



Gunnedah South Public School

"With oar and sail"

Thursday
21st Nov 2013
TERM 4 WEEK 7

Special points of interest:

- 25th-29th - Stage 3 Excursion
- 5th-6th - Yr 4 Excursion
- 10th - Presentation Day
- 11th - Yr 6 Farewell

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School Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8 Nov	25 Stage 3 Canberra Excursion	26 Stage 3 Canberra Excursion	27 Stage 3 Canberra Excursion	28 Stage 3 Canberra Excursion	29 Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
9 Dec	2	3	4 Yr 6 High School Orientation Day Yr4 Keepit Excursion	5 Yr 4 Keepit Excursion	6 Yr 4 Keepit Excursion Kindy Graduation Christmas Concert
10 Dec	9	10 Presentation Day @ 9.30 P & C meeting @ 7pm CANTEEN CLOSED	11 Yr 6 Farewell	12	13 Yr 6 Keepit Dam visit Hamburger Day
11 Dec	16	17	18 Yr 6 Pool Day Last day of School	19	20 



*Gunnedah South Public
School*

Proud supporters of the

"You Can Do It" Program

CONFIDENCE

Supporting & caring
for your children.

A few words from our Principal..



Dear Parents and Carers,

Student reports

Classroom teachers are busily writing student end of year reports. These comprehensive reports outline students progress across all Key Learning Areas, giving valuable information regarding student achievement and areas for development. In addition, teachers also comment on a students participation in school activities, merit level achieved and social skills.

Student reports are due to go home on Monday 9th December.

South Stars

You might have witnessed on Prime local news last night, two of our talented sporting stars. Zoe Fleming and Brandy Harris.

Zoe has earned a place in the NSW PSSA girls cricket team to play at the National cricket carnival in Bendigo in early 2014.

Brandy and Zoe both have been selected in the High School CHS North West cricket team to compete in Nowra in February 2014

Well done to both girls, this achievement is tremendous and they are to be congratulated on their skill, determination and sportsmanship.

Hats

Australian sun is harsh, please ensure your child brings their broad brim hat to school everyday. It is school requirement that all students bring the red broad brim hat to school every day. Gunnedah South is a "Sun Smart school" meeting the requirements by the Cancer Council and NSW Department of Education and Communities. The Sun Smart Primary School Program is designed to protect children from skin cancer. It supports schools across NSW to develop and implement a best-practice sun protection policy.

National Skin Cancer week 17-23rd November is a timely reminder of the importance to practice safe and preventative measures of sun protection.

Christmas Concert

Don't forget to mark in your diary the school Christmas concert. This is a lovely festive concert with all students performing an item.

Date: **Friday 6th December @ 11:30am.**

Presentation Day

Another important event not to be missed is our Presentation Day.

Date: **Tuesday 10th December @ 9:30am.**

Maths at home

Kids' early experiences with measurement are often based on watching their parents. Seeing mum or dad measure and pour ingredients for a recipe or weigh items at the fruit shop will often become part of their play.

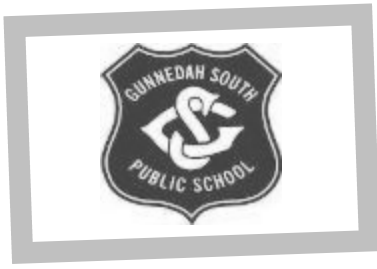
Maths at home: <http://www.schooltoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/mathematics/mathematics-tips/helping-your-child-measure-mass-and-volume>

kindest Regards,

Emma Jeffery.

Principal.





SCHOOL NEWS...



CANTEEN NEWS

MON 25th - Deidre Woodward
 TUES 26th - Laura Reeves
 WED 27th - Shynyn Hancox
 THURS 28th - Kim Street
 FRI 29th - Jodie Moore
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 MON 2nd - HELP NEEDED
 TUES 3rd - Laura Reeves
 WED 4th - Michelle Stewart
 THURS 5th - HELP NEEDED
 FRI 6th - **CLOSED**

If you would like to volunteer in the canteen please give Sharon a call on 6742 1899.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need some volunteers with sewing skills who can help out making some library bags. All material will be supplied. Please contact the office staff for any inquires. Your help will be very much appreciated.

