

# Gulargambone Community News



**JUNIOR ZONE ATHLETICS CHAMPION —  
KLEON REID**

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*A quality education in a modern learning environment*



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## Principal's Report

Congratulations to all of our representatives at last Thursday's primary zone athletics carnival that we hosted in Coonamble because the Gular oval was waterlogged. Whilst age champion results are not yet available, we had some very impressive performances so congratulations to all of our competitors. Thank you also to our secondary students who were allocated the role of running the canteen and did an admirable job. All of these students and our staff who ran the whole carnival are to be commended for the outstanding way that you represent our school.

Today we will be joined by Mr Chris Jackson, our Director for the Western Plains Network. It is always a pleasure to have visitors to the school to showcase the wonderful things that our students and staff have been achieving.

Please remember that as a school, all of our intensions are to support your children by offering the best education so that they have as many positive opportunities as possible in life. We do this in two ways, the first is by insisting that outside issues do not come through the school gates, they remain outside of the school so that we can all work in a positive, friendly, and supportive environment. The second thing is that if issues arise, then we all react and solve these in a polite and respectful way that diffuses the situation rather than inflaming it. These are both expectations that not only help us to maintain the wonderful atmosphere that we have at GCS but will also help our students in their future workplaces. I ask for parents to

support the school in these areas by insisting that previous or current grievances are not brought to school and if you have a problem, concern or complaint about the school, to come and talk about the issue with myself or the person involved with their executive teacher. Heading straight to social media achieves little to resolve issues and does not help with our two objectives mentioned above.

From this Friday, until week 7, I will be taking some leave. Miss Ede will take on the role as Principal in my absence. I sincerely thank Miss Ede for allowing me this opportunity.

Have a great week.

*Michael Spora*

## K – 6 News

A MASSIVE congratulations must go to all the students who travelled to compete at the Zone Athletics Carnival last Thursday. While we lost our home ground advantage with our oval being too wet, it was wonderful to hear all our students tried their best and did our school proud. To all the staff and high school students who worked meticulously to prepare for the change of venue and still run the carnival and canteen in unfamiliar territory, thanks is not enough. Our school always go above and beyond for our students and the mammoth



effort that goes into a day like that is truly appreciated by us. THANK YOU ALL.

School Photos are on Wednesday, please ensure winter school uniform is worn and everyone is looking their best. This means school jumpers and green pants for primary and navy pants for secondary. All photo's must be paid for on the day. If you need an envelope, please see the office.

This Thursday, K/1 are lucky enough to be going to the Emu Farm. The invitation was extended by us to the preschool to join them on an excursion. We are planning on having a lovely day with lunch in the park at Tooraweenah before returning to school.

Please remember to keep making payments for the Melbourne excursion and lunch program, paying regularly will make it much more manageable.

*Liz Ede – Assistant Principal*

### Sports News

#### **School Athletics Carnival**

It's been a huge couple of weeks of sport for the GCS students. On Tuesday 26th July we held our school Athletics Carnival. Students looked amazing dressed in blue for Castlereagh or red for Oxley. A big thank you to Mrs Ferguson for traipsing all over Dubbo and visiting Vinnies to find the students' outfits to inspire team spirit. The winners of the day were Oxley on 606 points.

Congratulations to the following champions:  
Junior Primary – Kleon Reid & Janayah Ryan  
11 Years – Mason Peters & Ruby Smith  
Senior Primary – Billy-Jack Lees & Bayleigh Fardell  
Junior Secondary – Peter Peters & Maddie McEwen

Intermediate Secondary – Bailey Wykes & Stephanie Fardell  
Senior Secondary – Jayden Fardell & Tully Andrews



Thank you to the staff for running each of the events. Thank you also to Col and Budsy for getting the oval ready. It was in mint condition as always.

#### **Zone Athletics Carnival**

Last Thursday it was our turn to host the Zone Athletics Carnival. Normally we would host it at our oval, but the recent rainfall meant that it was too wet, so the venue had to be changed to Coonamble. This required a lot of extra organisation so I'd like to thank Casey Wykes for all her hard work in making sure we ran a smooth carnival. The day, despite being miserable weatherwise, was a resounding success.

