Jerilderie Public School

Newsletter

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Term 3, Week 4

Principal's Report

Welcome to Week 4. This week is Science Week. National Science Week is an annual celebration of science and technology. It aims to spark students' curiosity in the world we live in and encourage an interest in science pursuits. The schools' theme is *Destination Moon: More Missions, More Science*. Our friends from *Twisted Science* will be visiting JPS on Thursday to conduct workshops with each class.

Last week our school community celebrated Education Week with a number of fun activities. Congratulations to Shaylee Burt and Gwen McLaughlin who each received a special award. We also congratulate Chelsea on gaining her first medallion as part of our award system.

A huge thank you to the band of volunteers that helped at our Working Bee on Sunday morning. So many people all digging, raking, pruning and working together to help spruce up the Community Garden. Special thanks to the *Tidy Towns* members.

We are excited to be reopening our school canteen tomorrow. Canteen will operate each Wednesday for lunch orders only. A Winter Menu is attached to the newsletter for your information. Pizzas are currently out of stock. Children will require a separate order bag each. A reminder to ensure you provide a packed recess. Thank you to Terri who has taken on this role on behalf of the P&C. We must also thank Nicole for ensuring the canteen was cleaned and ready to go.

Have a wonderful week! *Nyree Taylor* Principal

Upcoming Events

Week 4 – August *Science Week*

Mon 12	Ukulele
Tue 13	School Counsellor visiting
Thu 15	Effective Literacy Practices K-2 PL
	Twisted Science visiting
Fri 16	Assembly 9:10am
	Sporting Schools
	No Scripture
	Year 7 Enrolment Forms due to office
	RSVP for Kinder Information Evening

Week 5 – August *Book Week*

Mon 19	No Ukulele
Wed 21	3-6 Robotics
Thu 22	Principals' Network Meeting
Fri 23	Combined Mothers' & Fathers' Day Breakfast 8am
	Book Fair 8:30am
	Assembly/Bk Character Parade 9:10am
	Scripture
	Sporting Schools

CareMonkey

The following notes have been published on CareMonkey.
Please respond before the due date.

- Aspire Me Dance Camp

This Week's Events (Week 4)

School Counsellor Visiting

Our School Counsellor, Julia Shanahan returned to JPS today. Ms Shanahan is available to counsel students, assess students' learning and behaviour, identify impediments to students' learning and liaise with external agencies regarding students' wellbeing.

Effective Literacy Practices PL

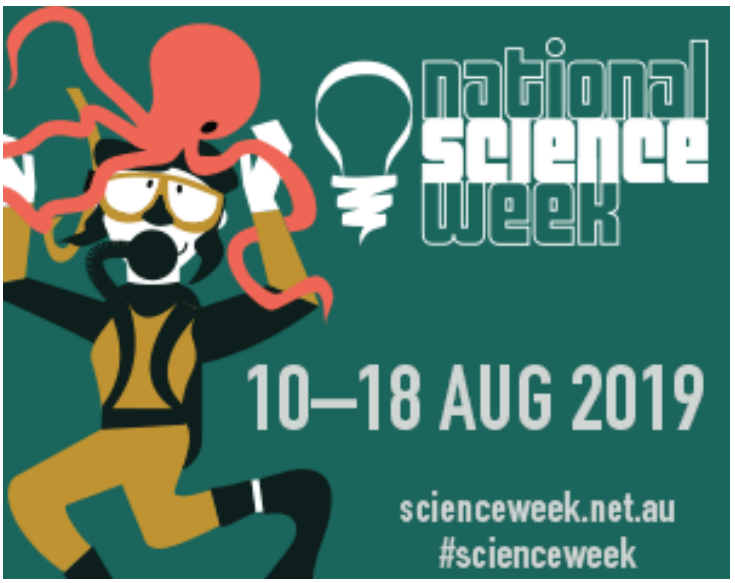
Mrs Cameron will be joining her K-2 colleagues from across the Deniliquin Network at Moulamein Public School this Thursday for a third Effective Literacy Practices workshop. This professional learning is benefiting our students with the implementation of the Lessons in Phonemic Instruction (LIPI) program in the K-2 classroom.

