Jerilderie Public School



Principal's Report

Welcome to Week 2! On Friday we submitted our entry for the Picasso Cows Program. The design had to showcase our learning in our inquiry theme, *Health and Nutrition*. Through this module, students learnt about the importance of healthy eating from the five food groups and information on the types of foods which provide rich sources of nutrients for their growth and development. It also covered the importance of building and maintaining strong, healthy bones during childhood and throughout life. Our entry will be judged by a panel and the school with the best cow design will be awarded a prize of \$1,000 cash! Years 3-6 students demonstrated great team work throughout the program.

Best wishes to Logan Eldridge and Chelsea Winn who will be competing in the Zone Finals of the Lions Public Speaking this Sunday, 4th August at Finley. Miss Jeffs and I look forward to being in the audience on the afternoon.

Plans for our 150th Birthday celebration continue. All students and their families are asked to join us on Sunday 22nd September for the commemorations. Please mark the date on your calendar. The P&C will be holding a working bee in the Community Garden next Sunday 11th August from 10am – 12pm. Please come along and lend a hand. Bring your shovels, rakes and gardening gloves. Many hands make light work!

Have a wonderful week! Nyree Taylor Principal







Upcoming Events

Week 2 – July/August

- Mon 29 Ukulele
- Tue 30School Counsellor visiting postponed
- Wed 31 Zone Athletics Carnival (Finley)
- Thu 1 Part 2 Science and Technology Syllabus PL 4:30 – 7:30pm (Berrigan PS)
- Fri 2 Assembly 9:10am Scripture

Sporting Schools begins

Sun 4 Zone Finals of Lions Public Speaking (Finley)

Week 3 – August Education Week

- Mon 5 Ukulele
- Tue 6 Plains Wanderer Expo Day (Finley HS) P&C Meeting 7pm
- Thu 8 Alpha Show (Oaklands CS)
- Fri 9 Assembly 9:10am Scripture Sporting Schools begins
- Sun 11 P&C Working Bee 10am



Please complete the following notes:

- Plains Wanderer Project Expo Day Parent Invitation RSVP
 - Musica Viva Performance
 - Alpha Show 'Cinderella'

This Week's Events (Week 2) Zone Athletics Carnival

Finley Public School will host the 2019 Zone Athletics Carnival at the Finley Football Grounds tomorrow, Wednesday 31st August. We now have a squad of 10 students competing on the day. Best wishes to Teagan, Jacinta, Danielle, Zara, Logan, Tiana, Montana, Josie, Chelsea and Dan. Miss Jeffs will be accompanying students to this zone sports event.

Science and Technology Syllabus PL

Our teachers will be participating in Part 2 of 'Implementing the Science and Technology Syllabus' this Thursday 1st August from 4:30 – 7:30pm. This workshop is being held at Berrigan Public School and is designed to support teachers with implementation of the current Science and Technology Syllabus. This professional learning will be in lieu of the Term 4 School Development Day.



Sporting Schools

Our Term 3 Sporting Schools program commences this Friday. Adam Gatcum from *Skillzone* will be conducting two soccer sessions with students in the afternoon. This program is being funded by the Australian Government's Sporting Schools initiative.







Student Profile

Name: Tiana

Age: 10 Favourite food: Mango Favourite drink: Water Favourite Colour: Purple Favourite TV Show: Lego Masters Favourite Movie: Lion King Favourite Holiday Destination: Sydney Favourite thing to do: Playing netball Favourite Subject: Art When I finish school I would like to: Be a singer

Three famous people you would like to have dinner with? Ed Sheeran, Ariana Grande and Justin Bieber.



Next Week's Events (Week 2) Education Week

Next week, we celebrate Education Week. Education Week is a state-wide annual event, held during the first week of August to celebrate NSW Public Education. This year's theme is *Every Student, Every Voice*. We invite parents and community members to join us for a special assembly on Friday 9th August at 9:10am to showcase student learning and achievement. We will also have a special award presentation.

Plains Wanderer Expo Day

Years 3-6 students from Jerilderie and Blighty will be showcasing their Plains Wanderer projects at a special Expo Day next Tuesday 6th August 2019 at Finley High School Hall. We invite parents to join us on the day. Please RSVP by 9am tomorrow morning by completing the request on CareMonkey.



