



# GILGANDRA PUBLIC SCHOOL

## GRAPEVINE

Term 4

**Success through diversity, participation and care** 23 November 2021,

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### FOR YOUR DIARY

<b>Nov</b>		
Mon	29	Yr 2 Swimming Scheme Commences
<b>Dec</b>		
Fri	10	Yr 2 Swimming Scheme Ends Final Day for Student Banking
Tue	14	Yr 6 Presentation & Farewell from 6pm
Wed	15	Yrs K-2 Presentations Yrs 3-5 Presentations
<b>2022</b>		
<b>Jan</b>		
Frid	28	Staff Development Day - Pupil Free
Mon	31	Staff Development Day - Pupil Free
<b>Feb</b>		
Tue	1	Year 6 and Kindergarten Commence
Wed	2	All Students Return

### Merit Awards

**Congratulations to the following students who received awards recently:**

**MC Narnia:** Lochlan Ireland,  
**MC Gumnuts:** Kendra Field,  
**Kinder Alpacas:** Levi Burrell, Zayse Milson, Jenson Brown,  
**Kinder / One Possums:** Gordon Sharpe, Jayden Sutherland, Amelia Altmann,  
**Year One / Two Wild Things:** Shonnala Saunders, Charlie Le Lievre, Toby Starr,  
**Year Two Emus:** Ivy Allen, Savannah Bush, Florence Harvey,  
**Year Three Inventors:** Breeanna Glenn, Jack Makila, Kobi Wright,  
**Year Four / Five Guya:** Jayman Priddis, Chloe Love, Lucas Bamblett-Thompson,  
**Year Five/Six Dragons:** Alex Conolly, Dallas Carr, Cooper Anforth,  
**Year Six Warriors:** Glynn McIlwain, Aali-yah Priddis, Taylor Thoms.

### Student Banking

Even though the CommBank School Banking program will not be returning to school after this year, you can continue to make deposits into your child's Dollarmite account through online transfers or at any CommBank branch. If you need further information please phone 132 221 or visit your local CommBank branch .

### 2022 School Leaders

On Friday 19 November, sixteen Year 5 students gave their leadership speeches to both the K-2 and Year 3-6 assemblies before the voting on Monday 22 November. The sixteen students were videoed by Mrs Briggs who uploaded the speeches to both the school Facebook page and their student emails so that parents/carers would not miss out. Covid restrictions prevented parent/carer attendance as it was an indoor assembly. All students were congratulated on their well-presented speeches and clear articulation. The school leadership team will be announced on Wednesday 15 November at the Year 3-5 Presentation Assembly.

### Presentation Assemblies and Year 6 Farewell

Currently Gilgandra Public School have planned for the Year 6 Farewell Dinner to be held at the Gilgandra RSL on Tuesday 14 December at 6pm followed by the presentation of awards back at school. The K-2 and Year 3-5 Presentation Day Assemblies will be held on Wednesday 15 December at a time to be finalised. At this stage due to Level 3 Covid Restrictions for schools only two fully vaccinated adults may attend for the prize winners. With this restriction the school is planning for outdoor assemblies so that unvaccinated parents/carers may attend and view from outside the school fence. Further information will be forwarded closer to the event dates.

### Starting dates for 2022

Gilgandra Public School staff will have professional learning on Friday 28 January and Monday 31 January. These dates will be pupil free. Year 6 and Kindergarten will return on Tuesday 1 February together so that they can meet their buddies and have time to explore their new playground and classrooms. All students should be present on Wednesday 2 February to commence the school year.

### PBL Awards

**Level 1:** Kirsten Louie,  
**Level 2:** Kieran Priddis,  
**Level 3:** Kendra Field, Ryan Byrne, Jhyraa Semmler, Toby Starr, Brent Cook, Acacia Fleck,  
**Level 4:** Hugh Harvey, Levi Burrell, Hannah Wieland, Kahlell Priddis, Amelia Altmann, London Bennett, Jaydan Sutherland, Hattie Thomas, Kaliyah Priddis, Amarni Thurston, Skyla Carr, Sam, Chandler, Acacia Reiri-White, Xaviar Weiland, Gus Howard.

## GILGANDRA SERVICES CLUB



*Our famous Christmas Raffle and Members Christmas Party is on  
Sunday 12th December Starting at 1pm with heaps of fun stuff for the Kids*

*Santa will be here at 4 and Members munchies at 5.*

*Christmas Raffle will begin at 6 with 50 prizes to be won \$2 a ticket.*



**Free kids Magic Show  
Thursday 13th of  
January 2022 at  
1pm  
1 hour kids Magic  
Show + 1 hour Magic  
kids Workshop with  
"Trace of Magic"  
@ Gilgandra Services  
Club**

