



THURSDAY 5th August
TERM 3 WEEK 4 NEWSLETTER



A WORD FROM THE PRINCIPAL

It has been a busy couple of weeks at school! A pyjama day was held last week with a donut eating competition and a colouring competition. The students had a wonderful day and I would like to extend a big thank you to all staff for making this day such a success. Jeans for Genes day will be held next Friday 13th August and students and staff are invited to don the denim for a gold coin donation, going to the Children's Medical Research Institute.

Notes were sent home earlier this week to advise that the small schools camp to Jindabyne has been postponed. Unfortunately, we were edging closer to a time where refunds would no longer be possible if ongoing restrictions were to lead to a cancellation. The hard decision was made by schools in order to allow complete refunds to all families. It is hoped that a camp can be organised in Term 4, 2022.

It has been fantastic to see both classes immersing themselves in the Tokyo 2020 Olympics. I have had some great conversations with students about their favourite sports, teams and individual athletes. To coincide with the games, our behaviour focus this fortnight has been sportsmanship. Staff have been witnessing some great examples in the playground with students encouraging team members when playing games and acknowledging effort and skill. We will still maintain a focus on how to lose gracefully by congratulating opponents and also how to win gracefully by enjoying victory without gloating.

Enjoy the rest of the games!

**DISTRICT
ATHLETICS
CARNIVAL
POSTPONED**

The carnival has been postponed again until Wednesday 8th September, 2021. Another permission note has been sent home with the students who are participating.



**Week 3
Winners**

Evie
Emily



**Week 4
Winners**

Valerie
Ellie



**RECESS
BUY UP**





Windellama

Public School

**COMBINED SMALL SCHOOLS 3–6 CAMP AT JINDABYNE
POSTPONED UNTIL 2022**

The combined small schools camp has been postponed until 2022, all monies collected will be refunded. Once a new date has been decided, all students and families will be advised.



GOULBURN MARTIAL ARTS ACADEMY

The students have been really enjoying the Taekwondo program that is being conducted by Craig Harmer from Goulburn Martial Arts Academy.



SPECIAL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (Scripture)

For those students that attend weekly scripture with Mr Hookham, they will now have two lessons a term for an hour at a time. The scripture lesson will remain on a Thursday afternoon as per previous lessons.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 3

EVENTS	DATES
Jeans for Genes Day	Week 5, Friday 13 th August
District Athletics Carnival	Week 9, Wednesday 8 th September