



Gunnedah South Public School

"With oar and sail"

Thursday
20h JUNE 2013
TERM 2 WEEK 8

Special points of interest:

- 24th-27th - NAIDOC Week
- 28th - Horse Sports Day
- 16th July - Term 3 begins
- 26th July - Winter Ball

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School Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9 June	24 NAIDOC Week Elders Breakfast 8.30. Flag Raising 9.00am	25 NAIDOC Week Living Cultural Workshop. Aboriginal Artist	26 NAIDOC Week Sapphires Movie night yr 3-6 5.00-8.00pm Yr 6 Transition	27 NAIDOC Week Racial Harmony Awards Ceremony 1.30pm	28 Horse Sports Day. Last Day of Term 2 CANTEEN CLOSED
1 July	15 Pupil Free Day	16 Term 3 Starts for Students	17	18	19
2 July	22	23	24	25	26 South School Winter Ball
3 July/August	29	30	31 Kindy Transition 1.40-2.40pm. Yr 6 Preview Evening	1	2 Science Fair Yr 6 High School

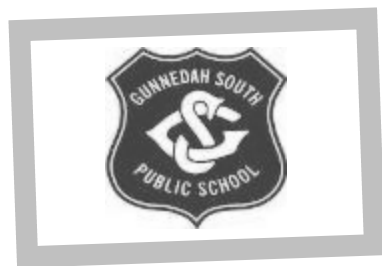


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SCHOOL NEWS...



CANTEEN NEWS

MON	24/6 - HELP NEEDED
TUES	25/6 - Diane Law
WED	26/6 - Ebony Cope
THURS	27/6 - CLOSED
FRI	28/6 - CLOSED

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

Please note that the NEW canteen menu is available on the school app.



CANTEEN CLOSED

**On Thursday 27th June
and 28th June.**
**There will be no orders on
these days.**



Stage 3 Rotations

Week 9	Monday-24/6	Tuesday- 25/6	Wednesday- 26/6	Thursday -27/6	Friday- 28/6
Miss Folley Technology	5S	5F	6F		5Z
Mrs Heath HSJE	6H	5/6H	5S		5F
Miss Small PE/PD	5/6H	5S	5F		6F
Mr Humphries Science	5Z	6H	5/6H		5S
Miss Zerner Art	6F	5Z	6H		5/6H
Miss Flannery Drama	5F	6F	5Z		6H

Merit Certificates

KM	Ryley Chaffey, Mason Louis, Benjamin Hall, Ally Pennicuilk
KB	Charlotte Semmler, Emily Williams, Hunter Gow
KL	Jordan Mathers, Charleigh McArthur, Tim Thorning, Miami Clemments
KS	Bradley Bartimote, Logan Costin, Aleena Dundas, Elias Briggs
KR	Melissa Bartlett, Phoebe Street, Jakoby Webber, Ned Ellenor
IH	Kye Ruttley, Kyara Mathers, Daniel Pegg, Adam Fermor
IP/W	Harry Capper, Serena Jaeger, Thomas Eveleigh, Claire Barnes
IM	Ava Coleman, Denzel Wortley, Nash Perry, Will Harris
2W	Dakota Lye, Chloe Williams, Maddison Churchill-Moore, Ryann Weekes
2H	Dylan Stubbs, Annie Elphick, Clarease Chapman
2E	Tom Sheedy, Callum Simson, Charlotte Thompson, Amia Beasley
2M	Michael Walsh, Lewis Donaldson, Emily Hunt, Billie Carter
3D	Isaac Jeffery, Jarod Ferguson, Chloe Newman
3M	Hollie Eveleigh, Thomas Friend, Declan Dean-Djuve
3/4S	Drew Shephard, Emily Garner, Jaycob Price
4S	Tarren Beasley, Stephanie McArthur, Moira Morgan
4W	Tom Snow, Matilda Betts, Ashton Harris
5F	Tahlia Isbester, Josh Egan, Connor Gallagher
5S	Lucy Merlehan, Savanna Cull, Jaydon Newton
5Z	Sara Baker, Jackson Carr, Hayley Lye, Kalila Megson
5/6H	Deon Spears, Paige Holbrook, Samuel Hibert
6F	Samual Tydd, Yasmine Webster, Riley Bunce
6H	Hayden Baker, Cain Eather, Zoe Fleming

