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Dates to Remember

Friday 20th November
 Student Free Day

Monday 23rd November
 Loxton Primary School AGM

Tuesday 24th, Wednesday 25th November
 3rd Kindy Transition Visits

Wednesday 25th November
 Year 7 High School Transition Visit

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Dream Believe Learn & Achieve

We were very excited to welcome our 2021 Receptions to begin their transition process with us, last week. The transitioning students were very settled and enjoyed their first visits to school, integrating well with the current Receptions. We particularly appreciated being able to host a meeting for our new parents and while we were unable to hold our traditional morning tea, it was lovely to be able to meet and talk through what beginning school will look like for their children in 2021. Having a new student starting school is particularly exciting, whether it be your first child attending school or subsequent children, so it was good for our new parents to be able to meet, discuss and ask questions. Following the transition mornings on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, there will be a final session next week.

Week 7 also sees our Year 7 students embark on their final transition visit to Loxton High School. The transition process has looked a little different for our Year 7 students this year, as without our Loxton District Canberra Trip occurring (due to COVID restrictions), the students have had two activity days with our Loxton District Schools. Monday this week saw the second of these occurring with an Aquatics Day being held in Barmera. These opportunities have provided some great time for students to come together with the students from other schools and work collaboratively with them.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the 81 families who responded to our recent request for information through our Parent Survey. This was a fabulous response and the results that we are working through have given us some great information regarding your input into our school. Further information regarding the results will be shared at our upcoming Annual General Meeting, due to be held in the School Library from 7pm on November 23rd (next Monday).

If you have an interest in having input into the Governance of our School, please take the opportunity to attend the AGM. We would love to have you as part of our Governing Council team and the AGM provides the opportunity for you to join. Meetings are usually held on Monday evenings, from 7pm, twice a term.

I would like to acknowledge Saskia who was set to represent the Riverland at the State SAPSASA Swimming Carnival, and Jett, Robbie, Tyler, Samuel and Orianthi who were representing the Riverland at the State SAPSASA Athletics Carnival. Unfortunately both events were once again cancelled due to COVID.

Please be advised that our student return to school date in 2021 will be on Wednesday 27th January. School staff will return to school the week before, on January 20th and book collection dates and times will be in the week before students go back. Times and dates of the book collection will be advised before the end of the year.

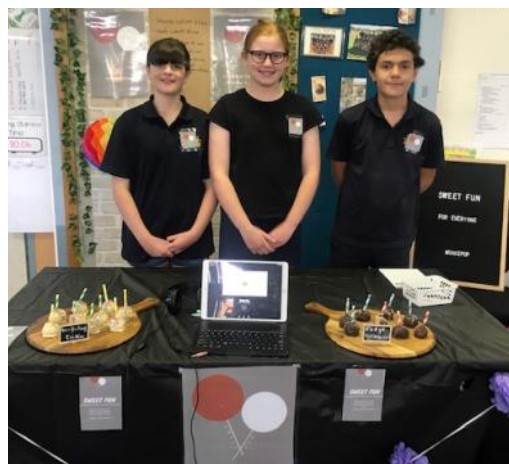
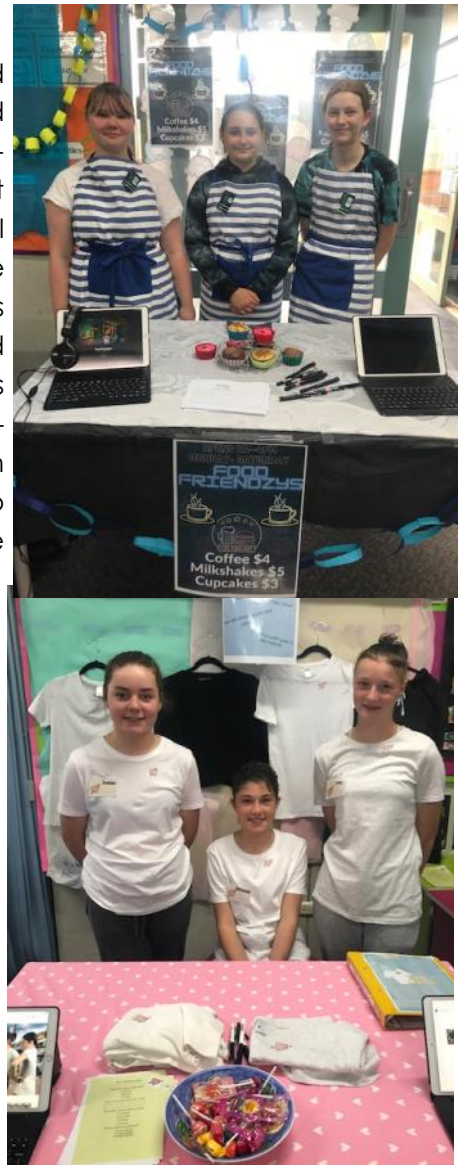
Given the current and evolving COVID cluster developing in South Australia currently, it is timely for me to remind our families to please keep children home if they are unwell or are exhibiting any symptoms. As a department we are being reminded regularly to get tested if we have any signs. Thank you for supporting our school and community with this.

