TOORAWEENAH PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - 3.7.2019

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School News Week 10 Term 2

NEWS

Book Fair

The book fair was once again, very well supported in 2019. Thank you to all the parents and community members who made purchases. Our school library has earned 13 books valued at a total of $165 due to the sales. Thank you to Petria Cameron for volunteering her time to run the book fair all week. It is definitey a highlight for the students each year.

PBL Celebration Day

On Monday students celebrated reaching their 4000 point milestone as a whole school on class Dojo. Students wore casual clothes and were treated to a fun afternoon of free-time, movies and popcorn. I have been very pleased with the positive behaviour exhibited by students in the school recently. It is always a pleasure to hear positive comments from teachers and visitors in our school such as Mark Pitts.

Term 3 Calendar

Students return to school on Tuesday 23rd July. (Teachers will return a day earlier for the School Development Day.) The Term 3 calendar is attached.

EVENTS COMING UP

THIS TERM

TPS Athletics Carnival

The Tooraweenah Athletics Carnival will be held on the last Friday of Term, Friday 5th July starting at **9am**.
The Preschool have been invited to join us and parents, grandparents and community members are all very welcome to come along. The program will feature both athletics and novelty events on the day.

There will be a barbecue lunch available on the day as well as morning tea available for purchase.

Students are to come dressed in their Butler (blue) or Garling (red) house colours.

NEXT TERM

External Validation Meeting

With the documentation now finalized and uploaded, Mrs Jenkin and I will attend the External Validation meeting on 23rd July (Tuesday Week 1 Term 3.) Mrs Peart will be covering the classes on the day.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Mrs Jenkin and Mrs Smith will be having Parent Teacher Interviews on Tuesday 23rd July from 12:30pm to discuss the end of Semester One reports.

To book in your time, please go to Sign on Genius.
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D48A8A623ABF94-parent1

Lightning Ridge/ Goodooga Excursion

Students are heading on their three day excursion to the Goodooga Indigenous games and Lightning Ridge in Week 2 next term. Please complete the permission form and medical note and return to school by the end of this term to assist with planning. The excursion will be funded through funds from Wenona School provided to us for drought assistance and targeted school funds. If parents would like to donate a contribution to the excursion, they are welcome to do so.

We are planning on taking three cars on the excursion instead of a bus to cut down on costs. If you have any concerns about this, please contact Mrs Smith before the end of term to discuss.

John Fleming Visit

The next John Fleming visit will be on Wednesday 7th August. The school has decided to only send teachers to Gilgandra for this professional learning, as Mr Fleming will not be observing lessons during his visit.

Students will be required to come to school as normal unless they have elected to compete in the Bird Olympics. Normal classes will be running at school for the day by Mrs Peart.

Warrumbungle Environmental Education Centre - Bird Olympics

There is an opportunity for students from the 3-6 class to attend the first Bird Olympics at the Warrumbungle Environmental Education Centre on Wednesday 7th August. Some students have expressed an interest. Notes will go home in the first week of school next term.

Karen Smith
Relieving Principal

NOTICES

Winter Wonderland - Gilgandra 2019

Friday, 05 July 2019 | 05:00 PM to 07:00 PM

The Winter Wonderland launch event Friday, 5 July 2019 @ 5.00pm

Miller Street Gilgandra

Turning on the lights around 6 pm, food and kids activities

Winter theme dress up competition for kids!

Local stores will be hosting their own in-store events and promotions!

winter WONDERLAND
GILGANDRA 2019

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GILGANDRA SHIRE COUNCIL
Live > Enjoy > Grow

This July an amazing winter scene will be created across the Gilgandra Shire with the help of our local businesses. Winter Wonderland is aimed to be fun and create a positive distraction from day to day life and offer another reason to come together as a community.

Coinciding with the start of the school holidays there will be something different for visitors and locals to look at as they move around and support our local businesses.

Lighting Display
Thanks to the generous support of 32 Hundred Lighting, a number of buildings in Miller Street will be lit up at night in winter themes. These lights will be turned on from 5 July for three weeks.

Window / Business Decoration Competition
Thanks to the support of the Gilgandra and District Community Bank Branch, you can vote for your favourite decorated business during the Winter Wonderland. Prizes for best-decorated business to be announced next week.

Winter Wonderland Launch Event
Friday, 5 July 2019
5pm to 7pm
Miller Street

- Turning on of the Lights around 6pm.
- Food.
- Kids Activities.
- Winter themed dress up competition for kids (prizes and participation awards)
  - 0 to 4 year olds
  - 5+ year olds
- Some businesses will be hosting their own in-store events and promotions.

