

2019 Term 1 Weeks 6, 7 and 8

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Newsletter



Good luck to our swim team for Riverina
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Calendar

Term 1, Week 7

Tuesday 12 March STEM day at JNPS Years 5 and 6

Wed 13 March Riverina swimming carnival and eFPT training for Mrs Ryan at JHS 1:30pm

Thursday 14 March Cricket continues and **P&C AGM 6:30pm** at hotel

Friday 15 March **National Day Against Bullying**

Term 1, Week 8

Thursday 21 March **Life Education Van and Harmony Day**

Term 1, Week 9

Monday 25 March **School photos 9:05am**

Thursday 28 March Cricket continues

Friday 29 March **Baldry Shield Small Schools' Athletics at Wallendbeen Oval**

Term 1, Week 11

Wednesday 10 April School ANZAC Service, 10:40am

Friday 12 April Easter Egg Hunt, 2:30pm and last day of term 1

Dates for the holidays

Friday 19 April Good Friday – public holiday

Sunday 21 April Easter Sunday

Monday 22 April Easter Monday – public holiday

Thursday 25 April ANZAC Day – public holiday

Term 2, Week 1

Monday 29 April Staff Development Day

Tuesday 30 April **Students to return for term 2**

Feature Photo



Our swim team –
Asha, Zoe, Tom, George, Mimi, Finn and Sadie

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A message from Michael

We are looking forward to the return of Mrs Meredith Holden by the end of term. In her stead, I will be continuing to act as relieving principal. I relish the challenge that this position provides and remain committed to our student's learning and continuing their 'growth mindset' development.

Zone swimming success

Congratulations to our swim team who competed admirably at last week's zone carnival held in Cootamundra. We had many place getters, as follows:

- George Croker – Runner Up Junior Boy's Trophy, 4th 9 year freestyle, 1st Junior breaststroke, 1st Junior backstroke
- Mimi Day – 2nd 9 year freestyle, 3rd Junior backstroke
- Finn Hillam – 2nd Junior breaststroke
- Oliver Wilson – 3rd 11 year freestyle, 4th Junior backstroke
- Zoe Brabin – Peter Dobson PP5 Relay team 1st
- Sadie Croker – 4th 12 year freestyle, 3rd Senior breaststroke, 3rd Senior backstroke, Peter Dobson PP5 Relay team 1st
- Tom Day – Peter Dobson PP5 Relay team 1st
- Asha Hillam – 11 year Girl's Champion Trophy, 1st 11 year freestyle, 1st 11 year breaststroke, 1st 11 year butterfly, 2nd Senior individual medley, Peter Dobson PP5 Relay team 1st
- Maeve Ryan – 4th 11 year breaststroke
- Senior girls' relay team – 3rd – Stella, Zoe, Sadie and Asha.
- Illabo also came 2nd for the Handicap Point score Trophy

Qualifiers for the Riverina carnival:

- Asha Hillam – freestyle, breaststroke, butterfly, PP5 relay team
- Mimi Day – freestyle
- George Croker – breaststroke and backstroke
- Finn Hillam – breaststroke
- Tom Day - PP5 relay team
- Sadie Croker - PP5 relay team
- Zoe Brabin - PP5 relay team

Good luck to all our swimmers for next Wednesday!

Riverina Carnival information

The Riverina carnival is on **Wednesday 13 March** at the Albury Swim Centre, Wodonga Place, Albury. Please be

at the venue by **9:00am**. A canteen is available on the day for food and drinks. Please see attached Information and a permission note (to be sent to school prior to the day please).

STEM Share Roadshow

On **Tuesday, 12 March** our Year 5 and 6 students have been invited to Junee North PS for an opportunity to explore and learn how to further use technological devices such as Ozobots, Dashbots, Virtual Reality and many more.

Transport will be by school bus on the way in (thanks Ronnie) and teacher/parent transport for the way home. Thank you in advance for offering to help with transport. The session is from 9:30-11:00am. Students will have their recess on return to school. A permission note is attached, please return prior to the day.

National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence



Next **Friday, 15 March** is the National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence. At school we will be working in the classroom on a program to help our students engage in effective strategies they can use if bullied.

Life Education Van – Healthy Harold

The Life Education Van is visiting our school on **Thursday 21 March**. The cost for each child is **\$10.00**. Could you please return outstanding permission notes and money prior to the day.



Harmony Day

Harmony Day in 2019 is also being held on **Thursday 21 March**. This year's theme is 'Everyone Belongs'.

2019 marks the 20th anniversary of Harmony Day, recognising the success of Australia's multicultural society and the benefits of cultural diversity and belonging. In class we will create opportunities for students to think, talk about and recognise how our differences make Australia a great place to live.

School Photos

School photos are being held on **Monday, 25 March** at **9:05am**.