****SWIMMING CARNIVAL**** Please be advised that due to SA Department for Health and DfE restrictions, we have had to postpone our swimming carnival scheduled for next week. We are working hard to reschedule if possible. We will also keep parents updated on the swimming lessons scheduled for Week 8. Take care and stay safe

SHARK TANK

For Business and Economics, we have been learning entrepreneurial skills and applying our learning by designing our own businesses. On Tuesday, the 3rd of November, the Year 7's and some of the Year 6's presented their businesses to a panel of Sharks, like the TV show 'Shark Tank'. Before that day, we got to pick what our business was going to be about. We looked at successful marketing strategies and made tv ads, PowerPoints and websites to promote our businesses. We also presented our business in a stall on Market Day. This is where we got to walk around the room to see what others had done and show our businesses to each other. Leadership, our peers and the Business Studies teacher from LHS went around and filled out surveys to give us feedback about our businesses. We got to go to the High School before transition and use the green screen room to film our ads. We made posters, a logo and name tags to look professional. On Shark Tank day, some people were pretty nervous but they went really well and it was a fun experience.

Written by Billie and Skye 7C



5AH MATHS

In 5AH we have been working on our "1,2,3,4,5 Challenge". To complete the challenge we needed to use the numbers from 1 to 5, in order to get answers. We recorded them on our chart to see if we could get all the answers from 1 to 100.

Examples: Emily A found $1-2+3+4-5=1$ Jayla found $1 \times (2+3) \times 4 \times 5=100$

Adele found $12+3-4-5=6$

Matilda discovered factorial and found $-1+2-3-4!+5!=94$

"It was fun competing against everyone else to get the numbers" Izak

"It was good to have something to do in our spare time" Tyler

"It was fun cause it made us look at harder maths symbols" Matilda

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21	ET	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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51	ET	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
$12+3+4+5$	MW	QT	MW	TF	RM	MW	MW	EA	EA	II
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81	MW	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
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91	MW	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
$(1+2) \times 3 + 4 + 5$	AF	TF	MW	MW	MW	MW	II	KA	MW	HS
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Premier's Reading Challenge

What is the Challenge? The Premier's Reading Challenge is a literacy engagement program that was introduced by the Premier in 2004 to encourage students to read more books and enjoy reading, and to improve literacy levels. The Challenge requires students to read 12 books between the beginning of the school year and early September. We would like to congratulate the following students for their special achievements this year:

Hall of Fame– Reader for Life Certificate

9 years of participation- Taya Schlein

Hall of Fame– Reader for Life Certificate

8 years of participation– Breearna Stokes, Jorjette Halliday

Hall of Fame– Reader for Life Certificate

7 years of participation- Madeline Andriske Jayden Francis, Saskia Gibbs, Tyler Hucks, Lily Huddleston, Harlow Jachmann, Zoey Haywood, William Simes



