



Gerringong Public School Term 3 Week 1



Fortnightly Newsletter Term 3 Week 1

18th July 2022

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Families,

Welcome back to Term 3! I hope everyone has had a wonderful break from school despite the weather that was thrown at us in the first week! We are hitting the ground running at Gerringong Public School with Southern Stars Rehearsals on Thursday, Boys Cricket and a NAIDOC Week Assembly on Friday. We are also in the final stages of having the roof replaced. If the weather holds out, it should be completed by Week 2. Staff and students are looking forward to having their playground and walkways restored.

As we ride the next wave of Covid-19-Omicron, I have provided a link to the Department of Education's Advice for Families page. <https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>

This has all the latest information around guidelines and restrictions for our school. It is important for staff and students to stay at home if they are displaying any cold and flu symptoms to minimise the spread of all viruses. Please continue to notify the school if your child/ren have tested positive to Covid-19. We are continuing to protect our school community by ensuring regular hand washing, ventilation and daily additional cleaning to high touch surfaces. More RAT kits will be sent home shortly for student use. Thank you for your continuing support throughout this pandemic.

NAIDOC Week Assembly

We will be holding a NAIDOC Week assembly on Friday, 22nd July. Parents and community members are welcome to join us at 2pm. Students will be participating in activities throughout the week to learn more about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, their culture and their achievements. We hope to see you there.

P & C Meeting

The P & C meeting has been postponed tonight due to the unavailability of the committee. The next P & C is scheduled for Monday, 15th August.

Beanies 4 Brain Cancer

Congratulations to the staff and students for supporting our Beanies 4 Brain Cancer Fundraiser. The students raised \$694.10 and a big thank you to the canteen for providing a special Hotdog lunch menu item. This added another \$200 to our fundraising.





Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking competition

Congratulations to Rose D. for winning the 2022 Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking competition. This involved recording her speech and submitting it to a panel of judges for marking against other local students. She now progresses to the Regional finals in August.



Week 10 Wave Winners

Congratulations to the Week 10 Wave Winners.

