



Girilambone Newsletter

— Term 2 Week 8 —



IMPORTANT DATES

**20TH JUNE
TUESDAY**

Cobar Netball Comp

**30TH JUNE
FRIDAY**

Last Day of Term 2
Warren Netball Gala Day

**17TH JULY
MONDAY**

Term 3 Staff
Development Day

**18TH JULY
TUESDAY**

Term 3 commences
for students

**28TH JULY
FRIDAY**

Small Schools Athletics
Carnival

Principal's Report

Hello everyone

Welcome to Week 8 of Term 2, I cannot believe how fast the term has gone.....and what a busy term it has been.

Firstly you will note we are trying a new format for our newsletter; trying to make it more user friendly, aesthetically pleasing and easier to make printed copies. We hope you like it, and welcome any feedback you have. A big thanks to Tammy for the work you have done around this.

A big congratulations to those 4 students, Beccy, Sophia, Charlie and George who went on to Narromine to compete in the CWA Public Speaking Competition. This was a great experience for them and they each performed very well.

Big thank you to Margot and Tom who not only supplied us with our chook shed but also bought us some lovely residents, 4 Blue Pekin hens and a rooster. These have settled in nicely and spend much of their day foraging around in the orchard before devouring any food scraps from lunches.

Congratulations to all the students who entered their work into the Nyngan Show. There was some great artwork on display and how good did the Small Schools display look!!



CWA Public Speaking

Just a reminder to all to update the Skoolbag App it is now called Audiri, so if you don't already have it please go on to either Google Play Store, or the App Store and download Audiri. If you have had skoolbag app then you will just need to ensure that it gets updated and it will automatically change to Audiri. That way you won't miss out on any notifications or information sent out.

We have also been updating the events section of the Audiri app with any upcoming school events which gives you the easy option to add the event to your own personal mobile calendar.

Next Tuesday the Primary students will be travelling to Cobar to compete in the Cobar Netball Comp with the Hermidale students. Travel will be by bus at a cost of \$5 per child. Children will either need to bring packed lunch and recess or money to purchase food on the day. Departure times will be on the upcoming permission note on the app.

On the last day of the term some of the primary students will be travelling to Warren to compete in the Ridley Trudgett Netball Gala Day. More information to come in the near future.

That is all from me so until next time stay happy and well.

Angela Lewis

Principal

Girilambone Public School.

Nyngbar District Cross Country

We had 6 students qualify for the 2023 Nyngbar District Cross Country held in Hermidale on Friday the 19th of May. McKinlay Dedman, Ella Morison, Patrick Fanning, Charlie Gibson, Beccy Fanning and Douglas Dedman all showed great strength and determination on the day with some pleasing results.

A big congratulations to McKinlay Dedman placing 1st in 12yr girls 3km, Ella Morison placing 2nd in 11yr girls 3km and Beccy Fanning placing 2nd in 8yr girls 2km. These girls are in Orange today to brave the elements and compete in the Western Regional Cross Country. We wish you all the best! Good luck Girls!!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

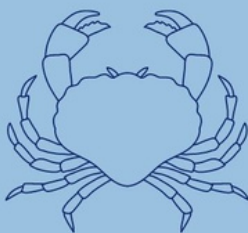


Jed Elder

Famous June Birthdays: Nicole Kidman (Actress); Ned Kelly (Bushranger); Steve Smith (Aus. Cricketer) Lara Worthington (Model); Ahn Do (Author, Comedian); Marilyn Monroe (Actress, Model, Singer); Mark Wahlberg (Actor); Alanis Morissette (Singer); Johnny Depp (Actor); Meryl Streep (Actress); Angelina Jolie (Actress)

Happy Birthday to anyone else in the community celebrating their birthday in June!

CANCER



(June 21 - July 22)

Emotional, intuitive, and practically psychic; ruled by the moon. May seem standoffish

SHEEP WANTED

Girilambone Public are kindly asking for any donations of sheep or perhaps goats to add to our ag plot area in developing our school's agricultural project of Paddock to Plate.

If you are able to assist, please contact the school on 6833 1039.



*The more that you read, the more things you will know.
The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.*
-Dr Seuss





GOLD COAST

Excursion

2023 Excursion

I am pleased to announce that in Term 3 we will be combining with the staff and students from Pilliga and Gwabegar Public Schools for our major excursion to the Gold Coast.

Dates : Mon 4th - Sat 9th of September

I haven't finalised the itinerary as yet but can confirm a few of the activities that we will be doing:

- Sea World
- iFly (indoor sky diving facility)
- Surfing and body board lessons
- Outback Spectacular performance and behind the scenes tour.

The final costing hasn't been determined however I would suggest you budget for between \$150 and \$200 per child for the 6 days.

You can pay in full, prior to the excursion or pay installments, however is most convenient. We will ensure that nobody misses out due to financial hardship.

