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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

LEST WE FORGET

Last Friday, the school assembled in front of our developing memorial area to pay our respect on the Centenary of the Armistice to those who served.

Yesterday, students from Goulburn West supported the dedication of the Park Road Memorial in Carr Confoy Park, which recognises those who served the Eastgrove Area.

Thank you to the families, teachers and students who were able to support such a significant occasion.



CAPTAINS 2019

Today I will meet with Year 5 to speak to those students interested in applying for the role of School Captain in 2019. Applications will close this coming Friday, 16th November and speeches will be next Monday here at school in the hall at 12:20. Speeches may be thought about at home, and then written at school next Monday morning. We do this so it is fair for everyone, no matter the level of support possible at home. Interested students will need to get a form signed by a parent or carer. They will get those today. Very best wishes everyone.

This year's captains are a fine example of the commitment and respectful behaviour needed for any student leadership position in our school. They continue to do a wonderful job.

Other opportunities such as Student Mentor, SRC Executive, Library Monitor and House Captain will be decided early in the new year.

Annette Broadbent Principal

CALENDAR



Open Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Lunches will be ready for 11:30am.
Without the amazing support of the school community we would be unable to offer this service to the students.
Thank you to all of our volunteers.

Tuesday 13 Nov 9am-12.15pm Kellie Schmidt Thursday 15 Nov 9am-12.15pm Hayley Muller Martin Yeadon

Recess Merridy Shirley **Recess** Rebecca Gerstner

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

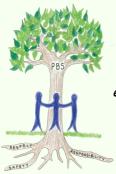
PLEASE CONTACT KIM SHIRLEY
0437 033 765

CareMonkey

If anyone would like assistance with CareMonkey, please contact the office on 4821 1781

ALL STUDENTS WHO ARE
NOT ON AN EARLY BUS
MUST NOT BE AT SCHOOL
BEFORE 8:50AM.

OOSH IS AVAILABLE FOR BEFORE SCHOOL CARE 0498 963 192



PBL News

encouraging and strengthening student awareness of school-wide expectations

Congratulations to our students named below who have each won canteen vouchers.

Well done everyone!



Kurt, Noah, Morgan, Alyssa

Our focus this week is

'Treat others with kindness'

Good luck everyone!



GWPS LEARNING CLUB

TUESDAYS 3:20 - 4:15PM

Applications open for 2018

Free homework assistance and support provided along with afternoon tea for students at the School Library.

For registration information for **2018** please contact **Jeremy** from The Smith Family on 0438491964 or

jeremy.sharpe@thesmithfamily.com.au

Learning Club runs week 2–9 every school term.



Year 5 & Year 6 Camp Payment

All Year 5 and Year 6 camp balances are **NOW** due

Thank you



PASSPORT TO SUCCESS

For those students who received a permission note for Passport to Success: Preparing students for a successful move to high school.

These permission notes are now due, please return as soon as possible.

Thank you

REMEMBRANCE DAY













Kelly the Koala- our caped crusader on the war on waste











Last week Mae, Chloe, Miriam and Ella from Year 6, were given the opportunity to showcase Kelly Koala, our caped crusader on the war on waste. Kelly represents all the dedication and hard work ALL the members of the gardening club and the environmental committee have put into creating change in 2018. The girls presented Kelly to the local land council, Art 4 Agriculture and even 2012's Archibald Prize winning artist, Cherry Hood.

They spoke so passionately about the importance of creating a sustainable future.

Their knowledge, understanding and motivation to change the way we think, was inspiring.

Movie Night

K-2 kids and their families had great fun watching SING, eating PIZZA and POPCORN in their PYJAMAS at last Thursday's movie night in the school hall.

A big thank you to everyone who came along and for the great spirit of the night. It really was a lovely night!

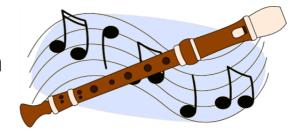
An especially big thank you to the many people who also pitched in to help during the night with serving food and cleaning up the hall at the end of the night. We really appreciate your time and efforts!

We raised \$175 for the P and C on the night.

What should we watch at the next movie night?



Year 2/3 Recorder Excursion



Year 2/3 Recorder students will be attending the Wollondilly Recorder Day tomorrow. The bus will leave at 9.30 am and return before the end of school. There will be lots of fun activities and new songs to learn. Students should make sure they have their recorders and their usual lunch and water. Weather permitting there will be outside play, so students should ensure that they have their hats. For parents who are able to attend, there will be a short concert of the items that we have worked on in the hall at Wollondilly PS at 1.30pm.

