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# **Newsletter 14**

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Term 3 Week 8

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Quote of the week Everything you don't know is something you can learn

#### Principal's report...

Our students continue to impress with their leadership in different areas. This week our Rural Fire Service (RFS) cadets graduated from their course and will compete at the State Championships in Temora, ably led by two former cadets John Raglus (Team Leader) and Jayde Byrne (2IC). We wish them well. I would also like to acknowledge the efforts of our 14 years boys relay team ,who finished 14th at State Athletics ,with a PB time of 51.25secs. Lachlan Riley then continued with his individual event, 0.4sec off his PB time. An outstanding effort and commitment from the team. Well done!

As our school community grows, in size and richness, we will soon be farewelling our Year 12 cohort and welcoming in a new year group. Our current Year 12 students have shown wonderful growth throughout their time at Gilgandra High School, making significant inroads in their learning and becoming fine young citizens. I couldn't be more proud of the way our current School Captains (Jasper Schembri, Abby Ryan, Andrew Dinsey and Meg Horan) have led their cohort through their meaningful engagement with their studies. We will farewell Year 12 at their Formal Dinner on Thursday 27th September and again at their Graduation Ceremony on Friday 28th September.

Transition for our Year 6 into 7 students has commenced and I would like to thank and acknowledge Mr Andrew McCutcheon for his work in this space. As the Year Advisor for next year's Year 7 students he has already built a strong rapport with the students and our partner primary schools, working with them to develop a schedule for weekly transition sessions in Term 4. We are all looking forward to nurturing these fine young students through our cultural, academic and wellbeing programs to help shape a strong and resilient generation of future leaders

Neal Reed Principal



Mr Reed with students who received their graduation certificates (Jackson Wieland, Teagan Watt and Jack Briggs) along with members of Rural Fire Service.

## Principal's Awards...



Back row: Tillaria Manusu-Sandry Lucy Davis Jessica Keogh Amelia Murray Front row: Ashaya Anderson, Michael Raglus Georgia Koch

Back row:
Charlie Banks
Ella Wykes
John Bunter
Lachlan Riley
Front row:
Abby Tate
Olivia Ferguson
Sarah Schier
James Ferguson
Brielle Reid





Mr Wilson, Kimm Naden, Ralph Naden, Eileeyo Louie, Jasper Schembri, Abby Ryan and Coen Naden at the NAIDOC Week Assembly



Lily Naden, Tyra Reid, Korrani Reid, Brielle Reid, Zoe Welsh, Jye Day, Jason Newman, Billy-Jack Townsend, Jardiquin Naden, Ty Sutherland-Tink, Jacob Wilson, Jett Grimshaw, Ashaya Anderson, Jyi Newman, Coen Naden and Marshall Ryan.

## NAIDOC WEEK celebrations...



Kyle Welsh, Jett Grimshaw, Coen Naden, Kimm Naden, Kirralah Pracy and Cassie Nolan pictured during the cutting of the NAIDOC cake.



Helpers at the NAIDOC Dinner held on Wednesday 5th September in the school hall.

Back row: Corey Broom, Isaiah Knox, Tyra Reid, Wendy Brown, Araiterangi Karaitiana, Skye Doherty and Jardiquin Naden

Front row: Jack Chandler, Mercedes Thurston, Isha Aro, Savanna Bamblett, Tayarna McKenzie and Rani Diggs



Ralph Naden, Marlee Cain and Kimm Naden. Marlee was the recipient of the Ralph and Audrey Naden award

## Driver Awareness training...

Gilgandra High School has joined forces with the local NSW Ambulance Service, Police, and Highway Patrol to promote safety awareness for young drivers.



The day included a practical demonstration of a scenario in which emergency responders need to remove a person from a vehicle involved in a crash.

Students heard from the SES about the physical impact of road trauma/rescue through a practical demonstration of equipment.

Gilgandra High School principal Neal Reed says the importance of driver safety cannot be overstated, and the consequences surrounding poor driver choices could have wide-ranging impacts.

## Year 11 Design and Technology...



Henry Johnson, Tyler Edwards, Connor Aspinall, Sarah Schier and Lauren Henry





Year 8 Technology Mandatory...



Year 8 Technology Mandatory have been busy working on their pants this term. These girls are the first to finish their shorts and pyjamas with elasticised waists and very neat hems, they are now working on additional projects. Some of the other students have included side pockets, patch pockets, drawstrings and long pants.

Amber Tarrant, Abby Tate and Sarah Schier modelling their shorts.



# Dates for your diary...



Monday 17th September	Year 11 Yearly exams
Tuesday 18th September	Year 11 Yearly exams
Wednesday 19th September	Year 11 Yearly exams Yr 7-10 Parent teacher night
Thursday 20th September	Year 11 Yearly exams
Friday 21st September	Year 11 Yearly exams
Tuesday 25th September	Rewards afternoon
Wednesday 26th September	AECG meeting 2pm at Lands Council office
Thursday 27th September	Year 12 Formal Dinner 6.30pm at the RSL Club Year 7 Aspire Day
Friday 28th September	Year 12 Graduation Ceremony Last day of Term 3

Monday 17th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Tuesday 18th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Wednesday 19th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Thursday 20th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Friday 21st September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Monday 24th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Tuesday 25th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Wednesday 26th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Thursday 27th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	
Friday 28th September	Kristy Gale Volunteer needed	

#### **CANTEEN PRICE LIST**

\*fresh chicken available

SAND	WICHES/ ROLLS	SALADS	DRINKS
\$3.50	Chicken, lettuce & mayonnaise	\$6.50 Fresh chicken & salad	\$1.20 Water 600ml
\$3.50	Egg & lettuce	bowl	\$1.50 Prima
\$3.50	Ham, Cheese & tomato	\$5.50 Salad Bowl – carrot,	\$2.50 Juice Ige
\$4.50	Chicken or ham salad sandwich	lettuce, spanish onion, cheese,	\$2.00 Flavoured milk small
\$5.00	Chicken or ham salad rolls	tomato & boiled egg	\$4.00 Flavoured milk Ige
\$5.00	Wrap – chicken or ham salad	\$6.50 Chicken Caesar Salad	600ml
\$0.50	*extra toasted	Bowl	

#### **ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE Term 3**

Assignment (ASG), Assessment (AST), In class task (ICT), Student Research Project (SRP), Skills Assessment (SAT) Completion of Project work (CPW), Working Mathematically Task (WMT), Bookmark (Book) Practical Task (PTK)

Due	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12
Week 9 17-9-18 to 21-9-18	Maths ICT Art SRP, ICT History AST	Maths BM, AST Art SRP,BM, ICT Science SAT History AST	Art SRP,CPW English AST History AST Drama AST	Maths BM Art SRP, CPW History AST	Yearlies	
Week 10 24-9-18 to 28-9-18	Maths AST Music BM Science Maths AST	Music BM	Maths ICT Science BM	Maths ICT Science SAT		
Week 1 Term 4 15-10-18 to 19-10-18	Maths ICT, ASG Science SAT		Maths BM Marine AST	Maths ICT Science BM		