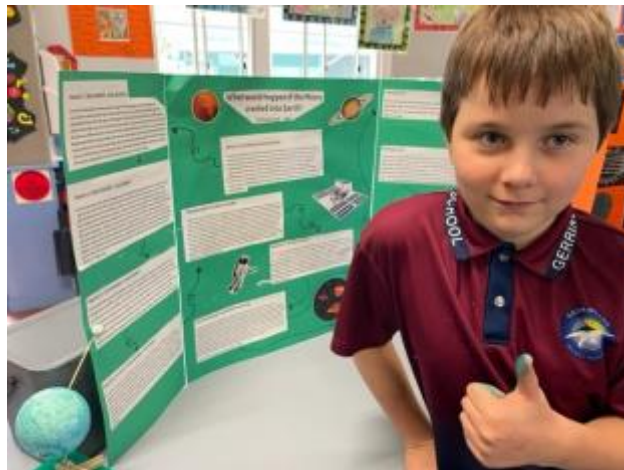


Stage 3 Science Fair



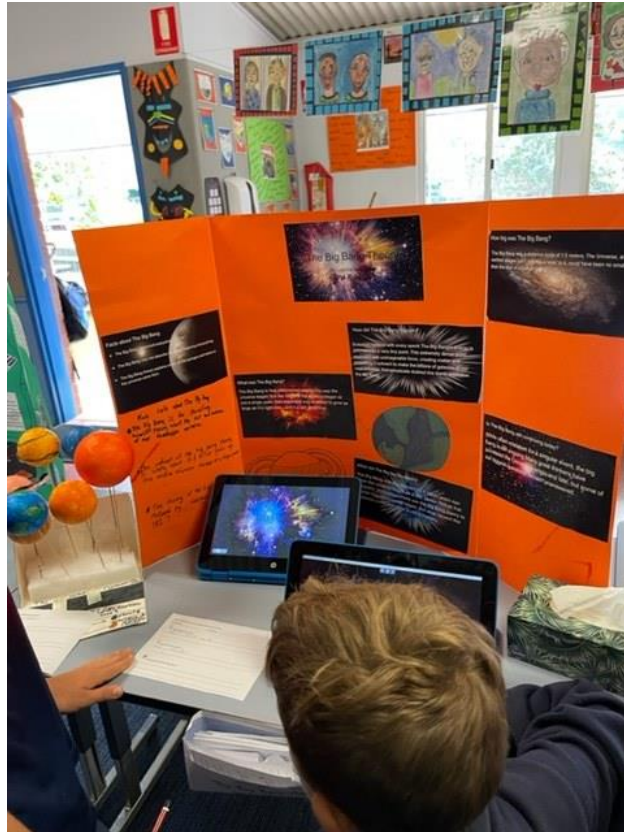


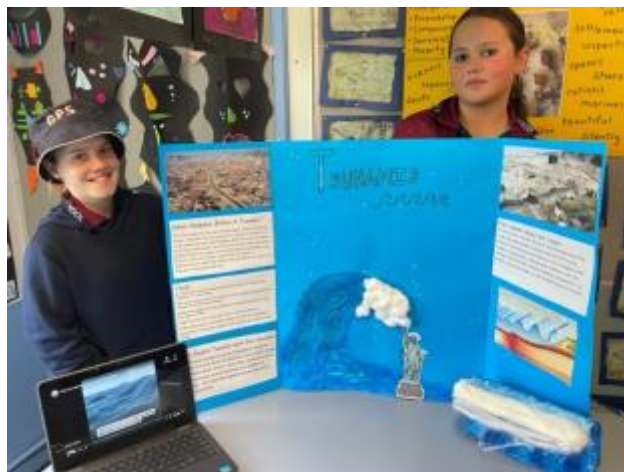
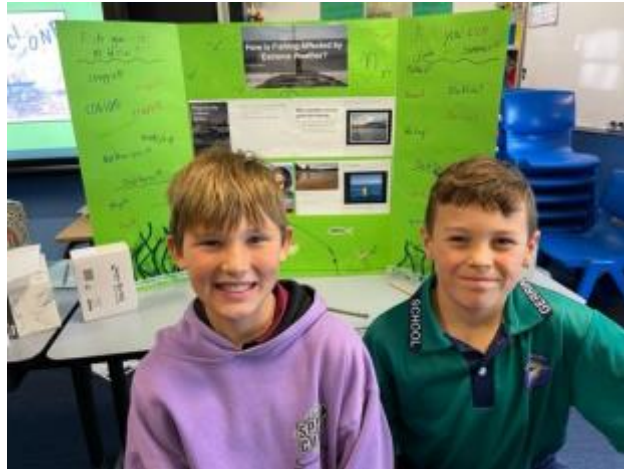