If you would like to run an activity or event on this night, please contact:
Randall Medd
Gilgandra Shire Council
Ph 68178800

EXPLORE THE WINTER WONDERLAND THIS JULY

CANTEEN AT THE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Week 10 5.7.19 Worker: Parents to cook BBQ

Home Cooking: Karen Smith

Merit Awards

Daisy Wykes	Excellent skills in designing a Powerpoint Presentation
Lexi Trickey	Outstanding characterisation writing

PBL Awards

Lily Smith	excellent sportsmanship during sport
Souljah Hughes	excellent sportsmanship during sport

Mathsonline Awards

Lexi Trickey	Silver Level	Time
Lara Duff	Silver Level	Position
Lexi Trickey	Silver Level	Position
Lily Smith	Silver Level	Time
Jahkaia Hughes	Bronze Level	Space and Position
Lily Smith	Silver Level	Space and Position

Library Awards

Lily Smith	for her review of the book ‘New Kid.’

Yule Tide Lunch

(Christmas in July)

Mountain View Hotel

Wednesday 10th July 12 noon

All ladies are invited for a friendly outreach day.

Roast, Dessert Coffee/Tea $20

Presentation by Sue Armstrong

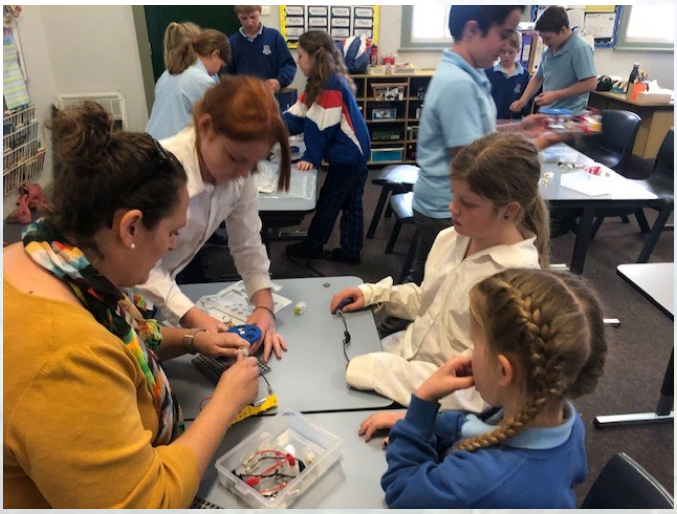
Guest Speaker Dalene Pretorius

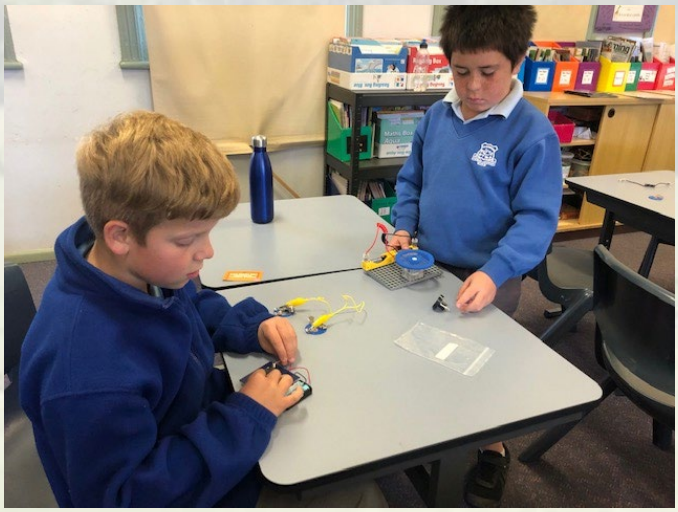
RSVP: Ashley by 6 July 6848 1017

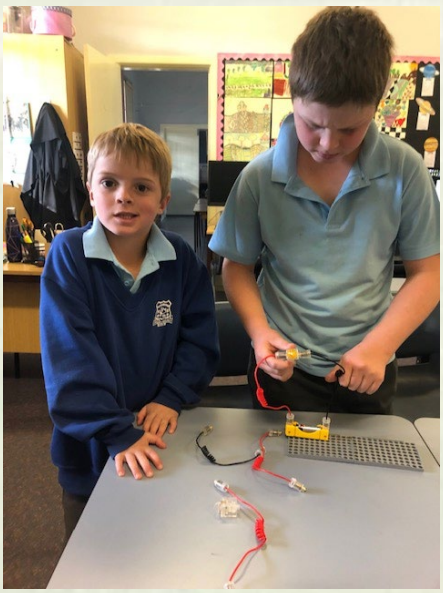
Term 2 2019								
July	10	Reports go home this week. PBL Celebration- wear casual clothes 1	School Counsellor Visit 2	3	4	TPS Athletics Carnival 5	6	7

Mrs Jenkin's class learning about

Electrical circuits







Make friends, have fun and get active with Netball!