National Science Week

Twisted Science are visiting JPS on Thursday as part of our Science Week celebrations. They will be conducting the following workshops with our classes:

K-2 Mix and Match – Students explore mixtures and make their own observations of a number of cool chemical reactions and create a rainbow of colour. They will learn about indicators and use them to make 'magical' changes.

3-6 Paddle Steamer Science – Students will learn about the workings of a paddle steamer. They will make their own paddle boat to sail and discover how the padde steamers use their whistles.



Student Profile

Name: Josie
Age: 11
Favourite food: Pork Adobo
Favourite drink: Lemonade
Favourite Colour: Purple
Favourite TV Show: Escape the Night
Favourite Movie: Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince
Favourite Holiday Destination: Sugarloaf Pt
Favourite thing to do: Play Overwatch
Favourite Subject: History/Geography
When I finish school I would like to: Become a zoo keeper and write about my experiences.
Three famous people you would like to have dinner with? Dave Cameron, Sofia Carson and Cameron Boyce.

School Hours

8:40am- 9:10am- Playground supervision starts
9:10am - Morning session
11:10-11:30am - Recess
11:30-1:00pm - Middle session
1:00-1:50pm - Lunch
1:50-3:10pm - Afternoon session

Next Week's Events (Week 5)

Mothers' & Fathers' Day Breakfast

Friday 23rd August 2019
8am

Join us as we celebrate

Book Week 2019

Friday 23rd August 2019

Book Fair 8:30am
Book Character Parade 9:10am

Week 3 in Review – Stewart House

Montana left at 7:30am on Monday morning on an excursion to Stewart House. We are thinking of her as she enjoys her Sydney adventure.

Riverina Girls Cricket Trials

Last Monday 5th August, Chelsea and Katelyn participated in the Riverina Girls Cricket Trials in Wagga. Approximately 30 girls were vying for a place in the team. Whilst the girls did not make the final 12, they had a great time and learnt some valuable skills which will hold them in good stead for the upcoming cricket season.

NSW PSSA Netball Knockout

Round 5 of the NSW PSSA Netball Knockout was held in Deniliquin on Wednesday 7th August. The JeriBerriOs played a great game against Deniliquin North PS winning by 22 points – 28 to 6. Their next game is against Deniliquin South PS. Good luck girls! Thank you Tiffany for umpiring on the day.

Alpha Show Cinderella

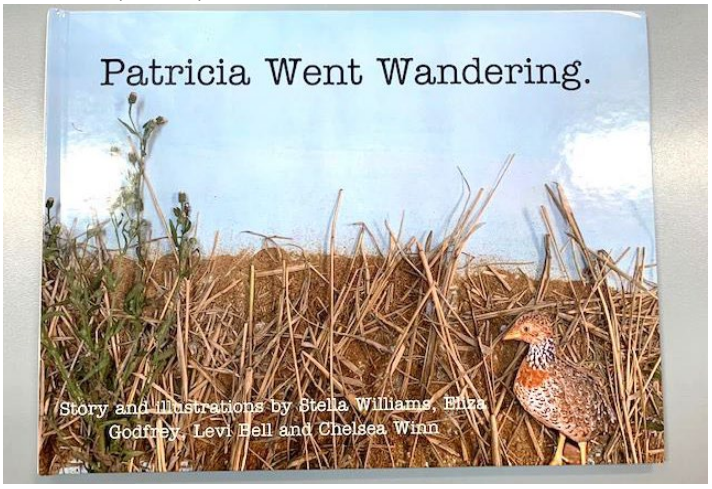
Students thoroughly enjoyed the Alpha Show 'Cinderella' last Thursday morning. It featured great characterisations, and a very clever and witty script with some universal truths. Special thanks to Bob and the Willawa Bus Committtee for providing return transport to Oaklands CS.

Week 3 in Review cont.