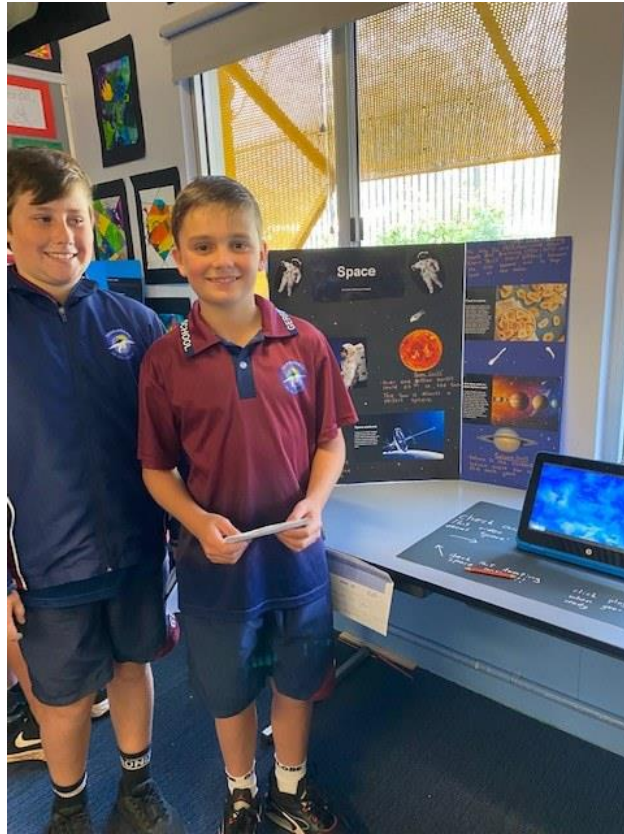


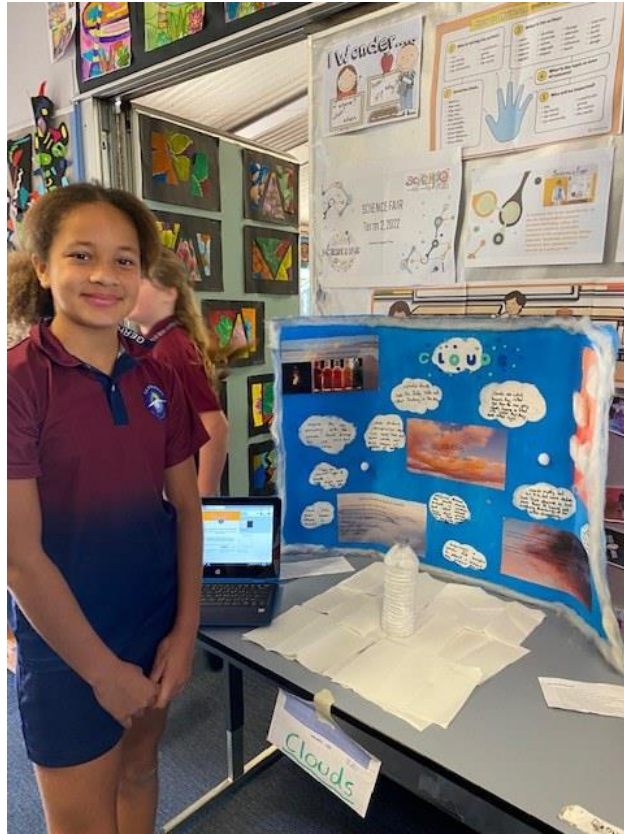


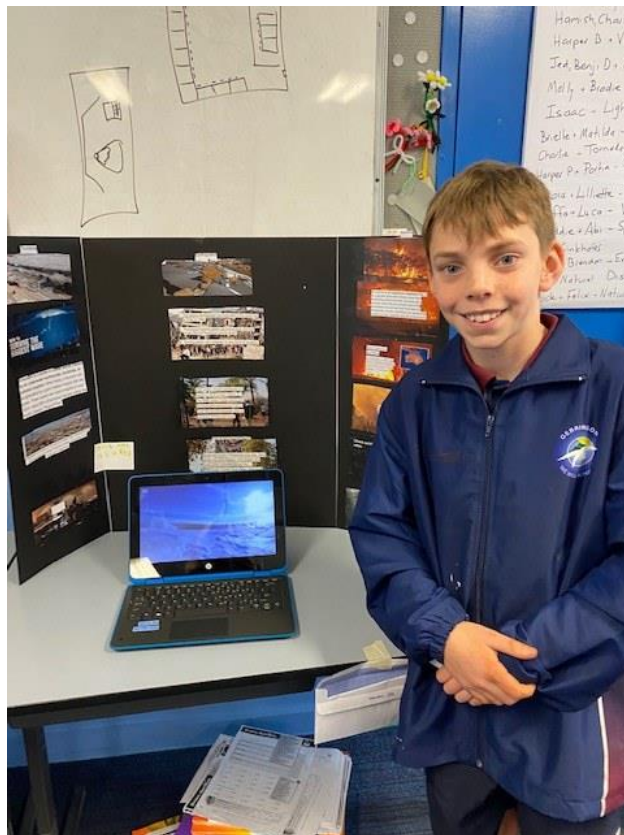


