

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, 2023

Week 5

Tues. 15 August Mobile Library

Week 6 – Book Week

Mon. 21 August Father's Day Raffle tickets go home

Thurs. 24 August Anne Spudvilas Author Visit 9:15 – 10:15am
Book Week Parade 12pm
BBQ Lunch

Fri. 25 August Book Fair from 11:45am
Riverina Athletics

Week 7

Tues. 29 August Trent Barrett Shield

Thurs. 31 August Father's Day Stall
Raffle drawn

Fri. 1 September TheirCare Father's Day Big Breakfast 8:15am

Notes coming home this week:

- Nil

Student of the Month



Wade Power

For showing enthusiasm in his learning.

Principal's Message

Resilience - Respect – Responsibility

Last week, three Year 6 students visited Murrumbidgee Regional High School as part of their transition process. They came back to school very excited and a little nervous. There will be more visits to the high schools over the coming weeks and throughout Term 4.

A HUGE congratulations to our students who represented the Griffith Small Schools team and Goolgowi Public School at the Griffith Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival, Lochie, Tyler, Noah, Cooper, Austin, Reagan, Harry and Wade.

Lochie did extremely well winning the 11 Year Old Boys discus, second in the 100 metre dash, second in the 200 metre dash and second in the shot put. He was also awarded 11 Year Old Boys Champion for the carnival.

Harry came third in the 11 Year Old Boys 800 metre and 1500 metre races.

Reagan also did well and came second in her event, the Girls 8-10 years 1500 metre run.

In their trial run at Zone, the boys relay team won the Nigel Bagley relay race. The boys relay team, Lochie and Reagan will go on to the Riverina Primary Athletics Carnival next Friday 25 August.

Our chickens continue to grow and continue to be enjoyed and cared for by the students.



Book Week

Book Week is Week 6 where we celebrate authors, illustrators, a love of reading and enjoyment of books. On Thursday 24 August, we have a visiting author Anne Spudvilas to speak to the students. We will also have a Book Week Parade, Book Fair and BBQ lunch. Students can dress up as their favourite book character on Thursday and parents are invited to come and watch from 12 noon. The P&C will be running a BBQ on the day so come and share a delicious lunch with your child. The Book Fair will be open in the library for you to purchase books with some of the profits shared to the school.

Kindergarten 2024

Orientation Program & Parent Information Sessions

Our Kindergarten Orientation Program will begin in Week 1 of Term 4. On Friday 13 October we are having our first orientation session for the students and our first parent information session. The parent information session will be repeated on Monday 16 October at 6:00 pm for those parents who may be unable to attend the session during the day.

Parent Information Session

Friday 13 October 9:15 am in the School Library

Repeated Session

Monday 16 October 6:00 pm in the School Library

Kindergarten Orientation Sessions

Friday 13 October 9:00 am - 11:40 am.

Friday 20 October 9:00 am - 11:40 am.

Friday 27 October 9:00 am - 11:40 am.

Friday 3 November 9:00 am - 11:40 am.

Friday 10 November 9:00 am - 11:40 am.

All students **must be enrolled** beforehand to participate in the orientation program. Enrolments can be now made online at:

<https://goolgowip.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-ourschool/enrolment.html> and then click on the **online enrolment** application.

Please call the office on 6965 1207 if you need any further information, to book a

school tour, discuss your child's transition to Kindergarten or to organise a meeting with the Principal.

Parent Survey

We would love to receive some feedback about the school from the parents/carers and the community in order to make informed decisions and ongoing improvements.

Please click on the link to access the Parent Survey. It should take less than five minutes to complete and is anonymous. Thank you ahead of time for your feedback.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=muagBYpBwUecJZOHJhv5kRFB6efdLq1Gldj7Jrda74VUQTNDQ1E3VEVIMEo0MFdNT1NFS1JPTTRTSS4u>

Celebrating Our Students' Success

Congratulations to Bronwyn and Elizabeth Domjahn who competed at the 2023 Australian Kyokushin Karate Association Championships in Sydney on the weekend.

Bronwyn came first in contact and second in non-contact in her division. Elizabeth came first in contact and second in non-contact in her division.

Well done to our Australian Champions, Bronwyn and Elizabeth!



Angela Dayhew
Relieving Principal



what's happening in the classrooms?

1/2 News



How close can you get without touching? K/1/2 have been learning dance and spacial awareness. Here they are playing near and far. When I call near, they have to get as close to each other without touching. When I call away, they have to be as far away from each other as possible.

Students are learning to move to the beat and leading with different body parts. Who knew there are so many moves just for your head or your hands? They loved exploring how their bodies moved to different tempos and dynamics. Keep up the great dancing K/1/2.

Miss Sim

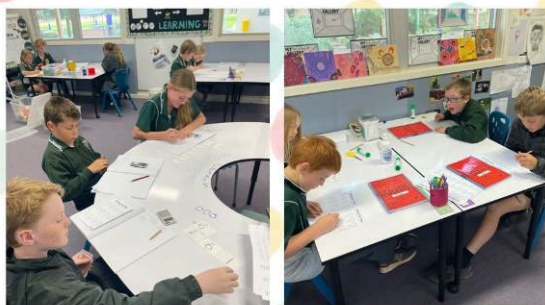
3-6 News

3-6 continued with their technology lessons and started using the Lego Spike kits to construct a vehicle to transport an object from one spot to another. Students worked in pairs and demonstrated good communication and teamwork skills.

