



Wednesday 27th July, 2022

Week 2 Term 3

Gol Gol Public School

Newsletter

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Important Dates:

Education Week

Monday 1st-5th Aug

G.G.P.S Athletics Carnival

Tues 2nd Aug

Aero Ovals Mildura

School Photos

Wed 3rd Aug—Full Winter Uniform

MD Athletics Carnival

22nd Aug

Barrier Athletics Carnival

2nd Sept

Yr 6 Canberra Excursion

Sunday 4th to Friday 9th September

Yr 4/5 Ballarat Excursion

14th -16th Sept

Term 3 Ends

Fri 23rd Sept @ 3pm

Term 4 Commences

Mon 10th Oct @ 9am

Term 4 Ends

Mon 19th Dec @ 3pm

School Photographs

School photographs will be taken on Wednesday 3rd August. Photo envelopes will come home with your child today and are to be returned on photo day. All students are to be in full school winter uniform including black shoes. No big bows etc that draw eyes to that one person, however an appropriate small red ribbon is allowed for tie backs etc. The uniform shop is open on a Friday morning. This year MSP are allowed back in schools as COVID rules have changed from last year. We thank Peta Paterson who helped us out with photography last year.

Primary Schools Sports Association State Carnivals

Macey Andriske and Toni Berryman are involved in the PSSA State Netball Carnival as Barrier representatives this week. Last week our students represented at the State Cross Country and ran extremely hard. Well done!

Parent and Citizen Meeting

This meeting of the Parent and Citizen organisation featured an outline of our current technology plan delivered by teacher Jocelyn Chay, an update from Assistant Principal Ang McInerney on literacy and numeracy in the school and an overview from relieving Assistant Principal, Troy Wescott on the Gol Gol School. These meetings are informative and all parents can attend. The meeting went from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

COVID-19

Three students, one non teaching staff member and some older siblings and parents have tested positive to COVID this week. Cases seem to be on the rise. Students should be tested if symptomatic and I should still be informed if your Gol Gol school enrolled child tests positive. The current situation in relation to COVID-19 advice from the Department of Education is essentially that precaution around the first 4 weeks of schooling this term is in place. We will continue to operate the same as we have been this year as we continue to manage this situation. The Department have advised that masks are recommended for staff and students. Mask wearing is not compulsory for primary aged students. Masks are available in classrooms. In order to attend school students must be well. Students should undertake a RAT if they are COVID symptomatic. I appreciate the due diligence of our school community.

Attendance

Please note that the preferred mode of notification in relation to student absence is Skoolbag. In this way, the office staff who record absences are directly informed and can meet our policy requirements in completing this important task. It is understood that with parents having access to their child's teachers email that parents inform the teacher in that way, please copy in the school email golgol-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au as on occasion a teacher is not on site and the school is unaware of why a student is not in attendance. Teachers mark the roll each day, so they know who is at school and who is not. All absences must be explained either through Skoolbag or a note after the absence.

Information Evening

An information evening for parents/carers was held last night for parents with students starting at Gol Gol Public School in 2023. I thank the Executive team and staff in attendance for their attendance and delivery of important information. Information packs are now available from the school office.

Before and After School Care

This is not a school operated program. There is a lease agreement in place. For details in relation to before and after school care please contact Big Childcare directly on 0386829400.

Please note that currently Big Childcare operate out of the school hall, Monday to Friday from 7.00 am to 8.30 am and from 3.00 pm to 6.00 pm.

Education Week

Education Week is next week commencing Monday 1st August. This will feature a Book Fair, Athletics Carnival, School Photographs, Student only Assembly and a Picnic Lunch.

Gol Gol Athletics

The Gol Gol Athletics Carnival will take place on Tuesday 2nd August at the Aero Ovals. Full details of Carnival Day have been sent home. Please note that all students in attendance will need to bring their lunch with them to Aero Ovals in Mildura. There is no catering on the day, no shop and do not order a lunch through Golly Shop on that day.