Students who competed in the carnival were:

Lachlan Fisher  
Jeremy Jordan  
Alyssa Lincoln  
Porscha Peters  
Lucas Sullivan  
Paige Warrington  
Stevie Welsh  
Elias Millgate  
Tatum Rodda  
Paityn Sullivan  
William Back  
Billy-Jack Lees  
Darcey Lincoln  
Anton McEwen



Slater Peters  
Kleon Reid  
Bayleigh Fardell  
Tyleah Lamb  
Mason Peters  
Shavenah Reid  
Jamarah Ryan  
Ruby Smith  
Congratulations to Kleon Reid who was Junior Boy Zone Champion.

Students who qualified for the Regional Athletics Carnival will travel to Tamworth to compete on Friday 2nd September. Students will be notified if they have made it through when the results have been finalised.

A massive thank you to our awesome staff and students who helped out on the day:  
Tammy Jerrett and the SRC canteen crew - Preston AhSee, Jayden Fardell, Tully Andrews, Ella Wykes, Jaylem Peters, Bailey Wykes and Cooper Peters  
Discus - Mr Sulter & Angus Patrick  
Shot Put - Ms Coady & Connor Smith (backed up by Levi and Peter Peters)  
Long Jump - Mrs Curtis & Rach Skinner  
High Jump - Brandon Hammond & Jack Warrington  
Timekeepers - Mrs Mills, Tasha and Jemma Banks  
Photographer - Paris Hammond  
A special mention and thank you to Emily Ryan who helped organise and set up the carnival for us.

### Central Schools State Finals

On Thursday 1st September, the Open Boys Touch Football team will compete at the Central School's State Finals in Dubbo. They will be competing against teams from Boorawa, Coolamon, Walcha, Ashford and Dunedoo. If you can, make the trip to cheer on the boys. We made it to the State Finals last year in the 16s, but it was cancelled due to COVID. Hopefully this year, we will bring home the trophy.

**Brett Ryan**  
**Sports Coordinator**

### Stage 4 Science

This Term in science, Stage 4 have been studying 'Classification'. As part of their learning, they had to create a fictitious animal model using clay. Students were then asked to write a dichotomous key that could be used to classify their animal. These are the students' creations.