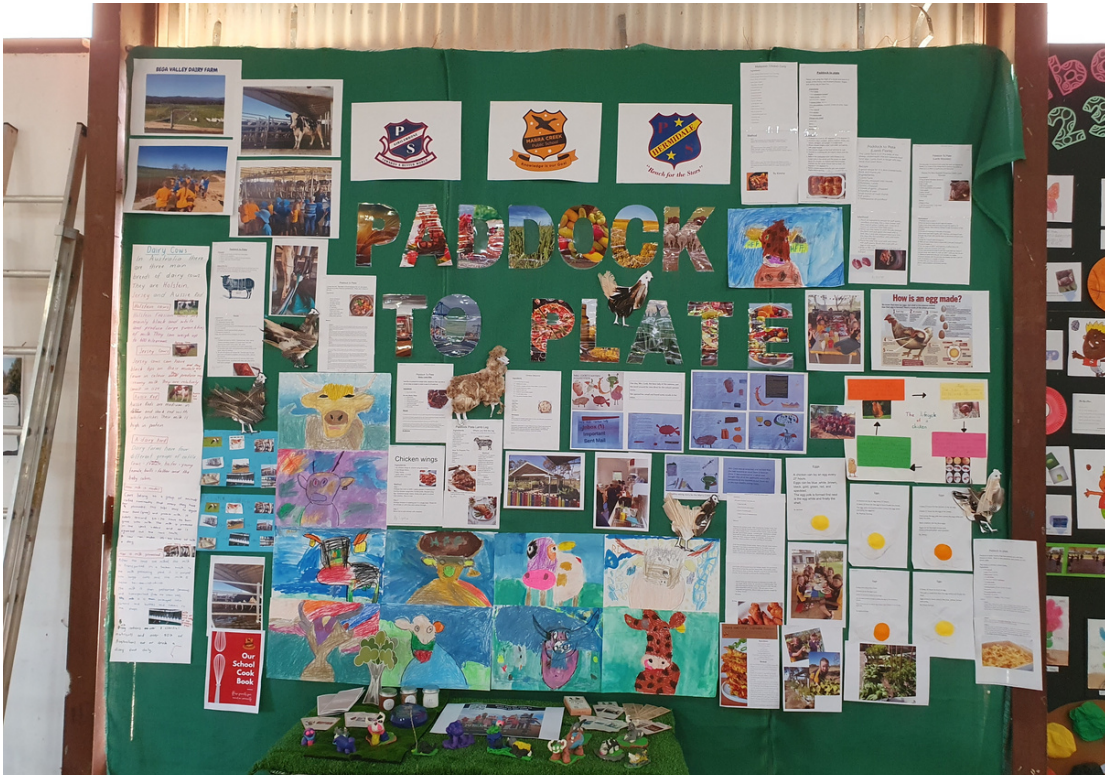


SEPTEMBER 4-9, 2023





GIRILAMBONE GALLERY



Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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Minutes lost = days lost per year

A couple of minutes here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss days per year

5 mins
per day



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3 days

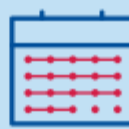


30 mins
per day



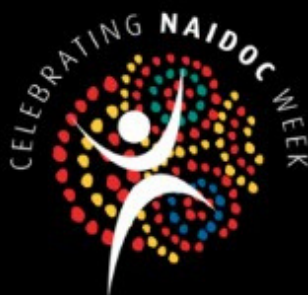
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18 days



Patterns of lateness
can have a serious
impact on your child's
education.

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FOR OUR ELDERS

2-9 JULY 2023



Communities
& Justice



**WE NEED
YOUR
HELP!**

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN A CHILD'S LIFE.

We're looking for people who can provide emergency care, short-term care, care for siblings, or care for children with a disability.

You can be a couple, single or a family, rent or own your home. Carers receive specialist training, financial assistance and support.

Do you have room in your heart and home for a child?

Email WesternNSWcarerenquires@facs.nsw.gov.au directly or visit www.facs.nsw.gov.au/families/carers and click on 'enquire about fostering' to learn more.



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THE GIRI KIDS

ft. 17 Awesome Local Artists &
Josh Arnold

Scan the QR Code to listen to
our song.



Girilambone Public School is a small rural school situated 45kms from Nyngan. Girilambone Public School provides students with quality educational programs delivered by highly qualified, dedicated teachers and support staff. Our students are disciplined learners. Our dedicated staff implement quality education programs that give every student the opportunity to reach their potential. Our small size makes for a great school spirit and pride amongst students, families and teachers. The peaceful rural setting is an ideal learning environment. With a strong academic focus, our children enjoy unique opportunities that challenge and extend their learning across an extensive curriculum. We offer flexible programs tailored to the individual learning styles and needs of all students.

We are well-resourced and provide students with access to the latest technologies. A modern computer room, interactive whiteboard and innovative software ensure the best start for every child. Our well-maintained and attractive grounds complement our excellent learning facilities. Our school encourages students, parents, staff and the wider community to work together as a team to enhance learning experiences.