

Newsletter

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Term 3, Week 7

Principal's Report

Congratulations to our debating team who won their Round 5 debate against Mathoura PS last Wednesday. The topic was 'Should a sports person caught cheating be banned for life?' and JPS was the negative team. The team put forward a strong argument and presented their case clearly, engaging the audience and firmly rebutting the affirmative team's case. Well done Georgia, Josie, Katelyn and Dan! Thanks to Allen from the Arts Dept in Sydney for adjudicating. Special thanks to Gwen McLaughlin for sharing her expertise with our team in the lead up to the debate. Our team has now won three out of four debates.



To honour all the fathers and father figures in our lives, JPS held a special Father's Day Breakfast on Thursday morning. Students and their dads enjoyed bacon and egg rolls and a warm drink together. It was a great way to start the day! Special thanks to our GA, Stephen and SLSO, Tiffany for cooking the barbeque and Nicole Wilkinson for assisting with preparation and serving. We also held a casual clothes day on this day to raise funds to support farmers in drought stricken areas. Thank you everyone for getting into the spirit and making a gold coin donation.



Well done to Evan, Josie, Chelsea and Dan who competed in the Riverina Athletics Carnival on Friday.

Thank you to everyone who supported our annual Scholastic Book Fair. Jerilderie Public School families and staff spent \$800 raising \$160 worth of books for our school library.

Have a wonderful week! *Nyree Taylor* Principal



Upcoming Events

Term 3 – 2018

Week 7 – September

- Tue 4 P&C Meeting 7:00pm
Wed 5 Ukulele
Fri 7 3-6 Robotics & Coding
Sporting Schools

Week 8 – September

- Mon 10 Day 1 Year 3/4 Excursion
Tue 11 Day 2 Year 3/4 Excursion
Wed 12 Day 3 Year 3/4 Excursion
Berrigan PS Production 10:30am
Fri 14 3-6 Robotics & Coding
Helen Dickie visiting
Sporting Schools

CareMonkey

The following notes have been sent out. Please ensure you respond before the due date.

- Year 3/4 Excursion (paper copy)
- Berrigan PS Production



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



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This Week's Events (Week 7)

P&C Meeting

The P&C will be meeting tonight at 7:00pm in the staffroom. All parents and carers welcome!

3-6 Robotics and Coding

Our IT mentor, Ms Vicki Kempton returns to JPS this Friday for a robotics and coding workshop with Years 3 – 6 students.

Sporting Schools

Our Term 3 Sporting Schools Program continues this week. The program is implemented on Friday afternoons between 1:50 – 3:10pm with each class participating in a 40 minute session. We thank the team at Skillzone who are implementing these sports sessions for K-6 students.



P&C News

Thank you to all the families that helped out on the gate at the B&S on Saturday - Kevin A'Vard, Trevor Eldridge, Shannon Bradford, Justin Williams, Carmen & Greg Lawton and Tiffany.

We require assistance selling raffle tickets out the front of the Jerilderie Newsagency or IGA on Thursday 27th September. If you are able to assist for any amount of time please contact Greg Lawton on 0488 529 266.

Thank you to those who have volunteered to sell tickets at the Henty Field Days. We still require assistance on Day 2 & 3. If you are interested contact Greg for more information.

Congratulations to Joe Newton, winner of our wood raffle. Thanks to Ben & Tash Nash for selling tickets for us. We have another load of wood to be split. Please contact Greg to assist.

Captain's Report

Welcome to Week 7.

Last week on Thursday we had a Father's Day Breakfast. Thank you to Stephen Dalgleish and Tiffany Sutton for cooking the barbecue and thank you to Nicole Wilkinson for helping. On Thursday K-6 were allowed to dress in casual clothes for a gold coin donation to go to the drought relief for farmers.

Last Friday Chelsea, Dan, Evan and Josie travelled to Albury to compete at Riverina athletics carnival. They competed in the small schools relay (PP5) and came 4th in their heat. Chelsea competed in the 11yrs girls discus and threw 14.95 metres. Congratulations on your great effort. Thank you to Carmen and Tiffany for taking them to Albury.

