

Goolgowi Public School

To the Stars



Newsletter Term 3, Week 5

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Calendar

*Please note dates from week to week as there are occasionally some changes.

Term 3, 2022

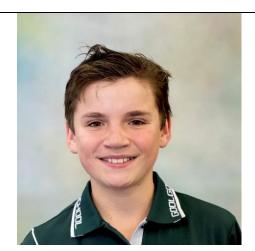
Week 5

VVCCKS			
Fri. 19 August	Rugby	Union	for
	Sport		
Week 6 – Book Week			
Tues. 23 August	Mobile Library		
Thurs. 25 August	Book Week Parade,		
	Book Fa	ir & BBQ	
Fri. 26 August	Riverina Athletics		
-	Carnival		
	Rugby	Union	for
	Sport		
Week 7			
Fri. 2 Sept.	Rugby	Union	for
	Sport		
Week 8			
Fri. 9 Sept.	Rugby	Union	for
	Sport		

Notes coming home this week

Nil

Student of the Month



Samuel Liddicoat

For being a great role model for his fellow students through his dedication to improving his learning.

Principal's Message

Resilience - Respect - Responsibility

Thank You

Thank you to Mrs Liddicoat and all the staff for the smooth operation of the school while I was on leave. There were many events such as KROP, Education Week and athletics carnivals in the first four weeks and it is reassuring to know that the school functions extremely well when there are staff changes.

Enrol Now for Kindergarten 2023

Goolgowi's Kindergarten Orientation program begins in Week 1 Term 4 and all of our 2023 Kinders must be enrolled beforehand to participate in the orientation program so I encourage parents to enrol their child this term. It gives our future students a chance to become familiar with the school and assists us to plan our classes.

The Department of Education requires that:

- All children must be in compulsory schooling by their 6th birthday.
- Children can start Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn 5 on or before 31 July that year.
- Students should start school at the beginning of the school year.

Once they have completed the online enrolment, parents are asked to bring into the office:

- the child's birth certificate or identity documents.
- proof of child's address current council rates notice, residential lease, electricity bill and so on.
- immunisation history statement from the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR)
- any family law or other relevant court orders, if applicable.

• Enrolments can be now made online at https://goolgowip.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-ourschool/enrolment.html.

Please call the office on 6965 1207 if you need any further information. If you know any other children who are ready to start school, please pass on this information. This will help us to plan our classes for 2023.

Anne-Maree Young

Principal

P&C News - Canteen



Book Week Parade & Book Fair

During Book Week, schools and public libraries spend one glorious week celebrating books and Australian children's authors and illustrators. This year's theme is 'Dreaming with Eyes Open'. The artwork was designed by Darug artist Jasmine Seymour. Students have been investigating this theme and the many interpretations of what it means to dream with eyes open.

On **Thursday 25 August (Week 6),** the school will hold its annual book parade and fair to highlight the importance of reading.

Students can dress up as their favourite book character. They will need to explain why they have chosen that character. Students may like to carry their chosen book during the parade.

Parents and the community are invited to come and observe this spectacular parade. Pre-schoolers may also dress up and join in the parade.

Date: 25 August

Time: 12:00pm

Location: The COLA., Goolgowi Public School

Please stay for the yummy **P&C BBQ lunch** after the parade.

Please bring along some cash as there will also be a book fair where you can buy some awesome books for yourself, the children or to donate to the school. All donated books have a certificate inside to acknowledge the family who donated it. The students love seeing which families donated the book they are enjoying.



Library Books

Please return all library books on Thursday. We don't want outstanding books so have a search at home; library books hide in strange places!





in the classrooms?

K/1/2 News

We have had a fun week completing our Carrathool Shire Book Week competitions. Kinder students read a book called "What do you call your Grandma?" and made special gift bags. Year 1 students read "Jetty Jumping" and created a collage of people jumping from a jetty. Finally, our Year 2 students read "When the Waterhole Dries Up" and created a diorama of the final scene from the book.



3-6 News

3-6 have been working hard on their Carrathool Shire Book Week projects. After reading the book 'Walk of the Whales' by Nick Bland, Year 3 created three collages using materials not recycled that may be found in the ocean and harming different sea animals. Unfortunately, we could not get a copy of 'Just One Bee' by Margrete Lamond & Anthony Bertini to read but the Year 4s did an amazing job creating a bee hive – luckily they had Thomas in their group with his expert knowledge. The Year 5 and 6 students ioined together and 'Stellaphant' by James Foley and then created a galaxy scene with labelled constellations. I was so impressed to see what each group created. Well done 3-6!!





Awards

Weekly Awards

Congratulations to our weekly award winners.

Mrs Liddicoat

- Haylee for taking extra care to create beautiful artworks.
- **Annalee** for improving her fluency and using expression while reading.

Miss Wheeler

 Reagan, Charlie and Elizabeth – for great teamwork when completing the Year 3 Carrathool Shire Book Week entry.



PBL Awards

Canteen Voucher - Ted.

PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning)

Values: Respect, Responsibility,

Resilience

PBL focus for this week: Respect

Focus: Care for self and others.

Action: I am considerate of others in the classroom, keeping my hands and feet to myself. I play games safely in the playground, using soft taps.