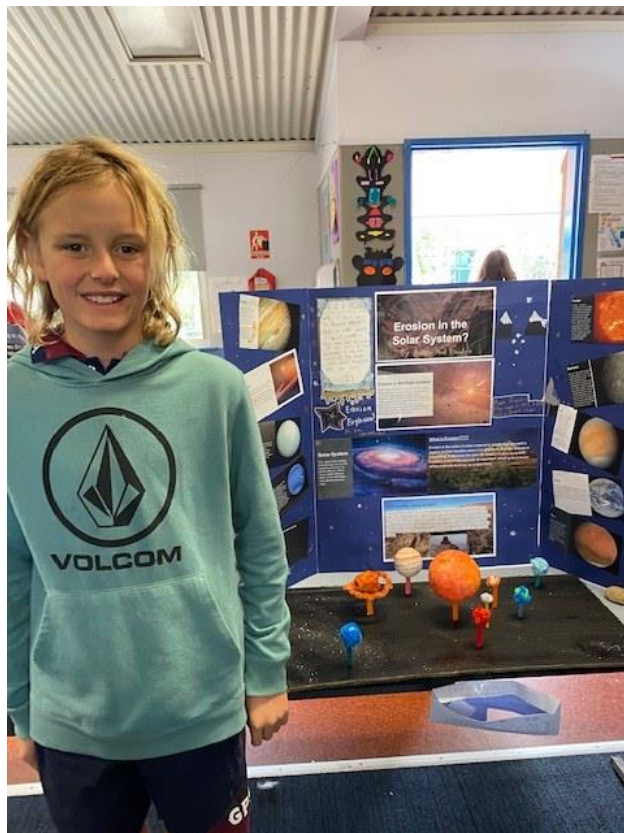


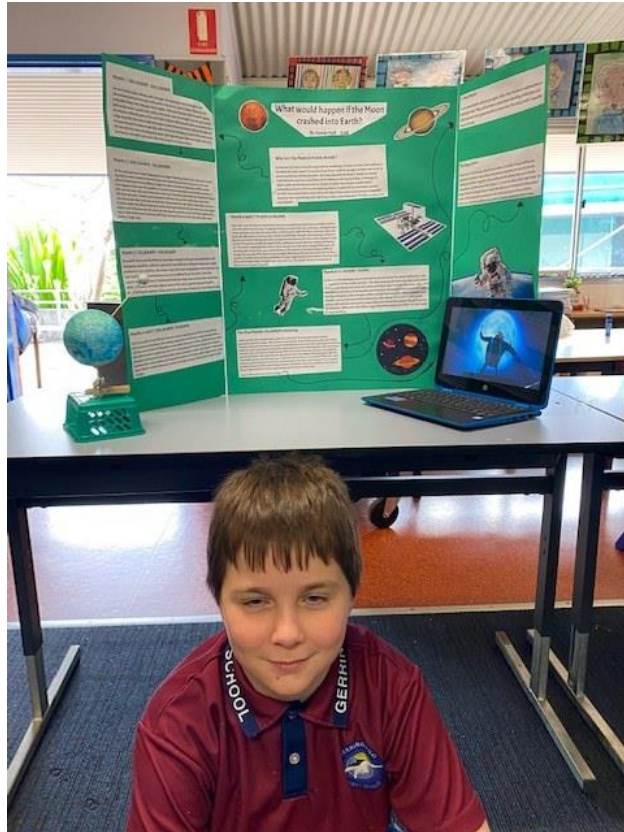


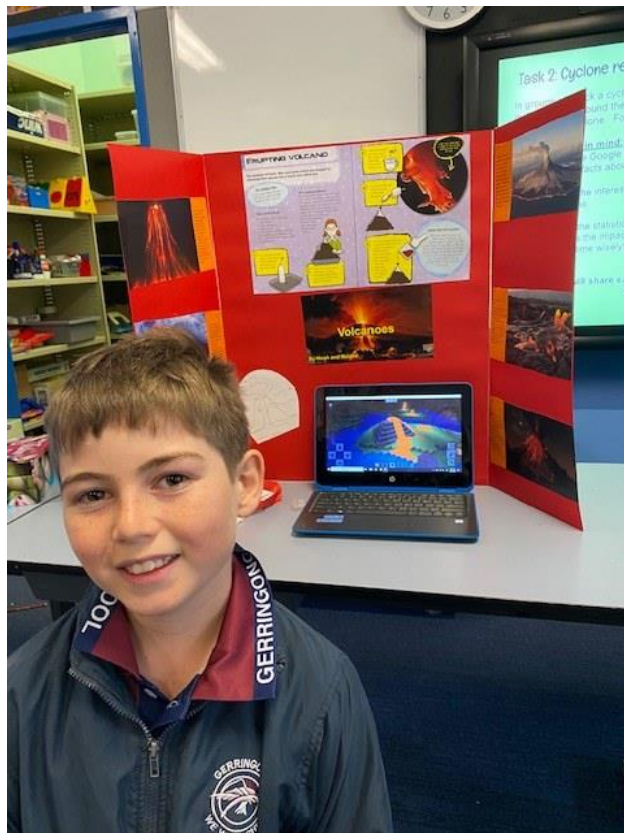
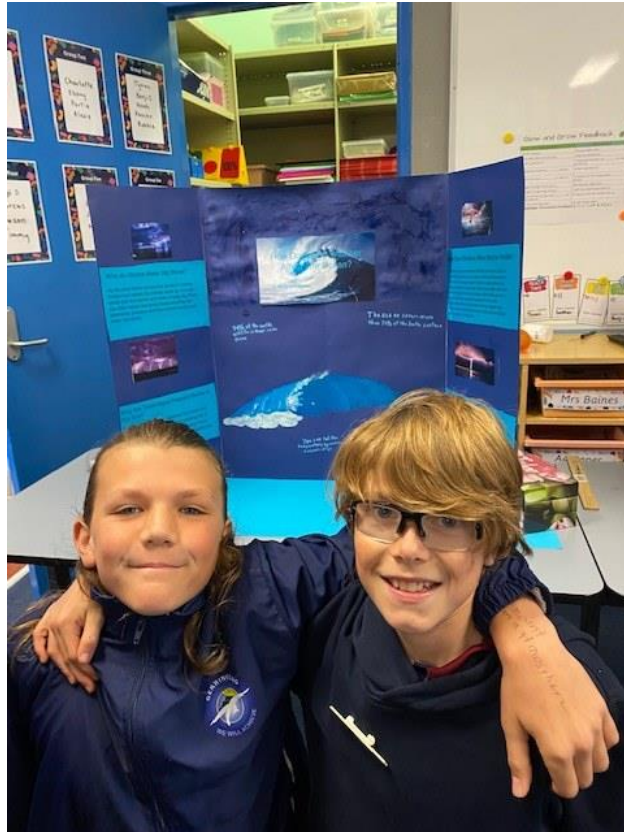