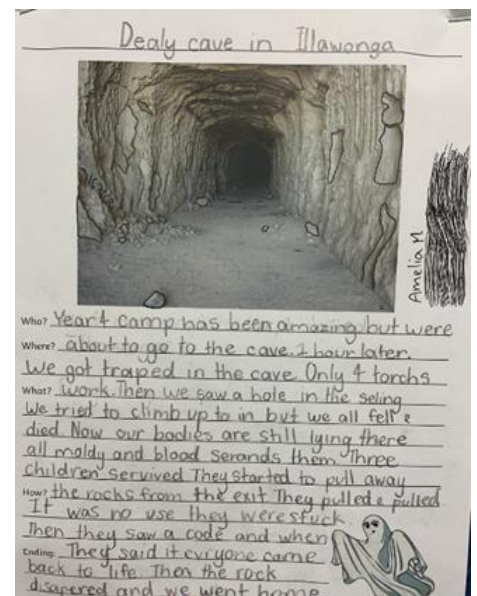
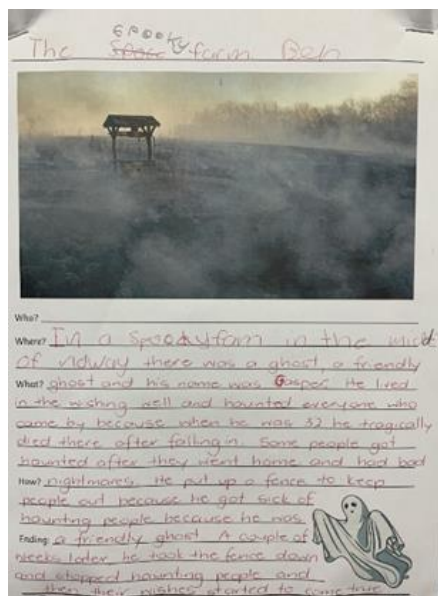
We would also like to congratulate all students who completed the Challenge this year and received medals and certificates– keep reading and you may be in the Hall of Fame one day too!



NEWS FROM THE 5H ROOM.....

In Literacy we wrote Spooky Stories for Halloween, We each had a picture that we had to write about, There were spooky caves, houses, rocking chairs and people, Ben and I would like to share ours with you,

Written by Amelia M





Kids Comments:

Mahayla: I was nervous at the start.

but I got confident and went in the deep pool.

Indigo: On the first day everyone was nervous.

but by the end everyone had lots of fun.

Kaitlyn: It was really fun, and I got more confident in the deep end than I used to be.

Cruise: I liked collecting the sinkers and learning how to swim on my back.

6HW GOES ELECTRIC!

LAST TERM OUR CLASS LEARNT ABOUT ELECTRICITY. WE LEARNT THAT A CIRCUIT MUST BE CLOSED TO WORK AND HOW TO MAKE A WORKING SWITCH. WE TRIED USING CONDUCTORS AND INSULATORS AND EXPERIMENTED WHICH WOULD STILL POWER THE LIGHT GLOBE. WE LEARNT THAT CONDUCTORS LET ELECTRICITY THROUGH, BUT INSULATORS WON'T.

MRS HOILE GAVE US THE PROJECT WHERE WE HAD TO CREATE SOMETHING WITH AN ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT, WHICH INCLUDED A BATTERY, WIRES, SWITCH AND OUR CHOICE BETWEEN A LIGHT GLOBE, MOTOR OR BUZZER. THERE WAS EVEN SOME OVERHEATING FROM ONE BATTERY THAT WAS STARTING TO SMOKE, LUCKY MRS HOILE SAVED THE DAY! SOME OF THE CREATIONS WE CAME UP WITH WAS A FROG, FERRIS WHEEL AND EVEN A MOVING CAR. WE ENJOYED THIS PROJECT!