PBL Friday Reward

All students who have displayed our school values respect, responsibility and resilience during this week will be able to wear casual shorts or long pants for our PBL Friday reward.

Trent Barrett Rugby League Gala Day

Charlie, Clayton, Lochie, Thomas and Tyler had terrific day attending the Trent Barrett Rugby League Gala Day. They joined up with students from Binya and Yoogali to form the Griffith Small Schools No. 1 team. They are all made some great runs and try saving tackles. All the boys should be extremely proud of themselves as they remained unbeaten on the day.

Reagan also attended the day and played in the Griffith Small School girl's league tag team. She had a great day getting to meet students from other schools and playing a new sport.

A big thank you must go to Jeremy Young for coaching the two Griffith Small Schools teams, we appreciate your help. Thank you to all the parents who transports students and supported the students from the sidelines.





Charlie Bunn was presented with the player's player for the Griffith Small Schools No. 1 team for his great effort throughout the day. Congratulations Charlie.



Griffith Zone Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to Austin, Cooper, Lochie and Sam who attended the Griffith Zone Athletics carnival as part of the Griffith Small Schools Team last Friday.

Lochie placed 2nd in the Junior Boys 200m and will represent the Griffith Zone at the Riverina Carnival in Albury on Friday 26 August. Sam placed 3rd in the Senior Boys Shot Put.

Austin, Cooper, Lochie and Sam also move onto the next level at Albury to run in the Nigel Bagley Relay.

Expression of Interest

Goolgowi Public School has a small tipper trailer for sale. It was towed with our ride on lawn mower. Inspections can be arranged by contacting the school on 02 6965 1207.

Please email your expression of interest to goolgowi-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

Highest/lowest/any offer not necessarily accepted.

Closing date Tuesday 30 August.



Community News



Goolgowi Branch of CWA

19th August 2022

1pm start in CWA rest rooms.

New members and visitors welcome.

Come for a chat

Country of study this year is Latvia. Let's share our knowledge of the country. What have you discovered?

Goolgowi Exies News

Opening Hours

Monday to Wednesday	CLOSED
Thursday & Friday	4:30pm
Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	3:30pm

Goolgowi Club Bistro

Thursday & Friday full menu and weekly specials.

Thursday Nights are club nights again.

Super draw this week:

\$12,000

Draw takes place anytime between 7:00pm and 9:00pm. You must be a **current** member and on the premises at the time of the draw.

Meat Raffles - from Hanwood Butchers.

\$2 lucky wheel spin.

New Stove

Thanks to last year's Carrathool Shire grant and our communities' generous donations, we have been able to install our new stove!!



Every Saturday

5.00pm to 7.00pm

Footy on the TV

Pizza in the oven

Good company and lots of laughs.

Upcoming Events

- 30 September kids' movie and bingo night
- 15 October Ladies Bingo
- 23 October Bunnings BBQ
- 29 October Calcutta night
- 9 November Tabbita honor roll unveiling
- 19 November Christmas market
- ❖ 16 December Ham Raffles.

Rabbitohs Presentation Night

The 2022 rugby league season has officially come to an end for the Goolgowi Rabbitohs after their presentation night was held on

Saturday. Many were in attendance at the Goolgowi Exies to recap a great few months for our girls but a year not as successful for our lads.



Awards presented on the night were:

- Women's Coaches Award Laura Badger
- Men's Coaches Award Carl Weerts
- Women's Most Points & Tries Scored -**Brittany Everett**
- Men's Most Points & Tries Scored Henry Taylor
- Women's Best Back Jessie Burns
- Men's Best Back Oli Taylor
- Women's Best Forward Georgia Burns
- Men's Best Forward Enok Tia
- Women's Players Player Dee Buadromo
- Men's Players Player Brad Turner
- Women's Best & Fairest Brittany Everett
- Men's Best & Fairest Tom Condon
- President's Award Scott Schmetzer
- Person of the Year -Dean Club Robertson

Also, awards were presented to the following as a "thank you" for the efforts for the season.

- Rory Brown, Ian Ross, Scott Schmetzer, Mick Armstrong.
- Coaches Jessie Burns, Lexi Lightfoot, Laurie Sandford, Danny Graham.

Many thanks to all our players, officials, volunteers, sponsors, and supporters.





WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU! COME SEE US AT:

SETTLERS PARK, GOOLGOWI

AUGUST 25 2022 FROM 4:30PM BBO AVAILABLE



YOU ARE ALSO INVITED TO COMPLETE OUR ONLINE SURVEY: WWW.CARRATHOOL.NSW.GOV.AU/SETTLERS-PARK-GOOLGOWI





Real Juice Griffith Junior Basketball Comp

Registrations Now Open for The Spring Competition

Games to be played on Thursday afternoon/evenings

Ages - 9 to 17 years old

All Registrations to be completed online, go to the Griffith Basketball Facebook page and follow the link or if you need assistance we will be holding Rego Nights on the 4th and 11th of August from 5.00 to 6.30pm at Griffith Basketball Stadium

Nominations Close 18th August





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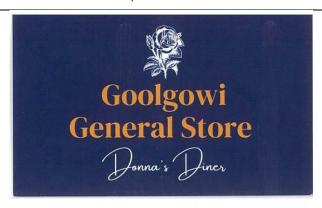


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Our newsletter is published on Tuesday.