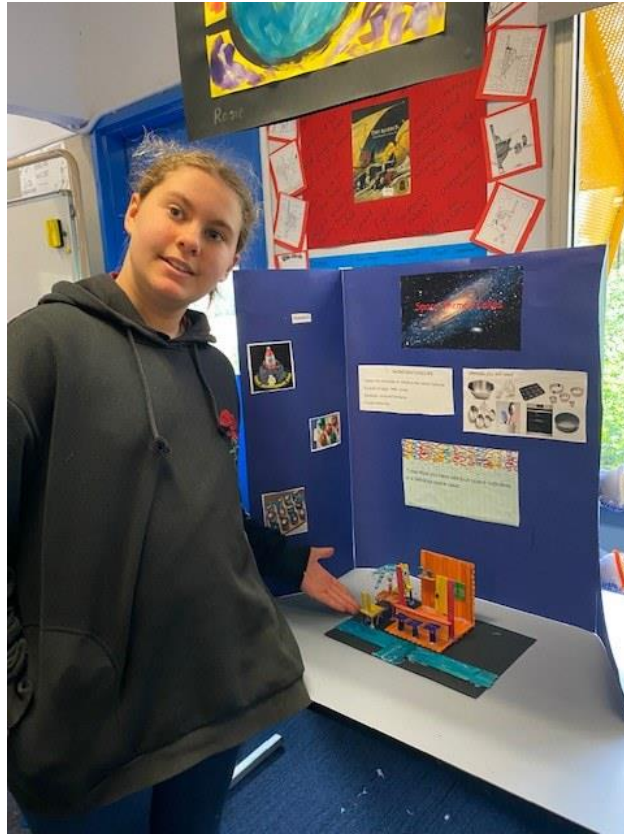












School Of Rock















Stage 3 Kinder Buddies







NSW PSSA Netball Knockout







Staff Development Day:

Staff Development Day : Friday 1st July 2022

Staff Development Day: Friday 23rd September 2022

School Dates:

First Day Term 2: Tuesday 26 April 2022

Last Day of Term 2: Thursday 30 June 2022

First Day of Term 3: Monday 18th July 2022

Last Day of Term 3: Thursday 22nd September 2022

First Day of Term 4: Monday 10th October 2022

Last Day of the Year: Monday 19th December 2022

Coming Events:

- NAIDOC Week assembly Friday 22 July 2022
- Stage 3 Camp- Monday, 25 July 2022 to Wednesday, 27 July 2022
- P&C Kids Disco Thursday 28th July 2022
- **Reminder: Grandparents Day: CHANGE OF DATE Thursday September the 22nd – the last day of Term 3**

Have a great week!

Lisa Morris

LIBRARY NEWS

Term 3 is an exciting time for our library. The Premier's Reading Challenge finishes on the 31st August and many of our children are very close to completing their reading. Reading records need to be completed online by the end of August and this can be done by following this link:

<https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html>

Click on the "Logon Instructions" on the left hand tab. If you do not know your child's username or password please message me through the library dojo app and I can send you the information.

Book Week

Our book week celebrations will be held on Thursday 22nd September (the last week of the term). The theme this year is "Dreaming With Eyes Open" During this term, in library sessions, we will be investigating some of the fantastic books that have been shortlisted.

On Thursday 22nd September children will be invited to dress as a book character or in keeping with the book week theme.

Grandparents Day

Get ready for this one! We are going to celebrate our wonderful grandparents on the same day as our book week celebrations. Are you brave enough to dress as a book character? We hope grandparents and parents will come along for this fun day and join in all the excitement and activities. More details regarding times and itinerary will be sent later in the term, but please put THURSDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER in your diary and search through your dress ups for a costume (NB: not compulsory!)

