



Gerringong Public School Term 4 Week 9



Weekly Newsletter Term 4 Week 9
2020

7th December



Upcoming events



2020

Term 4, Week 9

Tuesday 8th December	Year 6 Jamberoo Day
Wednesday 9th Dec	Kindergarten and Years 1 and 2 Presentation Day Years 3, 4 and 5 Presentation Day
Thursday 10th December	Year 6 Graduation/Farewell Year 3 and 4 Party Day
Friday 11th December	K- 2 Celebration Year 5 Party Day at Boat Harbour

Term 4, Week 10

Monday 14th December	K- 6 Celebrations of Learning Reports home
Wednesday 16th December	Last Day of Term for students 2020

Looking further ahead

January 29th 2021	First Day of School for students Y1-6
January 29, February 1,2	Kindergarten Best Start
February 4th 2021	First Day of Kindergarten

Principal's Message

This week is certainly a busy one as we begin the second last week of Term. The P&C meeting, Presentation Days, a final staff meeting, the Year 6 Graduation and Farewell as well as party days and the Y6 Jamberoo Action Park day out. Wow! what a week!! Thank you so much to all of our school staff. These things couldn't be possible without your hard work and commitment to the students and the school.

A Proud Moment

I was so proud of our current Year 5 students who had nominated to be our 2021 student leaders. All of the students did an outstanding job in delivering their speech and although I am sure some probably felt nervous, it certainly didn't show in their delivery. There is something very special about seeing students who I have known since Kindergarten present themselves as mature, caring and responsible future leaders. I would like to congratulate all of them and thank Mr Campbell and Mrs Baines for their organisation. Obviously not everyone can be successful but that is part of growing and learning. Although there may be a moment of disappointment by some, my message is not to give up but to reflect and continue to pursue your goals. I would like to acknowledge our current Student Leadership Team who have done an outstanding job this year.





[Year 6 off to High School](#)

Last week our Year 6 students participated in transition to High School. They were certainly very excited to have a high school experience for a day. I spoke to some of the students when they returned and overall I think it was a "thumbs up" for the experience.

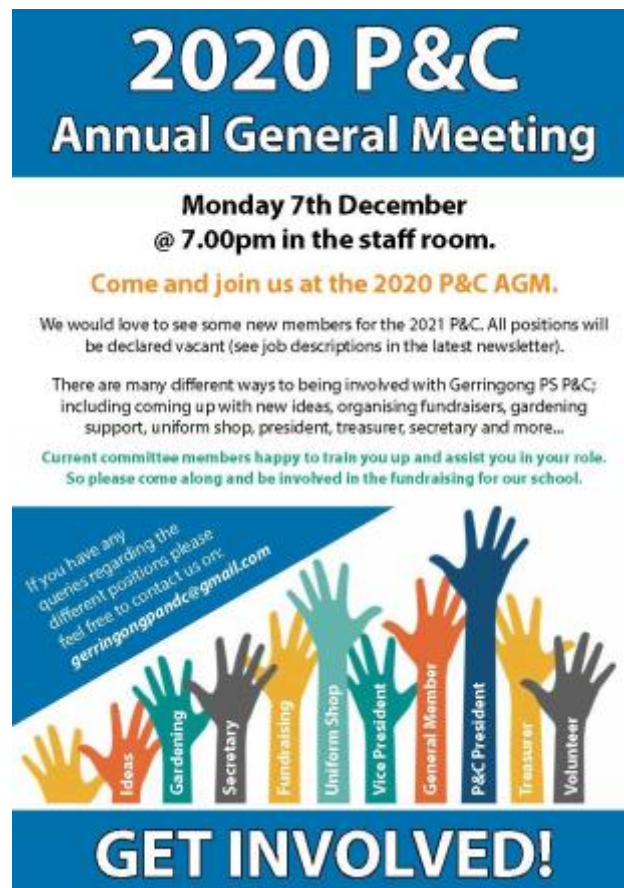


Presentation Day Assemblies

This week we will be holding our Presentation Day Assemblies. They will certainly be a little different to previous years however the thing that will still be the same is an opportunity to celebrate the achievements of each student in our school.