Alpha Show 'Cinderella'

K-6 students are off to Oaklands CS on Thursday 8th August for the Alpha Show 'Cinderella'. 'Alpha's Cinderella is probably the show with the chance for the audience to interact the most! More songs, kids on stage and three villains! Children are ready to protest the injustice served up to Cinderella by her stepsisters and the Evil Stepmother, as this is often the most relevant to how a child can feel. Cinderella as a result sometimes feels like she's not good enough, so the Fairy Godmother helps her by taking her and the audience on a beautifully guided journey called an 'emotional flood', that can invigorate all the love and joy you need in any moment. The Prince himself is not perfect and gets help to overcome his fears of dancing!'









Taronga Western Plains Zoo and the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage invites

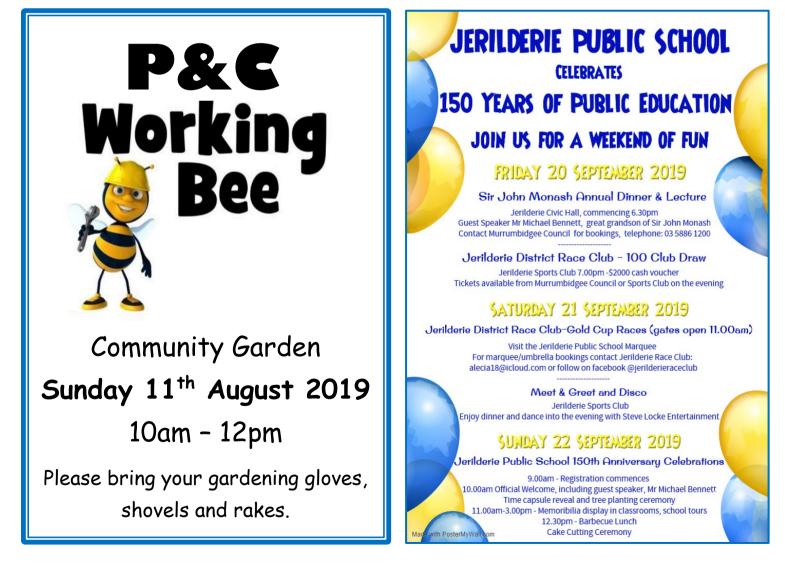
Office of Environment & Heritage

Years 3-6 Parents of Jerilderie PS to attend the Project Plains-wanderer Expo Day 2019

Tuesday 6th August, 2019 at Finley High School

10:10 -10:50am	Student Expo Showcase School Hall	This day of celebration allows students to showcase their community awareness
10:50-11:10am	Light refreshments	conservation campaigns designed to protect, support
11:10am-12:20pm	Presentation Ceremony including student project presentations	and educate others about the Plains-wanderer.

Please RSVP by phone to the Office (5886 1331) by 4pm 1/08/2019





Term 3, Week 1 in Review

Assembly

Principal's Awards

 Teagan, Montana and Cheyenne – 100% attendance during Term 2. Well done girls! This award is presented in recognition of the importance of attendance on school success.



Merit Awards

- Caleb P Improved attitude towards all learning tasks.
- Logan B Improved attitude towards all learning tasks.
- Rylee Coming up with wonderful, inquisitive questions during our literacy lessons.
- Eliza Coming up with wonderful, inquisitive questions during our literacy lessons.



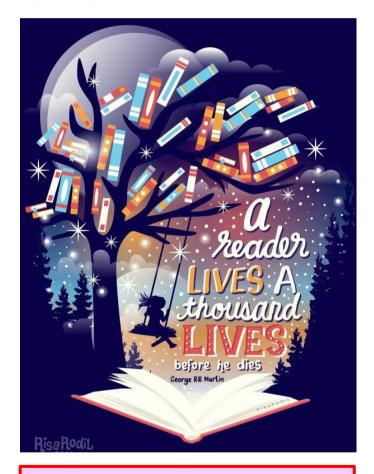
Upcoming Events Book Week Celebrations (Week 5)

We are excited to announce the theme and dates for Book Week 2019! **Theme:** Reading is My Secret Power

Dates: 17th – 23rd August 2019

Book Fair & Character Parade: Friday 23rd August





Newsletter Advertisements

Any parents or community groups wishing to place an advertisement in the JPS Newsletter are asked to email it to the office

(jerilderie-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

by 3pm Fridays. Any advertisements received after this deadline will go into the next newsletter.



Classifieds



Reducation & Communities

VERY DAY COUNTS

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just	that equals	which is	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is	This means that the best your child can achieve is
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ a years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!







Sir John Monash Education Bursary

Applications are invited for the Sir John Monash Education Bursary. Applicants are invited to submit an essay **Reflecting on the Principles Demonstrated by Sir John Monash.**

Entry in this essay is open to long term residents of Murrumbidgee Council who are considering entering into post secondary education through University, College or TAFE, or an approved course of formal training with a Registered Training Organisation, ie apprentices, trainees, adult education. Entries close at 4.00pm on Wednesday 11 September 2019.

