



LOCK AREA SCHOOL

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Respect

Caring

Fairness

Responsibility

TERM 1 WEEK 5

**28th February
2024**

DIARY DATES

11-3-24
Adelaide Cup
Public holiday

22-3-24
Sports Day

25-3-24
SAPSASA Softball
Carnival – Adelaide

29-3-24
Good Friday
Public holiday

1-4-24
Easter Monday
Public Holiday

It continues to be busy each week, with lots going on around the school. We have had a COVID scare this week so please be vigilant if your child/ren become sick, making sure to test. Please notify the school if your child/ren test positive.

Swimming Carnival

It was fantastic to get to host this again this year after a rocky start with the pool. A huge thank you to the Swimming Pool Committee for negotiating the use of the pool with Council and preparing and catering for the day.

It turned out to be great weather for the day despite the hot days prior and after, we were very lucky. Congratulations to all students on their sportsmanship and willingness to give all events a go. Congratulations TERRE on winning the Shield. A great effort!

Finally, a huge thank you to Elliston Area School for again coming over and joining in with us for Swimming Carnival. It certainly makes for a great day and generates some great excitement throughout the day.

Final scores for the day were Terre - 429, McLachlan - 384

Swimming Lessons

Thank you to Gabby for being our instructor for Swimming Lessons again this year. It was great to hear the progress of students throughout the lessons. With the conclusion of lessons, individual achievement reports will be sent home with students.

Interschool Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to Kate, Nathan and Kaiden on their selection in the Combined Team for the Interschool Swimming Carnival held at Wudinna last week. These students had a great experience, joining forces with Karcultaby, Miltaburra and Elliston to form a competitive team. Nathan and Kate were fortunate to take out 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th positions in their races.

Children's University

Emails were sent to families last week with a link to the online registration for 2024. Please make sure that you complete this before the cut off on 8 March, 2024. Once registered, please send the \$5 registration fee to school.

SAPSASA Softball

Congratulations to the students who successfully made the Boys and Girls teams to travel to Adelaide: Ella, Rosie, Siobhan, Evie, Jesse, Kaiden (RES). A great effort by the students at LAS!

Volunteers

We would like to extend an invitation to anyone wishing to volunteer at the school this year. We would love to have anyone with spare time that can come in to lend a hand, especially to listen to reading in our classes on a regular basis. Please contact me at the school if you're interested, even if you don't have your own children in the school.



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Breakfast Club

We would like to continue this program in 2024 but require volunteers to run it. Breakfast Club will be on Tuesday and Thursday mornings during school terms and will require a minimum of two volunteers each session to prep and clean up between 8am – 9am. If you are interested in helping out by going on a roster, please contact Danielle Harris or the school.

Governing Council

Thank you to those parents that came along to our Governing Council AGM last Wednesday evening. This year we have several new parents become members. This year our Governing Council members are:

- Chair: Vanessa Boehm
- Deputy Chair: Melanie Cummins
- Secretary: Tanya Habner
- Treasurer: Nicole Persic
- Members: Kaytlin Northcott
- Tim Zacher
- Tim Boehm
- Belinda Bannister

We still have one vacancy on the council. If you are interested in joining please contact Vanessa or myself. At this stage we only have limited members with children in the Early Years, it would be great to have more voices coming from this end of the school.

Have a great week,
Beth Sampson

MERIT CERTIFICATES

- Toby Bannister – positive attitude towards his learning.
- Evie Hutchins – positive start to 2024 and great concentration during lessons.
- Ottillie Wright – always trying her best and helping others.
- Finn Morton – striving hard to learn his numbers and complete tasks individually.
- Daniel Feltus – for not being scared to try new things and helping others.
- Jax Morton – for showing a new level of maturity in helping himself and others in class.



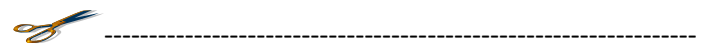
HOMEWORK CLUB

Homework Club will be held again on Wednesday after school.

Mrs Zacher and Mrs Adams will conduct the sessions for year 5 to 10, from 3.15 to 4.15pm.

Children can come to Homework Club and then go on to sports practice at the oval or be picked up at the library.

Please complete the form below if you would like your child/children to attend Homework Club.



I give permission for _____

to attend Homework Club on a Wednesday.

I understand that at 4.15pm they will walk down to the oval or be picked up at the library.

I understand that Homework Club finishes at 4.15pm.

Parent’s Name _____

Signed _____



**TERRE
429
McLachlan
384**





SWIMMING CARNIVAL





PANCAKE DAY



All Ladies Welcome

Craft & Sewing Group

Saturday 2nd March '24
9 am - 4 pm

LOCK AREA SCHOOL HOME EC. ROOM

Bring along your Quilting, Sewing, Crafts, Scrapbooking, Crochet, Drawing or whatever you enjoy, to create in a helpful caring environment
OR come along for a cuppa & a chat.

Bring your own lunch.
Tea & Coffee supplied (donation)

Any questions contact Anne Siviour 0428 873035
There will be a public sign in register

'To be creative is to let little pieces of your heart go and place them into each project you make'

PORT LINCOLN SOCCER ASSOCIATION
PRESENTS

COME & TRY DAY

**SUNDAY
17 MARCH**

**NEW PLAYERS & FAMILIES
WELCOME!**

4-6 YEAR OLD
9:30 - 10:30

7-9 YEAR OLD
11:00 - 12:00

**10+ YEAR OLD
WHO HAVE
NEVER PLAYED
ARE WELCOME
AT 11:00!**

MUST HAVE

- ✓ Parent/adult present
- ✓ Boots or sneakers
- ✓ Water Bottle
- ✓ Sunscreen



VENUE

Kirton Point Oval
Matthew Place
Port Lincoln

For further information contact
Richard 0456 733 330

2024 Season commencing
Sunday 12th May

portlincolnsoccerassociation@hotmail.com



CANTEEN/ LADIES AUXILIARY

Annual General Meeting

Wednesday

13th March 2024

5pm @ the Clubrooms

Apologies to Gabby Zerk or
Melanie Cummins

