

Lockwood South Primary School



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Welcome Back

Welcome back to the start of Term 2! It was great hearing all the terrific stories and adventures that students have had over the holiday break. This term our Discovery theme is Athletics, focusing on our upcoming cluster Athletics day events.

TUANS

Teamwork: Xavier

Understanding: Alexis

Achievement: Willem

Nurturing: Ollie

Striving: Sophie

Curriculum Day

Reminder to parents that this **Friday 2nd May** is a Curriculum Day due to staff participating in Professional Development

Education Week

We will be holding an open morning on Wednesday 14th May to give family members and prospective families a chance to visit and view learning in progress and interact with activities during class time.

LCDSSA Athletics

Our annual LCDSSA Athletics Day is coming up on Thursday 22nd May. **Parents are required to arrange transport** for their children to and from this event at the Flora Hill Athletics Complex, Retreat Road, Flora Hill. The day will start at 9am sharp and conclude at approximately 3pm. There will be no OSHC on this day. We are in need of some parent volunteers, if you are able to assist on the day could you please speak to Sally. Parents are welcome to stay and spectate, bring a picnic lunch or the canteen will be open on the day. Parents are not permitted on the oval unless they have a task. Permission notes will be generated on Compass.



School Saving Bonus

We have a better understanding of the process for the SSB and are asking parents to now allocate their vouchers to the school so we can then allocate it to activities such as camp or uniform at your request.

Thank you for your continued support of Lockwood SOUTH Adam Torney

Personal Best - Mutual Respect - Caring - Community

May

Friday 2 Curriculum Day
Monday-Friday 12-16
EDUCATION WEEK
Tuesday 13 MARC
Wednesday 14 Open Morning
Thursday 22 LCDSSA Athletics
Tuesday 27 MARC

June

Monday 9 King's Birthday Holiday
Tuesday 10 MARC
Tuesday 24 Swimming/ MARC
Wednesday 25 Swimming/ Basketball
Thursday 26 Swimming/ Basketball
Friday 27 Swimming/ Basketball
Monday 30 Swimming

DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS:

BSB: 063-093 ACC: 10001776

MUST REFERENCE NAME & PAYMENT

FOR. Eg: uniforms, OHSC



EDUCATION WEEK

Wednesday 14th 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.



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

OSHC

Welcome back to term 2, I hope everyone had a lovely break. In OSHC over the last couple of weeks, we have been constructing houses and scenes using the mini lego bricks. Several games of Zingo, and Mastermind have been played, and we have done some free drawing.



Outside, skipping activities, playing downball in the undercover area and playing in the cubby house are still popular.

Please let me know if you need your child to be **in either before or after school care.**

Breakfast Club started this week and will be offered every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday to the second last week of term. Thankyou Sue Stewart

Chinese Class Highlights – Weeks 1 & 2

In the first two weeks of term, our students have enthusiastically begun their new Chinese learning units.

Prep to Grade 2 students have started a unit on **colours**. They have learned eight different colour words in Chinese and practiced pronunciation through singing a Chinese colour song. We reinforced listening skills through interactive class games and enjoyed fun colouring activities, where students identified colours in Chinese.

Grades 3 to 6 students have begun exploring the unit on **School Life**. They learned about primary school settings in China, including timetables, school environments, class sizes, and subjects. Students engaged in discussions comparing Chinese and Australian schools, gaining a deeper appreciation for the unique features of their own school experience.

Best regards Nan

2025 GRADE 6 INFORMATION EVENING MONDAY 5TH MAY

Grade 6 Information Sessions at the following
Bendigo Secondary Colleges



6.00pm - 7.30pm
Location: Year 7 Building
(B1 and B7)
5443 4522
bse.vic.edu.au



6.00pm - 7.30pm
Location: College Gymnasium
5447 7722
crusoecollege.vic.edu.au



6.00pm - 7.30pm
Location: Global Learning Centre
5443 2133
weeroona.vic.edu.au



6.00pm - 7.30pm
Location: Performing Arts Centre
5446 8099
eaglehawk.vic.edu.au



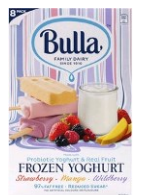
Department
of Education

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.



LUNCHES THIS WEEK

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



Home Energy Empowerment Program

Learn how to improve the comfort and energy efficiency of your home, plan for the long term and save on your energy bills!



Date	Event	Presented by
May TBC	Energy efficiency planning sessions – get advice to help you plan changes to suit your budget and house context	Lucinda Flynn and City of Greater Bendigo
Monday May 19	1. Energy efficiency for renters	Lucinda Flynn, Going Green Solutions
Monday June 2	2. A masterclass on draught proofing	Maurice Beinat, Ecomaster
Tuesday June 17	3. Efficient heating and cooling	Lucinda Flynn, Going Green Solutions
Monday July 7	4. Insulate for a truly comfortable home	Maurice Beinat, Ecomaster
Tuesday July 22	5. Intro to hot water heat pumps	Frank Forster, Newstead Enviroshop
Monday August 4	6. Maximising solar savings	Frank Forster, Newstead Enviroshop
Tuesday August 19	7. Windows and blinds for comfort and efficiency	Lucinda Flynn, Going Green Solutions
Monday September 1	8. Electric vehicles/bikes and novated leasing	Thijs - Sparque, Rohan - NALSPA
July and September	Sustainable house days	Bendigo Sustainability Group
Various	Review your energy bills drop-in sessions	City of Greater Bendigo
October	Hear from locals who have retrofitted, renovated or designed with energy in mind	Bendigo Sustainability Group
October	Celebrate and Q&A morning tea	You and your neighbours



*Register to attend live and ask questions, or receive the recording to watch later. Online sessions will be screened at the Bendigo library. Sign up links will be shared on the [Environment Matters newsletter](#) and [City of Greater Bendigo Humanix](#) page soon.





Happy Birthday Jarrah & Logan

Scholastic Book Club

Issue 3 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 13th May**

Thankyou Jo Egan



Kangaroo Flat Junior Football Club

*Is seeking players
in the following age
groups:*

U9'S & U10'S

Register Now!



**LEARN TO DRIVE
AGE 5.**

THERE'S GOLF FOR THAT.

Belvoir Park Golf Club

Come and join us for our Term 2 MyGolf Program.
The program is delivered by PGA Professional Dean Dixon in groups and focus on giving participants plenty of opportunities to explore skills and to build confidence to hit the golf course. No experience or Equipment required.

Time: Thursdays 4pm-4:45pm (5-9 year olds) 5pm-5:45pm (10-14 Year olds)

Dates: 1st May – 5th June (6 Sessions)

Cost: \$60 (TERM2FUN 15% off discount code until 6th April)

Registration:

<https://tinyurl.com/fxc6z2fw> or via the QR code

Enquiries: Dave Griffin – 0407 422 845



Scan to find a program.



golf.org.au/mygolf



THE RESILIENCE PROJECT.

Parent & Carer Hub

When supporting your children's mental health, we know the best outcomes happen when we **work together** and **practise**.

Head over to our **Parent & Carer Hub** to learn more about the **evidence-based strategies** being taught in the classroom, so you can enhance their impact at home. You'll find activities you can practice to support your family's wellbeing.



Click here or scan this QR code to learn more about our Parent & Carer Hub.



To learn more about The Resilience project, head to:

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