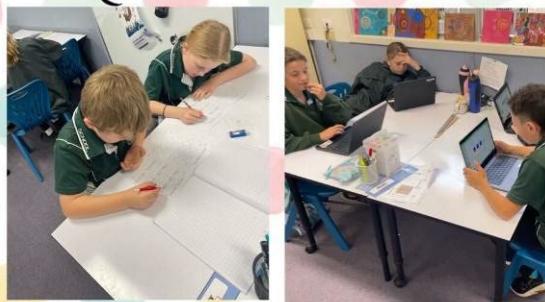
We also did some maths rotations this week and everyone followed instructions and completed each task. We covered addition, subtraction, 3D shapes and time this fortnight.

Well done to everyone that represented Goolgowi Public School at the Zone Athletics Carnival. It sounds like everyone had a good day and some impressive results were achieved.





Math rotations



PIC•COLLAGE

Miss Wheeler

Weekly Awards

Congratulations to our weekly award winners.

Mrs Liddicoat

- **Kindergarten** – for reaching 100 days at school.

Miss Sim

- **Brooklyn** – for her efforts to use adjectives in writing.

Miss Wheeler

- **Elizabeth** - for working hard to read with fluency and expression.
- **Krystian** – for applying correct punctuation during our dictation test.



PBL Awards

Weekly Prize – Isaac

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Values: Respect, Responsibility, Resilience

PBL focus for this week: Respect

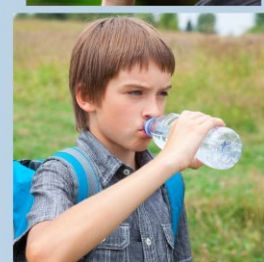
Focus: To be respectful we take care of ourselves and others.

Action: This fortnight we need to follow adult instructions.

We demonstrate respect and increase our learning by listening carefully and following **all** instructions from teachers.

Live Life Well at School

Drink water to stay hydrated and happy



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Community News



Goolgowi Branch CWA

Monthly Meeting

Thursday 17th August 2023

12:00 noon

Bring a plate to share

At CWA rest rooms

New members and visitors



Please join us for
*Father's Day
Breakfast*

Friday 1st September 2023

Please join Goolgowi TheirCare for a
Father's Day Big Breakfast!

Menu: Bacon & Eggs, Hashbrowns,
Grilled Tomatoes & Mushroom.
Served with Toast.

Where: Goolgowi Public School
Time: 08:15am

RSVP: 30th August 2023
0437427227...

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

CAMP OVEN COOK OFF



19TH AUGUST 2023 WE ARE HAVING A CAMP OVEN
COOK OFF, SO GET A TEAM TOGETHER TO COOK
ONE OF YOUR FAVOURITE CAMP OVENS.

YOUR CAMP OVEN MUST FEED UP TO TEN
PEOPLE AND IT WILL BE JUDGED, BEST
CAMP OVEN WILL GET A PRIZE.
CALL 02 6965 1308 OR MESSAGE THE
FACEBOOK PAGE TO GET YOUR SPOT IN
THE COOK OFF
PLEASE BOOK AS THERE IS LIMITED
SPOTS



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.

Thursday Night Draw

This Thursday the draw is:

\$7,200

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.

Meat raffles from Hanwood Butchers.

For your diary

- 19 August - Camp Oven Cook Out
- October - 6 A side
- November - Christmas Market

Are you energetic, fun and friendly??

We are now looking for Casual Bar Staff

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Experience preferred but not required.

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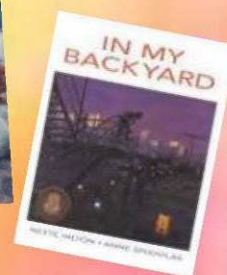
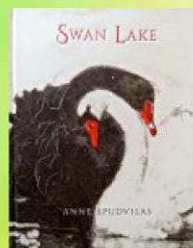
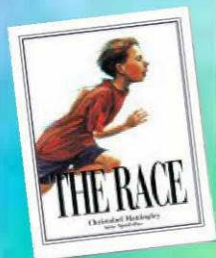
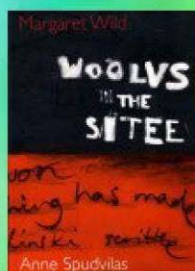
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If you have any community announcements or wish to advertise through our school/community newsletter please contact Jane by phone or email by Monday afternoon.

Our newsletter is published on Tuesday.

Anne Spudvilas

- Portrait painter
- Award-winning illustrator of children's books
- Courtroom artist for the Melbourne media
- Lives in Wentworth, NSW.



K12

Classroom News



100 Days Brighter

Our Kinder students celebrated 100 days of school last Wednesday by wearing their brightest clothes. Congratulations on reaching this fabulous milestone. We are extremely proud of you all.