

# Gilgandra Public School

Safe, Respectful, Learners



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## Peachy-Richardson Shield - Coonamble

Dear Parents and Carers,

Your child has been selected to play in the Gilgandra Public School Rugby League Team, participating in the Peachey-Richardson Shield. The round-robin Gala Day will be held at Coonamble Sports Grounds Coonamble, on Tuesday, 9 April.

**Transport:** The school will provide a bus to transport the team to and from the venue. Mr Adam Smithers Mr David Smith and Mrs Zoe Howard will supervise students. The bus will cost \$5 per student to cover fuel costs. Seats on the bus are limited and will only be reserved on payment to the office. If you would like to take your child home at the end of the day, please see Mr Smithers before leaving to mark them off the roll.

**What to bring:** Students must provide their own recess, lunch, and snacks for the day. They will also be required to bring adequate water. Students must bring a hat and have a jumper and rain jacket packed in their bag in case of bad weather. Sunscreen is highly recommended.

**Equipment:** All students MUST wear a mouthguard on the field. It is also recommended that students wear headgear. The school will NOT provide mouthguards and headgear. Students will be provided with a school football jersey. They are required to wear navy blue shorts and suitable footwear. Football boots can be worn.

This year, the completion will be a developmental competition only, meaning that no scores will be tracked to encourage participation and enjoyment. Parents and carers are welcome to attend and are encouraged to cheer on fair play and good sportsmanship. Parents and carers are also reminded that the junior referees are developing and practicing their skills, and inappropriate or aggressive comments or gestures will not be tolerated.

Kind Regards,

Adam Smithers  
Sports Coordinator  
Gilgandra Public School

I give permission for my child ..... to participate in the Peachy-Richardson Shield on Tuesday 9 April at Coonamble Sportsground, Coonamble. I have paid \$5 to the office if my child is traveling to the Gala Day on the bus.

Medication: .....

Signed: .....

Parent/Carer

Date: .....