



Gunnedah South Public School

"With oar and sail"

Thursday
21st August 2014
TERM 3 WEEK 6

Special points of interest:

- 28th August Poetry Workshop
- 3rd September Yr1 Excursion
- 3rd & 8th September Yr6 High School Visit
- 5th September Dubbo Zoo
- 9th September P&C @ 7pm

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School Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7 Aug	25 Year 6 High School Visit	26	27	28 Poetry Workshop	29
8 Sept	1	2	3 Year 1 Excursion Tamworth Year 6 High School Visit	4	5 Year 2 Excursion Dubbo Zoo
9 Sept	8 Year 6 High School Visit Book Week Starts	9 P&C Meeting @ 7pm	10 Kindy Transition 1.30pm	11	12
10 Sept	15 Yr 6 Sydney Excursion Meeting	16 Boys PSSA- Softball	17 Stage 3 Trek Boys PSSA- Softball	18 Kindy Teddy Bears Picnic 11am-1pm Stage 3 Trek	19 Stage 3 Trek



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A few words from our Principal...

Dear Parents and Carers,



SRC ~ Winsor family

The SRC have organised and delivered 2 fundraising events to support the Winsor family whose house was badly damaged during a house fire a few weeks ago. The SRC had decided upon a school social where students could come dressed as something beginning with 'C or B' and enjoy a BBQ dinner while bopping out with friends. This night was a huge success raising over \$1000.

The second event the SRC arranged was a cake stall held last Thursday on Conadilly St. Thank you to our parents who sent in loads of scrumptious cakes, slices, muffins and biscuits to sell. I must say a big thank you to Roxanne and Cameron Milne who ran the stall along with our two student representatives, Grace McCulloch and Teenisha Milne. The cake stall raised \$436.50.

I am very proud of the students for showing a good sense of character, for helping out others in need. It is great to see students who have a sense of 'we' rather than only 'me'!

Welcome

Term 3 has been another busy term with new enrolments. It is always a pleasure to show prospective families around our school, as they always amazed with the spacious grounds and facilities. In addition, the support our new students receive from classroom teachers who organise

Blade Rowlands
Archie Waerea
Angus Waerea
Hope Sankey
Lillee Sankey
CJ Lim
Claudia Irwin
Myah Irwin
Grace Honesett
Aiden Russell
Cheyanne O'Shea
Hallie Talbott
Lincoln Howarth
Rihara Bowater-Gudselt
Telaiah Donnelly
Taj Burgess
Kai Burgess
Tyler Ibrahim-Lynch

Working Bee

The school will be holding it's first working bee for the year. The original date was 24th August, however this has been postponed to Sunday 14th September. There are a number of jobs around the school, which will help us to keep the school looking fantastic.

We would appreciate any help. If you can spare a few hours, from 9-1pm with lunch provided.

Warm regards,

Emma Jeffery

Principal





SCHOOL NEWS...



What Shall I Tell YOU?

Where trees are tall,
Where fairies are small,
Where I can see,
Where you can believe,
That's where I hide,
Right inside.
Inside your book,
Were you could hide,
That's where you'll find me just like that,
I may even put a spell on your cat.
Let me see what I can do,
Maybe I'll even make you spew.
If you look inside your book,
You might just turn into a cook.

By Maya Norris Fouracre 3/4F



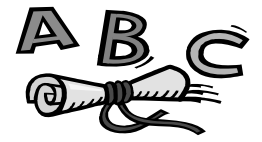
Canteen Helpers

Monday 15th August: Kim Street
Tuesday 16th August: Laura Reeves
Wednesday 27th August: Ebeny Cope
Thursday 28th August: Ashleigh Pennell
Friday 29th August: Amber Donoghue
need Help

Stage 3 Rotations Week 7-B

Week A	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Miss Small PE/PD	Year 6 Transition	6S	6H		5/6S
Mr Sumpter Tech		6L	6S		6H
Mr Humphries Science		5Z	6L		6S
Miss Hickey M/D/D		5S	5Z		6L
MRS HEATH HSIE		5/6S	5S		5Z
Miss Zerner Art		6H	5/6S		5S

Class Awards



KK	Laura Demmery, Rehan Haque, Imogen Riley
KM	Jorja Eschbach, Tyler Scott, Dominic Winsor
KR	Keaton Walters, Kye Perrett-Scott, Siri Sparks
KS	Zenae Burwood, Maya Grey, Tyrone Winsor
KW	Drew Elsley, Ella Hancox, Cassidy Hunt
2M	Sandy McArthur, Cley Durrant, Maddison McDonald
2S	Jack Castle, Claire Varcoe, Aiden Wise
2W	Harry Bartlett, Chantelle Stubbs, Cooper Mathers
3D	Tristan Poeschl, Zoe McAlpine, Ryan Carr
3M	Matthew Donnelly, Alex Letts, Laurel Thomas
3H	Taleigh Donnelly, Lahni Griffiths, Oliver Roworth
3/4F	Maya Norris Fpuracre, Hugh McArthur, Josh Coker
4S	Courtney White
4M	Jack Heath, Chloe Hicks, Trent White, Dakota Milne
5S	Bella Barr, Aaron Osmond, Savannah Pratt
5Z	Angela Dillon, Stephanie Mitchell Roberts, Courtney Penfold, Lucy Jackson, Stephanie McArthur
5/6S	Moira Morgan, Amity Cleal, JD Lowe
6L	Orin Wettenhall, Ashlea Webber, Bridie Kemp, Makayla Hebblewhite
6S	Keesha Thompson, Sam Hibbert, Nathan Gardner, Logan Dries
6H	Kurt Rennick, Josh Eagan, Ashley Murray

