Jerilderie Public School



Principal's report

Welcome to Week 3! Yesterday the new **School Visitor Check-in** came into effect. All visitors such as parents and carers, contractors, service providers and volunteers can use the School Visitor Check-in to sign-in at our school. The new QR codes replace all previous COVID-safe QR codes and are located at the front office to ensure everyone who attends school during school hours reports to the front reception area. Students and visitors under the age of 18 are not required to use School Visitor Check-in.



The P&C is holding their major fundraiser, Open Gardens this Sunday 24 October from 10am to 2pm. Thank you to all of the parents and staff who have volunteered to assist on the day, and for donating cakes/slices and items for the major raffle. The P&C has contributed over \$15,000 to our school in 2021 to fund the 3-6 music program and the K-2 SLSO position and, wherever possible, it is important that we all do our bit in supporting their ongoing fundraising efforts. We are most fortunate to have a number of former P&C members also willing to lend a hand; a testimony to the strong ties the school continues to enjoy with the community.

Entry is \$20 per person. A morning tea/light lunch will be available to take away for \$10 a plate and includes an assortment of sandwiches and cakes/slices plus a drink (tea, coffee, water or soft drink). Please note, all visitors will need to show proof of double vaccination prior to entry.

Our heartfelt thanks to Carmen Lawton and the committee who have organised this fundraiser and to each of the families who have made their gardens available on the day - Victoria and Rick Bryce, Carmen and Greg Lawton, Debbie and Brett Rowe, Julie and Andrew Sleigh, & Beth McMeekan and Roy Chaplin. They have spent many hours preparing for this event and will no doubt be feeling exhausted by the time it is over, but very proud of themselves and their beautiful gardens.



Have a wonderful week! Nyree Taylor Principal



Upcoming Events

Term 4

Week 3 – October

Mon 18 School visitor check-in live

Wed 20 No Canteen

3-6 Ukulele interest group via Zoom

3-6 Bucket drumming via Zoom

No Assembly

Open Garden committee meeting

5:30pm

Fri 22 Sport

Sun 24 P&C major fundraiser: Open Gardens

10am - 2pm

Week 4 – October

Mon 25 Book Club orders due

Canteen orders due

Wed 27 Canteen

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No Assembly

Fri 29 Sport



The following notes have been published on Operoo.

Please respond before the due date.

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This week's events (Week 3) No canteen tomorrow

Terry is unavailable to run the canteen tomorrow. Parents and carers were advised via text message yesterday that this service would not be operating this week. We thank you for your understanding.

Music lessons continue

3-6 music lessons will continue via Zoom this week. Students are asked to pack their music folders and ukuleles tomorrow morning in preparation.

Year 7 Extra Transition

Year 6 students travelled to Finley High School (FHS) last Friday to participate in an extra transition session in preparation for their move to secondary school. Following a meet and greet with their Year 7 advisor for 2022, Mr Gary Webb and Student Support Officer, Mrs Jodi Brown they enjoyed a tour of the school, and spent time familiarising themselves with the timetables, daily routines and relevant staff. They also had the opportunity to spend some time with the Principal, Mr Jeff Ward.



Book Club Orders

Ashton Scholastic Book Club orders are due by Monday 25 October 2021. All orders need to be completed online. Please look on the back of the catalogue for the instructions.







P&C report

P&C Open Garden Day

This Sunday 24 October, we are holding our major fundraiser for 2021 - Open Gardens. The committee is looking for anyone and everyone who is available to assist at the gardens on the day between 9:30am – 2:30pm. We are also seeking donations of home-made cakes and slices for the day. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Carmen Lawton on 0427 242 148.

We will also be holding a **major raffle** on the day and would really appreciate if each family and staff member could donate items for a garden hamper, eg. gardening gloves, tools, seeds, plants, fertiliser, small pots or ornaments, etc. Please drop any last minute items at the school office tomorrow morning, Wednesday 20 October to enable the hamper to be finalised. We are most grateful for your ongoing support.





Summer uniforms

The NSW DoE supports the wearing of a school uniform which promotes a sense of belonging for students and creates a positive identity for the school community. School uniforms also contribute to the personal safety of students by allowing easier recognition inside the school and in the community and to protect students from injury. JPS expects all students to wear the uniform during school hours and also sun-safe hats for outside activities. Royal blue iackets are also winter uniform.

The P&C runs a uniform shop via the Office. We ask that parents utilise this service so that students are wearing clothing of the same style and colour. To assist families, we also have a clothing pool of preloved uniforms available free of charge. We seek your cooperation in ensuring our students wear their uniform each day. Nothing makes the staff prouder than when students wear their uniform.

At JPS we wear our uniform with pride!



When buying your child new runners for school, please try to buy plain black or plain blue to blend in with our uniform.

Thank you for your cooperation.



EVERY 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!