Envelopes are attached to the newsletter, please send in either on the day (preferable) or prior to the day.

They accept the following payment methods:

1. Cash
2. Online Payment by credit card
 - **NO CHEQUES!**

Also, **NO CHANGE** will be given, please have **correct money** if paying by cash.

If wanting sibling photos, please contact the school for an envelope (payment for this should only be enclosed in your sibling photo envelope).

Premier's Reading Challenge

This year we are trying to encourage a love of reading for leisure and fun in students to enable them to experience quality literature. The Premier's Reading Challenge, conducted throughout NSW schools as a reading experience for students, is not a competition but a **challenge** for each student to read, to read more and to read more widely. They will also receive a certificate at the end of the challenge.

Each student will need to read a variety of books from a list provided and record them on their recording sheet.

Students can also look for book titles on:
[https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/.](https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/)

Any further information is on their website <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html> or feel free to contact Miss Callow at school.

Wallendbeen Baldry Shield

The Baldry Shield Small School's athletics carnival is coming up on **Friday 29 March**. We thank our parents for their support on the day, especially with transport. If you are unable to provide transport for your child, please organise your own or contact the school.

Students are to meet at the Wallendbeen Sports Ground and be ready for a **9:00am start**. Entry fee is a gold coin donation for each car entering the grounds.

Don't forget, full school sports uniform is to be worn. A canteen will be operational during the day or bring your own packed lunch. Also, bring plenty of water for rehydrating throughout the day, sunscreen and school hats please. A volunteer to take the shade shelters would be appreciated.

Michael

P&C News

A reminder that the **P&C AGM** is on **Thursday 14 March** at **6:30pm** at the Illabo Hotel. All positions are up for re-election; everyone welcome!

POP (Parenting Payments Online)

Go to the school's website <http://www.illabop.schools.nsw.edu.au> and click on **\$Make a Payment** at the top and follow the prompts to make a school payment online with either your Visa or Mastercard.

Don't forget to download our Skoolbag App!



Illabo Public School's **Skoolbag App** is available **at no cost** via your Apple or Android App Store. Keep up with what's happening at school by downloading this fantastic communication tool!

Community News

International Women's Day
Celebrating Junee Women
Presented by Junee Business and Trades and supported by Junee Shire Council

FRIDAY 8 MARCH 2019
5PM – 7PM
ATHENIUM THEATRE, BROADWAY, JUNEES

TICKETS: \$25 per person
Includes complimentary drink on arrival, local Riverina produce grazing table

Guest Speaker: Steph Cooke MP
Entertainment: local musician Tash Higginson

Tickets can be purchased from REMAX Junee and Country Meadows or by phoning Leanne Butt on 0408 244 931

For further information contact Alana Lesslie 0407 481 932 or email alana.lesslie@junee.nsw.gov.au

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JUNEE GOLF CLUB WELCOMES YOU TO THE

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

PRIZES INCLUDE; REMAX'S HOLE IN ONE, NEAREST TO THE PIN, RAFFLES, SPOT PRIZES
PRIZE MONEY FOR 1ST, 2ND & 3RD

6TH APRIL 2019 . 8AM START . \$25 PER PERSON

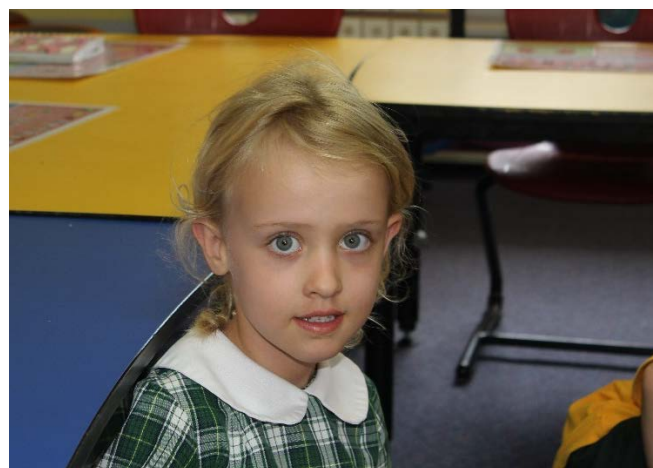
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Junee High School Information Night

Junee High School is offering an information evening and school tour for all parents/carers wishing their child/children to attend their school in 2020.

When: Wednesday 13 March 2019

Time: 6.00pm – 7.30pm

Where: A Block – Room 7

Junee High School

52 Lydia St, Junee NSW.

The evening will offer the opportunity to find out about our school and what we will offer your child/children in 2020, concluding with a guided tour of the school.

Did you know?

The Moon is moving away from the Earth at a tiny, although measurable rate every year. 85 million years ago it was orbiting the Earth about 35 feet from the planet's surface.



Imagine
With all
your mind.
Believe
With all
your heart.
Achieve
With all
your might.