



Goolgowi Public School

To the Stars



Newsletter Term 2, Week 4

Principal: Mrs Anne-Maree Young

Penney Street, Goolgowi, NSW, 2652 **T** 02 6965 1207 **F** 02 6965 1309 **E** goolgowi-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Calendar

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

Term 2, 2023

Week 4

Tuesday 16 May	Healthy Harold Visit
Friday 16 May	Walk Safely to School Pirate Day Assembly 2pm

Week 5

Tuesday 23 May	Mobile Library	
Thursday 25 May	Rugby	Union
	Workshop 3-6	
Friday 26 May	Griffith Zone	Cross Country

Week 6

Thursday 1 June	Golf Workshop
-----------------	---------------

Week 8

Monday 12 June	Public Holiday
Thursday 15 June	Riverina Cross Country
Friday 16 June	Athletics Carnival

Notes coming home this week:

- Nil

Student of the Month



Amia Collier

For consistent application to her learning.

Principal's Message

Resilience - Respect – Responsibility

Whole School Assembly

This Friday 19 May, the school will have a whole school assembly at 2pm. The theme for the assembly is 'Pirates' as the SRC are conducting a Pirate Day fundraiser for the Kids Cancer project. Everyone is welcome to attend and the P&C will be providing a pirate lunch!

No Hat, No Play!

It is important that students wear their school hats in the playground at all times, even in the cooler months. If they choose to wear a beanie, students must wear their broad brim hat as well. The staff are encouraging all students to leave their hats at school on their hook so they always have them. Too many students are coming to school without a hat and expecting to use the spare hats which seem to have disappeared. If your child brings home clothing that isn't theirs, could you please send it back to school. With the changeable weather, students are unable to find their jumpers and/or jackets, especially if they don't have their names on them. **Please put your child's name on all clothing** as we are finding brand clothing with no names on them.

Mothers' Day Breakfast

Not only was last Friday Day Pyjama Day, it was also the Mothers' Day breakfast. Mothers were treated to a yummy breakfast by Danielle and her helpers and I noticed many students enjoyed it as well. Thank you Danielle!



Anne-Maree Young
Principal

AVAILABLE NOW!

We are excited to announce our school will be transitioning to a more flexible and simplified way parent/carers can make payments

The Parent Portal

- Easily make a payment online
- Download your receipt
- Sign and return permission notes digitally
- Use any credits on your account to make payment
- View your complete payment history
- Request a refund

AVAILABLE DURING TERM 2

Register for the Parent Portal via the QR Code or visit <https://portal.schoolbytes.education>

School Bytes

Book Club

book club orders are due by Wednesday 24 May.

what's happening in the classrooms?

1/2 News

Mother's Day was our topic of focus this week. We love our mums! After reading, My Mum by Anthony Browne, students used similes to describe their mums.

Did you know?

Cordell's mum is *as sweet as candy*.

Wade's mum is *as strong as King Kong!*

Lucy's mum is *as beautiful as a butterfly*.

Charlie's mum is *as tough as a gorilla*.

Haylee's mum is *as sweet as honey*.

Annalee's mum is *as strong as dad*.

Amia's mum is *as funny as a monkey at the zoo*.

Connor's mum is *as friendly as a puppy*.

Kate's mum is *as beautiful as a rainbow*.

Max's mum is *as soft as a blanket*.

Brooklyn's mum is *as good as a unicorn*.

Ramsie's mum is *as sweet as sugar*.

Students were finishing off their Operation Art this week. The students have worked so hard and created some brilliant, bright and creative individual artworks.



Miss Sim

3-6 News

Everyone in the 3-6 class has a special spot in their heart for their mum. We brainstormed ideas for a Mother's Day present and some suggestions showed how much they care. In the end everyone created a card, a keyring with their picture and a message and we baked some delicious treats. Students needed to problem solve to work out how they could re-size their photo to fit in the love heart key chain. It was great to see students thinking and experimenting with different options. We hope all the mums, grandmothers and special females had a lovely day on Sunday and were spoilt rotten.

Congratulations to the students that have received their pen license this term. They are demonstrating neat handwriting in all aspects of their learning. I am pretty sure I will have some more to give out soon...



Miss Wheeler

Library News

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

Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge has already opened so students need to start reading. The Challenge aims to encourage a love of reading for leisure and pleasure in students, and to enable them to experience quality literature. It is not a competition but a challenge to each student to read, to read more and to read more widely. Books students have read this year can be included in their list. They need to login using their department username and password at <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/logon.html>. The challenge closes on Friday 18 August.

Mrs Young

Weekly Awards

Congratulations to our weekly award winners.

Mrs Liddicoat

- **Rovee** – for working hard to correctly put spaces between his words.
- **Addyson** – for making a terrific effort in reading and writing activities.

Miss Sim

- **Charlie M** – for helping the class during computer work.

Miss Wheeler

- **Ted** – for working hard during reading rotations.
- **Lochie** – for working hard during reading rotations.

**PBL Awards**

Weekly Prize – Brooklyn

PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning)

Values: Respect, Responsibility, Resilience

PBL focus for this week: Respect

Focus: Care for self and others.