Merit Certificates

YCDI

Heidi Tull, ,Rehan Haque, Hollie Johnston, Oakley Gurr, Rhianna McAlpine, Ella Mutton, Peter Thurbon, Cheyanne O'Shea, Taylor Fuller, Rex McAllanKiara Mathers, Zoe McAlpine, Codey Torrens, Flyn Harrison, Taj Burgess, Jacey Ross

Silver

Chole Hickes, Jack Heath, Annie Walsh,
Trent White, Immogen Bull-Watts,
Chantelle Stubbs, Dominic Winsor,
Lincoln Mutton, Matthew McInnes,
Oakley Gurr, Bella Eveleigh,
Jorja Eschback, Tom Garner,
Alyshia Spain, Kodee Bendall, Chantel
Vaughen

Gold

Chole Hicks, Jack Heath,
Immogen Bull-Watts, Chantelle Stubbs,
Tom Garner, Alysha Spain,
Chantel Vaughen

Titanium

Chole Hicks
Jack Heath

Art

Jayden Winsor

Technology

Breanna Dunstan
Phillipe Altman
Sara Baker

Music, Dance & Art

Locky Lennox
Hudson Dries
Ashlea Webber

Learning to Play a Musical Instrument at Gunnedah South

Students interested in learning to play a musical instrument are given this wonderful opportunity at our school. We have a number of musical instruments and these are loaned to students. Free lessons are given at school. Some children progress to more advanced lessons with Mr Rowe, once again at no cost.

Students from year 2 to year 5, interested in learning to play an instrument and perhaps joining our school band need to bring a note indicating parent support. Parents/carers wishing to find out more information please also contact Mrs Sommerlad or leave a message with the front office.



SUPA CLUB

 Scripture Union Primary Age

SUPA Clubs are Christian clubs for kids. They operate in primary schools throughout Australia. At SUPA Club we have fun games, drama, stories from the Bible and the occasional treat. Children have the opportunity to investigate some of life's challenging questions.

SUPA Club is held each Tuesday at lunchtime for year 5 and year 6 students.



Interest Groups

Teaching staff in Stage 3 have been busy developing organisational and leadership skills with students in Year 5. These students have been given the opportunity to run their own Interest Group one lunch-time per week. Activities such as craft, soccer skills, touch footy, laptop skills, iPad lessons, singing and musical instrument lessons have been on to kindergarten students. Our lucky kindies have thoroughly enjoyed learning new skills and making new friends.

These groups will run from weeks 4 to 9 this term. During term 4 we will offer Interest Groups to Years 1 and 2 students between weeks 3 and 8.

Well done to our year 5 students who have shown great enthusiasm and skill so far.



Good News! Good News! Good news!

The working bee is off!

Due to unforeseen circumstances, not all of them related to the weather, we have had to call off our proposed working bee scheduled for this Sunday.



**Better News! Better News!
Better News!**

The working bee is on!

When: September 14th, 2014.

Starting: 9:00 am

Until: 1:00 pm

Come one. Come all.

We have a sheep enclosure to build, a soft fall area to remediate,
a pole to stand for a security light, painting and much more.

Morning tea: Of course. We'll provide.

Lunch: Yes. Yes. Yes. Sausage sizzle on us.

Bring your own drinks.

Bring a smile.

Bring the kids.

Bring a hat and gloves if you need them.





Jump Rope for Heart

Last Wednesday, Gunnedah South welcomed The Heart Foundation's Skipping Squad from Kempsey. The squad helped launch the Jump Rope for Heart fundraiser by showing off their amazing skills. All of Gunnedah South packed in under the Primary cola to watch the squad hop, skip and jump in their 20 minute demonstration. Next, it was our turn and a few special students were asked to have a go at some tricky moves.

Many students have now been skipping up a storm during recess and lunch to practise for our own Jump Rope for Heart day on the 16th September starting at 11.30am!



A.F.L Development Day

On Tuesday the 12th of August, 5/6 S , 5 S and some lucky 5Z students went to Wolseley Park by bus to attend an AFL development day hosted by Australia Post. We were split into 6 groups then went around a rotation of several activities which included bull rush, stuck in the mud, kicking goals and passing techniques. After we had completed the rotations we had lunch, a sausage sandwich, muesli bar and a bottle of water. We were also given an Australia Post hat and a water bottle.



Article by Jake Jamieson, Aidan Luzuriaga and Tarren Beasley.

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Student Details

Student Registration Number

If this 9 digit number is on the Statement

issued by the school it will be to the left

of the student's name.

* Given Name

* Surname

Class or Year

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