

North Weekly News

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Term 3 Week 9

Tuesday, 8 September

Dates To Remember

Term 3

Wed 9th Sept Hot Chip Day
Sun 13th Sept P&C Working Bee 9am-4pm
Tues 15th Sept Behaviour Awards Assembly
K-2 11.35
3-6 12.30
Year 6 Market Day 2.00pm-3.00pm
Fri 18th Sept Last day of Term 3
Sun 20th Sept P&C Working Bee 9am-4pm

Term 4

Mon 5th Oct Public Holiday
Tues 6th Oct Students return to school

Merit

Zareef, Victoria,
Talina



UNSW Spelling Competition

GNPS is very proud of the excellent results achieved by students participating in the UNSW Spelling Competition.

In the spelling competition two distinctions, five credits and three merits were achieved. Congratulations to the following students.

Distinction

Muntasir and
Yuri



Lapathon

Thank you to all the students and families who supported our Lapathon again this year. We have raised \$4547.00 which will be used to purchase literacy resources for all students from K-6. Congratulations to the following class winners who will receive a book or sports store voucher. Ruby KD, Bruce KC, Kaiden K-1P, Jesse 1M, Tayah 1/2T, Caleb 2BA, Riley 2/3Y, Tabitha 3J, Piper 3/4A, Hannah 4M, Sam 5W, Samantha 5P, Callum 6D and Ella 6M.



Credits

Oscar,
Matilda,
Marco
Connor, Ella



PSSA State Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to Talina, Ryan, and Ana who all qualified for the shot put at Monday's Riverina Athletics Carnival and are now going to represent the Riverina at the PSSA State Athletics Carnival on 14th and 15th October.



Book Week Parade and Assembly

Thank you to all the students who came dressed up as a Famous Person from the Past. Everyone looked fantastic and it was wonderful watching them all participate in the book week parade at school today. I would like to thank Mrs Fordham for all her efforts in organising the Book Parade and Book Fair for GNPS for 2015.



K-6 Book Week Awards - Week 9

KD:	Rodi, Abbey
KC:	Jayden, Saskia
K-1P:	Sean, Kaiden, Annie, Julia
1M:	James, Scarlett
1-2T:	Cody, Tayah, Matthew, Jayde
2BA:	Caleb, Josephine
2/3Y:	Riley, Liliana
3J:	Nic, Ava
3/4A:	Kane, Hayley, Michael, Maddison
4M:	Muntasir, Aoibhinn
5W:	Nobeljit, Kiara
5P:	Daniel, Samantha
6M:	Oscar, Eutalia
6D:	Corben, Sarah

Kindergarten Orientation 2016

Information Evening for Parents

Tuesday 13th October 2015

If you have a child commencing Kindergarten in 2016 you are invited to an information meeting on **Tuesday 13th October, 2015.**

The meeting will commence at **6:30pm** in **KC's classroom (Room 13)**. At this meeting you will be given information regarding Orientation Session times.

We look forward to meeting you!

Orientation dates are:

Week 3: Tuesday 20th October 2015

Week 4: Tuesday 27th October 2015

Week 5: Tuesday 3rd November 2015

These sessions will be a $\frac{1}{2}$ day of the school day not a full day. The morning session will run from 9.30 to 12pm and the afternoon will run from 12.30pm to 3.00pm.



Lost Property

There is currently a large amount of clothing and other items in lost property. If your child has lost something please come and have a look.

P&C News

Lamington Update

Congratulations to Liza and Kevin Guglielmino who won the movie tickets for having the most lamington orders. They had 56 dozen! This is an amazing amount!

Thank you to Meg Taipaleti for organising the hospitality students from Griffith High School to come and help. Also thanks to the students for their assistance.

Working Bee

This Sunday there will be a P&C Working Bee to start work on the Native Garden. If you can't make this working bee there will be another on Sunday 20th September, the following week. Everyone is welcome to come. Both days will be starting at 9am and finishing around 4pm.

Year 6 Market Day

On Tuesday 15th of September Year 6 will be holding a Market Day. Students can come dressed in casual clothes and wear crazy socks for a gold coin donation.

Stalls include a lob-a-choc, circus games, food, drinks, lollies, a spinning wheel, music, shoot-a-basket and so much more! Prices range from 50c to \$2, so bring your money along. There are lots to choose from and lots of fun to be had. Year six students are putting in a big effort to make this market day great. So come and join the fun! By Ella Rowley

The Partners in Learning parent survey

You can access the survey by following the link below on your computer or tablet:

1. [Login in:](https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com)
<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com>
2. Your School's Parent Username = **parent17959**
3. Your School's Parent Password = **Gri4027**

Canteen News Week 9

Wednesday	09.9.15	Kelli Bordignon
Thursday	10.9.15	Helper Needed
Friday	11.9.15	Josie Tapner
Monday	14.9.15	Neva Barber
Tuesday	15.9.15	Anjanette Rowley

Hot Chip Day

Tomorrow the canteen will be having a **HOT CHIP Day at recess only. They will be \$3.50. Please pre-order in the morning only.** (For catering purposes).

Thank you to the mums and grandparents who help out in the canteen. We really appreciate your support. If you would like to help out please come and see us.

Thanking you

Adele and Paulina Canteen Supervisors



Year 4 Pioneer Park Mini Action Day

Year 4 students walked to Pioneer Park Museum on Friday 4th September. We experienced many activities from the past including: washing clothes, using old tools and mowers, old fashion games, train rides, visiting old buildings like The General Store, The School, Hospital, The Gaol, Post Office, Bakery and the Barber. We learnt about being responsible pet owners and we got to play with some friendly dogs from the pound. We enjoyed a sausage sizzle, fruit snacks and poppers. A huge THANK YOU to all the parents who assisted on the day – Tahnee Jamieson, Melissa Noffke, Robert Cosgrove, Justin Coggan, Greg Evans, Mrs Allen and Steve Scammell.



2016 Kindergarten Meet and Play

We will be giving our 2016 Kindergarten students the opportunity to meet each other and have a play at school. It is also a chance for new parents to meet. Some of our present parents will be conducting these sessions and it is hoped that it will make the transition to "big school" easier.

Time: 2:30-3:15

Place: Infants Sandpit

Dates: Wed 9th September

If you know any new Kinder parents who would be interested, please let them know. For more information contact Liz Johnstone 0437641288.

Newsletter online

The newsletter is also available on our school website www.griffithn-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

This is a great way to complete the Tell Them From Me Survey as you can click directly on the link and log in and start the survey. We hope all families participate in the survey.

Concert "A Night at the Movies"



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