



# Gundagai South Public School

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**RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, CARE**

## NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 Week 6

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Dear Parents,

Due to being away in Sydney on Monday this is just a quick information newsletter with permission notes for Soccer Trials and Clean up Australia Day included. These need to be returned by Friday. Thank you. Details about Swimming and Sydney will be included in next week's newsletter.

*Mrs Jackson*



As most of you would be aware Mrs Jackson became unwell whilst at swimming lessons on Tuesday afternoon. I am glad to report that she is recovering well and is having precautionary tests done. Thankyou to everyone who has sent their well wishes. We will keep you updated on her progress.

### Highlands District Soccer Trials – Boys & Girls Yrs 4 - 6



Trials for selection in the Highlands District team will be held in Tumbarumba at the Sportsground on **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March** from **9.00am for girls** and **10.00am for the boys**. If you are interested in attending and are able to travel to the trials, please complete the attached permission note and return it to school by this **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March**.

There is no cost. Students must have their **own long socks, shin pads, soccer boots** and water bottle.

### PSSA Regional Swimming Carnival

Good luck to **Destiny Cooper, Jessica Crooks, Rylee Byrne, Gabrielle Butcher, Opal Koth-Champion & Lilah Norden** who will be competing

at the Regional Swimming Carnival in Albury on Monday. I would like to take the girls to the pool tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday for extra training. Please sign the attached permission note and return to school tomorrow. Thankyou.

### Clean Up Australia Day



Our school students and staff will be participating in Clean up Australia Day activities on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March**.

**All** students will be required to bring a pair of **sturdy gloves** and **plastic bags** for collecting rubbish on the day. You will also need to complete the attached permission note and return to school by Friday 4<sup>th</sup>. Each class will clean up a particular area of the community and school grounds.

## Head Lice

# HEAD LICE ALERT

Please be vigilant with  
child/children by checking  
their hair EVERYDAY  
and treating if necessary



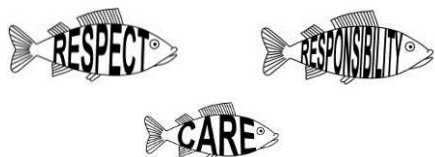
We had several cases of head lice reported last week. Some children get very itchy and some feel nothing. If everyone is treating their children at the same time and they all follow the treatment protocol then we will have a much better chance of breaking the head lice cycle in the school.

## Radio News



Week 7: Jess & Riley  
Week 8: Angel & Adam  
Week 9: Hayley & Destiny  
Week 10: EASTER MONDAY  
Week 11: Rylee & Kynan

## PBL Weekly Focus Area



This week our focus areas for PBL will be “Sports Shed” in the playground and “On the Floor” for our Classroom.

Playground –Sports Shed

**Respect:** Keep equipment tidy.

**Responsibility:** Return equipment when finished.

**Care:** Look after equipment. Report problems.

### Classroom – On the Floor

**Respect:** Sit quietly. Eyes on speaker. 5L’s

**Responsibility:** Put hand up to ask questions. Hands and feet to self. 5L’s

**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 5 – Angel Clark, Tristan Gould & Meg Wheeler.

## Student of the Week

5/6 – Hayley Booby – For improved effort and results in the classroom.



3/4 – Michael Monaghan – 100% in spelling test.



K/1/2 – Samantha Crooks – For her positive influence on fellow class members and is always willing to help others.



## Catch of the Week

5/6 – Jessica Crooks – For always being tolerant of others.



3/4 – Jade Harvey – Going out of her way to be welcoming to others.



K/1/2 – Khyla Warren – For her enthusiasm in her learning of sounds and in writing.



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## Canteen

Attached are the menu and roster for the remainder of Term 1

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March –**  
Jodie Dean & Viviana Tyson

**Wednesday – 9<sup>th</sup> March**  
– Lianne Blundell & Jacinta warren

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March –**  
Cheryl Lanyon & Shan Bowditch



A reminder to please return your completed canteen volunteer form.

We are still in desperate need of volunteers for Friday's

Thankyou

## Book Club

Book Club brochures are attached. If you wish to place an order, these need to be returned to school with the correct money by **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March.**

Thankyou

### Gundagai Concert Band

Students in Years 4, 5 & 6 interested in learning a concert band instrument – flute, clarinet, trumpet, trombone or saxophone, can come along to Gundagai Concert Band. Rehearsals will start on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March** at the Gundagai High School MPC from 4pm – 5pm.

Those students who already play, and have their own instrument are also more than welcome to join the "Town Band". Enquires Karen Byron 0402 730 577 or Brenda Argat 0427 441 688

Cost is \$30 per term if using a band instrument or no cost if you bring your own instrument.