

LOCK AREA SCHOOL

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Respect

Caring

and a bit more warmth coming our way over the coming months.

Fairness

Responsibility

TERM 2 WEEK 8

21st June 2023

R/1 Teacher

DIARY DATES

I'm very excited to announce we have been able to successfully backfill behind Esther in the R/1 class for the remainder of the year. We welcome Sue Heysen to our staff. Sue comes to us as a high quality teacher. She will visit the class before the end of the term and looks forward to getting started in Term 3.

Solstice is tomorrow, marking the shortest day of the year. I'm looking forward to longer days

The drop of rain today has been lovely, with plenty more to come hopefully! The Winter

K/R/1 Assembly

21/6/23

Footy Tea Fundraiser

Well done to the K/R/1s on hosting a great assembly last week. They were very excited hosts! The work shared was a great snapshot of the amazing learning happening in our classrooms. Thank you to those parents that could attend.

26/6/23

SAPSASA Netball

29/6/23 Rhythm & Rhyme 10am

Farm Safety Session

Sue Pratt, Lead Ag Teacher for SA, worked with our Year 5-8 students, delivering a session to them on farm safety last week. We were fortunate to have Sue visit us and offer her expertise to our students and staff. Sue's presentation was interesting and students engaged well. Some of the statistics she shared left students thinking about their own safety. Please have a chat to your children about the session.

Preschool Transition Visits

It's always an exciting time when a new group of children begin their transition to Preschool visits. The excitement they bring is contagious. We hope Zoey and Hamish continue to enjoy their visits.

9-a-Side Footy Carnival

Our Year 7/8s were meant to be off to Cleve tomorrow to participate in the annual footy carnival against neighbouring schools. Due to the weather forecast for Cleve, it has been postponed. We will let families know of the new date once set.

Breakfast Program

As part of her PCW role, Danielle has started our Breakfast program again. On Tuesday and Thursday mornings toast is offered to the students before the first bell. To make sure this program is delivered regularly each week, we are seeking volunteers that would like to lend a hand on a regular basis. Danielle begins preparations from 8am and finishes up by 8:45am. Volunteer checks must be completed to participate. Please catch up with Danielle if you're interested in lending a hand on one or both mornings.



Volunteering

Are you interested in working with a class on a regular basis, or when you can? We'd love to have you in any capacity you can offer! It has been great having some volunteers back on site, but we'd love to grow this group. We welcome all members of the wider community, even if you don't have to have children in the school. Please contact the Front Office to find out how to participate.

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Camp Fundraiser

Tonight the school will be selling roast at the clubrooms for training teas as a major camp fundraiser. All meals available from 6pm. A huge thank you to all families who donated meat/veg for our fundraiser. It's a perfect night, with the wet weather, for a delicious roast!!

Have a great week, Beth Sampson

MERIT CERTIFICATES

TERM 2

Week 3

Cameron Northcott – for his enthusiastic approach to Mathematics especially when learning about numbers.

Reuben Young – for adding more information to make his sentence writing more exciting and focusing on his handwriting.

Cooper Hodge – for his amazing efforts with his recount writing.

Week 5

Kaiden Hodge – great participation in mindfulness activities.

Ella Habner – always being on task and completing all activities.

Ottillie Wright – for persisting when writing 2 syllable words.

Lara Habner – for her willingness to always have a go when learning something new.

Week 7

Ruby Tiller – doing an amazing job in lessons with 'one' arm.

Siobhan Durdin – sharing her good ideas with the class.

Year 5's – your work to make 'Dollar Day' such a success.

Keaton Boehm – for always offering to help others when they need it.

Madelyn Feltus – for persisting when sounding out and writing new words.

LOST PROPERTY

We have lots of un-named jumpers, jackets and lunch boxes in the lost property basket in the front office.

Please remember to mark jumpers and jackets so we can return them to their owner.











Students completed their paddock to plate assessment tasks Tuesday week 7 following their excursion to Cummins in week 5. Students were required to create a dish that featured local produce. They had to write out their recipe and compete a food order. Some of the meals utilised flour from the Cummins Flour Mill or meat from local





