



Gunnedah Public School

Quality Education in a Caring Environment

Newsletter – Term 2 Week 5, 27th May 2014

Upcoming events

28th May – Chess at Werris Creek

2nd June – GHS Year 6 transition

Dear Parents/Carers

Congratulations to our eisteddfod performers last week. The efforts of the stage 3 group were rewarded with an overall second place in their category. The stage 2 team were awarded a highly commended and with the quality of the rest of the performers, this was a very good result. Our stage 1 team were the most colourful and enthusiastic performers there.

Congratulations also to Miss Jones, Mrs Hewitt, Mrs Urquhart, Miss Baker, Miss West, Mrs Ward, Mrs Stevens, Jamie Brown and Julia Rennick. Without the efforts and talents of these dedicated people our students would not have achieved their best.

Congratulations also to all of the competitors at the Zone Cross Country in Mullaley last Friday. Blake Whitfield and Takita Shoobert will be moving on to the Region finals in Coolah. Thanks to Miss Baker, Mrs Robinson and Janelle Smith for helping out with supervision.



On Wednesday our Chess team travels to Werris Creek Public School for a round of competition chess. Good luck to those students selected.



This week we welcome DJ back to school. DJ has had a run of bad luck with a broken ankle and other illness. The students in 5/6J have certainly missed him.

We now have a number of new school spray jackets and polar fleeced zip up jumpers. We also have tracksuit pants. A small number of winter tunics are for sale and there should be a lot more coming at the end of the month.

Today, a team of future scientists and engineers will be competing in the Science and Engineering Challenge organised by Rotary and the University of Newcastle. Good luck to all. These days are extremely well organised and beneficial to students who are already interested in these types of activities and it may also spark some interest in students who are making up their minds up about what they want to do when they leave school. Thanks to Miss Jones for organising the day.

Students at Gunnedah Public have access to a lot of extra activities that develop confidence and abilities. They are encouraged every day to be **SERIOUS ABOUT LEARNING**.

Have a great week

Regards
Stephen de Roos

Merit Awards!

KW - Ally Stead & Cody Hicks,
1W- Emily Davis & Jayden Adams,
1/2B- Isaac Griffen & Chloe Ellery,
3/4H- Jaala Priddle & Rheyce
Adams, 3-6F- Tara O'Dell & Noah
Taylor, 5/6J- Ashlee McCutcheon &
Tyson Bower

Congratulations!



Eisteddfod Performances

Last Thursday, 3/4H and some girls from 5/6J competed in the Musical Entertainment section of the Gunnedah Eisteddfod. The 5/6 girls did a wonderful job on "Flip Flop Fly" and were awarded 2nd place out of seven competitors.

The 3/4H students performed the "Whale Song" admirably and received a highly commended from the adjudicator. Congratulations to all and thanks to Mr Jamie Brown and Mrs Julia Rennick for their assistance.

On Friday, the Stage 1 classes performed an energetic rendition of "Fabuloso" which delighted the audience and the adjudicator. Thanks again to Mrs Rennick for her help.

These items will be performed for the school at an upcoming assembly.

Canteen Roster

30 May – Lisa Warren, Emily/Mum

6 June – Lizz Ferguson, Jacqui Fullgrabe, Jenny MacAulay

13 June - Lizz Ferguson, Jacqui Fullgrabe, Jenny MacAulay

20 June - Lizz Ferguson, Jenny MacAulay, Kayleen Northey

27 June - Lizz Ferguson, Jacqui Fullgrabe, Jenny MacAulay

SCHOOL UNIFORMS

Price List

Girls Winter Uniform \$40

Girls White Shirt \$20

Boys Grey Long Pants \$15

Boys Grey Shirts \$20

Green Track Pants \$25

Polar Fleece Jumper \$25

Hours

9am to 3pm daily



& Cake Stall...

At Winanga-Li ACFC

When: Saturday, 31st May 2014

Where: Winanga-Li ACFC

12 Hunter Street, GUNNEDAH

Time: 8:00am to 11:00am

If you wish to sell items out of your car boot, there is a fee of \$5.00 please note all donations go to NAIDOC week.

Please call Chanoah on 6743 0999 to reserve a spot.

Homework Centre

Tuesdays 3pm - 4.30pm

Permission notes and further information are at our school office

Afternoon tea provided and transport home afterwards is available

Contact Person is

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Don't miss this great opportunity to come and chat to:



MEDICARE LOCAL



HAGLEY OSMOND CHEMIST



GUNNEDAH COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

RURAL FIT EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY

MYSTIC CIRCLE

KYLIE TOYNTON SPEECH PATHOLOGIST

PEEL COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

AND MANY MORE.....



Winanga-Li
Aboriginal Child & Family Centre

WHERE:

RED CHIEF LALC
26A CHANDOS STREET
GUNNEDAH

WHEN:

WEDNESDAY MAY 28

10.00am-2.00pm

ADMISSION: FREE

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School Calendar Term 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 5	26/5	27/5 Breaky Club	28/5	29/5 Breaky Club	30/5 Canteen Day (spaghetti bolognese with popper)
Week 6	2/6 GHS Year 6 transition	3/6 Breaky Club League @ Kitchener	4/6	5/6 Breaky Club	6/6 Canteen Day (egg & bacon roll with popper)
Week 7	9/6	10/6 Breaky Club	11/6	12/6 Breaky Club	13/6 Canteen Day (chicken & fried rice with popper)
Week 8	16/6 2pm NAIDOC meeting 6pm P&C meeting	17/6 Breaky Club	18/6 10am Early Birds parent information morning tea	19/6 Breaky Club	20/6 Canteen Day (beef & gravy roll with popper)
Week 9	23/6 Instrumental Festival Great Galaxies performance	24/6 Breaky Club	25/6	26/6 Breaky Club	27/6 GPS athletic carnival Canteen Day (sausage in a roll with popper)

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