

North Weekly News



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Term 1 Week 9

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Dates To Remember

Thur 28 March	K-2 Easter Hat Parade 2pm
Fri 29 March	Good Friday Public Holiday
Mon 1 April	Easter Monday Public Holiday
Tues 2 April	K-2 Assembly - 1R Hosting 3-6 Assembly - Stage 3 Behaviour Awards
Wed 3 April	GNPS Cross Country
Thurs 4 April	AECG 2pm P&C AGM 7.15pm
Friday 5 April	Mortimer Shield
Mon 8 April	Stage 3 Excursion to Ballarat
Tues 9 April	Stage 3 Excursion to Ballarat K-2 Assembly- K-2 Behaviour Awards 3-6 Assembly- Stage 2 Behaviour Awards

PBL "Reach for the Stars" Badges and Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received our "Reach for the Stars" Gold Star Award and badge:

K-2 Violet (1/2U) for being a caring and respectful student at all times.



3-6 Rylan (4V) for taking responsibility for his learning and giving all school tasks 100% of his effort.



Riverina Touch

Congratulations to Charlie and Claire who have been selected in the Riverina Touch team. Charlie and Claire will now compete at the NSW PSSA Touch carnival in Wollongong in August.



Riverina Basketball

Congratulations to Kyran and Jack who have been selected for the Riverina Basketball team, the boys will travel to Newcastle later this year.



Riverina Hockey

Congratulations to Eliza who was selected in the Riverina Hockey team yesterday. Eliza will now participate in the Hockey State Championship in Newcastle later in the year.



Mrs Remke

Mrs Remke has been successful in gaining the principal position at Tharbogang PS. She will commence at Tharbogang PS at the start of Term 2. Mrs Maddie Cauduro will teach 1R for the remainder of the year.

I am sure you will all join me in congratulating Mrs Remke on her promotion and wish her all the best at Tharbogang PS.



Attendance

With regular school attendance your child will have the best opportunity to learn and improve their learning and wellbeing. We are here to support your child to be ready and engaged for school.

A reminder that planned travel should only be taken during school holidays and students should be at school every day during school term, from beginning to end.

Missing a day here or there may not seem like much, but absences add up. Every day matters and we are here to support all students in attending and engaging with their learning, every day of the term.

Supporting student attendance

If your child is:

- Sick
- Has a medical appointment
- Has to travel for family business
- Involved in Sorry Business



Let us know

So we can plan continued support for your child's learning and wellbeing

Assembly Awards - Term 1 Week 9

KA	Jedda, Isla, Amaziah
KD	Alessia, Nate, Reuben
KM	Kylie, Logan, Carissa
1A	Ayla, Brandon Grace
1R	Malak, Bronte, Andre
1/2U	Aaliyah Khn, Zaidan, Tawhiri
2C	Manni, Elise, Reyan
2MS	Jordan, Olivia, Zeke
Italian	Jordan, Camilla
3J	Charlie, Pearl
3P	Safwan, Violet
3/4A	Jeffroi, Allie
4V	Frankie, Levi
4S	Giselle, Dominic
5H	Teleah, Tathya
5N	Elijah, Aroosh
5/6T	Amelia, Joshua
6H	Ella, Elaina
6W	Riley, Patane
Italian	Pippa, Lucas Minato

Attendance

Congratulations to **Year 3** who had **93%** attendance last week. They were closely followed by both Kindergarten and Year 4 with 92%. Keep up the wonderful work. Year 3 will receive their extra play as their reward for great attendance.



PBL Expectation Focus

This week's focus for PBL is:

"Think before you act".

Our PBL focus for this fortnight is 'Think before you act.' Before you respond to any situation, make sure you take a moment to stop and think before you do or say anything. Ask yourself, what will be the consequences of saying or doing this?

PBL Reward Tickets

Congratulations to the following students who were drawn out of the PBL Reward Ticket box for following school expectations:

- Eddie
- Nate
- Grace
- Kaitlyn
- Charlie



General and Media Consent and Student's use of Online Services

General and Media Consent notes were sent home a couple of weeks ago. **Parents and guardians will only need to complete the forms and return to the school if they wish to change or amend** their previous choice (2023) for general and media consent and student's use of online services. Students who are new to our school will need to fill out the original forms.

P&C Easter Raffle

P&C will be holding an Easter raffle. Tickets have been sent home.

- \$1 each
- 20 tickets per book (using both sides of the ticket)
- **Tickets and money to be returned by this Wednesday 27 March**
- Drawn at the K-2 Easter Hat Parade on Thursday 28 March



Come one, Come all!
K-2 Easter Hat Parade

When: Thursday
28 March 2.00pm

Where: GNPS school hall
Come along to the hall and join in the fun of the Easter Hat Parade. Students will parade their amazing Easter hats, entertain you with lots of singing and there may even be a surprise visit from the Easter Bunny



P&C AGM Meeting

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 4 April 7.15pm in the staffroom. It will be our Annual General Meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Thanking you,
Cate Yates
P&C President

Clothing Pool Sale

Our P&C are holding a clothing pool sale this Thursday from 1pm until 3pm under the COLA at the back of the school hall. This will coincide with the Easter hat parade that will commence at 2pm on this day. If you're after a spare jumper etc, please feel free to stop by. Items will be no more than \$5 each. Stock and sizes are limited.

Sport News

PSSA Cricket Knockout

On Friday 22 March, GNPS played and won the first 2 rounds of the NSW PSSA Cricket Knockout. In the first game, they defeated Griffith Small Schools, scoring 3 for 100 and bowling them out for 50 runs. The second round game was against Beelbangera PS and it came down to the final over. GNPS scored 8 for 82 from their 20 overs and BPS came within 2 runs of the total, finishing on 4 for 80 after their 20 overs. The boys played with great spirit and will now move onto the third round. Thanks to Mr Taprell for umpiring both games and to Mr Arnold for coaching the team.



Riverina Cricket Trials

Today, Joshua trialled for the Riverina Cricket team. We would like to wish Josh all the best for these trials.



PSSA Riverina Basketball Trials

GNPS had 5 boys travel to Albury last Tuesday for the Riverina Trials. The boys played well as a team, showing sportsmanship and teamwork. Congratulations to Kyran and Jack who have been selected for the Riverina Basketball team. The boys will travel to Newcastle later this year.



Riverina Soccer Trials

This Wednesday, Giac and Elijah will trial for the Riverina Soccer team. We would like to wish the boys every success for these trials.

