



## Calendar

### August

Wednesday 29th August	<b>Father's Day Stall</b> <i>Gifts \$2 - \$6</i>
Friday 31 August	Stage 2 Zoo Snooze Deposit <i>Due \$50</i>
Wednesday 5th September	P & C Meeting
Wednesday 5th September	Starship Performance <i>Payment due \$5.00</i>
Friday 7th September	Supporters for Bale Day
Monday 10th September	Starship Performance
Thursday 13th Septmeber	Green Day Years 5 / 6
Friday 28th September	End of Term 3

### October

Monday 15th October	Start of Term 4
Friday 19th October	Stage 2 Zoo Snooze <i>Final Payment Due</i>
Monday 29th October	Stage 2 Zoo Snooze

## The Starship Stowaway Performance



The Starship Stowaway Performance will be held on Monday 10th September, 2018. This performance is a thrilling action/adventure in which two space explorers have to solve the environmental dilemma they create. The space explorers use problem solving, creative thinking and decision making skills. This performance was originally booked for April and had to be postponed. Notes will be sent out this week for those that have not already paid for the performance.

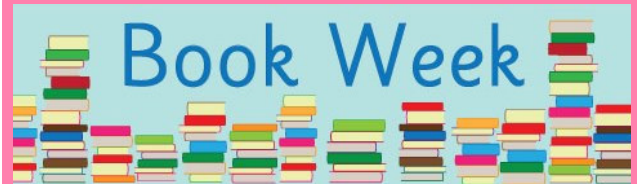
## Green Day 2018

**Year 5 & 6 will be attending Green Day at the Mudgee Showground on the 13 September 2018. Notes will go out to tomorrow**

## Thank You Bunnings & Taubmans



Thank you to P & C for their donations towards the Canberra Excursions & New Home Readers



**We will be holding our Book Week early in Term 4. No date has been set yet. Watch this space .....**

## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

I would like to congratulate our Year 6 students. All teachers reported that their behaviour during our Canberra excursion was outstanding. I have been talking to a lot of them since their return and they seem to have had an awesome time. Favourite activities included, Skiing, War Memorial and the Australian Institute of Sport. I believe Year 6 have set a great example for the rest of our school to live up to whilst on their excursion and hopefully they have created some lifelong memories whilst on the trip. A huge thank you to Mr Murphy, Mrs Wilson, Miss Quayle and Miss Chillcott who took our students to Canberra.

Today Executive staff have been working with Literacy advisor Leone Dewhurst on programming engaging units of work. Leone comes with a wealth of experience from a teachers and from a consultants perspective. She will upskill the executive and they will then pass this information on to classroom teachers. The aim of this is for teachers to create quality, engaging literacy units that grab our students attention and interest. We are hoping that by offering units that are more specific to our students interests we will get greater engagement and therefore learning from our students.

Below is a photo of Executive staff working with Leone.

We will also be running NAPLAN practice on Tuesday and Wednesday this week. This is just to ensure that our computer and network systems are up to scratch to run NAPLAN online in 2019.



### JUNIOR TOUCH FOOTBALL 2018

Trials and registration are on:

- Wednesday 29th August 2018 at 4.30pm – 5.30pm
- Monday 3rd September 2018 at 4.30pm – 5.30pm
- If you can't make registration but want your child to play please call us before the 3rd September so we can put their name down.
- No late registrations, PLEASE
- Payment required at registration

Cost: \$35.00 per child (Includes a playing singlet)

For further information please call:

