

Gulargambone Community News



**K/1 students recreating an old
photograph.**

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Principal's Report

This week is National Youth week. Our secondary students will be involved with activities organised by Coonamble Shire Council tomorrow and the whole school will be enjoying the Easter Fun Day on Thursday.

Well done to our secondary students for your positive participation in last week's excursion to the Central Coast and Sydney. Thank you also to our staff for creating this very valuable experience.

Good luck to our primary students playing at the Peachy Richardson carnival tomorrow in Coonamble.

Anzac Day falls on the last Monday of the school holidays. This is an important tradition for Australia, our local community and indeed our school to come together to show our respect and gratitude to our servicemen and women who have put their lives on the line to protect us and others in need. If families are not away, I encourage all students to come together as a school and participate in the march and ceremony. Please be in school uniform and meet at the RTC at 10:20am on Monday 25th April.

Finally, I thank all staff and students for a great term wish everyone a relaxing and safe holiday. Students return on Wednesday 27th April.

Michael Spora

Secondary Report

Term 1 is all but done.... time flies....

Notwithstanding the wet weather last week, the "Sydney/Central Coast Tour" went ahead as planned.

Nobody let the persistent and often drenching rain stop them from traversing the City of Sydney in "The Great Race" which was held on Tuesday after a 5.30am start from Budgewoi. I don't think our heads hit the pillows till 11pm that night after a massive day on trains, buses and ferries as fixed and optional activities and challenges were undertaken.

Following a well-deserved sleep in on Wednesday morning, the kids used the Budgewoi Holiday Park facilities, kayaked and paddle boarded on Lake Munmorah, went beach worming, sight-seeing including to Norah Head Lighthouse and went shopping at Tuggerah. Everybody met at Coles, Budgewoi at 5pm to allow teams to make their planned grocery purchases for "The MasterChef Challenge" which pitted cabin against cabin in a culinary extravaganza. The day culminated with most of us attending the screening of the movie "Uncharted" at Lakehaven.

Our kids represented GCS with pride as we have come to expect, and we will be able to draw on the activities and experiences from the trip for months to come in so many ways.

Watch this space for the winning team from "The Great Race" and cabin from "The MasterChef Challenge" – judging should happen this week.

This week:

- Check-in assessments for year 8, Monday and Tuesday, period 1
- Youth Council meeting at Coonamble on Tuesday for SRC members and other selected students
- Careers of Tomorrow - online presentation Wednesday period 5
- Easter Fun Day all day Thursday

Have a great final week and a safe holiday!

Bruce Burge

K – 6 News

And with what feels like the blink of an eye, term 1 is almost over. I would like to commend all of the staff and students on working hard at the start of the year and I am sure this will continue for the rest of the year. I am so proud of how the kindergarten students have settled into school life and the progress they have all made so far. They certainly are an eager bunch of learners.

Last Thursday we formed a guard of honour along the highway to show our respects to the Haling family. I was so proud of the way all the K-6 students participated and stood so still and patiently as the cars drove past. I am sure it was a gesture Mrs Haling and the family will remember always.

This Thursday we are having our Easter Fun Day. The very creative easter hats are starting to make appearances and everyone is getting excited. Be sure not to be late, the Hat Parade starts in the hall at 12:20pm. This is going to be followed by lunch for everyone. We sure hope you can make it.

If the weather holds and the fields can take it, Mr Ryan is taking primary students to participate in the Peachy tournament.

As ANZAC Day falls right at the start of term 2, keep an eye on Facebook for information regarding the march.

With holidays imminent, we would like to remind everyone of the importance of staying home if you are sick and isolating if anyone in your house is COVID positive. We hope everyone has Happy Easter and a safe holiday.

Liz Ede

K/1 with Mrs Peart

In K/1 on Monday, we have been learning about 'Families' in History. This week we studied old photographs and learnt about ways we could find out about the past (books, internet, photographs, artefacts, etc)

After looking at the photos in the hallway, we decided to recreate our own 'old photograph'.

We thought it could be roughly the 1960s???

The photo is on the cover of this week's Community News.

PHOTOS FROM AROUND OUR SCHOOL!

Fun at the pool for sport last
Friday.









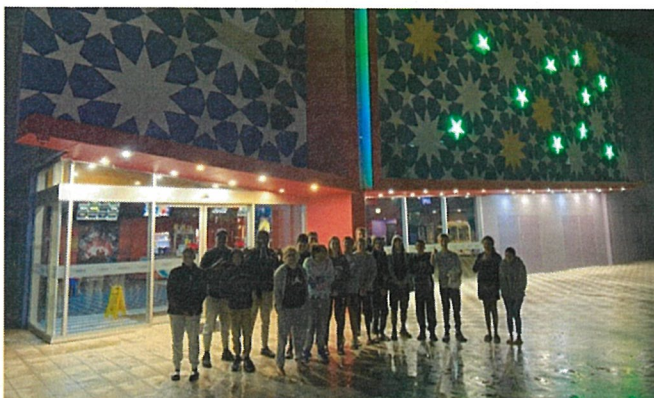


Levi, Riley, Jack & Peter enjoying a meal they cooked themselves.

Secondary excursion to the Central Coast and Sydney last week.