Merit Certificates

Silver

Taleigha Elphick, Kyran Kleinschafer,
Emily Williams, Hunter Gow, Aidan Wise,
Adam Fermor, Byron Donnelly, Tom Snow,
Ashton Harris, Riley Bunce, Tom Wilson,
Kalila Megson, Jackson Carr, Logan Dries,
Thomas Lyne, Celeste Campbell, Amity Cleal,
Ryan Kelly-Payne, Angela Dillon,
Chelsea Storey, Nautica Eather,
Georgie Orman, Ewan Woodward,
Jack Bruce, Maddi Hagan, Brandy Harris,
Connor Poeschl, Kaydee Draper,
Hunter Kelly, Hannah Simpson,
Phoebe Bridge, Tom Mainey, Mason Louis,
Jordan Mathers, Flynn Cameron,
Charlotte Cooper, Brianna Cope,
Lewis Donaldson, Max Guarrera,
Seth Hoffman, Cody Jones, Alex Letts,
Sarah McKenzie, Isabelle Moore,
Hayden Riley, Brittney Smith, Lilly Street,
Harry Tassell, Laurel Thomas,
Connor Wheatley

Gold

Byron Donnelly, Tom Snow,
Jackson Carr, Amity Cleal,
Hannah Simpson,
Brianna Cope, Max Guarrera,
Isabelle Moore,
Connor Wheatley

Sport

Lauren Jessup-Little, Zoe Fleming,
Paige Murray, Georgie Orman,
Brandy Harris, Lauren Ewington,
Lucy Moore, Chelsea McArthur,
Jessie Betts, Sam Randall,
Matt Mackay, Bayley Williams,
Maddi Hagan, Jack Bruce,
Ashton Harris, Jade Stark,
Eli Rankmore, Piper Rankmore,
Nautica Eather, Mitchell Clarke,
Bastian Short, Emily Hoppe,
Jim Jewiss, Samuel Tydd,
Jarrod Ferguson, Zac Griffin,
Lucy Jackson, Jasmyn Hoppe,
Chelsea Storey, Sophie Williams,
Dakota Durrant, Jim Muller,
Logan Dries, Jackson Carr,
Anaya Boal, Ewan Woodward,
Mackenzie Leader, Tom Wilson,
Thomas Lyne, Celeste Campbell,
Kurt Fisher, Angela Dillon,
Zeb Dillon, Sophie Mackay,
Morgan Wettenhall

Stage 3 Debating

This year Gunnedah South School are taking part in the Premier's Debating Challenge. Our two debating teams had their first round of debates last week with Quirindi Public, Collarenebri Public and Westdale Public who came to our school for a day of debates.

All the teams did very well on the day and received positive feedback from our two adjudicators Mr Humphries and Mrs Schubert.

Gunnedah South Master Minds (**Lauren Jessup-Little, Carter Cameron, Andy Wang and Jessica Penrose**) came up against Westdale Public and won the debate by 1 point. Their second debate was against Quirindi Public which they unfortunately lost.

Gunnedah South Free Thinkers (**Mitchell Clarke, Grace McCulloch, Desmond Tuckerman and Riley Bunce**) came up against Collarenebri Public and won their debate by 10 points.

Well done to both our teams who worked well together and represented our school in a positive and welcoming manner. A big thanks to all our extra helpers too including Hayden Baker who volunteered as time keeper.

Mrs Bulley.



Wallaby Trap Recreation Reserve

Students in 5F, 5S, 5Z and 5/6H are taking up an invitation to attend the Wallaby Trap Recreation Reserve on Wednesday 26th June 2013 to celebrate NAIDOC Week.

We will leave school and walk up Stock Rd at approximately 12:30pm. Students will be learning the history of the Wallaby Trap and having a packed picnic lunch. We will return at approximately 1:45pm.

Students will be accompanied by Miss Folley, Miss Small, Miss Zerner and Mr Finlay. There is no permission note needed, an annual permission note will cover this mini excursion. If you haven't signed the annual permission note, please do so as soon as possible.

Kind regards,

Year 5 Teachers

Science and Engineering Challenge

Last Tuesday, over 60 children from Years 5 and 6 travelled to Narrabri to participate in the Science and Engineering Challenge that was run by The University of Newcastle. Some children from Gunnedah Public School joined us for the day.

All students were great ambassadors for our school. They were willing and able participants in all the hands-on activities that were offered to them.

We proved to have excellent skills in science and all three of the Gunnedah teams scored over 650 points. The combined Gunnedah South and Gunnedah Public Schools were the winners on the day scoring 1119.17 points. A huge effort which is to be commended.

Here's what the children had to say about the day:

I liked building the bridge out of straws and sticky tape and getting to test it at the end of the day.

I like building the tower because we had to put weights on it to see how much the tower could hold.

I liked connecting the cities together with train lines because we had to really use our brains to figure out how to connect them all.

