



GILGANDRA PUBLIC SCHOOL

GRAPEVINE

Term 4

Success through diversity, participation and care

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PBL AWARDS

Congratulations to our recent award recipients:

Merit Awards :

MC Camelot: Isaiha Warren, Lochlan Ireland;

MC 2 Moons: Ryan Reynolds, Kendra Field;

Kinder Bears: Kahlell Priddis, Lyric Shillingsworth, Prahbnoor Kaur, Harmony Raines, Darnan Priddis, Amelia Altmann, Thomas Markey;

K/1 Cat in The Hats: London Bennett, Tatum Shillingsworth, Savannah Bush, Hattie Thomas, Axel Hutchison, Shaleika Knight;

Yr. 1 Gruffalos: Cristin Tobin, Khloe Thompson-Blanch, Emma Moore, Izabelle Kaltenbacher, Charlotte Byrne, James Sandry;

Yr. 2 Magicians: Kaliyah Priddis, Haylee Harland, Breeanna Glenn, Kurt McBurnie, Logan Smith, Maddison Hepplewhite;

3 Builders: Addison Wieland, Te Ruihi Karaitiana, Mason Wieland, Rachel Stanley, Billy Hutchison, Ayla Barnes;

3/4 Adventurers: Callan Tobin, Alex Conolly, Kelarni Pevy-West, Chloe Eason, Cooper Anforth, Callan Tobin;

4/5 Potters: Brayden Glenn, Chloe Love, Lloyd Hammond, Charlie Whiteman, Jhamhal Milgate, Aleah Glenn;

5 Goosebumps: Maya Holland, Gus Howard, Maddie Bush, Taylor Thoms, Xavier Wieland, Manaaki Diamond;

6 Wonders: Ariki Karaitiana, Maddison Amiet, Isaiah Marchant, Cale McEwen, Cobie Carr, Courtney Harland.

Level 1 Lion Certificate: Jhamhal Milgate.

Level 2 Lion Certificates: Brent Cook, Eli Allen, Kaylee Gilbert, Katie Gwyn, Lilly Madgwick, Marshall Parker, Callum Weicks.

Level 3 Lion Certificates: Harmony Johnson, Izabelle Kaltenbacher, Skyla Carr, Joey Lamb, Hannah Moody, Najarra Naden, Maddison Amiet, Micah Aro, Sam Chandler, Kahlea McEwen, Callan Tobin, Mackenah Wieland, Lochy Nolan, Ava Duffy, Cale McEwen, Sarah Keogh, Courtney Harland, Sarah Chandler.

FOR YOUR DIARY

Nov

Mon 2 Early Bird Program Continues

Mon 16 Early Bird Program Ends
Selective H/S Applications for 2022
Close
Yr 2 Swim School Commences

Farewell-Staff Changes

Georgia Westcott will be leaving Gilgandra Public School on Friday 13 November to commence work at Peak Hill Central School following a successful transfer application. The school community wish her all the best in the new role and thank her for her tireless enthusiasm, professionalism and support of students, staff and community whilst at Gilgandra Public School. Congratulations also to Georgia and her partner Luke on their recent engagement.

Terri-Lee Naden will teach Kindergarten Bears for the last five weeks of Term 4.

2020 Swim School

Learn to Swim classes for Year 2 students will be conducted for 9 days commencing **Monday 16 November**. Students will walk to and from the pool between 12pm and 1.45pm supervised by a teacher and will participate in activities taught by Austswim trained teachers Miss Cohen and Mr Smithers. Due to Covid-19 restrictions Swim School will be conducted over three weeks on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to enable the pool time to be shared with St Josephs. The Swim School will provide nine lessons for your child therefore the cost will be \$9 which will cover the entry to the pool for each day. **A note was sent to Year 2 Parents/Carers on Monday 19 October.**

2020 NAIDOC Week-Always Was, Always Will Be.

Always Was, Always Will Be recognises that First Nations people have occupied and cared for this continent for over 65,000 years. They are spiritually and culturally connected to this country.

This year Gilgandra Public School will celebrate NAIDOC Week (8-15 November) on Friday 13 November with class-based activities from 9:15-11:15 am, followed by a sausage sizzle, then an assembly at 12pm to present the Ralph and Audrey Naden Award and class awards.

Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 restrictions parents/carers are not permitted onsite so the event will be posted on the school Facebook page.

Student Representative Council (SRC) 2021

Year 5 have been informed that nominations for the 2021 SRC (Captains and Prefects) are being taken by the Principal and speeches will be delivered at the Week 7 (Friday 27 November) assembly to the school and staff before voting. Voting is restricted to Year 2 to Year 5 students and staff to determine the outcome of the elections. Students have been informed that they may seek assistance with their speeches from Mrs Rogers, Miss Nelson, Ms Williams and Mrs Howard to discuss the content after they write their draft first.

Online Enrolments

Gilgandra Public School is now able to accept enrolments online. If you wish to enrol a student (any year) you can do this by going to our school website and clicking on the enrolment tab.