



Calendar 2020

February

Tuesday 18	Prefects Leaders Day Redhill
Friday 21	Eco Committee to Redhill
Tuesday 24	Parent Teacher Interviews (All Week)
Wednesday 26	Zone Swimming Carnival
Thursday 27	St George Dragons (Charity Shield) Football Team Members Visit
Friday 28	Forensic Science Stage 3

March

Wednesday 4	P & C Meeting 5.00pm in the Staffroom
Tuesday 17	Senior Citizens Concert
Wednesday 18	Author Visit Years K-2
Thursday 19	Movie Night Fundraiser Years K-6
Friday 20	Bullying - No Way (National Day of Action)
Monday 30	Happy Smiles Dentist Visit (All Week)

April

Thursday 9	African Drumbeats Concert (Years 3-6)
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REGULAR EVENTS

KARATE - WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 6 - 8PM

BALLROOM DANCING - TUESDAY 6 - 7.30PM

GULGONG PUBLIC SCHOOL HALL

2020 Swimming Carnival Report

Under overcast skies a fantastic day was had by all at our annual swimming carnival. Many students arrived at the pool dressed in house colours and enthusiastic about competing in the day's events. We enjoyed an action packed day of swimming and it was great to see so many students participating in races and activities throughout the day, eagerly trying to earn as many points as they could for their house groups.

Our Kindergarten students joined in the fun and had a great time participating in activities in the small pool.

With support and encouragement, our Year 1 and Year 2 students displayed their wonderful swimming skills during activities in the big pool.

The day ended with a highly competitive race between the teachers, seeing ex GPS swimming champ Logan Scrivener speed past the favourite Miss Muscat to take the victory.

House captains Adam Jukes and Hayley Francis collected the trophy for the winning House, Macarthur.

Congratulations to all our competitors who swam on the day, in particular our Age Champions and students who have qualified to swim at the Zone Carnival next Wednesday 26th February.

Thank you to GHS Year 11 students Chloe, Logan, Olivia and Anastasia for helping during the day and all staff for making the day run smoothly.

This year's winning House and Age champions are as follows:

WINNING HOUSE: MACARTHUR

Age Champions:

Junior Boy – Oliver Ritchie *Junior Girl* – Ava Lewis

11 Years Boy – Brodie Dunk *11 Years Girl* – Taylor Haney

Senior Boy – Reuben Farr *Senior Girl* – Kate Hamson

Miss Wilson

Sports Coordinator



PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

We will be starting a new Social and Emotional Learning program at Gulgong Public School in Wellbeing week (Week 6, March 2nd).

This program is called second step. Parents can look up this program at the following link: <https://www.secondstep.org/>

The aim of this program is to build the Social and Emotional skills of students at GPS. Our hope is that we will be better able to help students make and keep friends, manage their emotions, solve problems and deal with peer pressure.

Mr Howes, who is off class this year as a Assistant Principal welfare will coordinate this program at GPS and if parents wish to find out any more information about this please feel free to contact him at school.



TERM 1 PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent Teacher Interviews for Kindergarten to Year 6 will take place on Tuesday 25th February (Week 5) except for 1K, which will take place Tuesday 18th February Week 4.

Both MC classes (K-2D) & (3-6MC) will have their parent interviews later Term1.

Notes have been sent home to be able book in for Parent Interviews.

Our SRC representatives for Semester 1 are as follows: Tahlia Fleming, Toby Jackson, Jacob Maunder, Ruby Ferguson, Mitchell Auckett, Miranda Musgrove, Lachlan DeVos, Charli Andrews, Kieran Miller, Tara Kerr, Ruby Magro, Will Hamson, Charlie Hollow, Jade Green, Kai Curtis, Maddison Connelly, Jayden Sandilands and Lailah Griffiths.

Congratulations to all these students. We are sure you will represent the school with pride this semester.

Our Swimming Carnival was held in early February and was a great day. Lots of students participated in all their events. Our winning House this year was Macarthur.

Our Age Champions were:

Junior Girl: Ava Lewis *Junior Boy:* Oliver Ritchie

11Years Girl: Taylor Haney *11Years Boy:* Brodie Dunk

Senior Girl: Kate Hamson *Senior Boy:* Reuben Farr

Congratulations to all these students who will represent our school at the Zone swimming carnival.

Also well done to Miss Michelle Wilson who ran a great carnival and Mr Howes who coordinated the infants carnival.

Students who will represent the school at the Zone Carnival are shown in the photo on the front page of this Newsletter.

David Lewis

Principal

“FROZEN” THE MUSICAL

This year Stage 2 will have the opportunity to attend Disney’s Frozen Musical in Term 3 at the Capitol Theatre in Sydney.