WRITTEN BY WILL, TYLER, MADDY AND IMOGEN D



Attendance

Our goal at Loxton Primary School is to have an attendance rate of 93%. The current attendance stats are:

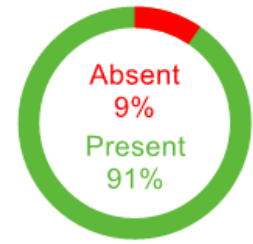
Please contact the school if your child/ren are going to be absent.

- Phone: 8584 7408,
- a text to the school mobile: 0447 158 038
- or a note to the teacher via the student diary.



Year to Date (2020)

The average daily attendance rate; Year-to-Date, derived from student attendance data sourced from the school systems as at 04/11/2020



Previous Week

Attendance rate derived from student attendance data sourced from the school systems as at 04/11/2020

Sports Calendar Term 4 2020

Wk	Date	Event	Where
6	19th November	SAPSASA Swimming Cancelled	Adelaide
6	20th November	SAPSASA Athletics Cancelled	Adelaide
7	26th November	Swimming Carnival Yrs 4 - 7 Postponed	Loxton Swimming Pool
8	30th November - 4th December	Swimming Lessons Rec B, Rec C, MVA, IST, 5H, 5AH To Be Advised	Loxton Swimming Pool

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING?
CALL IN TO THE FRONT OFFICE TO CHECK THE LOST PROPERTY BIN.
ALL PROPERTY REMAININ AT THE END OF WEEK 9 WILL BE DONATED TO LOXCARE



Absence text only
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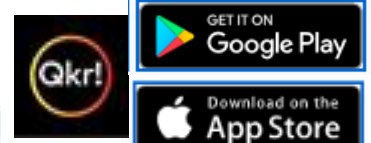
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STAY AT HOME

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JUNIOR NETBALL ASSOCIATION

2nd AGM

Monday 23rd November 2020
6:30pm @ Loxton Hotel Motel

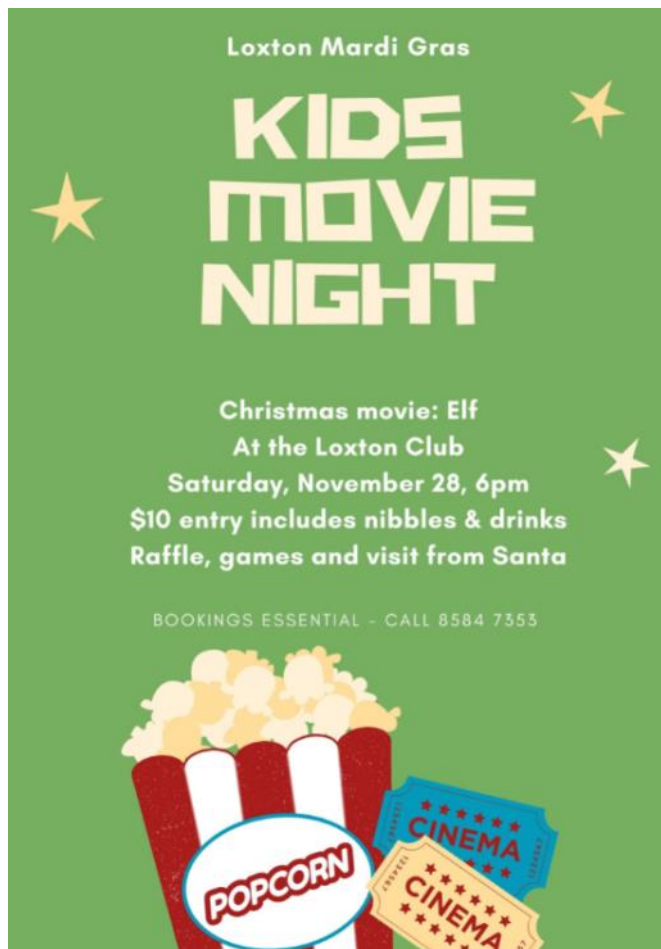
Positions to be filled

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer/registrar
- Sponsorship Officer/Grants Coordinator
- Child Safe Officer
- Equipment Officer
- Committee



If you require information regarding this committee, please feel free to contact Michelle Pannell 0400647532

