

Department for Education or

Lock Area School.



West Terrace LOCK 5633 08 8689 1019 email: dl.0230.info@schools.sa.edu.au Principal: Miss Beth Sampson Fairness Responsibility Respect Caring We have had a busy start to the term with camps and visitors. It doesn't look to be slowing down either! It's good to see the headers going round the paddocks. I hope everyone has a **TERM 4 WEEK 3** successful and smooth sailing harvest, with minimal interruptions. 1<sup>st</sup> November **Bushfire Season** 2023 With many fires already across the EP, please make sure you have a plan in place in case of an emergency. **DIARY DATES** Please make sure your School Stream account is active. Any information from school to families will be pushed out via this platform if we need to cancel buses due to fires or activate our emergency plan at school. 1-11-23 **Governing Council** A reminder our school will be closed on days forecast as catastrophic, including the Public Meeting 7pm Library. We ask people to stay off school grounds if this occurs. Confirmation of a catastrophic forecast will occur after 5pm the day prior. The school will contact families to confirm any 2-11-23 closure. Rhythm & Rhyme 10am Site Improvement Work Our school had a Student Free Day on Monday. Staff had time to unpack and analyse our data 6-11-23 to evaluate our success around our improvement work. It was pleasing to see a shift in the **Badge Assembly** areas of focus in writing from our student data. This is a result of the hard work put in by not only our students, but also our staff who have tailored their writing programs to meet 7-11-23 - 9-11-23 individual needs. SAPSASA Cricket **Pre-Service Teachers** 13-11-23 - 20/11/23 Amy Allen will continue her placement at our school until the end of next week. Amy has had Book Fair a great experience in the Year 5 class so far. We welcome back Emily Whittaker into the Year 2/3/4 class for another 3 weeks as part of 16-11-23 her first placement while completing University. Hats off to Reading We hope both pre-service teachers gain valuable knowledge from their supervising teachers, 3.15pm - 5pm our staff and our school. Camps In Week 1 the Year 5s had their Three Bays camp. Students visited Venus Bay, Baird Bay and Streaky Bay and Elliston. Mrs Adams planned a great experience for the students. Thank you Graham Spiers for coming along to drive the bus. In Week 2 the Year 6/7/s8 headed to Adelaide for their camp. They had busy week participating in a range of activities. Mr Smith and Bu Casey organised some great activities for the students to participate in throughout the week. Thank you Mel Glover for helping out with night time supervision and coming along to a few planned activities. Both camps were great and I'm sure the students will have some life long memories from Government of South Australia their experience. Department for Education Visiting Olympian Disclaimer: The opinions in this On Monday last week Jo Bridgen-Jones visited our school. Jo is an Olympic kayaker who newsletter do not necessarily competed at the London and Tokyo Olympics. Her sessions was very informative for our reflect those of the

students who asked some great questions.

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## SAPSASA

Today tennis trials are being held at Lock. Good luck to our students trying out. Thank you to the P&F for catering the day and extending lunch orders to our students. They are always well received by students and staff.

Next week Indy will head to Adelaide to compete in the SAPSASA Girls Cricket Carnival, representing Lock Area School in the Lower Eyre team. Best of luck Indy, we hope you have a great experience.

## **Badge Assembly**

On Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> November we will hold a badge ceremony to induct our newly appointed class captains into the SRC. Parents of students who have been elected will receive an invitation to attend today.

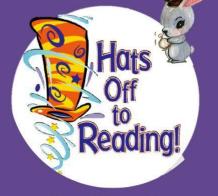
Have a great week. *Beth Sampson* 





Use the Libraries SA app to borrow, place holds and check the transit status of an item.





Thursday 16th November 3:15pm - 5pm Lots of fun & games See you there!

Books will be for sale from 13th - 20th November.

Come in and stock up on Christmas books.

This is a great fundraiser for the library. The more books we sell, the more books we keep for the library!



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Lock Area School Newsletter



## LION CAKES FOR SALE

1.5kg Lions Christmas Cake - \$20

900gm Lions Christmas Pudding - \$16

Phone Graham – 0417 896 991



## POOL OPERATOR

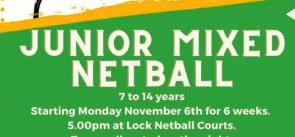
The Lock and Districts Swimming Pool are seeking interest in any community members willing to complete a "POOL OPERATOR COURSE".

Currently we only have 1 qualified person in our community. We would love to see 1 or 2 more community members qualified in case our current pool manager is away or unable to be present.

Without a qualified pool operator, the pool cannot be opened. The season will start in February, so it would be good to have this organised asap.

FULL COST OF COURSE COVERED.

Please contact Jacinta Young 0417 416 500 if interested.



5.00pm at Lock Netball Courts. Teams allocated on the night. \$2 per night or \$10 for 6 weeks (cash only)

> Volunteer Umpires welcome. Please spread the word

> > **ENQUIRIES TO**

KAREN HURRELL 0447891165



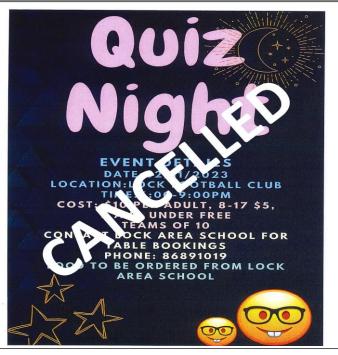
# CALLING FOR COACHING APPLICATIONS 2024 SEASON

A GRADE, A RESERVE B GRADE, B RESERVE D GRADE, E GRADE E RESERVE, JOEYS MINI JOEYS

APPLICATIONS TO BE EMAILED TO LocknetBallclub@gmail.com

Applications close 3rd Dec 2023





LOCK LADIES CRAFT GROUP

## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November

10am – 5pm Lock Area School Home Ec. Room



Bring your own craft and enjoy a chat with others. Tea & Coffee supplied (donation). Bring your own lunch. Come and stay for as long as you like.

Any questions contact Merilyn Kelly 0429 818 092