Families received a note last week, explaining the COVID organisation that will need to be followed. Please make yourself familiar with what is required. I am looking forward to hearing about the many goals that our students have achieved and the recognition of the efforts both academically and socially that the students have displayed throughout the year.

P&C Tonight We would love to see you there. In the staffroom at 7pm. Come along and bring a friend!



**2020 P&C
Annual General Meeting**

**Monday 7th December
@ 7.00pm in the staff room.**

Come and join us at the 2020 P&C AGM.

We would love to see some new members for the 2021 P&C. All positions will be declared vacant (see job descriptions in the latest newsletter).

There are many different ways to being involved with Gerringong PS P&C; including coming up with new ideas, organising fundraisers, gardening support, uniform shop, president, treasurer, secretary and more...

Current committee members happy to train you up and assist you in your role.
So please come along and be involved in the fundraising for our school.

If you have any queries regarding the different positions please feel free to contact us on: gerringongpandc@gmail.com

Ideas Gardening Secretary Fundraising Uniform Shop Vice President General Member P&C President Treasurer Volunteer

GET INVOLVED!

Office News

Please be advised that as of Term 1 2021 No EFTPOS payments can be accepted over the phone. Our POP (Parent Online Payment) system via the website is the most efficient method of payment - please call the office on 42 341 376 if you are unsure of the procedure.

School News

Congratulations GPS on having an award winning garden!!





Congratulations Wave Winners-Week 8!





Canteen News





GERRINGONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

Canteen Menu - Summer

Online lunch orders only,
please place your
children's orders through
flexischools

SANDWICHES

Toasted add 50 cents

Vegetarian, Honey or Jam	\$2.00
Cheese	\$2.50
Cheese & Tomato	\$2.50
Baked Beans	\$2.50
Spaghetti	\$2.50
Ham	\$2.50
Ham & Cheese	\$3.00
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$3.50
Ham & salad	\$4.00
Egg, lettuce & mayo (local processed eggs)	\$3.50
Salad	\$3.50
Wrap ADD	\$0.50
Chicken Free ADD	\$1.00

WEEKLY SPECIALS

Monday and Friday

Vegetarian Roll (Canteen Made)	\$3.50
Spinach & Ricotta Roll (Canteen Made)	\$3.50
Sausage Roll	\$3.50
Traveler Pie	\$4.00
Albion Park Pie	\$4.00

Tuesday

Chicken Nuggets x 6	\$4.00
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Thursday

Taste Journey check flexischools for pricing

15 th Oct Mexico : Marito's	
22 nd Oct Japan : Sushi or Chicken Katsu	
29 th Oct Italy : Pizza & Spaghetti Carbonara	
5 th Nov India : Butter Chicken, Rice & Naan Bread	
12 th Nov USA : Hamburgers & Milkshakes	
19 th Nov China : Noodles & Dumplings	
26 th Nov Korea : Fried rice & kimchi	
3 rd Dec Sweden : Meatball Sub	
10 th Dec New Zealand : Fish & Chips	

Snack Specials

Changing weekly

Weekly special (savoury or mini) muffins	\$0.50
Seasonal fruit with yoghurt or custard	\$1.50

EVERYDAY MEALS

Seasonal Super Salad	\$3.50
(Lettuce, Tomato, Cucumber, Carrot and Beetroot)	
add egg or ham	\$1.00
add crumbed chicken strip	\$2.00
Seasonal Soup & Roll	\$4.00
Crumbed chicken strip	\$2.00
Hot Chicken Wrap	\$4.00
Flame Grilled Chicken Burger	\$4.50
Mai 'n' Cheese	\$4.00
Beef Lasagne	\$4.00
Penne Bolognese	\$4.00
Penne Bolognese GF (Canteen made)	\$4.50
Pizza Revolution	\$4.00