At the end of Term 2 we had a "Mini Grandparents Day" for those who would not be able to make it in September. We had grandparents from Brazil, Japan, Finland, and out of state. It was lovely to see them and their grandchildren's joy.





We are certainly looking forwards to Term 3 in the library!

Margaret Herbert,

Teacher Librarian

OFFICE NEWS

School Calendar Term 3 2022



Geringong Public School – Term 3 Calendar 2022

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	18/7 First Day of Term 3 NAIDOC Week	19/7 Whole School assembly NAIDOC Week	20/7 Scripture NAIDOC Week	21/7 Southern Stars Mass Dance Rehearsal NAIDOC Week	22/7 K-2 assembly NAIDOC Week Assembly Boys' Cricket vs Bowral
2	23/7 Stage 3 Camp Music program 3-4 School Band	24/7 Stage 3 Camp Whole School assembly	27/7 Stage 3 Camp Scripture	28/7 Stage 3 Camp	29/7 3-4 assembly
3	1/8 Music program K-2 School Band	2/8 Whole School assembly CPR and Anaphylaxis Training for Staff	3/8 Scripture	4/8	5/8 K-2 assembly Jewish/Greek Day Multi
4	8/8 Music program 3-4 School Band Regional Athletics in Canberra District Athletics Carnival - Estima sporting complex	9/8 Whole School assembly Southern Stars Rehearsal	10/8 Scripture	11/8	12/8 3-4 assembly
5	15/8 Music program K-2 School Band P & C Meeting	16/8 Whole School assembly	17/8 Scripture	18/8 RA Sprint Author Visit yrs 3-4	19/8 K-2 assembly
6	22/8 Music program 3-4 School Band Southern Stars Show Week	23/8 Whole School assembly	24/8 Scripture Southern Stars Mass Dance Rehearsal	25/8 Southern Stars Tech & Dress Rehearsal	26/8 3-4 assembly Southern Stars Show Day
7	29/8 Music program K-2 School Band	30/8 Whole School assembly Geringong Preschool Visit	31/8 Scripture	1/9 Coastal Collage Preschool Class visit	2/9 K-2 assembly

6	05/9 Music program 3-4 School Band	06/9 Whole School assembly Cherise Preschool Visit	07/9 Scripture	08/9 Gerringong Preschool class visit	09/9 3-4 assembly
7	12/9 Music program 1-2 School Band	13/9 Whole School assembly	14/9 Scripture	15/9	16/9 1-2 assembly
10	19/9 Music program 3-4 School Band	20/9 Whole School assembly	21/9 Scripture	22/9 Last Day of Term 3 Grandparents Day	23/9

As you would be aware we are now using the online permission notes through the School Bytes system. The feedback we are receiving has been positive and we do understand that for some it may take a bit of getting used to. A great suggestion would be to add the particular event to your electronic calendar and mark the email received as important so you are able to retrieve the event information easily. Alternatively the permission note can be printed.

We value any feedback, please contact the office with any questions or suggestions.

A reminder Statement of accounts were sent out at the end of Term 2. Could we please ask if you have any outstanding payments to finalise as soon as possible. If you require financial assistance please contact the school office (requests for financial assistance is highly confidential).

Online payments are Gerringong Public School's preferred method of payment. Other payment options include: cash, cheque and eftpos (at the front office). Just a reminder that over the phone eftpos payments can no longer be taken and please ensure all cash payments are clearly labelled.

GERRINGONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

CANTEEN

SANDWICHES

Vegemite, Honey, Jam	\$2.00
Cheese	\$2.00
Cheese & Tomato	\$2.50
Baked Beans	\$2.50
Spaghetti	\$2.50
Lean Ham	\$2.50
Lean Ham & Cheese	\$3.00
Lean Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$3.50
Lean Ham & Salad	\$4.00
Egg, lettuce & mayo	\$3.50
Salad	\$3.50
Toasted	add \$0.50
Wrap	add \$0.50
Gluten Free Bread	add \$1.00

SALADS

Seasonal salad	\$3.50
Seasonal salad & egg	\$4.50
Seasonal salad & chicken strip	\$5.00
Seasonal salad & lean ham	\$4.50



