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# Goolie Newsletter

## Term 4 Week 3



### Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018

It has been such a busy start to Term 4 that it is hard to believe that it's already Week 3! I would like to thank our parents and staff who came to school a couple of weekends ago to help assist with our front walkway garden. It looks amazing!

**WARNING:** Please speak to your children about the importance of seeking an adult immediately if they witness any reptiles on school grounds or on their way to school. With the weather warming up, we are aware that there are some slithery and sneaky animals about.

### Kindergarten Orientation

Our Kindergarten Orientation has been extremely successful the past couple of weeks. A big thank you to Mrs Lofthouse for running these and for our wonderful new students. We are looking forward to watching you develop over your time here at Gooloogong Public School.

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 9:20-11:20

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October – 9:20-3:00

### Jindabyne Excursion

Next week is our Jindabyne excursion! We are so excited to be taking all students K-6 away for the week. Please ensure that you help your child pack for the excursion. The weather forecast for Jindabyne is a lot cooler than in Gooloogong, especially at nights. As a matter of necessity, please pack some warm clothing, a sleeping bag, pillow and a hat. Also a reminder to check Facebook on the Friday for our anticipated pick up time.

MON NOV 5		Partly Cloudy	22°/11°
TUE NOV 6		Partly Cloudy	21°/9°
WED NOV 7		Partly Cloudy	17°/6°
THU NOV 8		Sunny	17°/7°
FRI NOV 9		Partly Cloudy	18°/7°

### Home Readers

Home Reading is a valuable homework activity that dramatically improves the confidence of reading within children. Please make sure your child is reading at home for at least 10 minutes each evening. A number of students have not



been bringing back their home readers regularly. Please encourage them to do so.

### State Athletics Assembly

While you read this newsletter, Brayden, Archie, Harry and Malaki will be on their way to Sydney to compete in the 100m relay at State Athletics. We wish them all the very best and know that they will do extremely well. Go team Goolie!



### Swim School

Our Swim School program has been confirmed for Week 9 (10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> December). A note with further details will be sent home after our excursion.

Mr Mitchell Welham

Principal

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Week 3

Monday	29 <sup>th</sup> October	
Tuesday	30 <sup>th</sup> October	Kindergarten Orientation
Wednesday	31 <sup>st</sup> October	State Athletics - Sydney
Thursday	1 <sup>st</sup> November	State Athletics - Sydney
Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> November	

#### Week 4

Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> November	Depart school at 6:00am Jindabyne Excursion
Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> November	Jindabyne Excursion
Wednesday	7 <sup>th</sup> November	Jindabyne Excursion
Thursday	8 <sup>th</sup> November	Jindabyne Excursion
Friday	9 <sup>th</sup> November	Jindabyne Excursion Return to school around 6:30pm.

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## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT



## JINDABYNE EXCURSION

### What to Pack

Please label all clothing, towels and sleeping bag with your child's name.

- \$10 for dinner at McDonalds on the way home.
- Shorts and t-shirts (no singlets, sleeveless or midriff tops)
- Jeans
- Broad brim hat.
- Jumpers and tracksuit pants
- Socks and underwear
- Raincoat
- Warm jacket (winter only)
- Three layers of warm clothing (or all-year round at Jindabyne)
- Pyjamas
- Swimming costume and rashie shirt (there will be no water activities, but just in case)
- Sunscreen, sun hat and sunglasses
- Two pairs of running shoes (one old pair to wear in the water)
- Toiletries, soap, lip balm and insect repellent (no aerosols)
- Two towels
- Pillow, sleeping bag or doona and two single flat sheets (Sydney Academy provide pillows)
- Day backpack
- Paper, pens or pencils
- Plastic bags for dirty or wet clothes
- Medication (if required)
- Handkerchief or tissues
- Water bottle

### Optional

- Camera
- Up to \$30 for souvenirs

### What NOT to bring

- Aerosol cans (i.e. spray-on deodorant or insect repellent)
- Mobile phones and other electronic devices
- Lollies or chewing gum
- Jewellery
- Anything valuable (The Office of Sport and the school takes no responsibility for the loss or damage to a client's personal property, including money or other valuable items)