Action: Listen to adult instructions, speak politely and use your beautiful manners.

Upcoming events**Pirate Day Raffle**

The SRC will be selling raffle tickets at recess and lunchtime for students to have a chance of winning a pirate pack filled with hidden treasure. The tickets are \$1 per ticket or 3 for \$2.

The raffle will be drawn on Friday.

Reminders**Pirate Day Lunch Orders**

Pirate Day lunch orders are due back on **Wednesday 17 May**.



Meet Miss Wheeler at the football field (on the corner of Napier and Penney Streets) at 8:40am and we can all walk to school safely. Students on Jacqui's bus will be dropped off there to allow everyone to walk together.

Live Life Well at School

How do your children get to school or childcare? How much physical activity do your children get? Can you increase their physical activity by actively travelling to school?

Park the car and walk to school



HEALTHY EATING
ACTIVE LIVING



Community News

Goolgowi Golf Club

The Goolgowi Golf Club would like to offer FREE golf lessons.

9:30am Saturdays

All other days by appointment 6965 1501 for anyone interested in golf.

Goolgowi Exies News

Exies Opening Hours

Monday to Wednesday Closed

Thursday & Friday 4:30pm

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 3:30pm

Goolgowi Club Bistro

Come and try our delicious chicken parmies and potato bake, homemade pizzas and the best T-bone steaks.

Bargain Buy

Our special take away offer is two delicious home-made pizzas and a large coke only \$50.00.

Thursday Night Draw

This Thursday the draw is:

\$4,800

The 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.

Raffles

Now Hiring

Are you energetic, fun and friendly?

We are now looking for Casual Bar Staff.

Must have RSA & RCG.

Experience preferred but not required.

Drop your CV into the club or email to:

goolgowiexies@bigpond.com.



Host: Goolgowi Branch CWA

Where: In front of Goolgowi General Store - Donna's Diner

Date: Thursday 18th May 2023

Time: 9:30am



Newsletter Sponsors



Proudly Supporting Police in Local District

IAN ROSS CONTRACTING

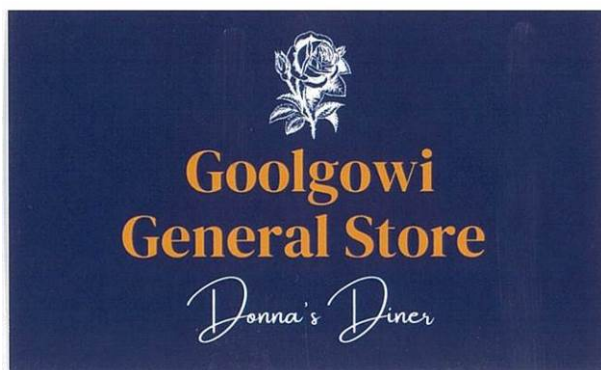
Contractors License Number 66413C

Bricklaying, Maintenance, Insurance Work, Steel Frame Sheds
Servicing 200kms from Goolgowi (NSW)

Bus Charter Hire - 2 x 24 seater buses. Accreditation no. 43198

Ian 0428 401 247 • Jacqui 0427 685 846 • 02 6965 1347

Email: jacquelinross@bigpond.com



- ✿ Delicious hot food
- ✿ Take away or dine in
- ✿ Lavazza coffee & cakes
- ✿ Sliced meats & produce
- ✿ Fresh bread & grocery
- ✿ Newspapers & giftware

Ph: 0478 540 111

Email: goolgowigeneralstore@outlook.com

FB: Goolgowi General Store - Donna's Diner

Your hosts: Emily, Amber and Geoff Hale

Robertson Bus Service

C & J ROBERTSON PTY LTD

'SERVING THE COMMUNITY WITH COMMITMENT'

Ph: 0437 704 213 / 0488 551 375

Depot: 6964 4922



Kristy Warr | SWP Coordinator - Riverina

Jobs Australia Enterprises Ltd.

Labour Hire and Seasonal Worker Recruitment

Griffith, NSW, 2680

M: 0448 921 754

kristy.warr@jobsaustralia.com.au

www.jobsaustralia.com.au

SKYCROPPERS

AERIAL APPLICATORS
ABN 30 577 590 208

AAAA OPERATION SPRAY SAFE APPROVED

GERARD HIGGINS
CHIEF PILOT-PROPRIETOR

(02) 6964 1919 **24 Hours** **UHF 19**

♻️ P.O. Box 761, Griffith, NSW, 2680 - Fax: (02) 6964 1929

Thank you to all our community businesses who support our school newsletter. We really appreciate your support.

If you have any community announcements or wish to advertise through our school/community newsletter please contact Jane by phone or email by Monday afternoon.

Our newsletter is published on Tuesday.

K12

Classroom News

The Kinder students had fun in maths learning about smaller numbers inside bigger numbers. They also had fun learning about the letter j last week. This week our focus sound is the letter v. It was fantastic to see how immensely proud the students were of their handmade keychains they made for Mother's Day.

