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ANZAC Day

Tomorrow, Thursday, April 25th is Anzac day. This morning, the whole school engaged in some Anzac Day activities with Mrs Mapson and Miss Coffee. We learnt about why we wear poppies on Anzac Day. We then made some beautiful paper wreaths before our whole school Anzac Day ceremony at 10:30am. The grade 6's led our service and student laid their wreaths with a minute silence in reflection.



Goal Setting Interviews.

We will be running Student Led Conferences on Tuesday 30th April. **These conferences will be held throughout the day and can be booked via Compass.** Interviews will be held in person but if you require an online appointment please contact Adam. Please note that children are expected to attend their conference but **NOT** the rest of the school day.



Hats

As part of the Sun Smart policy all children must wear a school hat from the beginning of September to the 1st of May. As of next Wednesday, hats are not mandatory.

Cross Country

Regional Cross Country will be held at the Bendigo Race Course. We hope Archer, Brydee, Henry, Kate, Lucy, Sophie, Tom C. and Xavier, who all qualified through to the Regional stage on Wednesday 1st May, run their personal best on the day.

Sovereign Hill Camp

Grade 3-6 Students will depart from school on Wednesday, 15 May 2024 (9:00 AM) to Friday, 17 May 2024 (4:00 PM), travelling to Sovereign Hill by mini bus. Ballarat Dress Code: Student will be allowed to wear neat casual warm clothing. Consent is required by Friday, 10 May 2024. Consent can be provided online through your school's parent portal (<https://locksthps-vic.compass.education>), or alternatively by printing and returning the form to the general office. Please ensure that you have signed the online permission note.

Electronic Newsletter

In an effort to save trees, please advise staff if you prefer to receive our newsletter electronically through Compass rather than paper form.

Thank you for your continued support of Lockwood SOUTH

Adam Torney

Personal Best - Mutual Respect - Caring - Community

April	
Thursday 25	ANZAC DAY
Tuesday 30	Goal Setting Interviews

May	
Wednesday 1	Regional X/country
Tuesday 7	MARC
Monday-Friday 13-17	EDUCATION WEEK
Wednesday-Friday 15-17	3-6 Camp
Tuesday 21	MARC
Friday 31	Athletics Day

DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS:
BSB: 063-093 ACC: 10001776
MUST REFERENCE NAME & PAYMENT FOR. Eg: uniforms, OHSC





To celebrate National Jelly Bean Day we will be sharing two beautiful jelly bean books. Students will be completing jelly bean maths, imagining what they would do if they had a magnificent jelly bean tree, making jelly bean crowns and guessing how many jelly beans there are in a jar! (We might also need to taste test some of these jelly beans.)

Classroom News

STEM- Mindfulness Stone Stacking Challenge

The Wattles steadied their hands & held their breaths as they worked with their partner/s & created the tallest tower possible from their pack of 20 "stones". Well done crew, an excellent effort!



PE Hakeas

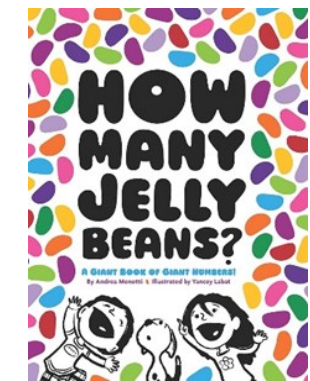
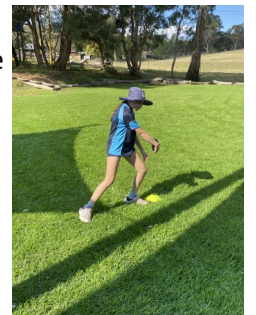
This term, our focus is on learning the skills to support us in successfully & confidently competing in the Cluster Athletic Sports being held in week 7 (May 31st).

In weeks 1 & 2 the Hakeas have been learning the ins & outs of shot put. This is a tricky concept & skill to master, & the kids did an awesome job remembering the "clean palm & dirty neck" technique we learnt.



PE-Grade 3-6

In the lead up to the Athletic Sports in week 7, we are busily honing our athletic skills during weekly PE sessions. This week's focus was on how to successfully throw a discus. Well done Wattles & Melaleucas, your persistence was excellent!



Phoenix Radio

On Friday the 19th of April 2024 Amira, Henry and Mrs white went to the Phoenix FM Radio station In Strathdale. When we arrived we introduced ourselves to John, who showed us around the station. Then, we listened to Judy the sports presenter about footy. Then it was our turn we were very nervous but we still did it. By the end of our interviews, we didn't want it to finish. John asked us a lot of questions about our learning experiences at Lockwood South. On the way back to school we each got a hot drink.

