



Week 4 Term 4:

6 November 2018

# Newsletter

## Gillwinga Public School

A Leader in Excellence, Innovation + Opportunity

### Class 5/60

Last term 5/60 were lucky enough to create a short film with the guidance of Mr Feeney. Students were taken through the whole film process, from establishing the idea, script, storyboard, production and editing. All students were given important roles to ensure the filming ran smoothly and on time. We had a producer, directors, actors and actresses, camera crew, clapper, props and stage crew and several other roles. Students showed great engagement during the 7 weeks and really enjoyed learning all the behind the scene phases that go into the making of a film. Our film will be entered into the Big River Public Schools Film Festival with other schools in the Clarence Valley. The festival will be held at South Grafton High School on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November at 10:30am. Parents, carers and family members are welcome to come along and support 5/60. Guests will be required to pay a \$2 entry fee at the door.



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Principal: Mr Trent Patterson



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## Excursions

Please check you have returned permission notes and paid for excursions by the due date. Year 5/6 are off to Lake Ainsworth this week and K-2 and Years 3 and 4 have their excursion next week.

## Cake Raffle

Our skipping team will be selling tickets each week in a draw for a cake which will be drawn after lunch each Friday. The lucky winner can take their cake home after school. The skipping team will be selling tickets each Thursday and Friday at recess. Tickets will be \$1 each. Funds raised will go towards our Jump Off day for the Heart Foundation in 2019.

## Bullying Survey

Earlier this year students and parents were surveyed about bullying at Gilliwinga Public School.

Results include:

70% of students feel safe

85% indicate that there is a mild or moderate bullying problem.

85% of the time the school deals with the issue effectively.

90% of the time teachers stop bullying when they see it.

80% of parents talk to their child about bullying.

Thank you to the families that completed the survey.

The information from this will be used to assist the school to look at how we address bullying.

To be effective we need to work with families to prevent and deal with bullying behaviour. Teachers are currently clearly defining what bullying is to raise awareness.

It is important that the school and community work together and provide support for all our students.

## Year 5/6 Camp

We wish our year 5/6 students an enjoyable camp at Lake Ainsworth, Lennox Heads. I am sure they will enjoy stand up paddle boarding, high ropes course, raft building and rock climbing. They will be back Friday before 3pm.





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## Principal's Network Meeting

Friday this week Gillwinga will host the Principal's Network meeting with Principals from Woolgoolga to Cowper attending.

Congratulations to all the award winners and I look forward to having lunch with the Gold Award winners over the coming weeks. It has been great to see so many family members at our assemblies on Fridays. We only have a few to go so please come along and stay for the morning tea after and have a chat.

## Award Winners

### Class Award Winners

Kindy- Kylan & Jerome  
1 C Darci & Elijah  
2W Joshua & Rasharnie  
3/4M Izaac & Shyleekqua  
3/4C Cody & Sebastian  
5/6B Aynslie & Malakai  
5/6O Marama & Rochelle

### AAA Award Winners

Kindy- Lachlan  
1 C Zakaya  
2W Maleek  
3/4M Reagan  
3/4C Briony  
5/6B Samantha  
5/6O Locky

### Writer Award Winner

Jacquelyn

### Maths Award Winner

Corey B

## Community News

**WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST**

**JOIN THE FUN**

WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST IS A FUN AND FAST PROGRAM FOR KIDS OF ALL ABILITIES TO LEARN NEW SKILLS AND PLAY AUSTRALIA'S FAVOURITE SPORT.

Woolworths Cricket Blast will start soon!!  
Session from 4pm Wednesday 14/11 @ Ellem Oval  
Contact - Conference Administrator Janet Grieve  
janet.grieve@cricketnsw.com.au  
Any questions please call 0427422243!  
Com in and join in the fun!!

## Clarence River Junior Cricket Assoc.

2018/19 Season is fast approaching and will be kicking off in October throughout the Clarence Valley!!

Go to [www.playcricket.com.au](http://www.playcricket.com.au) to register to play with a club in our area!

Stage 1 - Under 10's - Played Saturday mornings from 9am.

- Girls Sixers League - 6 weeks training and 3 games v Harwood - more information to come!

Stage 2 - Under 12's - Played Friday afternoons from 4pm.

