## Jerilderie Public School



## **Principal's Report**

Congratulations to our debating team of Josie, Katelyn, Dan and Georgia on winning their zone in the Premier's Debating Challenge! The team will now go on to compete in a knock-out phase of the competition to determine the regional champions. The eventual winner of this knock-out will go on to compete in a three-day debating tournament held at *The Tops Convention Centre* to determine the state champions. We wish our team well for their next debate against Deniliquin North PS.

This week we are thrilled to take delivery of a Virtual Reality STEMShare Kit! STEMShare is an initiative that empowers schools with the technology tools to enable students to develop essential future focused Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) skills. All schools in NSW were given the opportunity to book one of the following kits for one term — Tablet Robotics, PC Robotics, 3D Printing, Filming, Virtual Reality and Coding. In addition to the kit, we have access to learning challenges, how to videos and support by STEMShare leaders.

Last week we celebrated School Administrative and Support Staff (SASS) Recognition Week. SASS Recognition Week acknowledges the contribution of these staff whether they work in the office, the library, in the school grounds, in a classroom setting or in other roles. It is an opportunity to show these staff that they are appreciated for the important role they play within our school.

I would like to sincerely thank the support staff at JPS who include Mrs Judy Knight, Mrs Hilary Knight, Miss Tiffany Sutton, Mr Stephen Dalgliesh and Mr Harrison Bradford for the work that they do each and every day to support our students and teaching staff. JPS is fortunate to have dedicated and caring SASS staff.

Have a wonderful week!

Nyree Taylor Principal







# **Upcoming Events**

## Term 3 – 2018

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

Ukulele

Fri 14 3-6 Robotics & Coding

**Sporting Schools** 

Week 9 – September

Mon 17 Debating Knock-out 9:30am (DNPS)

Wed 19 School Counsellor visiting

Helen Dickie visiting

Ukulele

Fri 21 Helen Dickie visiting

**Sporting Schools** 

## **CareMonkey**

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

- Berrigan PS Production
- Debating Knock-Out

# 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

## This Week's Events (Week 8)

#### **Beechworth Excursion**

This week, Mrs Browning and I are accompanying Years 3 and 4 students to Glenrowan and Beechworth on their major excursion. We are excited to be joining with students and staff from the neighbouring small schools of Blighty, Conargo and Mayrung for this three day, two night excursion. Thank you to the Jerilderie P&C for generously subsiding associated costs for each of our students.

### **Berrigan PS Production**

Tomorrow JPS students will be attending Berrigan Public School's production 'Hairy Tale Rock' at the Berrigan War Memorial Hall at 10:30am. Return transport to Berrigan will be by the Willawa Bus and Mrs Cameron's private vehicle. There is no charge to attend. This is sure to be a great show!



## 3-6 Robotics and Coding

Our IT mentor, Ms Vicki Kempton, returns to JPS this Friday for a final robotics and coding workshop with Years 3 – 6. Over the term, Year 3 and 4 students have worked with WeDo2 kits and built race cars, buggies with trailers and dancing creatures. Years 5 and 6 have used the EV3 Lego Mindstorm kits and made snow sweepers, tractors and army tanks. With coding software they have been able to program these vehicles to perform a variety of tasks.

## **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 skills session with coaches from Skillzone.



## **Captain's Report**

Welcome to Week 8.

Last Friday 3/4/5/6 enjoyed another Robotics session with Vicki Kempton. 5-6 built army tanks and we had to program them to move around a town mat. We also had to make them reverse park. To make these tanks turn corners we had to program the left motor to stop and leave the right motor on which would make it turn to the left. 3-4 used WeDo2 to build a buggy with a trailor and used block coding to make them drive. Building the robots is harder than programming because if you put the pieces in the wrong spot it won't fit together.

On Monday years 3-4 travelled to Beechworth with Mayrung, Blighty and Conargo for their excursion. We hope they are having fun.

Tomorrow, K-6 will be travelling to Berrigan to watch the Berrigan Public School Production 'Hairy Tale Rock'. We are looking forward to getting some tips for our own production later this year.