Allergies

A number of people in our school community have food allergies, in particular to nuts and seafood. Please be mindful of this when preparing lunches. Students are not to share food.

Excursions

Plans are well underway for the approaching Year 4/5 and Year 6 excursions. Specific additional information in relation to each excursion will be sent home closer to the excursion time.

Long Service Leave

I will be taking leave for 11 school days commencing next Monday. Mrs Broadfoot will be Relieving Principal in my absence, ably supported by the School Executive Team, Troy Westcott and Ang McInerney.

Mr Earl is back in Mildura and is recovering from his operation.

Regards,
Glen Walker
Principal



Schedule of Events for Gol Gol Athletics Carnival 2022

Tuesday 2nd August 2022 – Athletics Carnival @ Old Aero Ovals, Mildura						
9:00am	Years 1/2, 2/3, 3/4 and 4, will line up at assembly area with bags, mark paper rolls and hand to office. Board buses. Kinder, K/1, 5/6M and 5/6W will line up for assembly, then mark roll in room and wait for buses to return.					
9:30am	Arrive at Old Aero Ovals. Assemble in house groups and put on sunscreen, ready for school safety briefing .					
10:00am	TRACK: 100m Sprint – In individual age groups; Placegetters awarded on time – no final Starting with 8yr Girls, then 8yr Boys – progressing through to Senior Boys					
	TRACK: 80m Sprint– in individual age groups; Placegetters awarded on time – no final Starting with 7yr Girls, then Boys, 6yr Girls, then Boys, combined 5yrs					
	TRACK: 200m Race – In PSSA categories; Placegetters awarded on time – no final Starting with Junior girls, then Junior Boys – progressing through to Senior Boys					
	TRACK: 800m Race – In PSSA categories; Placegetters awarded on time – no final Starting with Junior girls, then Junior Boys – progressing through to Senior Boys					
	RECESS & LUNCH – BYO lunchbox (eat throughout the day – no set time)					
~11 - 12pm	TABLOIDS: 5-7yr olds (49 students) move to side oval to enjoy Tabloid activities (such as discus throw, long jump, hurdles)					
~11:50am FIELD:	8B(14)/ 8G(13)	9B(10)/ 9G(13)	10G(15)/ 11G(7)	10B(20)	11B(10)/ 12G(8)	12+Boys(19)
Start	Shot put	Long Jump	Discus	Shot put	Long Jump	Discus
~11:50	Circle #1	Pit #1	Circle #1	Circle #2	Pit #2	Circle #2
~12:40pm	Discus	Shot put	Long Jump	Discus	Shot put	Long Jump
	Circle #1	Circle #1	Pit #1	Circle #2	Circle #2	Pit #2
~1:20pm	Long Jump	Discus	Shot put	Long Jump	Discus	Shot put
	Pit #1	Circle #1	Circle #1	Pit #2	Circle #2	Circle #2
2:00pm	Assemble back in House areas ready for the Relays & Students returning to school via bus –to leave.					
TRACK:	RELAYS (Infant relays during Senior Tabloid rotations) then Mitchell v Sturt -fastest 4 qualifiers from each house Juniors & Seniors.					
	WRAP UP: Assemble, tidy up, notices, dismissal. Presentations (if time permits).					