Geoff Stewart-Richardson



Year 3 student Bailey Thorpe is making a name for himself – not only in Australia but around the world as a train photographer.

As a three year old he wrestled his grandfather author/photographer Leon Oberg's Nikon DSLR out of his hands to photograph a train, and has not looked back.

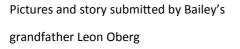
Over time, his work, taken while using one of his grandfather's spare DSLRs, has appeared in the rail-way magazine press, not only in this country, but in the globally circulating UK e-magazine, the *Railway Herald*! And now he has one of his magnificent images appearing in the prestige Bartel 2019 'Great Trains of Australia' calendar, one he took when aged 8.

Not only that, one of his photographs appeared on the cover of a recent glossy Australasian rail industry publication, Track and Signal Magazine.

"A friend and I were chasing a special rail movement to Yass one afternoon and we did not have the heart to leave Bailey behind," Leon told Westnews.

"At several locations when all three of us fired our cameras as the train stormed towards us, Bailey's results were exact clones of mine and my friend's so I submitted the 'little master's' photograph taken near Oolong in southern New South Wales, to illustrate a locomotive story I was writing for the magazine," he added.





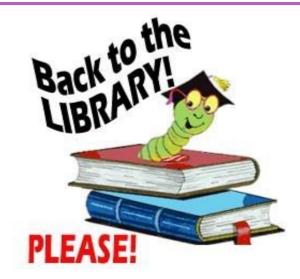




Library News

Library borrowing will cease at the end of week 6 (Thursday 22 November).

Please ensure all books are returned by the end of the school year.



eBooks in the Library

Want your child to keep reading throughout the holidays?

Goulburn West has an e-book collection that can help with that! This electronic service means that students can borrow books from anywhere at any time from any device.

With 30,000 books available from 500 New Zealand and Australian publishers (in addition to 270,000 international titles), there is a book for every student of every age.

To download eBooks from home follow three simple steps:

Search for and download the ePlatform by Wheelers app from the app store

Find the Goulburn West library and login using your DET student ID

Browse and borrow an eBook on your device

To make it easier for students, the eBooks have also been uploaded into the Goulburn West 'OLIVER' library catalogue. Students can simply go to their student portal, click on the 'OLIVER' library icon at the top of the screen and borrow eBooks directly from our library.

The eBooks are distinguishable by the tablet/iPad icon beside them in the catalogue list. The books will automatically be returned after two weeks. Students can borrow books again as long as they are still on the virtual shelf and have not been borrowed by someone else (just like in a physical library).

Primary school books have been selected for our school. Year levels, suggested age groups or descriptive blurbs



Let's celebrate Strength in Disability

Calling all artists and writers in Years 5 and 6



If you would like more information please contact: Belinda Williams 0429 082 336

Southern NSW Local Area coordinator on behalfof the National Disability Insurance Scheme

Be inspired by strength in disability and enter our art and writing competition.

Great prizes on offer:

- The winners of the 'Art' and 'Writing' categories will each experience Taronga Zoo's Roar and Snore sleepover (for a family of four).
- The top 25 entries will score a feature spot in an inclusion-themed coffee table book, and win a \$50 iTunes voucher.
- The first 500 entrants will win an 'Everyone's thirsty for inclusion' drink bottle.

Visit uniting.org/strength-in-disability to get involved!







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Goulburn West will be running a Pokemon club for students.

The club is for students interested in playing the Pokemon card game. There will be mentors for those new to the game.

They will meet during recess time, once or twice a week.

NO cards are to be brought in from home.

Due to some very generous donations from our Goulburn West families, the school has several decks of cards that the club will play with.

If you have any questions about the club please contact Mrs Gooch.

The Smith Family Scholarship

If you

- Have a Health Care Card or Parent Pension Card
- □ Value your child's education and they are in Years K 6
- Have a child with good attendance (90% or more)

Then your child may be eligible.

Benefits include:

- Money for School Things.
 Uniforms and shoes, text books, course materials, excursions.
- ☐ Education Support for children and their families.

The Smith

Programs to help with children's reading and numeracy.