By Amiria and Henry



Tuning In- Sovereign Hill & Ballarat

In preparation for the excursion & camp to Sovereign Hill later this term, we have been exploring what life on the Victorian Gold-fields was like with our "Cobbers"



We used a game from the National Australian Museum to help us experience life as a miner. Wow, they did it tough!!



Wet Day Timetable Fun

Not even the wet weather can stop us from having a great time together!



OSHC

In OSHC, we have used the kinetic sand to build interesting shapes and structures. We have also been playing Chess and Zingo, in the mornings.

Outside, we have been playing down ball in the undercover area, and we have been playing on the playground equipment.



Thankyou Larnie & Sue

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club has commenced this week and run every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8am to 8:45am.

Uniform Order

With the cooler weather upon us we will be placing a uniform order. If you would like to order, please fill in the order form available at the school office and return it with payment by Monday the 29th April.



EDUCATION WEEK

Wednesday 15th Open Morning This is an opportunity for parents, grandparents and friends to visit their child's class. Prospective families are also invited to see our wonderful Literacy and Numeracy Programs in action in the junior classrooms Unfortunately our Grade 3-6 will be at Sovereign Hill Camp. A shared morning tea will be provided at 10am.

Please join with us in celebrating the wonderful education we offer here at **Lockwood SOUTH.**

Scholastic Book Club

Issue 3 is attached to last week's newsletter. Orders can be processed through LOOP or placed through the school by bringing orders, with money to the school office. Please return to the school office by Tuesday 30th April Thankyou Jo Egan



Grade 6 Leadership

Mother's Day Stall

This year the grade 6 Leadership team will be holding a Mother's Day Stall on Friday 10th May. Gifts will range between \$3-\$10.00 Students will be able to purchase up to 3 items for Mothers & Grandmothers.

The Grade 6 Leadership sell ice-creams at the start of Recess each day.

Yoghurt Fruit Ices Minis at \$1.50

Ice-creams are now available.



Hot Lunches on Fridays will return in term 2 starting this week. Order forms are attached to the this newsletter and will need to be returned by Thursday morning each week.



MUSIC LESSONS

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Comedy for a Cause

Saturday 27 April 2024

Doors: 7pm / Show: 8pm / 18+

Featuring comedians from Sydney & Melbourne International Comedy Festivals

Book your tickets at comedyforacause.net/MPS

Maldon Community Centre
4 Francis Street
Maldon




In support of:



2024
WOMENS & GIRLS 3HR MTB
CHALLENGE



Beginning in 2017, the women and girls 3HR mountain bike challenge was created to encourage more women and girls to try mountain biking, get out on their bikes, get out in nature and ride in a supportive and fun environment. While some mountain bike riders love to race, the vast majority of female riders are all about the social side of riding – and so this is what the event focuses on. From humble beginnings of 45 riders in 2017, the event has grown to about 100 riders across a range of categories, of all ages and abilities.



When: Sunday 5th May 2024 from 10am

Categories: Dirt Squirts (4 – 8years)
Solo (e-bike or pedal power categories)
Pairs (e-bike or pedal power categories)
Mother/Daughter team
Junior Solo



Where: Spring Gully Trail Head, Muldoon Reserve, Wattle Drive, Spring Gully

Catering: On-Site Vendors: Brew to U selling Coffee and a food van
Kids: Kids Welcome!! Muldoon Reserve Pump Track and Skills loop is OPEN! Be aware the race track cuts through Muldoon reserve so please look out for racers.

Roving Fairies: There will be roving fairies for mechanical issues – so there is always someone to help with any issues while riding the loop.

Best dressed: A huge part of the event is about having fun, and there are lots of prizes for those who dress up connected to the theme "Count Her In"

The Course: Green Spring Gully Trail Network: approx. 4.5km
The 3 HR challenge will be a staggered start so no one feels under too much pressure from riders behind them.



Accept the challenge – organize your team of riders and come and have some fun. Register at <https://my.raceresult.com/284098/>


Bendigo Juiniior Fishing Club's


OPEN DAY

Join us for a fish and a chat, get to know the BJFC crew and other young Anglers in the Bendigo Region.

Member and Volunteer registration forms will be available on the day.

 **SATURDAY**
4TH MAY, 2024

 **STARTS AT**
10:00AM

 **LAKE NEANGAR**
SIMPSONS RD, EAGLEHAWK
BEHIND THE AMPITHEATRE

RAFFLE

PRIZES TO BE WON



MEMBER ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN!
NO FEES!