Tonight there will be a P and C meeting starting at 7pm. All parents are welcome.

Tomorrow 3/4/5/6 will be joining Chris for another Ukulele lesson.

On Friday K-6 will enjoy another Sporting Schools session with Adam.

Be brave, be creative, be kind, be happy, be you!

Have a great week.

Abbey A'Vard
School Captain

Next Week's Events (Week 8)

Year 3/4 Beechworth Excursion

Next week our Year 3 and 4 students are off to Glenrowan and Beechworth for their major excursion. They will be joining with their peers from Blighty, Conargo and Mayrunga Public Schools. Principals and teachers from each of the schools will be accompanying the students on this three day, two night excursion. We are busy finalising arrangements and ask that all permission notes and medical forms be returned to the office tomorrow along with full payment.

Berrigan PS Production

On Wednesday 12th September, JPS students will be attending Berrigan Public School's production 'Hairy Tale Rock' at the Berrigan War Memorial Hall at 10:30am. The Willawa Bus and Mrs Jo Cameron will be providing return transport to Berrigan. There is no charge to attend. We look forward to viewing this production.

NAPLAN Results Released

Individual Student Reports (ISRs) for the 2018 National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) are currently being printed by NESA and will start to arrive in schools as of Wednesday 12th September, the middle of next week. NAPLAN is one of the suite of assessments schools use to measure students' achievement in English and mathematics.

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Student Profile

Name: **Teagan**

Age: **7**

Favourite food: **Carrots**

Favourite drink: **Cordial**

Favourite Colour: **Pink**

Favourite TV Show: **Peppa Pig**

Favourite Movie: **Hop**

Favourite Holiday Destination: **Anywhere with ducks to feed.**

Favourite thing to do: **Play hide and seek**

Favourite Subject: **Sport**

When I finish school I would like to: **Be a vet**

Three famous people you would like to have dinner with? **Elsa, Anna & Olaf**



Finley High School Homework Centre on the Road

DATE	HOST PRIMARY SCHOOL
Wednesday Week 4 15 th August	Tocumwal Public School
Wednesday Week 6 29 th August	Berrigan Town Library
Wednesday Week 8 12 th September	Jerilderie Public School
Wednesday Week 10 26 th September	Barooga Public School
	Berrigan Town Library
	Jerilderie St Joseph's School
	Tocumwal Sacred Heart

Housekeeping

2018 Excursion Reminders

Year 3/4 Excursion

Location: Beechworth

Date: Monday 10th – Wednesday 12th September
(Term 3, Week 8)

Cost: \$175 per student

Due: Wednesday 5th September 2018

Year 5/6 Excursion

Location: Canberra

Date: Tuesday 16th – Friday 19th October
(Term 4, Week 1)

Approx Cost: \$300 per student

Due: Thursday 27th September 2018

Payment plan options are available with instalment booklets issued for both excursions.

Working with Children Check

The Department of Education has a policy that affects volunteers who come and work in our school. The policy states that all volunteers must have a working with children check (WWCC) number and provide 100 points of identification.

Our procedures for volunteers are as follows:

- All volunteers must sign in at the front office when they are on school grounds
- All volunteers must obtain a WWCC number and provide the front office staff at school with their clearance number (volunteers do not have to pay for this)
- All volunteers must provide the front office staff at school with 100 points of identification
- Any volunteer must be pre-arranged by the class teacher and approved by the Principal after the clearance number is obtained along with 100 points of identification

This includes classroom helpers, sports coaches and canteen volunteers.



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Upcoming Events

Kindergarten in 2019 (Week 10)

Families with children who begin Kindergarten in 2019 are invited to attend an Information Evening on Tuesday 25th September. Mrs Cameron and Ms Taylor will be discussing all the wonderful programs and opportunities that Jerilderie Public School offers. Please RSVP by phoning 5886 1331.

Kindergarten in 2019

You are invited!