SNACKS

Seasonal Fruit	\$1.00
Veggie Sticks	\$1.00
Popsicle	\$1.00
Sea Salt Red Rock Deli Chips	\$1.50
Mixed Cereal Cup	\$0.50

FROZEN SNACKS

Small quiche stick	\$0.50
Large quiche stick	\$1.00
Frozen Fruit & Yoghurt (canteen made)	\$1.50
Frozen Milk Cap (canteen made)	\$0.50
Frozen Aisle (canteen made)	\$0.50
Twisted Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.50
Frozen Aisle	\$1.00

DRINKS

Water	\$1.00
Plain Milk	\$1.00
Flavoured Milk	\$2.00
Fruit Juice	\$1.50



The canteen is heading to New Zealand this week - Fish n chips are on the menu!

Community News



Disclaimer: Gerringong Public School advertises in this column as a service to parents. Gerringong Public School does not endorse or accept responsibility for the management or organisation of the advertised events or services. Please note: The community deadline is 12 noon on Friday. Items received after this time will not be published until the following week.



With COVID-19 restrictions easing, Holiday Fun is back!

This time we have a great two days in the week before Christmas. Celebrate the holidays with games, craft, friends & the Christmas story! Check out the details below...

- **Who?** Your Holiday Fun aged child (Years K-6) is invited to come celebrate!
- **When?** Thursday 17th–Friday 18th Dec from 9am-3pm each day (come either or both days)
- **Where?** Gerringong Anglican Church (corner of Blackwood & Fern Streets)
- **What to wear?** Casual clothes that are suitable for loads of craft & outdoor play
- **What to bring?** A small bag, water bottle and a hat (all clearly labelled)
- **How much will it cost?** \$20 per child for first day then \$15 per child for the second day
- **What's included?** Morning & Arvo tea consisting of one snack & a piece of fruit and a sandwich & fruit for lunch. All materials for separate craft activities each day and stacks more
- **How do I book?** Go to gerringonganglican.org.au and click on the link to **Christmas Holiday Fun**
- **Can I bring a friend?** Feel free to share this invitation with your primary school-aged friends

Any questions, contact Jon Clare on 0408 404 746 or holidayfun@gerringonganglican.org.au

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Free Community Walk

Kiama 5x5

5km, once a week, 5 weeks.

5x5 is a free, non-competitive community walking event for people at all levels of fitness and ability. Participants **walk** and **talk** over a 5km course (or comfortable distance) one morning a week for 5 weeks.

- Wednesday **18 November**
- Wednesday **25 November**
- Wednesday **2 December**
- Wednesday **9 December**
- Wednesday **16 December**

10am - 11.30am

**Joyce Wheatley
Community Centre**
107 Terralong St, Kiama

Register:
kiama5x5.eventbrite.com.au

For enquiries: Jessica Seymour
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or e. jessica@healthycities.org.au

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**CHATS
FOR CHANGE**

 **Lifeline**
South Coast

FITFORLIFE in KIAMA!

Lake Illawarra PCYC are coming to KIAMA
and running a FREE fitness session open to all
school aged children every Tuesday morning!

*Where: Black Beach Reserve
(just across from The Sebel Kiama)*

When: Every Tuesday morning

Time: 7:00am to 8:00am

Cost: Free (Breakfast bars and water provided)

Transport to school can be provided if required

Hope to see you there, it's a powerful way to start the day!

For any enquiries contact Senior Constable Keating
on 4296 4448.



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Learning Labs January 2021

An academic enrichment program for students from
Years 1 to 6. Check out what's on offer below and find out
more about our workshops and the application process
online: uowc.info/learninglabs

The poster features a photograph of two young children, a boy and a girl, sitting at a table and working on a project. The boy is on the left, looking at the camera with his hands on his face. The girl is on the right, looking down at her work. They are both wearing red lanyards. The background is a purple wall with a white logo of the University of Wollongong Australia. Large red letters 'U' and 'W' are overlaid on the image.

What's on in January

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