

# Lockwood South Primary School



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## February

Monday 13th Goal Setting Interv.  
Wednesday 15th Prep Rest Day  
Tuesday 21st MARC/School Council  
Wednesday 22nd Prep Rest Day

## March

Friday 3rd Clean up Aust. Day  
Tuesday 7th MARC  
Monday 13th Labour Day Holiday  
Tuesday 21st School Photos/MARC  
Friday 31st XCountry/Junior Fun Day

### DIRECT DEBIT DETAILS:

BSB: 063-093 ACC: 10001776

MUST REFERENCE NAME & PAYMENT

FOR. Eg: uniforms, OHSC

“  
Education is  
the most **POWERFUL**  
**WEAPON**  
which you can use  
to **change**  
the **WORLD**.  
”  
-Nelson Mandela

### Grade 6 Leadership Team:

Our grade 6 leadership team were presented with their grade 6 tops yesterday. This year they have chosen orange for their team colour and have an extra colour of their own choice. We will present our Leaders with their badges at our Welcome Breakfast, date yet to be decided.

### Goal Setting Interviews

Interviews will be conducted throughout the day on Monday 13th February, bookings are to be made on uEducateUs.

### Reminder: Updated Pupil Information/Consent Forms

To keep our records up to date with changes that occur from year to year, such as occupations, which factors into our funding, and mobile phone numbers for emergency contacts. Pupil Information forms were attached to last week's newsletter. Consents must also be renewed each year for walking excursions, headlice and the MARC agreement, and media, photo sharing must be signed/completed and returned to school as soon as possible please.

### Acceptable Use of Learning Technologies

Please see attached to this newsletter an acceptable use of Learning Technology form that your child must sign to be able to use. Please take the time to read through it with your child so they understand the importance of respecting our school and equipment.

### uEducateUs

Thanks to those people who have already been using our software to track their child/rens reading, inputting absences, and starting to use the communication function. This platform, over the coming months, will be our one stop portal for keeping up to date with information. In an effort to be even more environmentally friendly, we are asking families to please indicate if they would still like to receive a hard copy of the newsletter or if they are happy to go paperless and view it on uEducateUs. A note is attached to today's newsletter, can it please be returned ASAP.



Thank you for your continued support of Lockwood SOUTH

Adam Torney

Personal Best - Mutual Respect - Caring - Community



### Attendance:

**We remind parents that they need to come in and sign students in if they are late, or leaving early, using the iPad at the front office.**

### Conveyance Allowance 2023

Conveyance Allowance assists families with the cost of transporting their children to and from school.



**To be eligible** you must live more than 4.8 km, by the shortest route from Lockwood SOUTH Primary School and this must be your nearest school. Application forms are available from the school office and must be returned to the school office no later than **Tuesday 21st February**.

### Camps Sports & Excursion Fund 2023

Families must hold a current health care card to be eligible for \$125.00 to be used by the school to help pay for camps, sports & excursion costs for your child. Forms are also available at the office. Completed forms are to be returned to the school office by **Tuesday 21st February**.

### Medical Action Plans-2023

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 2023

Annual Amount

#### 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:

Raz Plus

Twinkl \$220.00

#### OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

MARC Library \$ 30.00

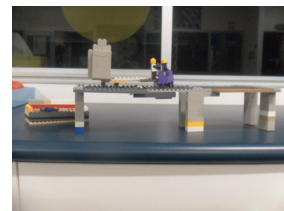
Grounds Maintenance Levy (Per Family) \$ 80.00

### Breakfast Club

Breakfast club will be running 3 mornings this year, commencing next Tuesday and will run Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 8-8.45am.

### OSHC

This week in OSHC the children have been building lego vehicles and models. Some of the mechanics involved have been very creative and interesting to watch. This model moved along the rail.



We have continued our Hangman games and we are getting better – not getting hung every time. Outside we have been playing cricket, and Harry Potter wizard games. The spells being used by the wizards have been using some lovely made up words. Let me know if you are having any issues with the new system, so I can help you. Thankyou Sue

### Reminder: Headphones and mice:

Thankyou to all who have already brought in these items, there are a few students who haven't yet done so. Grades P-6 use our technology regularly and require sound for a lot of their tasks. Many of our students already have these at school from the previous year but if they do not, can families please send some in ASAP.

**Tissues:** This year we are asking that each child brings 2 large box of tissues to school for their classrooms. Your child should hand their box of tissues to their individual class teacher. One box of tissues is then made available to the class while the other boxes are stored for later use.