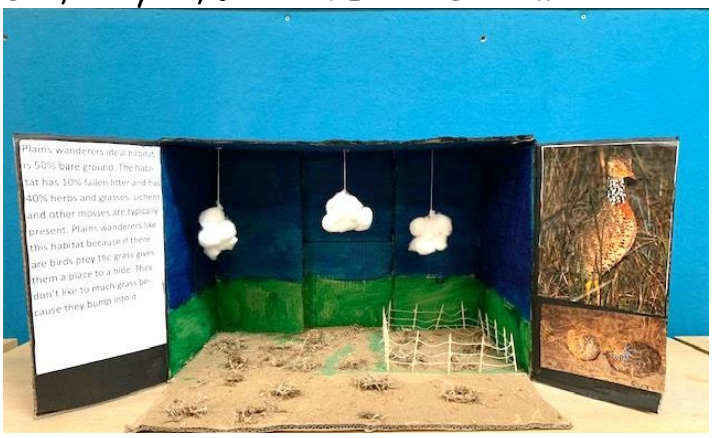
Plains Wanderer Expo Day

Years 3-6 students showcased their Plains Wanderer community awareness campaigns at a special Expo Day hosted by Finley High School last Tuesday. Our friends, Ms Stephanie Maguire (Education Officer, Taronga Western Plains Zoo) and Mr David Parker (Senior Threatened Species Officer) were in attendance along with our Director, Mrs Helen McRae. It was a wonderful culmination to their learning.

Chelsea, Levi, Eliza & Stella – Picture Book

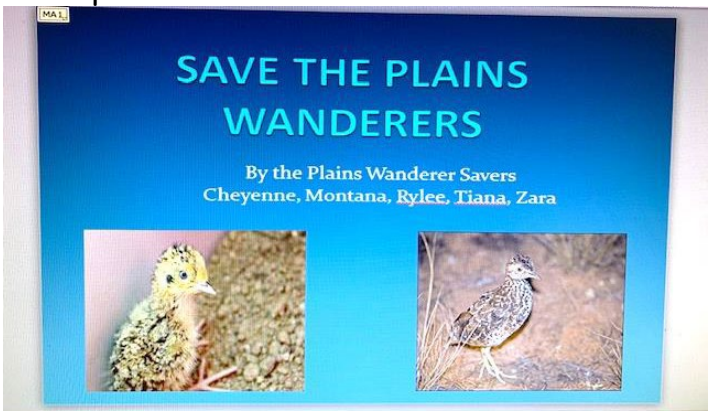


Dan, Shaylee, Jacob & Evan – Dioramas



Josie, Katelyn, Jessica, Richard & Logan – Paper Mache and Sewing

Montana, Cheyenne, Tiana, Zara & Rylee – Powerpoint



Week 3 in Review cont.

Assembly

Medallion

Special congratulations to Chelsea who received the first 'Medallion' for 2019 after collecting four Student of the Week awards. Bravo!

Student of the Week Awards

Congratulations to Logan, Cheyenne, Katelyn and Chelsea who each received a 'Student of the Week' ribbon.

Principal's Awards

- 3-6 Students – Your terrific work on the Plains Wanderer Projects. Well done!

Merit Awards

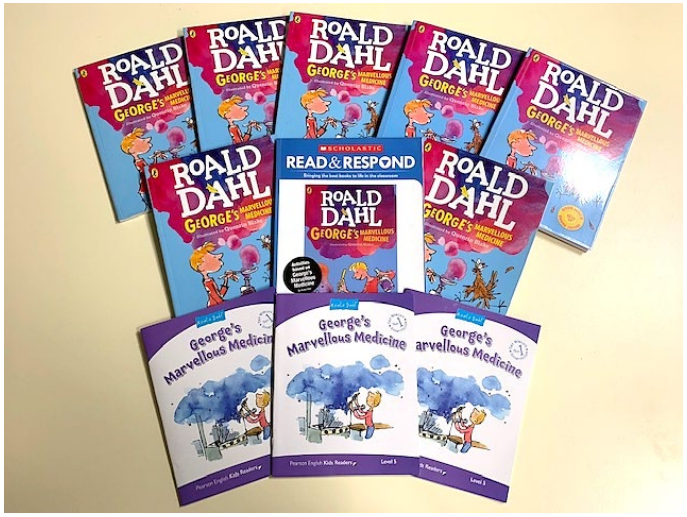
- Jacinta – Consistently working at a high standard, demonstrating a commitment to learning.
- Stella – Being inclusive in the playground and playing with all of her peers.