PLEASE NOTE: NO COMMITTEE = NO NETBALL




Loxton Mardi Gras

KIDS MOVIE NIGHT

Christmas movie: Elf
At the Loxton Club
Saturday, November 28, 6pm
\$10 entry includes nibbles & drinks
Raffle, games and visit from Santa

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL - CALL 8584 7353



Loxton

LIGHTS FESTIVAL



2020



28TH NOVEMBER - 31ST DECEMBER

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Shop Local this Christmas

The Loxton Chamber of Commerce invite you to the Riverland's best shopping strip which will open for special Sunday trading throughout December! East Terrace is a vibrant and thriving village-style main street with a diverse range of specialty shops and services. Many independent, family-run small businesses offer a unique Christmas shopping experience.

Regular shopping hours Monday - Friday and Saturdays to midday. Special Sunday trading in December on 6th, 13th and 20th from 10am-2pm.

Further information at www.loxtonchamber.com.au

Christmas Wonderland

With illuminated displays and festive lights stretching over 250 metres, Christmas Wonderland is exactly as wondrous as it sounds. The star of the Christmas Lights Festival, this privately-owned display draws visitors from all over the world. Experience the magic and create lifelong memories with your family during the festive season, Christmas Wonderland is a 'must see' while in Loxton.

Viewing times 8.30pm - 11pm every night from 28th November - 31st December.

BIKE THE NIGHT

A great way to see the lights is by cycling the sights. Bring the family to Heritage Park to decorate your bikes or scooters (and yourself) with free glow sticks before riding off to explore the streets in and around Santa's Walk. Then return to enjoy refreshments from Little Miss Daisy Pop Up Caravan including smoothies, milkshakes, ice-cream, coffee, cakes and donuts.

Weather permitting.

Sunday 20th December from 8pm - 9.30pm.

Peace, Joy, Merry

A brand new attraction this year, we welcome Peace, Joy and Merry. Restored and relocated from their original site in Rundle Mall, these oversized and illuminated words are a gorgeous 'photo-worthy' addition to East Terrace on the lawns above the Charles Sturt Memorial plinth.

Viewing times 8.30pm-11pm every night from 28th November - 31st December.

Christmas Nostalgia

A colourful, historic display of all things Christmas from goose feather and novel trees to unique decorations and toys. Re-live traditions and special Christmas customs over many decades through this treasured private collection.

Permanently displayed in the Loxton Newsagency, 12 East Terrace during normal trading hours.

SANTA'S WALK

Watch the magic of Christmas light up our homes and streets, as locals put the spirit of the season on show. Families can experience the captivating Christmas lights along Hilbig Street, where it all began, and its surrounds (see map over)!

Viewing times 8.30pm - 11pm every night from 28th November to 31st December.

Loxton Light Show

The avenue of trees in the centre of East Terrace become the feature of a magical light show every night. 30 large spotlights illuminate the trees creating a beautiful sequence of colour and movement.

Viewing times 8.30pm - 11pm every night from 28th November to 31st December.



FESTIVAL FERRIS WHEEL

To celebrate the first week of the Christmas Lights Festival you can ride the ferris wheel in East Terrace. Take in the unique and spectacular views of the Murray River and surrounds by day, or enjoy the magic of Loxton's Christmas lights by night.

Murray Street crossover, East Terrace from Saturday 28th November - Sunday 6th December. Strictly adhering to COVID-19 Safety Protocols.

6pm-11pm weeknights, 10am-11pm Saturdays, 11am-9pm Sundays. Weather permitting.

Community Carols

Get the family together for Loxton's very own Carols by Candlelight! The combined churches of Loxton invite you to come together and sing along to your favourite carols at the town oval, Bookpurnong Terrace.

From 7pm Sunday 13th December. BYO chairs, rugs, candles, lanterns, torches. Event will be cancelled if inclement weather.



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Indicate the main areas for lights viewing - up to 25kms.

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Legend: **T** Toilets, **+** Church, **H** Hospital

NOVEMBER DECEMBER
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