**)

Admin: Tanya Lissenden (0.1 - 1/2 day (Fri unless otherwise stated**)

Chinese: Jason (0.1 - 1/2 day – Wed afternoon)

Marc Van: Philip (0.1 - 1 full day every two weeks - Tuesday)

There will be scope for further adjustments to staffing by the 2017 appointed principal should they wish to look at this.
Thank you again to the following members of the Labertouche community:

Our Lunchies Ladies Michaela and Linda – they continue to do an outstanding job.
Ilana brought in some day-old bread to share with anyone that wanted it.
Gavin for making the time to fix one of the doors and install lights.
Lorraine for being kind enough to open the hall for rehearsal
Gavin and Michaela for the school council approved installation of two calves in the adjacent school paddock.

PRINCIPALS REPORT CONT.

SENIOR CLASS

CONCERT REMINDER:

Act 1 - The Maori Group.
Girls – Black shorts or shorts and Black singlet
Boys - Black t-Shirt (no collar) & Black shorts if available.
Act 2 - The Aboriginal Group / Haka Group
Girls - Black singlet or t-shirt (no collar) & black leggings or black tracksuit pants.
Boys- Black singlet or t-shirt (no collar) & black leggings or black tracksuit pants.
Hopefully you have these items at home and won’t have to buy anything. If you have any concerns please contact us.

JUNIOR CLASS

PREP TRANSITION

Another successful prep transition day took place on Tuesday, with the new foundation students having no trouble settling in to the classroom. The class had lots of fun doing Christmas activities whilst listening to Christmas carols. The students enjoyed making reindeer hats and marshmallow snowman!

REMINDER

Could all report folders need to be returned to the office please as soon as possible.

Also, could all MARC Van books be returned by the end of next week.
JUNIOR CLASS CONT.

COOKING

The junior class had cooking on Wednesday, making a delicious second breakfast of bacon and egg sandwiches. The students knew how they liked their eggs cooked and did a fantastic job of making them to order!

SUSTAINABILITY

Maddie and Ryan have done an outstanding job of “making something new out of something old” creating a masterpiece out of old crayons. Maddie did a piece of writing describing what they made and how they did it:

On the weekend I made something new out of something old. I made a painting and new rainbow crayons with old crayons. We stuck the crayons on the top of the canvas, melted them with Emily’s hairdryer to melt them. When we had more old crayons we put them into a cupcake tray, then we put them into the oven. We waited for a while, then we took the cupcake tray out of the oven. We let them cool down, then we took them out of the cupcake tray. By Madeline and Ryan.

CONCERT

Concert rehearsal is going really well with students doing their first rehearsal down at the Labertouche hall on Thursday. The students are doing a great job of remembering all of their moves and are trying their hardest to learn all of the song lyrics. A big thankyou to Lorraine Box for opening the hall for us! A reminder that junior students need to be in black clothes for the night.
CHRISTMAS PARTY

LABERTOUCHE COMMUNITY CENTRE

SATURDAY 3rd DECEMBER
6.00-9.30PM

Provided Sausage Sizzle.
Bring a small plate of “Xmas themed “ sweets
   to share.
BYO Drinks.

So come down to join with your Community in
Christmas Festivities.

RSVP for Catering purposes
COB 30/11/2016.
president@labertouche.com

MERRY CHRISTMAS
&
HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL
Drouin Lights Up for Christmas

Friday, December 2
4pm - 8pm

Come down to the Main Street of Drouin and join in the Christmas activities

★ Jumping elves
★ Horse and carriages
★ Jumping slide
★ Farm animals
★ Merry-go-round
★ Santa (available for photos)
★ Snow cones
★ Painting pots
★ DJ Nige

Free fun Christmas activities, free painting games & lots more

Most retail shops will be open for Christmas shopping until 8pm

Unveiling of the lit up Drouin shop windows

Gold coin donation

Drouin & District Community Bank Branch Bendigo Bank
Baw Baw Shire Council
Drouin & District Business Group
REAL
Christmas Trees!

Trees on sale:

- Direct from the Tree Plantation, Burke St, Warragul
  (near Gulwarra Heights Cemetery)
  10am - 4pm Saturdays & Sundays (Dec)
  4pm - 7pm Wednesdays (Dec)

- BP Warragul (formerly Freedom Fuels),
  Brandy Creek Road Warragul North.

- Rowe’s Nursery, 105 Landsborough Road,
  Warragul

Rotary Club of Warragul