



# Gundagai South Public School

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**RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, CARE**

## NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 Week 3

9th February 2015

Dear Parents,

This week our swimming times revert to our preferred time of **1.00pm – 3.00pm on Monday and Tuesday** whilst on **Wednesday** our time will be **11.00am - 1.00pm**. Students are making great progress with many students moving up a group last week. It's great to see the students in the big pool who are just learning to swim gaining so much more confidence. Well done everyone.



### BBQ

Thankyou to all those families who were able to attend our BBQ last week. It was a relaxed and informal evening and it was lovely to see the wonderful social interaction with the game of cricket towards the end of the evening. Special thanks to Abb, Mitchell Myers and Trevor Champion for their help cooking the BBQ and to all the staff members who were there and who helped with serving, setting up and cleaning up at the end of the night. It was much appreciated. Thankyou.





## P & C Meeting



Everyone should try and come along to our **P & C meeting on Wednesday at 2.00pm**. At the meeting, we will be discussing the most convenient time for meetings to be held. Come along and have your say, or write a note to let me know your thoughts if you are unable to attend.

## Small Schools' Swimming Carnival



A permission note is attached for those students in Years 3 – 6 as well as any students in Year 2 who turn 8 years of age this year to attend the **Small Schools' Swimming Carnival next Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>**. Students in K/1 and those who are not yet 8

– or those who are still swimming in the middle size pool will remain at school. There will be some 25 metre races for those students who are unable to do 50 metre events. Parents are welcome to come along and enjoy the day.

**The day's events will begin at 9.45am.** Students from the other small schools will also be attending. A menu is attached to your newsletter if you wish to order from the canteen.

**ORDERS NEED TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY SO THEY CAN BE SENT TO THE POOL. DO NOT SEND MONEY – PAY ON THE DAY.**

Thankyou

## Radio News



Week 4: Angel & Dylan  
Week 5: Destiny & Zak  
Week 6: Adam & Thomas  
Week 7: Chloe & Christopher  
Week 8: Harri & Meg  
Week 9: Gabby & Jordan  
Week 10: Lizzie & Gina

## School Banking



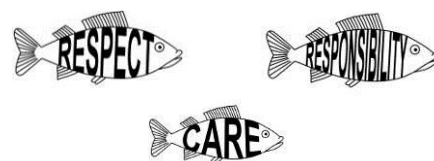
Don't forget to send in your Westpac School Banking. Banking will be collected every Wednesday.

## Nutrition Snippet



This week's Cancer Council Nutrition snippet "**The simplest way to make ice blocks**" is attached. Information is provided by the Cancer Council.

## PBL Weekly Focus Area



This week our focus areas for PBL will be "**Lines**" in the playground and "**Listening- All Areas**" for our Classroom.

### Playground –Lines

**Respect:** Wait patiently.

**Responsibility:** Right place, right time. Stay in the playground.

**Care:** Report problems.

### Classroom – Listening- All Areas

**Respect:** Sit quietly. Eyes on speaker.

**Responsibility:** Put hand up to ask questions. Stay on Topic.

**Care:** Sensible answers

Please discuss our focus areas with your children this week.



## PBL- Uniform Winners



Congratulations to our weekly uniform award winners for Week 2 – **Michael Monaghan, Jessica Crooks & Braith Winner**

## Healthy Recess and Lunch

Congratulations to our healthy recess and lunch awards winners for Week 2



Recess award - **Indi Tyson**  
Lunch award - **Brydon Harvey**

## Student of the Week

**4/5/6 – Hayley Booby** – Working well to produce beautiful handwriting and scoring 100% in Spelling test.



**2/3- Jade Harvey** – For trying hard to complete set tasks.



**K/1 – Aiden Morris** – For his great effort in completing his work.



## Catch of the Week

**4/5/6 – Tiara Foster** – Working with a mature and responsible attitude and following all PBL rules.



**2/3 – Josie Warren** – For a sensible approach when helping others according to our PBL rules.



**K/1 – Samantha Crooks** – For always showing 'Respect' in the classroom.



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## CANTEEN

Attached to your newsletter is information regarding the canteen and a form to be filled in if you are able to help out for 1 or 2 days a term. Please fill in and return to school so that a roster can be made up before the start of canteen on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March.  
**Thank you**

## GUNDAGAI CONCERT BAND

The Gundagai Concert Band is currently calling for new members. An information and registration day will be held for parents and students (from Year 4 up) on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February at 4pm at Gundagai High School in the MPC. Come and have fun and learn an instrument! Enquiries to Karen Byron 0402-730-577 or Brenda Argaet 0427-441-688.

## JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE

Gundagai/Adelong Junior Rugby League will be holding another registration day on Wednesday 18th of February at the Gundagai Swimming Pool from 3.30 to 5.30pm - Cost is \$65.00 per player and capped at \$150.00 for 3 or more children. All children MUST be registered before they commence training and before they play their first game. - All enquiries can be made to Shane Bartlett on 0417 755 903 or Jacki Fairall on 0488 997 321. For all information check out our website

<http://gundagaiadelongjuniors.leaguenet.com.au>

many thanks  
Jacki Fairall  
Secretary

## TUMUT BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION



### Autumn Competition Registration Day

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February  
4pm to 6pm  
at Club Tumut

Nomination forms available  
from Sportspower  
Registration enquiries to  
Debbie Webb on  
0427 647027

Come and volunteer at **Mud  
Muster Gundagai - Saturday  
21st March 2015**

Volunteering is an awesome way to be involved, raise funds for your school, sport or charity group and be part of the muddy action that is Mud Muster!

Volunteering fast facts:

- How long do I volunteer for - 5 hours minimum or stay all day!
- How much can I raise - \$25 per school aged student (12-17) \$50 per adult - funds paid to your school, sport or charity group
- Who can volunteer for my group - family, friends, work colleagues - bring them all
- What you get - volunteer shirt, drink, food & front line to the muddy action!

As we receive so many emails, the easiest way to register is online as it captures all the information we need & it's a way for us to track numbers and volunteers across our all our events.

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