HOT FOOD

Seasonal soup & roll	\$3.50
Crumbed chicken strip	\$2.00
Hot chicken wrap	\$4.00
Flame grilled chicken burger	\$4.50
Mac 'n' Cheese	\$4.00
Beef lasagne	\$4.00
Penne bolognese	\$4.00
GF Penne bolognese	\$4.00
Spinach & ricotta roll (Mon/Fri only)	\$3.50
Sausage roll (Mon/Fri only)	\$3.50
Traveller pie (Mon/Fri only)	\$4.00
Albion park pie (Mon/Fri only)	\$4.00
Chicken nuggets (Tues only)	\$3.50

THURSDAY SPECIAL

Nachos (beef or vegetarian)	\$4.50
Chicken enchiladas	\$4.00
Quesadilla (cheese or beef/cheese)	\$4.00

SNACKS

Seasonal fruit	\$1.00
Veggie sticks	\$1.00
Pikelet	\$0.50
Banana bread	\$0.50
Crackers, cheese & veggie sticks	\$2.00
Popcorn	\$1.00
Sea salt red rock deli chips	\$1.50
Mixed cereal bag	\$0.50

FROZEN SNACKS

Half queich stick	\$0.50
Queich stick	\$1.00
Frozen fruit & yoghurt	\$1.00
Frozen milk	\$0.50
Frozen juice	\$0.50
Frozen Bevco black current juice	\$1.00
Twisted frozen yoghurt	\$2.50

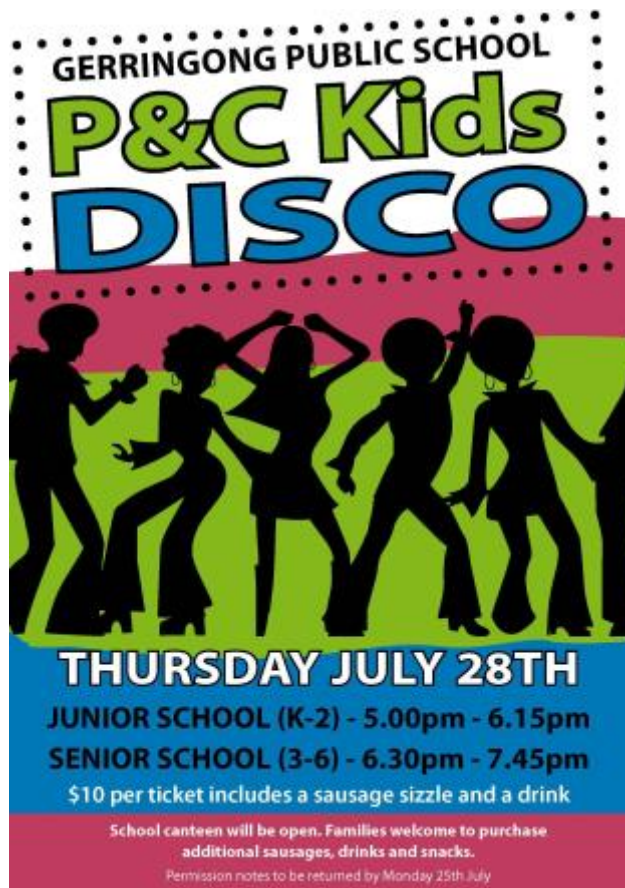
DRINKS

Water	\$1.00
Plain milk	\$1.00
Strawberry milk	\$2.00
Chocolate milk	\$2.00
Orange juice	\$1.50
Apple juice	\$1.50
Hot chocolate	\$2.00

K - 2 Assembly Awards Term 2, Week 9			
Congratulations to:			
K6	Rosie L- For teamwork in maths completing the 100 chart Xavier C- For writing a compound sentence Isabelle R- For reading and editing her writing Evie B- For great teamwork in maths completing the 100 chart	1S	Hazel A- For playing beautifully with others Hugh S- For beautiful handwriting Lewie P- For being a helpful assistant to the new teacher Zara U- For being a lovely helper to the new teacher
KL	Oscar A- For showing kindness to his friends Anna S- For her hard work pulling apart words in writing Ella G- For trying hard to hear and record sounds Grace G- For challenging herself to write compound sentences	1/2MD	Lenny B- For being an enthusiastic participant in all class activities Evelyn K- For being a helpful and pleasant class member Jacob J- For great focus in class and neat handwriting Tom H- For always being polite and helpful
KT	Hudson A- For counting back to solve subtraction problems Teddy L- For being brave and persevering with learning challenges Indigo P- For challenging herself to write a variety of simple and compound sentences Tommy K- For being a kind and conscientious learner	2C	Eliana M- For consistently working hard in Mathematics! Grace R- For writing a fantastic information report on Elephants! Jack D- For amazing work in multiplication and division! Sonny V- For consistent enthusiasm towards sport!
1K	Cahaya M- For always trying her best in 1K activities Keith K- For great work in Reading groups Madison Hughes- For being a helpful and caring member of 1K Jake R- For using expression and self correction when Reading	2M	Cruz P- For being an all round hardworking and fabulous student Reggie M- For persevering with his writing! Francesca T- For creative and interesting participation in Inquisitive! Ava M- For being an amazing mathematician!