Steven Haney on 0438 532 016 or

Naomi Haney on 0438 718 907



**Years 3 & 4 Excursion**  
**Notes went out last week.**  
**Deposit Due this week**

# Canberra Excursion

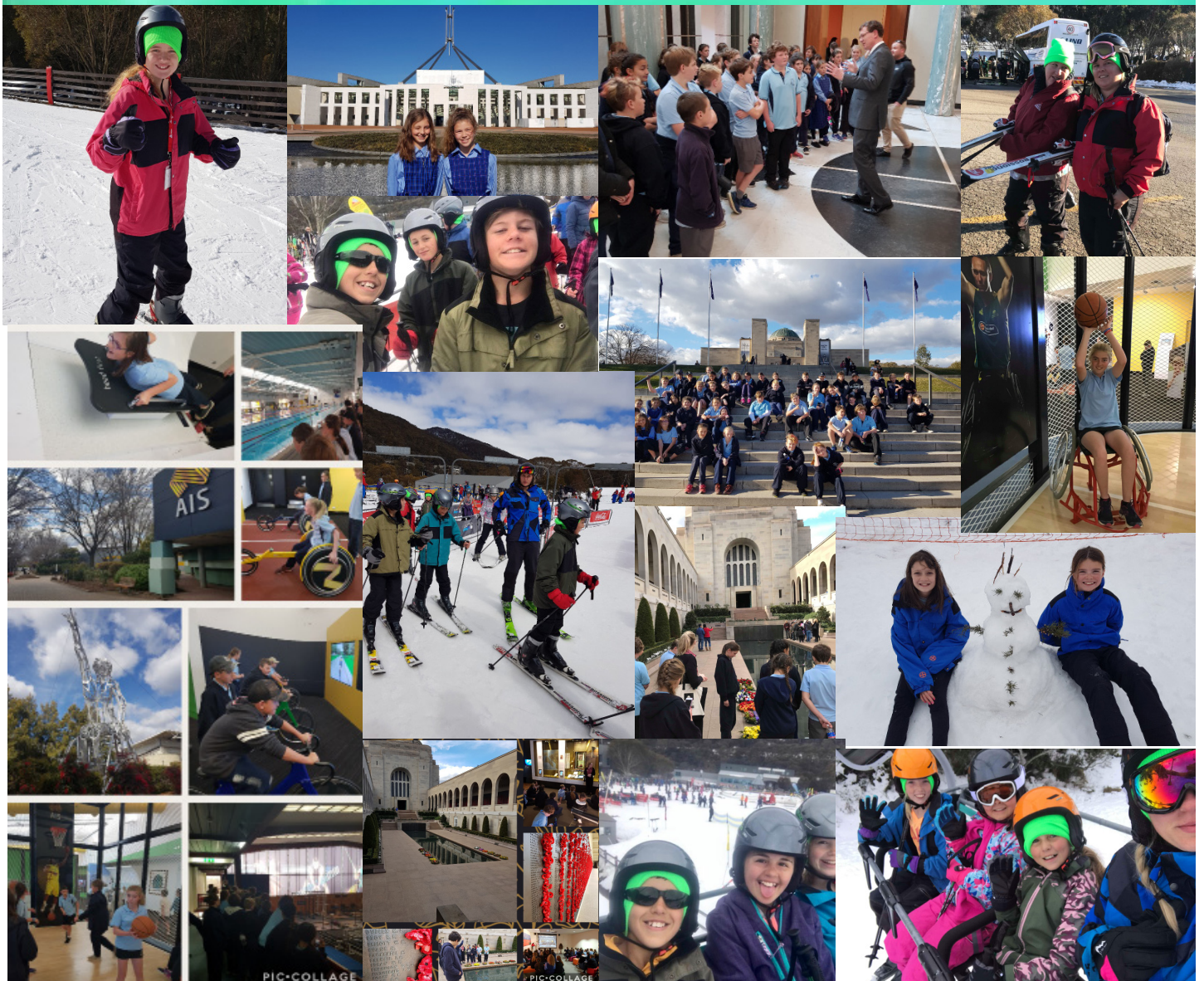
Last week our Year 6 students travelled to Canberra with Miss Quayle, Mr Murphy, Mrs Wilson and Beth. The students are to be commended on their outstanding behaviour. Our students were an absolute pleasure to take away and represented our school well.

The students experienced some of our nations most prestigious places in Canberra. Whilst at Parliament House they were introduced to Andrew Gee, toured the Senate and House of Representatives. Here the students saw Pauline Hanson and pointed out Penny Wong and Derryn Hinch.

Whilst in Canberra they also visited the Australian Institute of Sport, the War memorial, The Mint, Telstra Tower and Questacon. Each and every student absorbed the experiences, asked well thought out questions and generally enjoyed every minute (with exception to the heights at Telstra Tower).

Thursday was a new experience for our students at Gulgong Public School. We spent the entire day at the snow. They went through an intensive 2hr ski lesson and then either took on the slopes or played happily in the snow.

Many thanks to all of our teachers who committed themselves to caring for each and every student in a vigilant and professional manner. THANK YOU also must go to Brad from Eastend Bus Company for ensuring we arrived to and from our destinations safely.





### Autism Advisor Program Information and Support Group – Mudgee

Visit 1: Tuesday, 18th September  
Visit 2: Tuesday, 23rd October  
Time: 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Where: Country Women's  
Association Hall  
48 Market Street, Mudgee

# FATHER'S DAY

The P & C will hold their Father's Day Stall  
on Wednesday 29th August 2018.  
Gifts will be from \$2.00 to \$6.00



At this stage no further information has been  
forwarded regarding the Western Athletics  
Carnival.  
We will send it home as soon as we have these  
details.



Tickets will be sent home  
tomorrow for the Father's Day  
Raffle



## Congratulations



Week 6  
Uniform Winner Jesse



### UNIFORM SHOP

Tuesday mornings - 9.30 am - 10.00 am

Friday mornings - 9.30 am - 11.30am

# WANTED

If anyone has unwanted uniform we  
would appreciate it as spares.

THE CLASS THAT RAISES THE  
MOST MONEY DURING THE  
SILVER COIN CHALLENGE  
WILL WIN A CLASS



## Silver Coin Challenge

Congratulations to  
all students  
Winners for Week 5  
**1 / 2 GREEN**  
We have raised a  
total of \$563.10



Just a friendly  
reminder that the  
Nandoura street  
entrance to the  
school is a Drop Off  
Zone from 8.00 am  
to 9.30 am