Zone Athletics Carnival Awards

- Zara – 2nd Jr Girls Discus and 2nd PP5 Relay
- Logan – 3rd Jr Boys Shot Put
- Dan – 2nd PP5 Relay
- Josie – 2nd PP5 Relay
- Tiana – 3rd 11 Yr Girls Discus
- Chelsea – 1st 800m, 7th 200m, 8th 100m, 2nd PP5 Relay, 2nd Discus, 3rd High Jump, 4th Long Jump and 4th Shot put.

New Literacy Resources

We recently purchased some additional literacy and Library resources for students following a very generous donation to the school. We look forward to using this new material over the term.



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Thank you to all of the parents and community members who collect shopper dockets on our behalf. Please place your dockets in the box on the office counter.

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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.

P&C Working Bee

Community Garden

Sunday 8th September 2019

10am – 12pm

Please bring your gardening gloves, shovels and rakes.

JERILDERIE PUBLIC SCHOOL

CELEBRATES

150 YEARS OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

JOIN US FOR A WEEKEND OF FUN

FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER 2019

Sir John Monash Annual Dinner & Lecture

Jerilderie Civic Hall, commencing 6.30pm
Guest Speaker Mr Michael Bennett, great grandson of Sir John Monash
Contact Murrumbidgee Council for bookings, telephone: 03 5886 1200

Jerilderie District Race Club – 100 Club Draw

Jerilderie Sports Club 7.00pm -$2000 cash voucher
Tickets available from Murrumbidgee Council or Sports Club on the evening

SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2019

Jerilderie District Race Club-Gold Cup Races (gates open 11.00am)

Visit the Jerilderie Public School Marquee
For marquee/umbrella bookings contact Jerilderie Race Club:
alecia18@icloud.com or follow on facebook @jerilderieraceclub

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Meet & Greet and Disco

Jerilderie Sports Club
Enjoy dinner and dance into the evening with Steve Locke Entertainment

SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 2019

Jerilderie Public School 150th Anniversary Celebrations

9.00am - Registration commences
10.00am Official Welcome, including guest speaker, Mr Michael Bennett
Time capsule reveal and tree planting ceremony
11.00am-3.00pm - Memorabilia display in classrooms, school tours
12.30pm - Barbecue Lunch
Cake Cutting Ceremony

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2020 Kindergarten Parent Information Evening

Tuesday 3 September 2019

6:30pm K-2 Classroom

What does Jerilderie Public School offer?
What can I expect for my child in Kindergarten?
How do I know if my child's ready for Kindergarten?
How and when do I enrol my child at school?
What questions do I want to ask?

Please RSVP by Friday 16th August 2019
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Circle of Security
Parenting Series

At times all parents feel lost or without a clue about what our child might need from us. Imagine what it might feel like if you were able to make sense of what your child was really asking from you. The Circle of Security® parenting program is based on decades of research about how secure parent-child relationships can be supported and strengthened.

Location: Intereach, 134 Murray St, Finley NSW 2713
Date: Every Weds from 24 July to 28 August 2019
Time: 12:30pm to 2:30pm
Cost: Free
Register: Phone 03 5890 6201
Text 0429 000 235
Email sharons@intereach.com.au

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Circle of Security INTERNATIONAL
Early Intervention Program for Parents & Children

All NSW school-enrolled children are eligible for two $100 Active Kids vouchers. The vouchers can be used with any approved Active Kids provider, to help cover costs towards registration or membership fees for sport and active recreation. Voucher one is valid January to December and voucher two is valid July to December. After 1 July 2019, the second voucher can be claimed immediately after the first voucher.