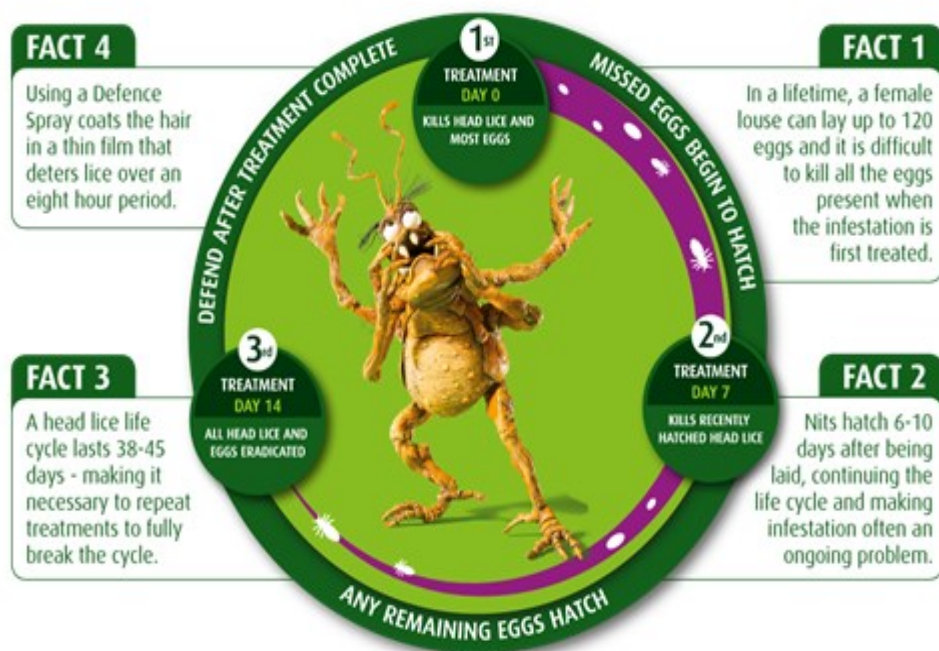
***Murray Darling:** To represent Gol Gol at the next PSSA level (Murray Darling) students must finish top 3 in track events and top 2 in field events in one of the follow age categories: Juniors (10 years and under); 11 years; or Seniors (12 years and over); except 100m where top 3 from each age year are selected (i.e. 8yr olds, 9yr olds etc).

***Students are advised** to leave their belongings in their house area during events. Students can visit the toilet in pairs throughout the day. **High jump event completed at school prior.**

***PRESENTATIONS:** Announcement of Age Champions & Winning House will depend on timing and collation of results. All ribbons will be awarded at the next suitable assembly.

Head Lice Reminder

Always check for head lice at the first sign of itching. The article below is a good insight into the life cycle of head lice and how to treat them.



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photography

1 WEEK
UNTIL MSP PHOTOGRAPHY
VISITS OUR SCHOOL

Please call MSP on 5482 3190 if you have any questions.



@ Gol Gol Public School

**There is always a lot of learning happening at GGPS
and Education Week 2022 is no different!**

Let's get excited about 'Creating Futures' together...

Monday 1st August – Book Fair begins! (See newsletter for more info.)

+ 10am Live State-wide Launch EdWeek

+ 100 days of school (Classes K & K/1 Dressing as 100 year olds!)

Tuesday 2nd August – Athletics Carnival @ Old Aerodrome Oval, Mildura

Wednesday 3rd August – School Photos (full winter uniform)

Thursday 4th August – Complete class EdWeek posters

Friday 5th August – 'Your future self' Dress up day (Classes Yr. 1/2 to Yr. 6)

+ BYO Lunch on the oval (BYO picnic rug)

+ view EdWeek posters from each class at student assembly

***Class EdWeek posters and photos of our week will be
shared on our official GGPS Facebook page
so all our school community can celebrate with us!**



Term 3 Registrations Now Open

Bobby Cunningham
Alex Starling



Kelvin KB Bowers
Mike McGorm

Border Sports
Academy



Mildura Sporting Precinct

**All Abilities Basketball Training for
4 - 20 year olds**

Sunday Afternoon Training

5 week Term starting Sunday 14th of August 2022

**Athlete Enrolment - \$100 which includes Registration, 1 hour Training & Insurance
Uniform - \$60 New Athletes**

**Athlete Elite Enrolment - \$170 which includes Registration, Insurance, 1.5 hours training
and half hour 3x3 game each week, Footwork & strength & Conditioning**
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SUNRAYSIA DANCE ACADEMY PROUDLY PRESENTS: **'Let's Dance'**