Stage 3 - Under 14's - Played Thursday's from 4pm.

- Under 16's - Played Friday's from 4pm (involves travel)

For further information please contact Janet on 0427422243 or go to [playcricket.com.au](http://playcricket.com.au)

## JUNIOR CRICKET

Play more shots, face more balls and get more wickets as you develop your skills through three levels of junior cricket.

JUNIOR CRICKET 1	JUNIOR CRICKET 2	JUNIOR CRICKET 3
AGES UNDER 11   2 HOURS	AGES UNDER 13   2.5 HOURS	AGES UNDER 16   2.5 HOURS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short, under-pressed games played in under five hours</li> <li>With smaller team sizes, there are more opportunities for everyone to bat, bowl and field</li> <li>Play on a shorter pitch for more consistent ball delivery and skill development</li> <li>How fun in a welcoming and inclusive environment</li> <li>All girls junior cricket leagues available</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short, under-pressed games played in under three hours</li> <li>Progress technical cricket skills with a longer pitch and wider boundaries</li> <li>Develop teamwork in a fun and competitive environment</li> <li>With smaller team sizes, there are more opportunities for everyone to bat, bowl and field</li> <li>How fun in a welcoming and inclusive environment</li> <li>All girls junior cricket leagues available</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short, under-pressed games played in under four hours</li> <li>Refine technical skills with a full length pitch and wider boundaries</li> <li>Develop teamwork in a fun and competitive environment</li> <li>How fun in a welcoming and inclusive environment</li> <li>All girls junior cricket leagues available</li> </ul>
PLAYERS 7 PITCH 10M OVERS 20 BOUNDARY 40M	PLAYERS 9 PITCH 16M OVERS 20 / 30 BOUNDARY 45M	PLAYERS 11 PITCH 20.1M OVERS 20 / 40 BOUNDARY 50M

JOIN THE FUN AT YOUR LOCAL CLUB  
REGISTER AT [PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU](http://PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU)

CLUB	CONTACT	PHONE	EMAIL
Brothers Cricket Club	Jo Lucas	0448 864542	<a href="mailto:brotherscc@hotmail.com">brotherscc@hotmail.com</a>
Coutts Crossing Cricket Club	Andrew McLachlan	0418 977996	<a href="mailto:grafton@admin.insp.com.au">grafton@admin.insp.com.au</a>
GDSC Easts Cricket Club	Bret Loveday	0412 621326	<a href="mailto:eastsccricketclub@gmail.com">eastsccricketclub@gmail.com</a>
South Services Cricket Club	Tom Kroehner	0488 096707	<a href="mailto:tkroehner@northemagri.com.au">tkroehner@northemagri.com.au</a>
Tucabla Copmanhurst CC	Derek Woods	0438 195316	<a href="mailto:mail@tuc-cop.com">mail@tuc-cop.com</a>
Westawn Cricket Club	Toni Brien	0457 764511	<a href="mailto:tbrien@ewhfoods.com.au">tbrien@ewhfoods.com.au</a>
Lower Clarence	Trent Lobb	0468 439328	<a href="mailto:rugbylobb@hotmail.com">rugbylobb@hotmail.com</a>

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## SIXERS GIRLS CRICKET LEAGUE

### JOIN THE FUN!



**COMPETITION/6:** Clarence Valley Sixers Girls Cricket League for Clarence and Lower Clarence Girls!

**COMPETITION COORDINATOR:** Janet Grievé email: [janet.griev@cricketnsw.com.au](mailto:janet.griev@cricketnsw.com.au) or mobile: 0427 422 243

**AGES:** U13 Girls (ages 7-13) **LOCATION:** Clarence Valley Area

**TIME:** Tuesdays 4 - 6pm **DATE:** Starts Tues 5th November - 11th December

**CLUBS INVOLVED:** Come and play in the Sixers Girls League in the Clarence Valley area. For girls aged 7 - 13 years. All levels of experience and skills are welcome.