Speak to: Robyn at The Smith Family or call 48212833 or contact the Principal

everyone's family

www.thesmithfamily.com.au





SHOE LACE TYING LESSONS

Footwear works closely with the Podiatry community and The Athlete's Foot to ensure they are meeting the needs of Australian school kids feet. Part of this commitment is educating students about a range of foot health issues from learning how to tie shoe laces to basic foot biomechanics. The lessons are totally free and the kids take home their own lace tying certificate and 9 step guide so they can keep practising at home







Exclusive offer to
ZERO & REWARDS CARD HOLDERS



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SCHOOL



SUSTAIN

INSTORE & ONLINE - THURSDAY 15TH NOVEMBER

* Excludes gift cards & all suit packages. Cannot be combined with other offers or discounts. Floor stock only.

Styles and colours may vary from store to store.

No ratn checks. Please choose carefully, exchanges and refunds only with docket. Includes existing 5% discount.

Offer ends midnight (AEDT) 15/11/18. Must use Zero or Rewards card to receive discount.



December 2018. Your kids will get a Blasters kit that will consist of a Shirt, Bucket Hat, Bat, Ball and

more... We will also be running a Free weekly BBQ for all involved

JOIN THE FUN AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE REGISTER AT PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU



All Girls After School Auskick

Girls aged 5-12

Wednesdays - 14/11 - 5/12

North Park - 3:30pm - 4:30pm

\$46pp includes Auskick pack

stephen.camp@afl.com.au

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OFFICIAL KIDS



Respect Responsibility Safety

Violin lessons at Goulburn West Public School

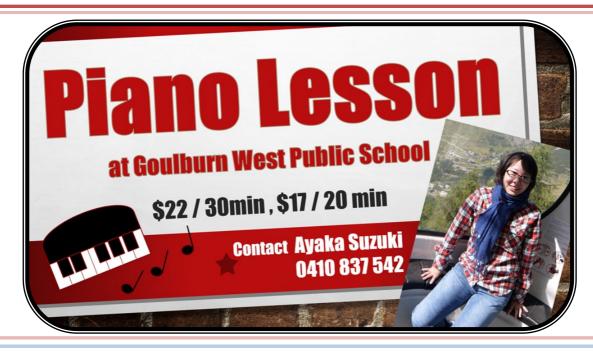


In 2018, Geoff Stewart-Richardson will be continuing the strings programme at Goulburn West Public School. Geoff is an experienced string teacher.

Students will be able to learn violin, viola and cello in either group or individual lessons.

Not only will students be able to learn the violin or cello (or viola), they will be able to learn music in a wide variety of styles - including contemporary music, classical, folk jazz and even rock!

If you are interested in starting one of these instruments or would like more information, please get in touch with Geoff on 0468 326 912.



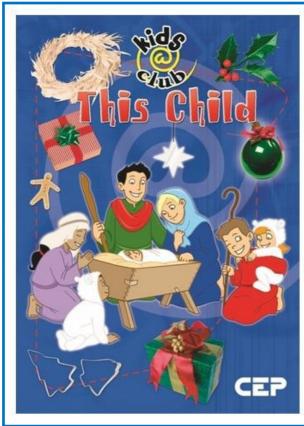
THE MUSIC BUS IS NOW TAKING NEW STUDENT ENROLMENTS



The program is open for all students from Kindy/Prep to 6. Running weekdays at school. The Music Bus have limited availability in Singing, Keyboard, Guitar, Drum and Ukulele and so it is advised to enrol asap.

The Music Bus is a wonderful music program that many of our students are already enjoying – a brilliant and cost-effective way for students to get fun and specialist music lessons without parents having to travel all over the area after school. Cost of lessons is only \$16 per week (Drums \$18).

If you're interested in your child having music lessons through The Music Bus, check out their website at www.themusicbus.com.au or call 1300 168 742





Term 4, Week 2 to Week 9 24th October to 12th December Wednesdays 3.30 – 5.00pm \$2 per child per week

Ages 4 and up, parent helpers welcome

Includes Afternoon tea Story, Preparation for our Christmas mini musical 'This Child' Christ Church West Goulburn Hall, 130 Addison Street, Goulburn

Join us 12th December for our Christmas mini musical 'This Child'

3D Kids Coordinator Rev. Sally Cullen 0428 238 023 littlesheepgoulburn@yahoo.com

3D Kids is an activity of Christ Church West Goulburn All staff have safe ministry training and current WWCC

Kids on Keyboards

Music Keyboard lessons for children Year 2 to 10.



\$13 per week. 45 minute group lesson.

Price includes music book and CD.

Keith Binns 14 May St Goulburn NSW 2580 48219248

Contact Keith Binns on 4821 9248 or go to www.keyboardgoulburn.com.au

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