NEWSLETTER

Monday 31 March 2025 Newsletter No. 8 Week 10 Term 1 Principal: Mr Jesse Wheaton

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OOSH DEMAND FOLLOW UP – EXCITING NEWS!

We are delighted to share some fantastic news with our school and wider community! The results of the recent feasibility survey conducted by the Department of Education have come back extremely positive. This is a huge milestone in our efforts to bring an Out of School Hours (OOSH) service to Gundagai, and we couldn't have done it without your support.

Thanks to the valuable feedback and strong community response, the delivery support team is now moving forward with a delivery model that is tailored to suit the specific needs of Gundagai families. This is a significant step toward making OOSH a reality, ensuring that local children have access to high-quality care before and after school, as well as during school holidays.

An OOSH service will be a game-changer for our town, providing working families with much-needed support, offering children a safe and engaging environment, and strengthening our sense of community. Having access to reliable and well-structured out-of-school care will benefit not only families but also employers and the broader community by increasing flexibility for working parents.

We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who took the time to complete the survey. Your

input has been instrumental in demonstrating the need for this service, and your support has helped drive this project forward. Community engagement has been key to achieving this positive outcome, and we truly appreciate the effort each of you has made.

We will continue to keep you updated as the delivery model takes shape and look forward to seeing the benefits this service will bring to Gundagai. Stay tuned for more details in the coming months—exciting times ahead!





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STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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Kinder H	Harrison Brooke-Kelly
Kinder M	Teddy Cutcliffe
Year 1	Isabel Polsen
Year 2	Olivia Shaw
Year 3	Ayvah Smart
Year 4	Ryan Rose
Year 5	Josie Waddell
Year 6	Lily-Rose Mooney

TERM 1 RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY

Where: GPS Hall When: Friday 4 April 2:30pm

All welcome to attend

EYE SCREENING

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the Lions Club for offering free eye testing to our students. This generous initiative ensures that children receive the vision support they need to thrive in the classroom and beyond.

Good eyesight plays a crucial role in learning, and early detection of vision



issues can make a significant difference in a child's education. Thanks to the Lions Club, many students now have access to essential screenings that can help identify potential concerns before they impact learning.



A special thank you to the dedicated volunteers and professionals who made this possible. Your kindness and commitment to our community are truly appreciated!



RIVERINA RUGBY LEAGUE TRIALS

Following impressive performances at the Highlands Rugby League trials, a group of our students have been selected to compete at the Riverina selection trials this Wednesday. Their hard work, sportsmanship, and determination have earned them this exciting opportunity to take their skills to the next level.

Best of luck goes to Reece Broadhurst, Jax Smart, Jimmy Robinson, Chace Clout, Declan Smith, Billy Sadler, Charlie Shannon, Jacob Turner, Lachie Lindley, Leeroy Bell, Joshua Potbury, and Beau Jones.

HIGHLANDS NETBALL TRIALS

Last Thursday, Susie Kerr represented our school at the Highlands Netball trials, putting her skills to the test against tough competition. It was a great opportunity to gain experience and challenge herself at a higher level. Well done, Susie, on your efforts and sportsmanship—we are proud of you!