2 hour sessions for 3 weeks and 3 days of 120 games played against Harwood at Brughgrove!  
\$30 includes all sessions and a girls playing shirt!  
Play as a team with your friends or come along and join in with everyone!  
Clarence Girls can register at <http://www.playcricket.com.au/sub-finder?club-details?c=12773>  
Lower River Girls can register <http://playcricket.com.au/sub-finder?club-details?c=4005>

**OTHER INFORMATION:** This is a 7 a side 120 Cricket League for girls. More info can be found on [www.sydneysixersgirlsleague.com.au](http://www.sydneysixersgirlsleague.com.au) or click at [www.playcricket.com.au](http://www.playcricket.com.au)

#allgirlscan

TO REGISTER TODAY GO TO [PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU](http://PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU)



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## FUN AND FAST

Buzzing with the energy of Big Bash cricket, Woolworths Cricket Blast teaches kids how to bat, bowl, field and catch over a minimum of six weeks—all while making new friends.



### JUNIOR BLASTERS

AGES 5-7 / 60 MINS

- Learn new skills including catching, throwing and teamwork
- Make new friends or organise a group to learn together
- Wear the colours of your favourite Big Bash heroes in a personalised t-shirt
- All equipment supplied, parents join in the fun

**SIGN UP NOW TO GET YOUR JUNIOR BLASTERS PACK!**  
Includes everything you need to get started, but to get the most of it, include your own cricket bat, ball and protective leg pads.

### MASTER BLASTERS

AGES 7-10 / 90 MINS

- For kids with basic cricket skills
- Every kid gets a chance to bat, bowl and field
- Wear the colours of your favourite Big Bash heroes in your choice of coloured player cap
- Make new friends or organise a group to play together
- All equipment supplied, parents join in the fun

**SIGN UP NOW TO GET YOUR MASTER BLASTERS PACK!**  
Includes everything you need to get started, but to get the most of it, include your own cricket bat, ball and protective leg pads.

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These services and many more can be found at -  
[www.clarence.nsw.gov.au/community-services-directory](http://www.clarence.nsw.gov.au/community-services-directory)

### Bulgarr Ngaru Medical Aboriginal Corporation

Provides health care services to Aboriginal communities.  
[www.bnmac.com.au](http://www.bnmac.com.au)

### Clarence Regional Library Service

Our local libraries have free internet and computer access and a collection of parenting resources and books.  
[www.crl.nsw.gov.au](http://www.crl.nsw.gov.au)

### Community Health

Provides range of health care services to people of all ages.  
[www.nnswlhd.health.nsw.gov.au](http://www.nnswlhd.health.nsw.gov.au)

### Cranes Community Services

An organisation that provides many social services including workshops and programs for all families.  
02 6642 7257

### Family and Community Services

A state government agency that deliver services to individuals families and communities.  
[www.facs.nsw.gov.au](http://www.facs.nsw.gov.au)

### Gurehlgam Aboriginal Healing Centre

An Aboriginal owned and run organisation that aims to improve the life of Aboriginal people and families in Northern NSW.  
02 6642 8677

### headspace

A one stop shop for young people 12-25 who need help with mental health, physical health, alcohol and other drugs.  
02 6642 1520

### Momentum Collective

Providing support to people experiencing homelessness, domestic / family violence or mental health issues  
02 6642 6399

### New School of Arts Neighbourhood House

A resource and information centre with a wide range of family and child services for the whole community.  
02 6640 3800

### Social Futures

Provides support and works to create resilient communities encompassing youth and family relationships, housing and homelessness, disability and inclusion and support after suicide.  
02 6620 1800

### The Buttery

An alcohol and other drugs program that provides treatment and intervention services for young people 12-24 years.  
0402 662 538

### Treelands Drive Community Centre Yamba

Provides free internet access, information and resources for local and regional services and meeting spaces.  
02 6646 1478

## Parenting TOOLBOX

### ARE YOU A PARENT OR CARER?

Developing your parenting skills can help your child thrive.

Information and training is available to help with the important and challenging role of raising children.

### TOOLBOX IS FOR YOU!

#### There are many local services that can help

Positive parenting can help provide a sense of belonging, help with problem solving and establishing a caring relationship with your child. This can be an effective way to improve a range of social and health outcomes.



FREE INFORMATION, WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS ARE PLANNED FOR NOVEMBER 22-30, 2018.

For further information visit your local library or [www.clarence.nsw.gov.au/parentingtoolbox](http://www.clarence.nsw.gov.au/parentingtoolbox) or council Facebook pages @clarencevalleycouncil @clarencevalleyyouth