A last minute decision has been made to cancel tonight's P&C meeting. We apologise for any inconvenience this causes. Our next meeting will be on Monday 15th August.

Notes will come home today for our school disco which is happening on Thursday 28th July in the school hall. In order to gain an idea of numbers, we would appreciate notes to be returned to the front office by Monday 25th July. Payment for the disco will be made at the school gate with both cash and card payments accepted. The school canteen will be open for purchases of snacks and additional sausages.



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.



FIT FOR LIFE

**TUESDAY MORNINGS FROM
7:00AM TO 8:00AM**

KIAMA SURF CLUB



**Free for all school aged students,
breakfast is provided and
transport to school available if
needed**



**contact Senior Constable
Graham on 0400820747**

FREE WORKSHOP

Bendigo Bank

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Mental Health Movement

Creating a Mentally Healthy & Supportive South Coast

Be a part of the change & JOIN THE MOVEMENT

Mental Health Movement have partnered with Bendigo Bank to deliver free Mental Health Awareness and Education workshops to connect with local communities and raise awareness as well as provide vital education to support the mental health of individuals in the community.

Our aim is to build a mentally healthy and supportive south coast through providing workshops that will teach individuals the skills to better identify a mental health struggle in themselves and others and how to start and hold tough conversations, understanding your role and responsibility as a support and available support networks within the local communities of Kiama, Gerringong, Shellharbour and Jamberoo.

Please Note - Mental Health Movement are holding Junior Workshops for ages 15 - 17 within the next few months! For more information contact info@mentalhealthmovement.com.au

Jamberoo Workshop

Friday 17th June, 5:30 - 7:30pm
Jamberoo Bowling Club

Shellharbour Workshop

Friday 24th June, 5:30 - 7:30pm
Shellharbour Surf Club

Gerringong Workshop

Wed 20th July, 5:30 - 7:30pm
Gather. By the Hill

Kiama Workshop

Wed 27th July, 5:30 - 7:30pm
Kiama Leagues Club

Numbers are limited, so please get your free tickets through scanning the QR code and choosing the workshop suitable to your location. Ages 18 and above are welcome!





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Jeans for Genes®

FRIDAY AUGUST 5TH

6.30 for
7.00 pm start

TRIVIA NIGHT GERROA BOAT FISHERMAN'S CLUB

\$20 per person

Tables of up to 8

Nibbles provided

Drinks at bar prices

Tickets sales at trybooking: <https://www.trybooking.com/CANRO>

Enquiries 0417342606

Courtesy bus

Great prizes and raffle



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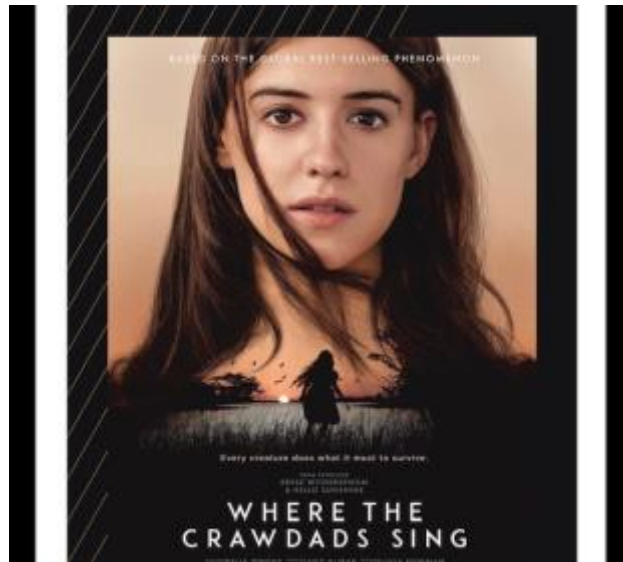
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Cystic Fibrosis



CMRI Gerringong invites you to join us for our Jeans for Genes fundraising movie on Wednesday 27th July from 6.30 for 7 pm screening of “Where the Crawdads Sing” at Greater Union Shellharbour. Tickets are \$25 and include tea/ coffee and slice. Buy tickets online :

<https://www.trybooking.com/CANRE>²



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