KINDERGARTEN IN 2019 INFORMATION SESSION

Tuesday, 25th September

6:30pm at school

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

Kindergarten Teacher, Mrs Jo Cameron
Principal, Ms Nyree Taylor



Your local public school, proud to support every child as they learn and grow to be the best they can be.

Kindergarten Transition (Term 4)

JPS will hold its Kindergarten Transition program in Term 4, 2018. All students entering Kindergarten at JPS in 2019 are invited to participate in our transition program to undertake learning and familiarisation activities and to experience aspects of school life. Dates are as follows:

- Week 3 Friday 2nd November
9:00am – 11:15am
- Week 4 Friday 9th November
9:00am – 11:15am
- Week 5 Friday 16th November
9:00am – 1:30pm
- Week 6 Friday 23rd November
9:00am – 1:30pm



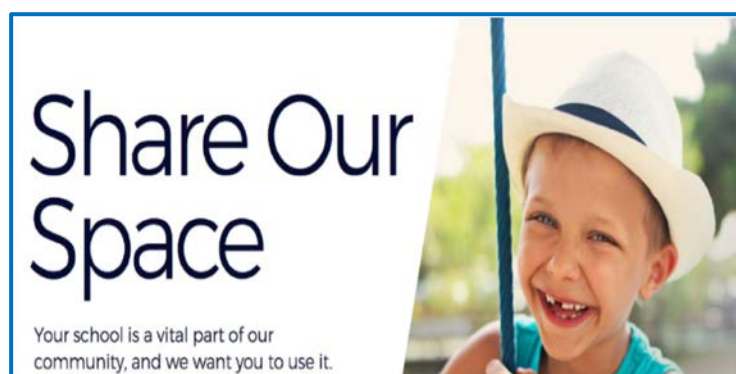
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Share our Space (Term 3 Holidays)

Over the coming school holidays, School Infrastructure NSW (SINSW) is rolling out a wider Share Our Space Program at 184 schools across the state, which will open up the playgrounds, ovals and sports fields for the whole community to enjoy. Jerilderie Public School is proud to be a part of this initiative.

During the school holidays, our gates will be opened between:

School Holidays	Dates	Time
Spring	1 Oct 2018 – 12 Oct 2018	8am–5pm
Summer	24 Dec 2018 – 25 Jan 2019	8am–6pm



Berrigan Public School

Presents

Hairy Tale Rock

Book By Charlie Lovett

Music & Lyrics By Bill Francoeur

Wednesday 12th September 2018

10.30am and 7.00pm

Berrigan War Memorial Hall



Adults \$5, Families \$10
Pensioners Gold Coin Donation.
Children FREE.

Includes a light supper after
the evening performance.

The Partners in Learning Parent Feedback Survey

This term, our school will be participating in the *Partners in Learning* parent survey, another part of the Tell Them From Me suite of surveys (student, teacher and parent surveys) on student engagement. The survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student wellbeing & engagement.

Running this survey will help our school understand parents' and carers' perspectives on their child's experiences at school. These include: communication between parents/carers and staff, activities and practices at home and parent/carer views on the school's support of learning and behaviour. This valuable feedback will help our school make practical improvements.

The survey is conducted entirely online on smartphones, iPads, tablets, laptops or computers. The survey will typically take 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. The parent survey will be conducted between 27 August and 26 October. Although participating in the survey is entirely voluntary, your responses are very much appreciated. Information on how to access this survey will be published in next week's newsletter.



Celebrate Attendance

Hints and Tips No. 6: School Community



Everyone in the school community has a role to play in helping with school attendance.

Having students attend school is extremely beneficial to the future of local communities. However, many students do not attend school regularly or fail to attend at all.

Schools, parents and caregivers, local community members and businesses are all an essential part of providing and supporting education in our schools.

The NSW Department of Education and Training employs Home School Liaison Officers across the state. These officers are teachers who support schools and the school community to ensure that all students attend school regularly.

Parents having difficulty getting their child to school should not hesitate to contact either the school principal or the Home School Liaison Officer at your nearest Department of Education and Training office.

Call toll free 131 536 for your nearest regional office.



Missing school leaves gaps in your education



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