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#### March

Smile Squad Visit Monday 3 Tuesday 4 **MARC** Monday 10 Labour Day Holiday Wednesday 12 **Bunnings Activity** Tuesday 18 **MARC** Friday 21 X country/Junior Fun Day Monday 24 School Photos Friday 28 Food fight

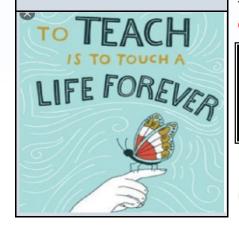
#### **April**

Tuesday 1 MARC
Friday 4 Last day Term 1
Tuesday 22 Friday 25 ANZAC DAY

**DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS:** 

BSB: 063-093 ACC: 10001776
MUST REFERNCE NAME & PAYMENT

FOR. Eg: uniforms, OHSC



#### **Prep Rest Days**

Today is the last prep rest day, we look forward to next week having everyone onsite for the full week.

#### Staff

We had a new Student Support Staff member start last Monday, her name is Tamina Allen, we know our community will welcome her.

#### **Smile Squad**

Six month fluoride varnish visit

The Bendigo Health Smile Squad team are heading back to our school

to complete six-monthly fluoride varnish applications for those students who have provided consent. Fluoride varnish applications help make sure students have the best chance of preventing tooth decay, so we're excited Smile Squad are coming back.

Consent for this fluoride varnish application was provided when students' initial consent forms were returned. However, if anyone has changed their mind and do not wish to receive a fluoride varnish application, they can contact Bendigo Health directly to let them know. Please contact the Smile Squad team via:

Mobile: 0460 729 200

Email: dental@bendigohealth.org.au

The Smile Squad team look forward to seeing Lockwood South Primary School next Monday 3rd March.

#### MARC Van— Tuesday 4th March

There will be MARC next Tuesday 4th March Students, Students will need a Library bag and permission signed to be able to borrow.



**Thankyou Sue Gentry** 



#### **School Photos**

School Photo Envelopes are attached to this week's newsletter. Photos will be taken from 9am in the morning on Monday 24th March, so it would be very much appreciated if all students could arrive early. Envelopes marked with the pack you wish to order along with money inside, are to be collected by the

photographer on the day. Please do not make cheques out to the school. Please return to the school office prior to the day.



#### **Medical Action Plans-2025**

If your child has a medical condition such as diabetes, allergies, anaphylaxis, asthma, epilepsy or any other medical condition that requires monitoring you are required to provide us with an action plan. This action plan is to help meet the specific needs of your child and is made in consultation with your doctor. This plan needs to be updated every year.

#### **Family Voluntary Fees 2025**

Annual Amount—See Attached STUDENT CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTIONS Classroom consumables, materials & equipment Printing and photocopying of worksheets and learning materials

Whole school events (athletics and cross country)
Minor Excursions \$ 50.00

ICT Devices – provision of devices from the shared classroom sets

Online subscriptions:

**Essential Assessment** 

Raz Plus

Twinkl \$300.00

#### OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

MARC Library \$ 30.00 Grounds Maintenance Levy (Per Family) \$150.00

#### **Junior Fun Day Cross Country:**



The Junior Fun Day and 3-6 Cross Country at Malone Park in Marong will be held on Friday 21st March. Sally is looking for as many helpers as we can get on the day, helpers must have a cur-

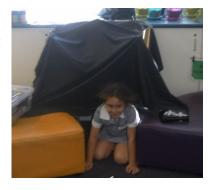
rent WWCC. Please see Sally if you can help. The children will be leaving school, travelling by bus at 9.20am and return at approximately 2pm. They will need a packed lunch to eat at the park and a refillable water bottle. Please accept or decline permission for this event when it is generated on Compass

Happy Birthday Mackie



#### **OSHC**

In OSHC, over the last couple of weeks, we have been constructing trucks and boats with the lego blocks. We have enjoyed playing Zingo and Monster Crunch,



and cubby houses and forts have been made using chairs and material pieces.

Outside the children have been playing in the cubby house turning it into a McDonald's drive through. We have also enjoyed playing downball and skipping in the undercover area.

Please let me know if you need your child to be in either before or after school care. Accounts are attached to this newsletter, these only cover your child/children's useage for this year. If you need the useage for last year, please let me know.

Thankyou Sue Stewart

Breakfast Club—Breakfast Club has started and will be offered every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday to the second last week of term.

