



Lockrose State School  
Hard work brings rewards

# Newsletter

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## Mr Williams did a bad bad thing...



Due to the poor condition on the pergola, we have removed it. The Department has suggested a sun-shade type structure to replace it. They are currently looking at options and pricing these up.

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## Our School Expectations.

- Be Safe
- Be Responsible
- Be Respectful
- Be a Learner



## Newspaper Photos

The Editor of "The Lockyer and Somerset Independent" (the local paper which has replaced "The Gatton Star") took photographs of our Prep students and School Captain yesterday.

The prep photos will be published on 17th March and the school leaders will be published on the 24th March.

The paper is not home delivered anymore but the local shops and businesses should have copies for free.

## Important Dates

Swimming is finished for Term 1.  
See you again in Term 4.

Every Thursday 8:30 to 10:30

17 March

Prep photos in paper

24 March

School captain photos in paper.

## Behaviour Focus -Getting to school on time.

It is important that students get to school on time. There is nothing worse for some students "sneaking in" when lessons have begun. Getting to school on time is often about establishing routines. Children who arrive at school with a good breakfast, a full night's sleep and organised, it is proven, have more success at school, social and academically.

Here are some suggestions that might help.

### The night before:

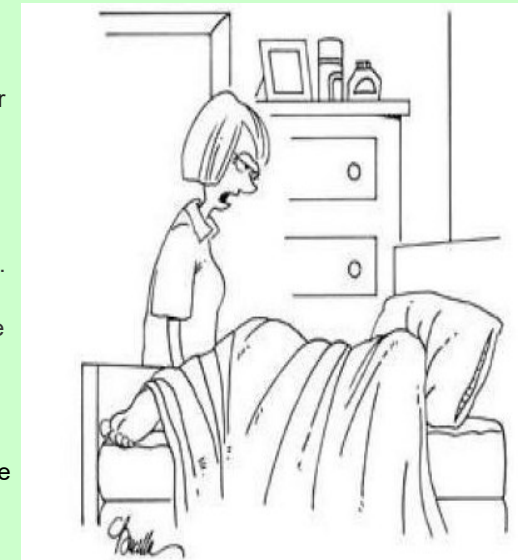
- Pack lunches and fill water bottles.
- Make sure that notes, permission slips and money that need to be returned to school are signed and, in your bag,
- Library books that need to be returned should be packed
- Get your school uniform ready the night before and lay it/hang it somewhere where you can get to it quickly in the morning.
- Put the backpacks by the front/back door and put your shoes on top of your backpack. Put a sock in each shoe.

### In the morning:

- Brush/comb your hair. Keep your hairbands, scrunchies, ribbons etc in the same place so you know where they are.
- Clean your teeth
- Get your lunch and drink bottle out of the fridge and pack in bag

### Being a Learner

- If you have homework, make sure it is finished and in your bag.
- No TV or electronic games until everyone is ready for school ... read a book while you are waiting for your brothers/sisters



"I know the kids don't like you and pick on you, but you have to go to school...you're the teacher."

## Money Owed

Nicole is currently processing invoices for people who owe money for uniforms and swimming. Please pay your accounts so we can finalise our accounts for buses, instructors and pool hire.

Students who have paid and missed lessons will be reimbursed shortly.

## A BIG Thank-you



A BIG thank-you callout to the nameless man in the BIG truck who dropped twenty-five cubic metres of top quality mulch in the grounds. It will not go to waste and will help keep the gardens weed free and neat. Thank you Sir.

Today the children in Years 5 and 6 went to the Life-Ed sessions about Puberty. Helpfully they gain useful information and are able to sort out fact from myth. It can be a difficult time for our teenagers and older children in Primary school.

Our school improvement agenda is: **Explicit Teaching** **Reading** **Writing** and **Maths**