

Central News

Lockhart Central School

LOCKHART CENTRAL SCHOOL COMMUNITY

OPEN EVENING

6.00pm—7.00pm

DATE : Monday 26th August

Tour 6.00pm

Presentation and Questions in the Library 6.30pm

SUPPER PROVIDED

Appointments welcome.



EnviroMentors –

Thank you to the Lockhart Shire Council for our EnviroMentor's Workshop on Compost.



What K/1/2 learnt from the Environmentors visit

- Seth – eggshells help the worms
- Will – worms don't have noses
- Chloe – worms don't have eyes
- Addison – worms don't eat oily foods
- Lilly – worms breathe from their body
- Tilda – worms don't have any teeth
- Amelia – worms have little holes all over their body so they can breathe
- David – worms don't eat onions because they don't like them
- Jasmine – chilli burns their mouth
- Ethan – they don't eat pizza because they are oily
- Mack – worms eat vegetables
- Miss Sly – worms can't eat foods that contain citric acid



Primary Happenings

We have had a busy start to the term and look forward to some exciting events in the next few weeks.

- Little Athletics' visit – Mon 26th at 10am
- Shekere Beats – African Music performance in the library on Wed 28th August at 9.15am
- Life Education Van – Fri 20th September. Cost \$6.00 per student. More information will be sent out closer to the visit.

Bernie O'Connor

Well done to the boys for joining Henty PS.



Bernie O'Connor

Last Friday, students from Primary travelled to Yerong Creek for the Bernie O'Connor Football and Netball Gala Day. We had student's participate with the Greater Kengal Network in junior and senior sides.

All our sides had at least one win on the day and enjoyed showcasing their skills. Thank you to all the parents and caregivers who supported the students and assisted on the day.



Tell Them From Me Survey

Parent Surveys

This Term, our school will be participating in the *Partners in Learning* parent survey, another part of the *Tell Them From Me* suite of surveys (student, teacher and parent surveys) on student engagement. The survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student wellbeing and engagement.

The survey is conducted entirely online on smartphones, iPads, tablets, laptops or computers. The survey will typically take 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. More information about the survey is available at:

<http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au>.

To access the survey for our school go to:
<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/7r5gs>

Tell Them From Me Survey

Student Surveys

You may remember that our students participated in a *Tell Them From Me* student survey in Term 1 this year. Asking students to complete the survey twice in one year allows us to identify trends in student responses as well as track engagement and motivation across the school year.

The survey is a great opportunity for our students to provide us with valuable and quick feedback on what they think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways that teachers interact with them.

If you **do not** want your child or children to participate, please return the form attached to the newsletter to school by Monday 2nd September.



Book Week – Dress-up fun!



Upcoming events - Term 3**August****Week 6****26th – Community LCS Open Evening**26th-28th – HSC Trial Exams26th-30th – Year 9/10 Work Experience and EVET Work Placement28th – Shekera African music and Dance29th – Woodhaven visit30th – Primary Riverina Athletics**September****Week 7**2nd – Youth Committee meeting2nd – Community catering**4th – 2020 Kinder and Year 7 Information Night**4th-6th – Secondary State Athletics**Week 8**11th – Whole School Assembly11th – 2020 Year 9 Elective Information Night12th – Girls and Boys Wellbeing13th – RAP Study Day**Week 9**17th – Henty Field Days17th – P&C Meeting18th-20th – Preliminary Yearly Exams**18th – Parent Teacher Interviews**20th – Life Education Van**Week 10**23rd-25th – Preliminary Yearly Exams27th – Year 12 Farewell Assembly27th – Last day of learning for Term 3**Term 4****October**14th – Learning resumes for Term 4**Breakfast Club**

Thank you to Lockhart IGA & St Ives Rotary Club who are sponsoring our breakfast club.

Secondary Assessment Tasks**TERM 3****Year 12**

Week 6: HSC Trial Exams, English Studies

Year 11

Week 6: IT Timber, Agriculture, English Studies

Week 8: English Studies, Photography, Work Studies

Week 9: Yearly Exams

Week 10: Yearly Exams

Year 9 & 10

Week 8: Geography, Food Technology, PDHPE, PASS

Week 9: English, Maths, Science

Week 10: Metal Technology, Drama, Information and software

Year 7 & 8

Week 7: Maths, LOTE

Week 8: Geography, Visual Arts, PDHPE

Week 9: English, History

Week 10: Music, Science

School Canteen

Please bring orders for school canteen by Monday each week.

School Canteen will operate every Tuesday.

Food: Hot Dog \$2, Sausage Roll \$2, Ham & Cheese Toastie \$1.50

Drinks: Juice Box \$1, Water \$1, Flavoured Milk \$1.50

St Mary's Parish Lockhart

2020 Debutante Ball

Lockhart Memorial Hall

Friday 6th March 2020.

Girls 16yrs or older interested in making their Debut

Please contact:

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No later than the 31st August – We will need definite numbers for this to go ahead.

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Dear Parents and Carers

This term, our school is taking part in the *Tell Them From Me* student survey. The survey will provide us with valuable feedback on what our students think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways that teachers interact with them. Schools in Australia and around the world have used the *Tell Them From Me* survey to help them improve. The survey is completed on-line and is run by an independent research company, **The Learning Bar**, which specialises in school-based surveys.

Staff in schools will **not** be able to identify individual students from their responses. To ensure confidentiality, participating students will receive a unique username and password. Where fewer than five students respond to a question, the results will be suppressed. The survey typically takes 30 minutes or less to complete and will be administered by the school during normal school hours. Once the surveys are completed by students, reports are prepared and in most cases are available to schools within three business days.

This survey will help our school better understand how to improve student wellbeing and engagement. It will help the school identify what works to improve student outcomes.

Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary. Your child will not take part if either you or your child do not wish. If, during the survey, your child is uncomfortable, he/she can choose to stop the survey at any time. The majority of questions in the survey can be skipped.

If you **do not want your child to take part** in the survey, please complete the attached form and return it to your child's school by Monday 2nd September.

More information about the survey and the research is available in English on the CESE website: <http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au/information-for-parents>

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Tell Them From Me Student Feedback Survey non-consent form

If you **do not want** your child to participate in the student feedback survey, please sign this form and return it to the school by Monday 2nd September.

I DO NOT give consent for my child/children _____
to participate in the **Tell Them From Me** student feedback survey.

Name of parent/carer: _____

Signature of parent/carer: _____

Date: _____



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