How to claim your vouchers

Active Kids

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1. Visit service.nsw.gov.au and login to your MyServiceNSW Account
2. Click on the Active Kids icon found in your SERVICE tab
3. Fill out the requested information (you will need your current Medicare card)
4. Print a copy of each voucher or email it to yourself

Visit sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids for terms & conditions and FAQs

How to use your vouchers

1. Find a provider by visiting our website: sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids
2. Once you have chosen an activity give the voucher number to your activity provider, or log onto your provider's website and enter the voucher number

*Vouchers can always be found in your MyServiceNSW account by looking in the My Applications tab

ACTIVE KIDS

Murrumbidgee COUNCIL

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 www.murrumbidgee.nsw.gov.au

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John Scarce
GENERAL MANAGER

A Peep into the Past of the Jerilderie Public School

Continuing from last week's issue of the school's newsletter – the raid on Jerilderie by Ned Kelly and his gang, on 8, 9, and 10 February, 1879

Extract from Chapter Twelve of the History of the Jerilderie Public School

There has been some conjecture however, as to whether Elliott's account of the raid was as factual as had been generally believed - or was his friendship with John Monash an influencing factor in Elliott deliberately understating the role played by both John Monash and his father, Louis.

Elliott published his account of the raid on Jerilderie by Ned Kelly and his gang at a time when John Monash's budding military career was on the ascendancy.

While teaching young John Monash, from October 1874 until the end of his 1877 school year, and then influencing Monash's parents to have John's higher education continued in Melbourne, a lifelong friendship developed between Elliott and Monash, regularly writing to each other up until Monash's death in 1931.

At the time of the raid Louis Monash was conducting a business in the General Store located at 26-28 Jerilderie Street, Jerilderie, then known as Melbourne House **(now the Newsagency/Busy Scissors)**. *Elliott's account of the raid, while mentioning others, makes no reference whatsoever to John Monash, nor does it mention any past dealings that John's father may have had with Ned Kelly, as is suggested in other accounts.*

Sir John Monash

Biographers of the career of Sir John Monash agreed that despite several stories to the contrary - such as holding Ned's horse while he robbed the bank, or being told to run to school and tell the students they had the rest of the school day off - it was not possible for young John Monash to have met Ned Kelly on the occasion of the raid itself, he being in Melbourne at that very time, living with his mother and attending Scotch College. This opinion was also affirmed by Cecil Edwards who, in 1967 published a history of the Victorian State Electricity Commission, of which Sir John Monash was its initial General Manager, and Chairman of the Board of Commissioners.

In Sir John Monash's own writings however, he recalls his attendance at a state banquet held at Buckingham Palace on 27 December 1918, wherein he referred to the occasion as being comparable to that when he met Ned Kelly 41 years earlier. Monash was known for being meticulous in his attention to detail and so the reference to 41 years earlier would have been deliberate, not a vague reference such as "some 40 years ago".

Taken literally therefore, Monash was in fact stating that he had met Ned at some time during the school holidays of 1877/78 when young John was still in Jerilderie with his father.

Biographer Roland Perry was to later write in the winter, 2007 edition of the Australian Heritage Magazine:

> *When staying at Jerilderie during the summer holidays of early 1878, Monash, just 12 years old, met Ned Kelly. The bushranger would sell stolen horses to German immigrants in the region, usually over the border so he could avoid the police in Victoria. Kelly's famous Jerilderie letter, written a year later after he held up the entire town, spoke of "good Germans" and "bad Germans". The 'good' ones, according to Kelly, were those with anti-British sentiments, and included William Baumgarten, who ended up in jail for four years for buying some of the Gang's equine acquisitions. Another good German, in their eyes, was John Monash's father, Louis, who also bought horses from the bushrangers, and this is how young John met Kelly.*

Sir John Monash's only daughter, Bertha, in a letter to the School on the occasion of the school's centenary celebrations in 1969, was to diplomatically write

> *The story goes that when my Dad was small, he was asked by Ned Kelly to hold his horse and was given a shilling for doing so.*

To be continued in next week's issue of the school's newsletter.