#### Classroom Activity—Coding



The whole school experienced using the "Coding Critters" as part of the Discovery Unit



"Technology Then & Now."

Working in small groups the children had to read and follow instructions to build a path for their critter to follow.

#### Scholastic Book Club

Issue 2 is attached to this 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 10th March Thankyou Jo Egan



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#### Week 1. Hakea Classroom—Hazel

For displaying the strength of <u>Kindness</u> Which demonstrates our school value of <u>Nurturing</u>

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Congratulations Hazel on being the Student of the Week! I have been very impressed with the way you are displaying kindness within the classroom and yard. You are including people in play and showing fairness by playing by the rules and listening to others' opinions. Keep up the wonderful work Hazel!

#### Week 2. Hakea Classroom—Mackennah

For displaying the strength of <u>Self Regulation</u> Which demonstrates our school value of <u>understanding</u>

Congratulations Mackennah on being the Star of the Week. You have shown you are able to follow the classroom routines when asked, complete your work independently and ask for help when you need it. Keep up the great transition, I am very proud of what you are achieving! Well done Mackennah!

#### Week 1. Wattles Classroom-Ollie

For displaying the strengths of Fairness. Which demonstrates our school values of Striving.

Congratulatíons to Ollíe for being thís weeks Star of the week. Ollíe has shown a willingness to learn and has settled in well to his new classroom routine. He has shown he is fair by the way he respects his peers and the classroom, allowing everyone the chance to learn.

AWESOME WORK OLLIE!

#### Week 2. Wattles Classroom-Oscar

For displaying the strengths of <u>Perseverance</u>. Which demonstrates our school values of <u>Achievement</u>.

Congratulations to Oscar for being this week's Star of the week. Oscar has shown great perseverance to his learning, pushing through difficult tasks, and new routines.

AWESOME WORK OSCAR!

#### Week 2. Wattles Classroom-Alexis

For displaying the strengths of <u>Leadership</u>. Which demonstrates our school values of <u>Teamwork</u>.

Congratulations to Alexis on being this week's Star of the Week. Alexis has shown throughout the week she is a wonderful leader within our room, always helping and setting a very good example for all the kids in our room and the school.

AMAZING WORK ALEXIS!

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#### **Grade 6 Leadership Badge Presentation**



Alexis



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Josh



Priya



Sophie



Tom

















In The Resilience Project/Respectful Relationships classes this fortnight, students have completed introductory lessons as to why we are starting to embed these practices within our school and how it

relates to them. Students

have been introduced to Hugh- the founder of The Resilience Project, and have been learning about healthy vs unhealthy habits within their lives and how these relate to their overall wellbeing. They have begun to ponder the question 'What are the three tricks to happiness?'





## Grade 6 Leadership

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

Yoghurt Fruit Ices Minis at \$1.50

Ice-creams are available



Order forms are available from the school office and will need to be returned by Thursday morning each week.



### **Fundraising News**

Families can sign their children up for the Food fight and raise money for a great cause. Food Bank provides all the items for our breakfast program, and for every dollar raised goes towards providing those in need with the food the need to survive.

Please go to:

https://app.foodfightfunrun.com.au/users/sign up Help us get to our goal of \$3000 as a school. See brochures for information on how to participate in this fundraiser event being held at **Lockwood South Primary on March 28th** 



#### **Silent Wood Auction**

We will be holding a silent wood auction due to the tree trimming that is taking place around the school, this will be in place of the Easter Raffle this year as Easter is at the end of the term holiday this year. Stay tuned for more info.





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Community Bank Maldon & District Maldon branch 81 High Street, Maldon 9.30am-4pm Mon to Friday and Saturday morning 9am-12noon Ph 5474 1747

Bendigo Bank

in the RTC on Broadway 10am-2pm Monday to Friday Ph 5468 1596

#### MARONG FNC - JUNIOR FOOTBALL



Registrations are now open for 2025 Junior Football season. Marong FNC will be entering the following teams;

- Under 9s Mixed \*
- Under 10s Mixed
- Under 12s Girls
- Under 12s Boys
- Under 14s Boys
- Under 15s Girls
- Under 16s Boys

Games are played Friday nights (U12 girls), Saturday Mornings (U9 & U10 mixed, U12 boys) and Sundays (U14 & 16 boys & U15 girls)



To register go to <a href="https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/bec688">https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/bec688</a> or use the QR Code.