**Made by Stephanie Fardell**



**Made by Jack Warrington**





**Made by Shakira Hammond**



**Made by Thomas Back**



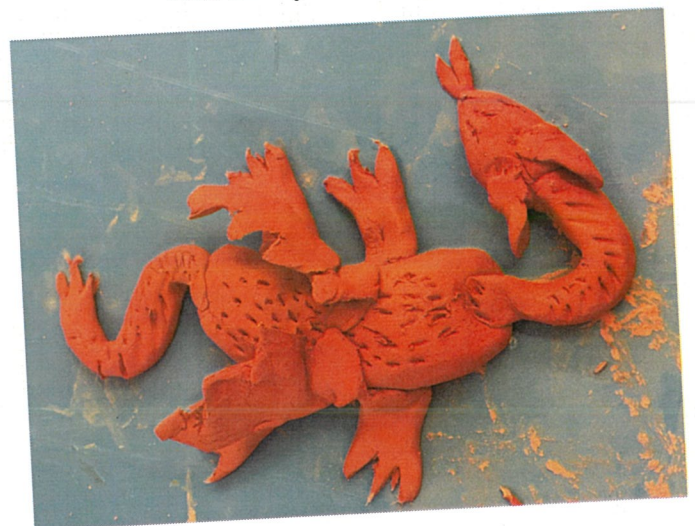
**Made by Peter Peters**



**Made by Levi Peters**



**Made by Riley Warrington**



**Made by Connor Smith**





**Made by Ms Coady**



**Made by Maddie McEwen**

## **LUNCH PROGRAM**

### **MENU**

#### **Week 5**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August**

Chicken Caesar Salad

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August**

Mongolian Meatballs &  
Rice

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> August**

Rissole, Mash & Veg

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August**

Butter Beef, Rice & Naan  
Bread

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August**

Hot Dogs

#### **Week 6**

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> August**

Spaghetti & Meatballs

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August**

Mini Pizza & Garlic Bread

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August**

Curried Mince & Rice

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> August**

Lasagne, Veg & Garlic  
Bread

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August**

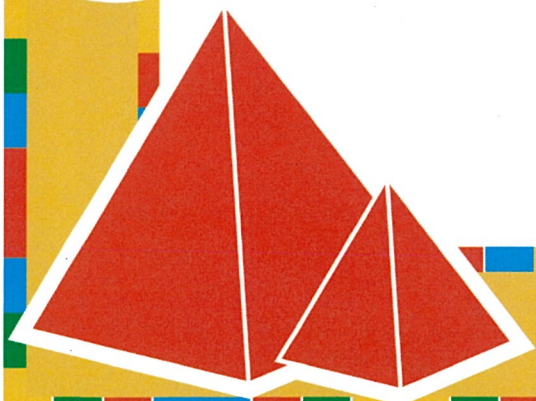
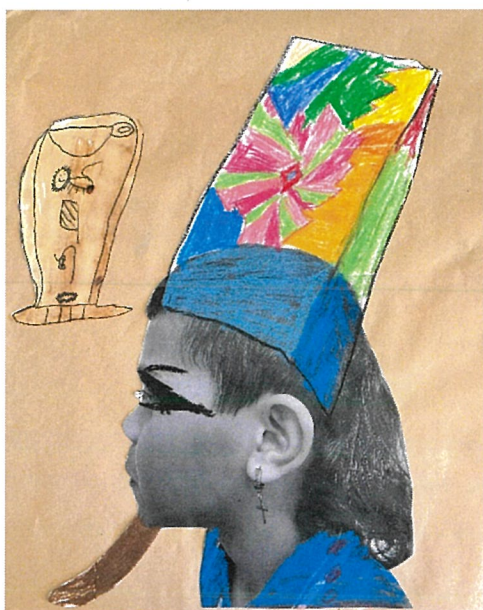
Chicken Burgers



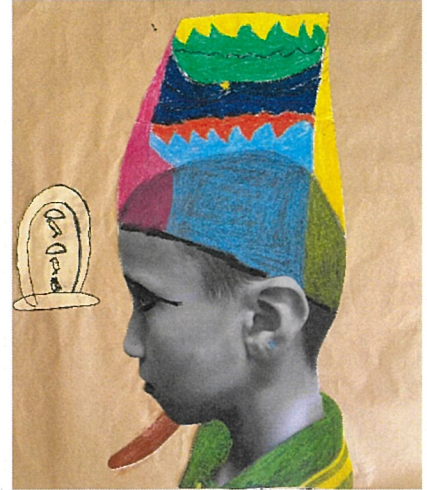


# Ancient Egyptian

## portraits by Years 4/5/6









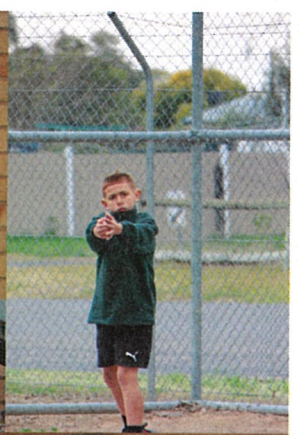
# ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



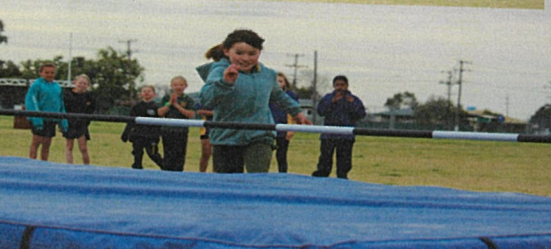
# COONAMBLE













# Gulargambone Central School Term 3 Calendar 2022

W5	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> August	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> August	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> August School Photo's	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> August Love Bites	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> August
W6	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> August	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> August	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> August
W7	Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> August	Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> August	Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> August	Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> September C.S Touch Finals Dubbo	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September Primary Regional Athletics
W8	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September Check in Assessments Yr 6 HSC Trails	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September Check in Assessments Yr 6 HSC Trails	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> September Check in Assessments Yr 6 HSC Trails	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> September Check in Assessments Yr 6 HSC Trails	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> September Check in Assessments Yr 6 Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> Melbourne Excursion
W9	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> September Melbourne Excursion	Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> September Melbourne Excursion	Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September Melbourne Excursion	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> September Melbourne Excursion	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September Melbourne Excursion
W10	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> September Preliminary Exam	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> September Preliminary Exam	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> September Secondary Boys Cricket @ Dubbo Preliminary Exam	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September Naidoc Day Preliminary Exam	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September LAST DAY OF TERM Preliminary Exam