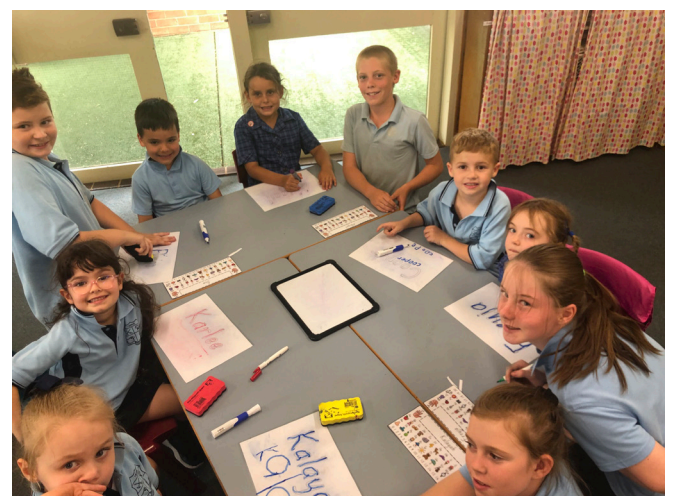


CLASS IN FOCUS

6A RED

'Year 6 loved getting to spend time with their Kindergarten buddies this week! We helped our buddies learn to write their names.

We are excited to work with our buddies this year!



YEAR 6 SHIRTS
Year 6 Shirts are in in transit.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

MUDGEES NETBALL TEAM NOMINATIONS



Winter Competition 2020 – Saturday 28th March 2020

For players 8 – 12 years please contact your local club if you are interested in playing netball this year, please advise your child's name and DOB. For ages 13 + please find attached a team nomination form to complete and send to your club contacts below. If you are wanting to play and do not have a club, team or having trouble with numbers for a team please contact registrations@mudgee.netball.hwy.com.au for assistance. Team nominations close 28th February 2020.

ALL STARS: natasha.smith2@hotmail.com

AZTEC'S: aztecnetball@gmail.com

GULGONG: tops61@hotmail.com

SAINTS: saintsnetballmudgee@gmail.com

STARLETS: starletsnetball@gmail.com



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ENTERTAINMENT

TWO MILE TWANGERS **WALTER WHIP & FLAMES** **JOEL CUMMINS**

FREE FACE PAINTING

OUR LOCAL MUSICIANS ARE GOING SING UP A STORM

DAPHNE BROOKS **NICK GROZ RODEO** **BOUNCING ROOS**

PLUS DARLENE & THE TOY BOYS

JIM MURRAY SHEARING DEMO

MURPHYS PUPPETS **FIREWORKS** **DRAGON TRAINING**

& MUCH, MUCH, MORE!!!

MUDGEES RUGBY

SUBBIES - BOYS & GIRLS

U6's - tag only
U8's - modified tackle
U10's - tackle

Coordinator: Bluey Sutherland 0414 865 150

REGISTER NOW www.mudgeerugby.hwy.com.au/play-rugby

Register before 28th Feb and receive a **FREE TRAINING SHIRT**

iCOMPETE / ABCRA AFFILIATED / 40% RODEO

EASTEND BUS SERVICE

GULGONG Show Rodeo

29th February 2020

GULGONG SHOWGROUND, 24 GUNTAWANG ST - 1ST PERFORM: 5:30pm

BAR AVAILABLE - NO BRING YOUR OWN. ENTERTAINMENT NICK GROZ AND JOEL CUMMINS MUSIC. FOOD AVAILABLE ON THE GROUNDS

\$1,000 OPEN BULL RIDE	ENTRY: \$123.50 • AB: \$70
\$1,000 LADIES BARREL RACE	ENTRY: \$109.00 • AB: \$70
\$500 NOVICE BULL RIDE	ENTRY: \$33.00
\$100 JUNIOR STEER 8-U11	ENTRY: \$8.00
\$100 JUNIOR STEER 11-U14	ENTRY: \$8.00
\$300 JUVENILE STEER 14-U18	ENTRY: \$21.00
\$150 JUNIOR BARREL U11	ENTRY: \$10.00
\$150 JUNIOR BARREL 11-U14	ENTRY: \$10.00
\$200 JUVENILE BARREL 14-U18	ENTRY: \$11.50

Camping available contact to book 0497742689, Stabling available to book contact 0417000492, No BYO or dogs
website: www.gulgongshow.org.au email: info@gulgongshow.org.au facebook: Gulgong Show Society Inc

ENQUIRIES: ROSE JACKSON - 0497 742 689

SPONSORS: Ballimore Welding, Gulgong Glass, Eastend Bus Services, Ettalong Diggers Club, Mudgee Powder Coat, Wear It Out Gulgong, David Burke Air Conditioning

FREE COME & TRY JUNIOR HOCKEY

Thursday 26th March & Thursday 2nd April 2020
Time: 4-6pm @ Victoria Park
Ages 4-18
Register at:
<https://www.hockeynsw.com.au/get-involved/come-and-try-days/>
For any further queries email mudgeejuniorhockey@gmail.com

All participants need to bring their own mouthguard
Sticks available to borrow and a limited number of shin pads ☺

BOOK WORMS 2020

Fridays - 10.00am - 10.45am
Gulgong Library

For more information Phone Mischa - 0404 184 676

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

INDOOR SOCCER

Thursday Night

4 - 6pm

Gulgong High School Hall

For more information and to Express your Interest

Please Phone: SHAWN CASWELL