Have a great week.

Abbey A'Vard School Capatin

# Next Week's Events (Week 9) School Counsellor Visiting

Our School Counsellor, Mr Michael Kruger-Davis returns to JPS on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September. If you would like to make an appointment with him, please phone the office on 5885 1331.

# **Upcoming Events (Week 10) School Photos**

Master School Portraits will be taking school photographs on Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> September. Students are to wear full winter school uniform on this day. Order and payment envelopes will be sent home soon.

## Kindergarten in 2019

Families with children who begin Kindergarten in 2019 are invited to attend an Information Evening on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September. Mrs Cameron and Ms Taylor will be discussing all the wonderful programs and opportunities that Jerilderie Public School offers.

## Kindergarten in 2019

You are invited!

## KINDERGARTEN IN 2019 INFORMATION SESSION

Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> 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.



# Student Profile

Name: Josie

Age: 10

Favourite food: **Pork adobo**Favourite drink: **Lemonade**Favourite Colour: **Purple** 

Favourite TV Show: Zumbo's Just

**Desserts** 

Favourite Movie: Harry Potter

Favourite Holiday Destination: **The beach** Favourite thing to do: **Play with Owen** 

Favourite Subject: English

When I finish school I would like to: Be an

author

Three famous people you would like to have dinner with? **Dove Cameron, Sophia Carson & Georgia Productions.** 



#### Finley High School Homework Centre on the Road

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

# **Upcoming Events (Term 3 Holidays) Share our Space**

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	8am - 6pm



## **Term 4 Events**

## **Kindergarten Transition Program**

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 2<sup>nd</sup> November
   9:00am 11:15am
- Week 4: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November
   9:00am 11:15am
- Week 5: Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November
   9:00am 1:30pm
- Week 6: Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November
   9:00am 1:30pm



## Housekeeping

#### **Student Attendance**

Parents and Carers are reminded that students are required, by law, to attend school every day that the school is open for instruction. Acceptable reasons for being absent include illness or minor injury, or attending medical appointments in another town. Medical certificates will be asked for if the number of absences for a student is causing concern. Please contact the school office via phone or email if your child is absent for any reason.

### **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 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 working with children check 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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### **IGA Shopper Dockets**

Please continue to support and shop at our local IGA. Keep your IGA dockets and place them in the box in the Office to earn money for our school.



#### **Excursion Reminders**

### Year 5/6 Excursion

Location: Canberra

Date: Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October

(Term 4, Week 1)

Approximate Cost: \$300 per student Due: Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2018 Payment plan options are available.



## **September Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to staff and students celebrating birthdays this month!

Mrs Browning

Sela

Danielle

Eliza

Gerorgia





# **Berrigan Public School** Presents



**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.





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Thr 40 mins from Sheppatton 1 hr 50 mins from Albuty 1 hr 50 mins from Wagga 3 hrs 50mins from Melbourne

More Info on www.jerilderie.com.au intact: Alecta Williams 0477 008 882 alecta18@icloud.com or Des McRae FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

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## Celebrate Attendance

Hints and Tips No. 7: Getting to school on time



It is essential to establish a regular routine each morning and arriving at school on time is an important part of your child's morning routine.

It is important to be at school on time because:

- · It sets up good habits for the future.
- · It provides social benefits good play time and discussion among friends.
- · The school day usually begins with the teacher giving out information to students. Eq. Any changes to school routines, coming events etc.
- · It is an opportunity for important teacher pupil interaction before school.
- There is plenty of time for ordering lunches if needed.





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Nutrition Snippet

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...to grow your own mandarins

- Mandarins are a small growing tree to around 3-4m in height + width, perfect for smaller backyards
- They are hardy + easy to grow, great for kids
- Prefer sheltered areas but tolerate windy sites
- Ideal in full sun for maximum fruit production
- Need regular watering when young + when fruit is forming

It's Springtime! Get into your gardens + start planting fruit, veg + herbs to grow yourself.

If you don't have room for a tree, try planting punnets of vegies into large pots...getting your kids involved will make them happier to eat what they've grown!

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