COVID-safe school operations



	Overview		Guidance on mask wearing
Level 1 School operating in a COVID-safe way	Students and staff to not attend school if they have symptoms; negative COVID-19 test required prior to returning to school Parents, carers and visitors are allowed on site QR code check-in and check-out required for all staff and visitors COVID-19 Safety Plans required in line with NSW Health advice (such as large gatherings or events) Activities such as singing, chanting, choirs, bands and school performances allowed in line with broader Health settlings.	 Inter-school sport in line with community sport guidelines Community use in line with broader Health settings SRE/SEE (externally provided religion and ethics classes) operational Community Language Schools operational P&C on site Additional cleaning measures in place 	Staff and students are supported to wear a mask or face covering should they choose to do so.
Level 2	As per Level 1, and: Non-essential visitors not allowed on site (including parents and carers)	 Assemblies must have COVID-safe practices in place and no parents or carers are allowed 	While in indoor settings in schools, masks or face coverings are
COVID-safe; restrictions on activities and non-essential visitors	 Staff identified as vulnerable supported to work from home Activities such as singing, chanting, choirs, bands and school performances allowed in outdoor settings only 	 Excursions within local government area (LGA) only, and strongly recommended to be outdoors and within walking distance 	recommended for all statt, and all students in Year 7 and above.
Level 3	As per Level 2, and: Mask wearing requirements	No assemblies No excursions	While on school sites, both indoors and outdoors, masks or face coverings
COVID-safe; face-to-face learning allowed on site; further restrictions on activities and non-essential visitors	 Introduction of staggered breaks and reduced mingling of student cohorts wherever possible Activities such as singing, chanting, choirs, bands and school performances not permitted School canteens can operate with conditions 	 No community use (except early childhood services and OOSH services) No uniform shops No SRE/SEE (externally provided religion and ethics classes) No Community Language School on site 	are mandatory for all staff, and all students in Year 7 and above.
Level 3 plus COVID-safe; face-to-face learning allowed for certain cohorts if vaccination rates	As per Level 3, with following conditions: Return to school will be based on community settings such as adults fully vaccinated and levels of community transmission Only vaccinated staff on site Students in cohorts (including split classes) starting with staggered	Minimised interactions and contact within student cohorts Staff interactions limited with physical distancing Staggered access to school facilities and shared spaces such as libraries and canteens Drop-offs, pick-ups and break times staggered by cohort	 While on school sites, both indoor and outdoors, masks or face coverings are mandatory for all staff and students. This includes primary and secondary students.

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Level 4 plus

are open for families who need it

learning from home encouraged; schools Minimal students and staff on site;

> Schools are actively encouraged to further minimise students attendance with the support of increased community messaging Schools operate learning from home, with stricter guidance for students and staff on-site

> > No community use (except early childhood services)

While on school sites, both indoors and outdoors, masks or face coverings are mandatory for all staff, and all students in Year 7 and above.

No canteens

Where students and staff are at school, Level 3 guidelines apply, and

Schools remain open with absolute minimum of staff - 2 staff are

required on site for safety reasons, and only as many additional staff as required to maintain supervision and to meet immediate needs of the

must consult with their Director, Educational Leadership school. If a school requires more than 5 staff members to attend, they are open for families who need it

Learning from home encouraged; schools

students learning from home

no student to be turned away

Families are encouraged to keep their children at home, with

Schools activate plans to support continuity of education for all

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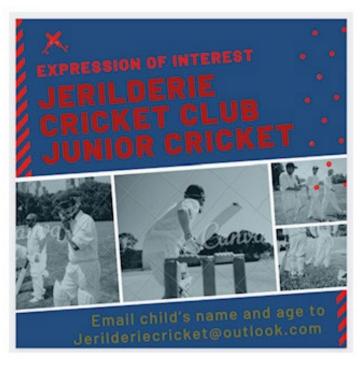
non-essential visitors

Exams as per Health approved COVID-safe HSC guide

return of priority cohorts

achieved; restrictions on activities and

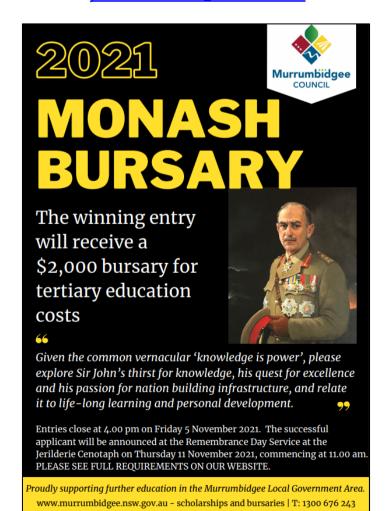
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Jerilderie Cricket Club

is seeking Expressions of Interest (EOIs) for **Junior Cricket for the 2021/2022 season.**

If your child is school age and interested in playing, please email their name and age to jerilderiecricket@outlook.com.





It's time to clean out the shed and tidy up the yard! Let's get ready for summer and make our homes and yards as fire safe as possible. We can all play a part in reducing the fuel load in our area. The bulky waste and green waste will be picked up at different times in the same week, so please put them in separate piles on your nature strip before 8.00 am on the collection date (up to one week prior). This is a free kerbside collection service.

BULKY WASTE KERBSIDE COLLECTION - We can collect: furniture and bookshelves, appliances, white goods with doors removed (excluding fridges), household goods/loose items, glass and mirrors (must be wrapped), mattresses, baby or child car seats, large plastic toys, swing sets, gym equipment, basketball goals, scrap metal and sawn timber off-cuts.

We can't collect: tyres, chemicals, hazardous household waste (oil, gas bottles, pesticides, herbicides, house/pool chemicals), fire extinguishers, poisons, asbestos pesticides, paints and gas bottles. These items are banned from the waste depots.

GREEN WASTE KERBSIDE COLLECTION - We can collect: garden cuttings/prunings and tree branches up to 75 mm in diameter and 1.5m in length (securely tied in bundles of up to 300 mm diameter), single tree limbs up to 200 mm in diameter (free of branches and/or leaves). tree roots that can be lifted by two people.

Collections are limited to 2 cubic metres per household - approximately the same as a 7ft x 4ft box trailer. All items left for collection must be able to be handled by a maximum of two people.

Please contact our office if you are a senior or disabled resident and you would like assistance to move your rubbish.

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