WHAT	**Coonabarabran Netball School Holiday Clinic**	Net/Set (5-7yrs) and GO (8-10yrs)	
DATE	Wednesday 17th July 2019	**TIME**	10am-12pm (5-7yrs); 10am-12pm (8-10yrs)
WHERE	Coonabarabran Netball Association – Chappell Avenue, Coonabarabran		
DETAILS	$20.30 per participant, with registrations online via the trybooking website:		
	https://www.trybooking.com/BDGUT		
	Please bring a hat, sunscreen, water bottle and healthy snacks!		
CONTACT	Rowie Tunningley	M: 0437 075 771	E: rtunningley@netballnsw.com

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(02) 9951 5000
netballnsw.com.au

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NSW TAFE Community Partner

School Holiday Program

GILGANDRA YOUTH SERVICES

For ages 10+

GILGANDRA SHIRE COUNCIL Live > Enjoy > Grow

Youth Centre open from 10am – 5pm, Monday to Friday

Excursions and Activities	
Monday 8 July	**FREE Mosaic Craft Workshop** (all supplies provided) Gilgandra Youth Centre, 10am – 3pm; lunch provided
Tuesday 9 July	**Youth Centre open for drop-in activities**
Wednesday 10 July	**Ten Pin Bowling / Japanese Gardens and Adventure Park, Dubbo** **$11 per game + lunch money required** Leave GYS at 10.00am, return 4.00pm (times may vary on the day) *LIMITED NUMBERS*
Thursday 11 July	**FREE "Minute to Win it" Handball Knockout** Gilgandra Youth Centre, 10 – 2pm; lunch provided *Prizes for Winners*
Friday 12 July	**FREE Movie Marathon & Pizza** Gilgandra Youth Centre, 10am – 3pm Lunch provided (make your own pizzas)
Monday 15 July	**Parkes Radio Telescope – lunch money required $15** Leave GYS at 8.30am, return 4.00pm (times may vary on the day) Includes entry into Astronomy & Space Science exhibition, tour of Parkes Radio Telescope, movie in 3D Theatre and Scavenger Hunt. *LIMITED NUMBERS*
Tuesday 16 July	**FREE ASPIRE Program**, Gilgandra High School
Wednesday 17 July	**FREE ASPIRE Program**, Gilgandra High School
Thursday 18 July	**Youth Centre open for drop-in activities**
Friday 19 July	**Youth Centre open for drop-in activities**

Please note:

- All excursions supervised
- Bus outings limited to 10 participants
- All outdoor excursions will be weather permitting

For enquiries and bookings, phone:

Gilgandra Youth Club: 0268 178 798 OR **Mobile: 0408 697 241**

FANNY LUMSDEN'S COUNTRY HALLS TOUR 2019-2020

SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

TOORAWEENAH SHOWGROUND

***FUNDRAISER FOR TOORAWEENAH PUBLIC SCHOOL**

FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT

one entry for the markets, music and entertainment

Gates open at 3pm for Country Markets and afternoon events before the Country Halls Tour
(included in the ticket price)

Presale discount tickets can be purchased from **ticketebo.com.au**
ticketebo.com.au/fannylumsden/country-halls-tour-tooraweenah-hall.html

MUSIC STARTS AT 6:30PM

FOOD AND BAR FACILITIES | CAMPING AVAILABLE

essential communities

COUNTRYHALLSTOUR.COM

Term 3 2019

July	1	School Development Day – Pupil Free 22	Mrs Smith External Validation Meeting 9-12pm Parent Teacher Interviews from 12:30 23	24	25	National Tree Day – Tree planting with CWA and morning tea P&C Meeting 4pm 26	27	28
July/ August	2	NAIDOC WEEK 29	30	Ligntning Ridge & Goodooga Indigenous Games excursion 31	1	2	3	4
August	3	Education Week 5	6	John Fleming – teachers only Bird Olympics 7	8	Dubbo Small Schools Athletics Carnival 9	10	11
August	4	12	13	14	CWA International Day Mrs Smith Western Plains Principal's Conf 15	Mrs Smith Western Plains Principal's Conf 16	17	18
August	5	PBL Foundations Training Mrs Zell and Mrs Jenkin 19	20	Reptile Show at school 11am 21	22	23	24	25
August /Sept	6	26	27	28	Coonabarabran Horse Sports Mrs Smith PPA Conf. 29	Coonabarabran Horse Sports Dubbo District Athletics Mrs Smith PPA Conf. 30	31	1
Sept	7	2	3	Teachers attend FilmPond PL Gilganrda 3:30-4:30pm 4	5	Gilgandra High School Careers Expo for Years 5-6 Footy Colours Day – charity fundraiser 6	7	8
Sept	8	9	10	11	12	Western Athletics 13	14	15

Sept	9	16	17	PBL Coach Network Training and PBL Showcase 18	19	20	21	22
Sept	10	23	24	25	26	Fanny Lumsden Concert 27	28	29