

GOOLMA COMMUNITY VOICE

WELCOME TERM 4

How exciting to welcome our new family to Goolma Public. Jett, Jaida and Izakk have quickly settled in and very busy in both the playground and the classroom. The bicycles are certainly getting a workout!

The new term got off to a roaring start with 68 of our best friends from our Mudgee Small Schools Network (MSSN) to celebrate NAIDOC with Brian, Darren and Anthony from the Dubbo AECG team. Artefacts, coolamon making, dance, story and games packed into the day.

We will be developing a Bush tucker garden at school as part of our bio-diversity theme. I will attend the AECG meetings at Gulgong and also seek information from ICan nursery in Dubbo. The aim is to increase our understanding of these plants and use them in our cooking.

November 19 will see us set off with our MSSN friends heading to Broken Bay Sport and Recreation Centre on the Hawkesbury River accessed by a ferry ride. We will experience an amazing list of activities which we will share with you upon our return. There will be many activities relating to water!

We continue to build our friendship with Ballimore Public as we have been invited to attend their Zumba lessons for the 3 following Fridays. We will make the most of this wonderful opportunity. Thank you for inviting us Mrs Turnbull. Plus we will again be guests at Ballimore Public for the performance Shekere Beats which will be right up our gum tree as is an African drumming performance.

We are just finalising swimming for this term's sport and swimming school to start off next term which will lead smoothly into the MSSN swimming carnival.



Our student leaders will guide us through the official October Backyard bird count. They would encourage everyone to download the app and record your bird count.

Remember the MWRC's Library van will be here for any members to use. November 28th will be the next visit.

Playgroup will be on Tuesday mornings to enable others in our community to attend. It's a very pleasant social event introducing the children to their new friends. We share Crunch and Sip break together then morning tea with a play session all together.

As we move into the warmer weather all are reminded to bring and drink lots of water. We are exceptionally responsible regarding the wearing of our hats.



GOOLMA PUBLIC SCHOOL

By Effort We Achieve



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At Goolma Public School we work and play together in a collaborative atmosphere to celebrate and support each other's milestones and achievements.

Our Strengths;

Professional staff supporting individual learning

Regular Video Conference lessons with our network of small schools

We provide learning plans for all our students to meet their specific needs

Check our website for regular updates on upcoming community events such as Remembrance Day, Grandparents day, Book Week, Clean up Australia Day and many others

Advanced technology with all children having access to Laptops, I-Pads, interactive whiteboards and assisted technology as required

A diverse range of non-classroom activities including excursions to Canberra Sydney and local areas of interest and guest speakers from local community organisations

Our garden to plate Friday classroom is where students prepare and cook their lunch and don't forget our weekly Playgroup each Thursdays 9.30-11.00 enabling a smooth transition for your child into Goolma Public School

To make an appointment to discuss your child's lifelong learning journey at Goolma Public School, call us on 02 6374 0272 or email us at goolma-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au



Goolma Public School provides a comprehensive, high quality education from Kindergarden through to Year 6. Our school is truly part of the community. Here parents and children can establish an important network of friends and support that can last a lifetime.

Maze Planting

Everyone Welcome

October 31st at 9.30am

Bring Garden fork, shovel & gloves

Thankyou



Goolma Cup

5th November at 2pm

Everyone Welcome to come and watch the Cup race with us. Please bring a plate for afternoon tea.



Dates to Remember

01/11/2019	Ballimore Zumba
04/11/2019	African Drumming Ballimore
05/11/2019	Goolma Cup
07/11/2019	Library Van



MID-WESTERN REGIONAL COUNCIL MOBILE LIBRARY

THE NEXT LIBRARY VISIT WILL BE **07/11/19**
Reminder to the Goolma Community that the Mobile Library comes to Goolma Public School from **10- 11 am every three weeks** during the school term. Everyone is most welcome to use this service.



GOOLMA BUSH FIRE BRIGADE

For the reporting of an incident or fire please use the EMERGENCY number **000** only. Do not use local numbers or UHF.

For general business contact the Fire Control Officer on 63724434. The UHF CB contact is Channel 12 and is only for general use.

A note from the Teacher:

Welcome back everyone Term 4. A special welcome Izakk, Jaida and Jett who have just started with us. Term 4 is very busy with lots of different events and things happening including Zumba at Ballimore on Friday's, excursion to the Zoo and later in the term Broken Bay also our swimming classes will begin soon.

We had 70 students and teachers from our small schools here last Monday for NAIDOC Day . The children participated in games, singing and dancing with our Aboriginal leaders.



PLAYGROUP

Playgroup is held at the school every Tuesday- starting 9.30 till 11.30 then we join with the students for recess.

P & C News

Next Meeting for P & C is **12/11/2019** at 9.15am. P & C would love to see some new faces among the community, so come and join us for a cuppa.



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