Temia Robinson

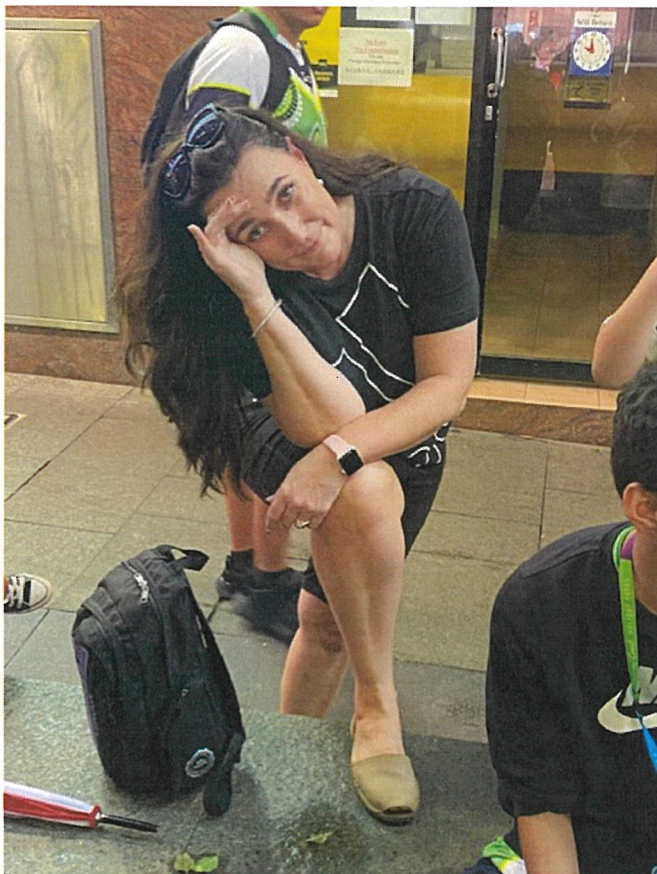




Ella & Mrs Ryan



Chinatown



Mrs Ryan

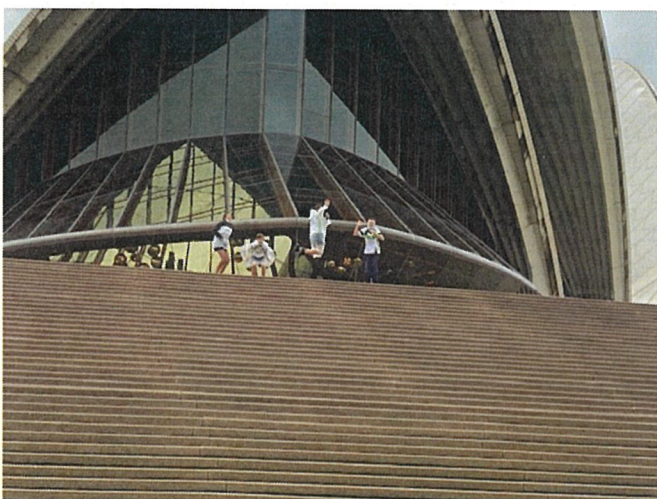




Kyana Lamb



Jamahl & Durahn



At the Opera House



Laiken, Preston, Kyana, Temia & Maddie



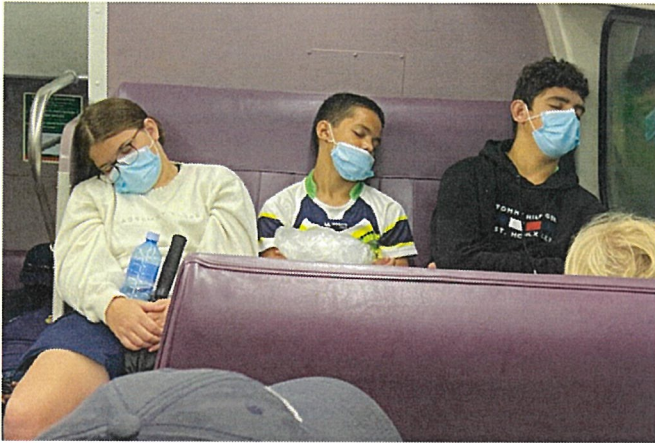
Speaking with Emma Ryan at Momentum Media



Walking across the Sydney Harbour Bridge



Ja'Keal, Riley, Levi & Takoda



Temia, Peter & Laiken



Takoda Lees



Waiting to catch the train



Jayden Fardell





ANZAC DAY **MONDAY 25TH APRIL**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Each year on the **25th April**, the school commemorates **ANZAC DAY**, a significantly important day for all Australians.

This year **ANZAC DAY** falls on Monday 25th April 2022. The school would like to ask for the continued support of students and families through your attendance and participation in Gulargambone's **ANZAC Day march**.

Parents are asked to encourage their children to participate as this is a time for younger generations to reflect and acknowledge what other people have sacrificed to have the wonderful country and opportunities we have today.

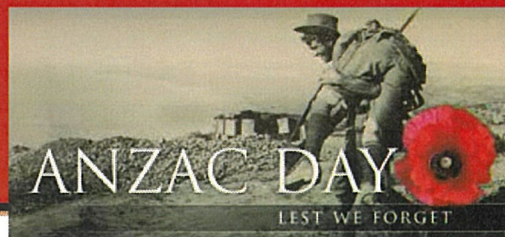
WHEN: Monday 25th April 2022

WHERE: GRTC Corner, where the students will meet and march as a school group to the Cenotaph.

TIME: 10.20am

WEAR: School Uniform

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.



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