

2022
Term 1, Week 6

GILLWINGA GAZETTE

RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE, RESILIENT





UPCOMING EVENTS



T1 Canteen Menu



Wk 5

M	T	W	Th	F
HOT DOGS	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 6	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk 6

M	T	W	Th	F
NACHOS	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 7	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk 7

M	T	W	Th	F
SAUSAGE SANDWICH	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 8	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk 8

M	T	W	Th	F
CHICKEN FINGERS	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 9	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk 9

M	T	W	Th	F
PIZZA	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 10	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk 10

M	T	W	Th	F
CHICKEN FINGERS	NORMAL CANTEEN		ORDERS DUE FOR WK 11	NORMAL CANTEEN

Wk11

M	T	W	Th	F
HOT DOGS	NORMAL CANTEEN			<u>No Canteen</u>



UPCOMING EVENTS

TERM 1 WEEK 7

MONDAY
6TH MAR

- Health Nurse
Checks

TUESDAY
7TH MAR

WEDNESDAY
8TH MAR

- Health Nurse
Checks

THURSDAY
9TH MAR

- K-2
Responsible
Pet Program

FRIDAY
10TH MAR

- P&C Meeting
2pm

TERM 1 WEEK 8

MONDAY
13TH MAR

TUESDAY
14TH MAR

- AMS Dental
Checks

WEDNESDAY
15TH MAR

- Yrs 3 + 5
Naplan

THURSDAY
16TH MAR

- Yrs 3 + 5
Naplan

FRIDAY
17TH MAR

- Yrs 3 + 5
Naplan

PRINCIPALS ADDRESS

By Carly Woods

Hi families welcome to the back end of term 1.

A few important notices

Naplan

NAPLAN is a national literacy and numeracy assessment that students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 sit each year. It is the only national assessment all Australian students have the opportunity to undertake. The NAPLAN test window starts on Wednesday 15 March and finishes on Monday 27 March 2023. Information brochures have been sent home to all year 3 and 5 families. Our year 3 and 5 students have been practicing during school to ensure they understand how to work under test conditions.

Student attendance

Student Attendance continues to be a focus our aim is to have 85% of students attending 90% or more of the time. So far this year we have 53% of students attending school 90% or more of the time. Please make sure your child attends school every day they can. Missing a day here or there may not seem like much, but absences add up and can impact your child's learning more than you think. Late arrivals and early departures are also an impact on your child's learning. When your child misses one day a week over a year, that's 40 days of school, 8 weeks of lessons and 2.5 years over their school life lost.

Unexplained absences are marked as unjustified . Please call or return the explained absence slip to your teacher upon return to school to explain your child's absence . If you are absent for three days or more you are required to have a medical certificate to justify the reason for absence.

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Interruptions during learning time

This year we have placed a focus on targeting student growth in literacy and numeracy through a whole school commitment to stage target groups. For this to impact your child's learning growth they need to be part of them. Please consider keeping interruptions at a minimum or during the break times with appointments being made outside school hours where possible.

Help needed

Our P&C AGM will be held in the coming weeks and we are in desperate need for parent and community members to support and join the P and C. The school P&C meet once a term and use this time to coordinate special occasions, events to raise funds that support activities such as camps, cultural groups, uniforms, resources to improve student learning opportunities at school. Please come along and support our P&C.

PLP's

Thank you to the parents and agencies who met with their child's teacher and our learning and support team to consult on student goals this term. PLPs are a collaborative approach to support your child's learning goals at school. We appreciate the communication and parent/carer input.



ATTENDANCE

The Importance of arriving on time

Arriving at school and class on time:

- Ensures that students do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day
- Helps students learn the importance of punctuality and routine
- Give students time to greet their friends before class
- Reduces classroom disruption

Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

DUNGEEIR

Wk 4 Winners - 5/6W



Notice Board



Registrations are now Open for the Yuraygir United Football Club -2023 Season

It's that time of year again, and our little club is keen to get the season started and ready for all to enjoy. As online registrations are the only way to go, we encourage all players to jump online and register as soon as possible so we can organise teams and uniforms etc.

Once again, the \$100 Service NSW Active Kids Voucher will be available to greatly subsidise the cost of registration. Claiming your voucher is easy, just jump on www.service.nsw.gov.au register for an account (if you haven't already done so), and follow the prompts to the active kids voucher. You can then claim the voucher when registering to play.

Head to www.playfootball.com.au and follow the prompts:

- New Players: Select "New to Football", Select "Age Group", Select "Start my Registration", then follow the prompts.
- Existing players from last year will have an account already. Select "Re-Registering to Play this Season", type "Yuraygir United Football Club" into the search bar, then select "Get Started".

For assistance, please call the Play Football registration helpline on 02 8880 7983, ask the Yuraygir United Football Club Facebook page or email yufcclub@gmail.com

Save
the
Date



FOR THE 100th ANNIVERSARY
OF GRAFTON GIRL GUIDES

on

SATURDAY, 17th OF FEBRUARY 2024

IN GRAFTON, NSW

formal invite to follow

Tuesdays 3:30-5pm
Connect Church Hall
Wharf St, South
Grafton

Miracles of Jesus
Jesus calms the storm
Connect Kids Special Week
7th March, 2023

Free ~ Fun ~ Games
~ Bible ~ Craft
For kids in K-6

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