The bursary is valued at \$2,000 and is awarded to assist with personal costs associated with course expenses. The successful applicant will be announced at the Sir John Monash Dinner and Lecture to be held on Friday evening 20 September, 2019, in the Civic Hall, Jerilderie.

Full requirements and conditions, including cover sheet, are available to download from Council's website <u>www.murrumbidgee.nsw.gov.au</u>

P O Box 96 JERILDERIE NSW 2716 John Scarce GENERAL MANAGER

Jerilderie Cricket Club Annual General Meeting Wednesday 31st July 2019 7:30pm Colony Inn



Thank you to all of the parents and community members who collect shopper dockets on our behalf.

Please hand in your June and July dockets to the office by this Friday.





A Peep into the Past of the Jerilderie Public School

In a Newsletter item printed last year, readers were reminded of how co-operation between the school, the community, and the local Council, led to the provision of the town's swimming pool. In an earlier life this very Newsletter was also used as a means to fulfilling a need once perceived as lacking within the community.

The History of JPS to be released by the P&C Committee at the school's 150th celebrations to be held on Sunday 22 September, outlines how school magazines of the past interacted with commercial newspapers.

The first attempt at producing a school magazine occurred in 1918 when the local paper, the *Jerilderie Herald* and Urana Advertiser, in their issue of 31 October 1918 published the following news item.

Public School Magazine - We received a copy of the Jerilderie Public School Monthly Magazine for October. It is a very well got up and interesting periodical which we understand is only circulated amongst the pupils. Its frontpiece has the patriotic flags, - the Union Jack and Australian Flags. In the centre is a copy of the Roll of Honor Board now placed in the main school building, and on which is neatly inscribed the names of all the expupils of the school who have enlisted. The inner pages contain a lot of local interesting matter relating to the old and present pupils at the school

While teachers with different priorities or views to reporting on school activities come and go, it is probably more to the point though, that because the local paper is more in need of news to fill their columns than perhaps regional papers are, they would foster a more closer co-operation between the Head Teacher and the paper's Editor, to ensure school news items got published.

It was not until the commencement of the 1967 school year that a regular school magazine was reintroduced, called *Durran Durra*. With the departure of Headmaster Don Downward at the end of the 1968 school year the *Durran Durra* also disappeared from community life. But then in September 1972 the *Jerilderie-Coleambally News* ceased production, having distributed news within the town and community of Jerilderie since January 1969, when the *Murrumbidgee Irrigator* of Leeton took over the old *Jerilderie Herald and Urana Advertiser*, who in turn, had faithfully served the Jerilderie district since 1883.

The Jerilderie community then turned to the *Southern Riverina News*, a district newspaper based in Finley since 1970, and serving the areas previously covered by the *Berrigan Advocate* (established in 1892), *Tocumwal Guardian* (est. 1908), and the *Finley Mail* (est. 1912).

Prior to 1970 the *Advocate*, the *Guardian*, and the *Mail*, had in 1963 merged to form the Murray Valley newspapers, who continued to publish the newspapers individually, but from a central location.

In 1988 the *SRN* was purchased by the McPherson Newspaper group, of Shepparton, who had embarked on a course of acquiring a number of rural newspapers under their banner.

Of local interest is that the regular correspondent to the *Jerilderie Newscene* now called *Just Jerilderie* - Judy Ryan - has been submitting items of local Jerilderie interest since June 1990.

In response to a perceived need for not only a school magazine, but more broadly, a community-based newspaper made its debut in Jerilderie, in October 1997. Called the *Swagman*, it was produced by the Jerilderie Public School Headmaster, Dennis Burton, acting as Editor, Valerie McCormick, Administrative Assistant at the Public School as Publisher, and Edith (Sadie) Herrick, Teachers' Aide at the local Pre School, acting as the fearless roving reporter. There were some start-up costs associated with producing the *Swagman*, met by donations from the local Apex and Lions Clubs, and the Jerilderie Shire Council.

In March 2000, the fortnightly community magazine and the school magazine separated into different entities and produced by separate organisations – the *Swagman* ceasing production in December 2001.

For a brief period between July 2004 and December 2010, Kate Howard, wife of the Jerilderie Ambulance Station Officer, produced a new community newspaper called the *Jerilderie Journal*, with the school's weekly magazine continuing to be published In-house.

It could be said therefore, that this current Jerilderie Public School Newsletter commenced its life in October 1997, with Judy Ryan reproducing items from time to time in her *Just Jerilderie* column in the *SRN*.