**Happy Birthday to Cooper & Maisie**



# MARCHING/DRILLDANCE



**FREE COME AND TRY DAY**

AGES 8-12

(CONTACT US FOR OTHER AGES 4YEARS-ADULT)

WEDNESDAY FEB 8TH 5:30-6:30PM

AT THE LONG GULLY COMMUNITY CENTRE

23-29 HAVILAH ROAD, LONG GULLY

TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT REGISTER AT

WWW.EJSDRILLDANCE.COM AND CLICK ON TRY

DRILLDANCE



## JOIN THE FUN

The Kangaroo Flat Junior Football Club is seeking expressions of interest for players in the girls U12, U14 and U16 divisions for 2023.



If you are looking for fun and friendship in a positive team environment, then why not try AFL in 2023? The KFJFC is taking an active role in encouraging young girls to participate in team sport. With modern female friendly facilities, experienced coaches and a strong passion for developing leadership and foundation football skills, we look forward to welcoming new and experienced players to our club in 2023.

Training for all age groups is Wednesday afternoon at Dower Park Oval. Under 12 girls play a modified rules competition on Friday evenings with Under 14 & 16 play Sunday mornings games. You can register for the 2023 season at: <https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/557000>

### Registration Night

Monday, 13th February 2023, 5pm  
Dower Park Oval, Kangaroo Flat

Email: [kangarooflatjfc@hotmail.com.au](mailto:kangarooflatjfc@hotmail.com.au)

### Scholastic Book Club

Issue 1 was 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 Monday 20th February. Thankyou Jo Egan



## Grade 6 Leadership

The Grade 6 Leadership are still selling ice-creams each lunchtime.

Yoghurt Fruit ices are now available for \$2.50 Also Minis at \$1.50



### Hats/Hair ties:

As part of our Headlice Policy all children with shoulder length hair or longer are required to have it tied back whilst at school. This will help with the eradication of Headlice. At LSPS we don't share hats. Any child without a hat must stay in the undercover area during recess and lunch. Hats are available from the school office.

Slouch hats -\$14

Bucket hats -\$11







Products for sale will include  
gemstones  
fossils  
minerals  
jewellery

**Bendigo GEM Club EXPO**

**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023**

Entry \$8  
U12's FREE

**Opening Times:**  
Saturday 10am - 5pm  
Sunday 10am - 4pm

**Venue:**  
Bendigo Exhibition Centre  
Bendigo Showgrounds  
Holmes Road  
North Bendigo, Victoria

**About the Event:**  
The Expo hands over 20 top quality retailers selling gemstones, rocks, minerals, gold & silver jewellery, lapidary supplies and jewellery making tools.  
Club members will showcase clubs and activities offered at the club throughout the year. The event is family friendly, refreshments available from the BBQ and carter and include interactive activities such as gem sifting.

**Activities:**

- Showcase displays
- Over 20 quality stalls
- Gem sifting
- Demonstrations
- Gems, Fossils & Jewellery
- BBQ & Refreshments

**Raffle Prizes**  
Exquisite hand crafted jewellery pieces.

Enquiries: [BendigoGemClub@gmail.com](mailto:BendigoGemClub@gmail.com)  
[www.bendigogemclub.tidyhq.com](http://www.bendigogemclub.tidyhq.com)

 Bendigo Gem Club



**COME & TRY DAY**

**Saturday - February 11<sup>th</sup> 11am - 2pm**  
Epsom Huntly Recreation Reserve

**Fun games & activities for the kids to play!**  
BBQ

**Register on the day to play in 2023!**





[www.epsomfc.com.au](http://www.epsomfc.com.au)



Epsom FC - Soccer in Bendigo



**McKern Foundation, together with Bendigo Stadium, invite you along to support the Bendigo Spirit**  
Use the below code for a FREE child ticket with any adult ticket purchased.

**Feb 24<sup>th</sup>**  
Code: TheSkyIsTheSpirit  
**March 12<sup>th</sup>**  
Code: BasketballSpirit



### McKern Fresh Fruit program:

This term we are lucky enough to be continuing our involvement with the McKern fresh fruit program. This program has now been running in our school for a number of years and has provided for our children in breakfast program, after school care, and during our school day with the opportunity to have a fresh, healthy and free alternative to their snacks. We are very grateful to the program for their continued support of local schools by providing this free and exceptional program.