Stage 3 Rotations

Week 8	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
MISS FOLLEY TECHNOLOGY				Canberra Excursion	
<i>Mrs Heath</i> HSJE					
Miss Small PE/PD					
Mr Humphries Science					
Miss Zerner Art					
Miss Flannery Drama					

Merit Certificates

1H	Hanna Williams, Zara Bartlett, Ella Gow, Brodie Coombs
1P/W	Jydan Davison, Serena Jaeger, Charlie Beasley, Flyn Harrison
1M	Madison McDonald, Cley Durrant, Leah Demmery, Kaydee Draper
2W	All students who attended the excursion
2H	Jade Wilson, Zoe Eather, Annie Elphick, Wesley Dundas
2E	Lucy Robertson, Nayte Vernon, Lachlan Pennicuik
2M	Laurel Thomas, R.J. Fermor, Max Guarrera, Brittney Smith
3D	Lilly Unicomb, Trista Trengrouse, Mackenzie Leader
3M	Sarah Demmery, Jack Burgess, Beccy Wilson
3/4S	Kade Garrett, Annalise Johnson, Jessica McIntyre
4S	Savannah Pratt, Madilyn Jessup-Little, Jake Jamieson
4W	Matilda Betts, Stephanie Towns, Eli Rankmore
5F	Locky Lennox, Orin Wettenhall, Shakarra Dorrington
5S	J.D Lowe, Daniel Wang, Kurt Rennick
5Z	Hayley Lye, Kaytlyn Murrell, Hudson Dries
5/6H	Jacob Hortin, Jessica Penrose, Nautica Eather
6F	Jtaya Davis, Jessie Betts
6H	Juanita Swan, James Wilson, Morgan Wettenhall

Merit Certificates

Silver

Jacob Tindall, Duncan Muller,
Sienna Hobden, Alyshia Spain,
Charlie Beasley,
Madison McDonald,
Kade Garrett, Hayley Lye,
Kaytlyn Murrell,
Bailey Stewart,
Savannah Pratt, Amity Cleal

Sport

Thomas Lyne,
Samantha Randall

Dance

Tom Dawson, Juanita Swan,
Lucy Moore

Gold

Savannah Pratt,
Kaytlyn Murrell, Bailey
Stewart

Kitchen

Kaytlyn Murrell

YOU CAN DO IT

Ella Gow, Hanna Williams, Ellie Thomas, Jay Hancox, Toby Randall, Dallas Murray,
Wesley Dundas, Connor Morgan, Jack Mackay, Harry Woodhead, Ethan Tighe,
Thomas Donaldson, Lewis Donaldson, Lilly Street, Sam Luzuriaga, Olivia Edmonds,
Chloe Hicks, Hayden Endicott, Braithen Winsor, Moira Morgan, Jasmyn Hoppe,
Cobie Winsor, Ethan Newcombe, Macy Friend, Max Campbell, Tahlia Isbester,
Savanna Cull, Logan Dries, Braden Burns, Holt Whitehurst, Ella Gow,
Hanna Williams, Ellie Thomas, Jay Hancox

Pink Day Update...

Thanks for the support!



We raised \$700 and it will be donated to Can Assist.

Lilly Street donated 20cm of her hair to the Beautiful Lengths program. A special thanks to Mrs Day-McGuirk for your styling



CANTEEN will be **CLOSED** on the following days

Friday 6th December - Christmas Concert

Tuesday 10th December - Presentation Day

Monday 16th December

Tuesday 17th December

Wednesday 18th December

Recipe of the week!

Silverbeet and Potato Pie

Season: Winter /Spring .

Serves 4 or 18 tastes

Ingredients:

3 leaves silver beet, washed, stems removed, shredded finely
400g mashed potatoes
4 spring onions, finely sliced
2/3 cup ricotta cheese
2 eggs, lightly beaten
1/3 cup tasty cheese, grated
1/4 cup parmesan cheese, grated
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
salt and pepper



Method:

1. Preheat the oven to 180 Degrees celsius.
2. Prepare the vegetables.
3. Lightly spray the baking dish with spray oil and line with baking paper.
4. Combine the **mashed potato, silver beet and spring onions** in a large bowl.
5. Mix the **ricotta** with the **eggs** in a small bowl with a whisk.
6. Fold the ricotta mixture into potato mixture.
7. Add the **tasty cheese, parmesan and nutmeg**.
8. Season with the **salt and pepper**.
9. Spoon the mixture into the prepared dish and lightly press into the corners.
10. Bake for 40 minutes or until slightly risen and golden on top.
11. Cut into required pieces.
12. Serve and enjoy.