IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER!

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Dear Parents
Unbelievable! The term is coming to a close so quickly. There are so many new and exciting activities planned for next term already.

Sue Kominek

ATTENTION!
We are looking for a bugle—to beg, borrow or steal.
In our ANZAC preparations we have learnt a song involving playing “The Last Post”. Talia Meischke has volunteered to play it—but only has a trumpet. Any ideas?
ELECTRICITY OUTAGE

The school will have an electricity outage all day on Thursday, 10th April. This means you won’t be able to fax or email us. We have uncovered some old technology - so we do have one phone that will work on the day (still 62368115).

Stewart House

Yesterday Brianna and Taylor headed off to Manly for two weeks in the sun and surf, museums, T.V studios, etc. We hope they have a ball.

CHOOKS

Would anyone like a turn at looking after the school chooks during the holidays/part of the holidays?. Let Liz know in the office. Thanks!

Blue Light Disco

The children have been invited to a police disco on the first night of the holidays, Saturday 12th April, in the Gunning Hall at Gunning from 6-9.30pm. Entry is $5.00. A canteen is available. Kids' dinner packs are $6.00. Old Hume Café and Bistro open till late.

International (ICAS) Competition: Yrs 3-6

The annual ICAS Competitions are just around the corner. I encourage everyone in Years 3-6 to “have a go”. The competitions are expensive, but we generally do extremely well and the children experience another type of assessment.

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GET YOUR ENTRIES IN NOW!!

ALL ENTRIES AND PAYMENT TO SCHOOL BY TOMORROW!

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Each Departmentally recognised religion is allowed to take their children for religious instruction for 1/2 hour per week. This is incredibly disruptive because we have to have a teacher with that group of children. This kind of instruction is also very divisive in our lovely, little school community. As a result, the school organises a couple of blocks of Christian religious lessons each year prior to the Easter and Christmas holidays. It means our classes aren’t fragmented nor causing division. Of course you may withdraw your children during these sessions. We timetable lessons from 9am-10am so you could bring your children later if you wish.

This term they’ll be held on Thursday, 3rd April, Friday 4th April and Thursday, 10th April, Easter Assembly will be held on Friday, 11th April at 9am. **If you don’t wish your child to participate please inform us in writing ASAP.** (You understand the teachers have to stay with their classes).

P&C MEETING TONIGHT

7PM IN THE 5/6 CLASSROOM

ALL WELCOME
**Gundaroo Social Soccer**

Registration Day: This Saturday 5th April
$35 per player ($60 cap per family)

**Registration at 9.00am**

All ages welcome!
Saturday games @ 10.00am

Registration forms are attached to this email.

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**School Uniform Order**

It is that time of the year again when (a) you realise how much your kids grew over the summer holidays and (b) the days are getting cooler and you need to restock the cupboards with warm uniforms for the kids before the Gundaroo winter kicks in. If this sounds relevant to you, please place your uniform order by **Tuesday 8 April**. Orders should be delivered in week 1, term 2. Any questions, please contact Tara Oliver on 0477 004 184. Please drop completed order forms at the Office with Liz Nicholls together with your cheque or pay by bank transfer (order forms went out in last weeks newsletter).

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**COME AND TRY HOCKEY**

CENTRAL HOCKEY CLUB

Information [www.centralhockey.org](http://www.centralhockey.org)

QUALITY COACHING, WE ASSIST NEW PLAYERS WITH PLAYING GEAR. ALL AGES! BRING A FRIEND.

LYNEHAM HOCKEY CENTRE. Sunday 13th April 9.30am.

CONTACT. Richard Black 0405223973

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**P&C MEETING TONIGHT 7PM**

IN THE 5/6 CLASSROOM

ALL WELCOME

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**Garden Club News**

Hello Gardeners!

Since it was raining last Friday we didn’t get to do Garden Club, so we thought that we would make up for it tomorrow (Wednesday). We will still have Garden Club this Friday though.

During the week we will be planting lots of things as well as doing some odd jobs. Currently we have about 10 perfectly ripe tomatoes that **NEED TO GO!!!** We also have plenty of parsley and all of our produce is a gold coin donation.

Thankyou!! Imogene

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**GOSH**

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Opening Hours: 7.00-8.30am and 3.00-6.00pm Monday – Friday

Administration: 9.30am-2.30pm Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Casual Bookings: Ring school 6236 8115

**ASSEMBLY**

This week there will be assembly on Friday at 2.15pm. The item will be presented by Years 1/2, some guitar players and dancing.

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**Cross Country**

Our school Cross Country is coming up very soon, on the first Friday back next term. (Friday, 2nd May at 9am).

The District Cross Country will be held the following Wednesday, 7th May, here at Gundaroo. This course is more complex. As a result we would like some parent help on our training runs on Wednesday, 2nd April; Monday, 7th and Wednesday 9th April at 9am. Our thanks go to Andrew Nicholls, again, as he has slashed the course for us.