

GOOLMA COMMUNITY VOICE

End Term 1

What a term!!! It could not possibly have been any better. Year 6 girls went to Sydney to attend the Leadership Day plus to see Frozen and to go 10 pin bowling. The Circular Circus and Robotics with our friends at Ballimore Public, Healthy Harold with our friends at Ulan Public, swimming lessons and our small schools carnival, Champion School, Leadership Eco Schools camp for our Year 6 girls at Red Hill EEC ending the term with Ballimore Public sharing our Easter Hat parade and egg hunt with a barbecue lunch.

Not only that but we wish Mrs Fitzgerald a very happy maternity leave. Who needs sleep?!! Mrs Fitzgerald has been an amazing asset to Goolma Public. So we welcome Mr Guy Lewis as our Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday teacher full to busting with ideas and things to do. Best have a restful holiday children.

Which brings us to our next piece of exciting news. We are very pleased to welcome two new families to our excellent school. Sarah comes into Year 2 who has a little sister who was keen to stay. Harrison in kindergarten, has a brother, Noah in Year 2 and another brother, Bryson in Year 4. Welcome everyone.

Mr Hines has been working with the children on Brospeak. We now have a talking stone to use at our meeting circle we draw every day. They will place Yindyamarra signs at all the obvious places throughout the school – just to gently remind us how to behave on country.



We have been successful in winning a Sustainable Schools grant which will involve converting our vegetable gardens to wicking gardens, a bush tucker garden and an aquaponics garden. We are hoping to be able to involve our community in these exciting opportunities.

On ANZAC Day Mr Lewis will have the children prepared to be part of the Goolma ceremony.

Everyone from Goolma Public wishes you a safe and happy Easter with a memorable holiday to follow.



Next term starts with a Staff Development Day (no children). On Friday of week 1 we will be going to Cassilis for the cross country run. Keep training over the holidays everyone. In week 6 Tuesday 25th May we will be joining with our Mudgee Small Schools friends for an excursion to Aussie Bush Camp. Next term Kellie from Red Hill EEC will visit to help us on our way to our silver award with eco schools. We are focussing on waste and water.



Dates to Remember

20/04/2021 School Returns Term 2
23/04/2021 Cross Country Cassilis
30/04/2021 Clean Up Australia
04/05/2021 Zumba Ballimore

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

Goolma is holding an ANZAC Day Service this year 25th April 2021 at the Goolma Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Please be at the Hall by 10.45 for a 11am start.



A note from the Teacher:

Thank You students and staff what a busy term we have had. This term we have been learning about the weather and the different types of clouds. Students have been doing Readings Eggs and Mathletics all with the help of Mr Hines and Miss Irwin who are helping them in the classroom.

Anyone wishing to Advertise Special Announcements please let us know and we will place it in our Newsletter



Ballimore and Goolma students enjoying Easter Celebrations



Return and Earn

Thankyou Jean



Anyone wishing to bring their bottles or cans to the school we thankyou. Jean is picking them up from time to time. To make it easier please put your cans and bottles separate.

MID-WESTERN REGIONAL COUNCIL

MOBILE LIBRARY

THE NEXT LIBRARY VISIT WILL BE 04/03/2021
Reminder to the Goolma Community that the Mobile Library comes to Goolma Public School from 10-15 and 10.45am every three weeks during the school term. Everyone is most welcome to use this service.

GOOLMA BUSH FIRE BRIGADE

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