SUNRAYSIA DANCE ACADEMY WILL BE PRESENTING THEIR

LET'S DANCE PERFORMANCE

ON SATURDAY 13TH & SUNDAY 14TH AUGUST, 2022
AT THE MILDURA ARTS CENTRE, MILDURA

**TICKETS
ON SALE FROM
18/7/22**

PROUDLY SUPPORTING:



TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:
WWW.MILDURAARTSCENTRE.COM.AU



BRIGHT SPARKS

Exciting free afterschool activities for all students in Grades 5 & 6!

Bright Sparks gives kids in Sunraysia a chance to get active and spend
a fun-filled hour within a safe, supervised environment.

Have fun having a go at these exciting sports:

July 20
**Human
Powered
Vehicles**
Pedal-Power!

July 27
**Badminton/
Basketball**

August 3
**Volleyball/
Netball**

August 10
**Martial Arts/
Zorb Balls**

All activities subject to availability.

WHO Students in Grades 5 & 6
from all Sunraysia schools.

WHERE St Joseph's College
Mercy Campus Stadium, Cnr Eleventh
Street & Riverside Avenue, Mildura.

WHEN Four consecutive Wednesdays
3:45pm to 4:45pm.

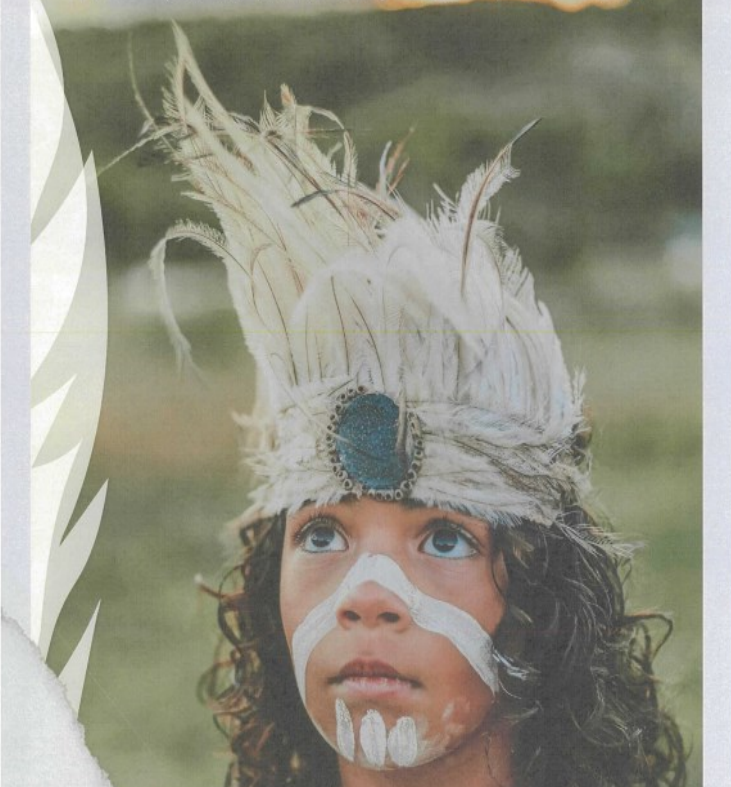
WHAT TO WEAR Activewear, of course!
Wear comfortable clothing that allows
you to run, jump, and climb.

Bookings essential. www.trybooking.com/BZSTM

Have a go and have fun at Bright Sparks!

www.sjcmda.vic.edu.au

MY DREAMING, MY FUTURE



NATIONAL ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER

Children's Day
4 August 2022



Family Day

NOWINGI PLACE
11am - 2pm
ACTIVITIES | STALLS | BBQ LUNCH
More information from Pam 0436 814 093

