

East Links

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ARUNTA HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL CHAMPIONS

Congratulations to **ARUNTA HOUSE** – 2019 Swimming Carnival champions!

Thank you to everyone involved in making our 2019 Swimming Carnival such a huge success. Thank you to Mrs Malone & Miss Gilbert who did a fantastic job in organising the carnival and Mr Noad who calmly ran the carnival all day - it ran smoothly all day.

Thank you to the Griffith Swimming Club for the use of their equipment and the support of the many parents who assisted at the carnival. Our carnivals have amazing community spirit which makes these events so very enjoyable for the community, staff and the students of GEPS. It was also great to have a sausage sizzle organised by Lynda Franks

Thank you from GEPS staff!

Congratulations to our age champions and runners up.

SENIOR	GIRLS	BOYS
Champions:	Cadence Busby	Stefan Donadel
R/Up:	Ruby O'Connor	Tom Jamieson

11 YEARS		
Champions:	Adellaide Wilkinson	Huon Buckland
R/Up:	Isabella Cullen	Jai Kenny

JUNIOR		
Champions:	Charlotte Hill	Nate Mingay
R/Up:	Georgia Matthews	Luke Busby

We had a number of records broken at the carnival and that information will feature in the newsletter next week



AMBULANCE COVER

The school has full ambulance insurance cover for all students when at school or on any school supervised activity e.g. excursions, sporting activities. This means that in the event of an ambulance being called there will be no charge to the school or parents.

ROAD AND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

Information from Griffith City Council about traffic and parking rules in Griffith School Zones is attached to this newsletter.

Parents and community members need to be aware that random patrols by Griffith Council rangers occur in all school zones in the Griffith City Council area.

Please be aware that fines and demerit points will be issued for parking within 10 metres of an intersection in any part of the school zone (including side streets such as Lowing Place)

EARLY ACTION FOR SUCCESS (EAFS)

The Early Action for Success (EAFS) strategy aims to improve students' performance through a targeted approach in the early years in primary schools. Our school opted in to this initiative in 2017 and this is our third year involved in the strategy.

As part of this strategy we are committed to

- Early identification of the level of attainment in literacy and numeracy of each individual child (K-2);
- Implementing teaching practices that focus on the needs of the individual student (your children);
- Using targeted interventions in literacy and/or numeracy
- On-going monitoring of student progress against the Literacy and Numeracy Learning Progressions.

An important element of meeting the needs of our students, is developing the teaching practice of our teachers. We are committed to continuously improving our teaching. Grade teaching teams meet regularly and collaboratively design and implement the best teaching approaches for the students in our classrooms.

CANTEEN

ROSTER

Monday 25 Feb

- Cindy Forrester

Tuesday 26 Feb

- Tara Tuibenau

Wednesday 27 Feb

- Natasha Rosenow
- Alyssa Vasta

Thursday 28 Feb

- Sandra Taylor

Friday 1 Mar

- Bronwyn Jones
- Kristy Valenzisi

Cake 2 Mar

- Charmaine Ceccato
- Gemma Harrison
- Danessa Mickan
- Robyn Schmetzer



STAR STUDENTS

WEEK 3 AWARDS

3G	Gabrielle De Lucchi, Luca Carden, Kurosh Parsa
3M	William Monteleone, Hawin Ciyan, Melissa Cairns
3S	Blake Campbell, Serena Tucker, Armstrong Lomu
4C	Emmy Smith, Krina Chaudhari, Marcus Francis-Williams
4N	Michael Stephens, Isla Gilio, Bilal Baryamai
4T	Adele Tropeano, Presley Young, Evie Ross
5D	Elise Jones, Ryan Taylor, Mackenzie Hassan
5N	Cruz Morrissey, Claudia Dickie, Kaedence Pattison
5/6G	Ryan Andrighetto, Charlie Adamson, Liliana Grieve, Sherridan Skelton
5/6O	Lexie Witton, Huon Buckland, Jarra Harrison
6CM	Arnika Jasnos, Riley Kelly, Kamuran Isik
6N	Boran Ciyan, Angelica Lim, Jacob Mitchell



Presents

Genevieve Jereb OT

Live Australia 2019

THE TRAFFIC JAM IN MY BRAIN



7 Hrs CPD for Professionals

Griffith EXIES Main Club
Friday 22nd March 2019
8.30am – 5pm

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2019 CITY2LAKE

Sunday March 10th 2019

Raising money for Can Assist Griffith.

Prizes for the school with the most number of participants.

9km course from jubilee Oval to Lake wyangan. Walk, run or ride. Entertainment and catering at Lake Wyangan. Online Registration available at www.city2lake.org or at the Griffith Central Plaza office.

Don't forget to mention your school name on the entry form. For more information phone 0409082217.

GEPS - Term 1 2019

Term One	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
4	18 Feb	19 Feb Student Banking	20 Feb School Swimming Carnival	21 Feb 3-6 Assembly with 3G	22 Feb K-2 Assembly with 2M	23 24 Feb
5	25 Feb	26 Feb Student Banking	27 Feb	28 Feb 3-6 Assembly with 5/6G Zone Swimming Carnival Scripture commences	1 March K-2 Assembly with 2D	2 3 Mar
6	4 March	5 March Student Banking	6 March	7 March 3-6 Assembly with 3M P & C AGM – 7.00 p.m	8 March K-2 Assembly with 1G	9 10 Mar
7	11 March Young Leaders Day	12 March School Photos Student Banking	13 March Riverina Swimming Carnival School Photos	14 March 3-6 Assembly with 4C	15 March K-2 Assembly with 1C	16 17 Mar
8	18 March	19 March Student Banking	20 March Yr 4 Borambola Excursion	21 March 3-6 Assembly with 5D Yr 4 Borambola Excursion	22 March K-2 Assembly with 1B Yr 4 Borambola Excursion	23 24 Mar
9	25 March	26 March Musica Viva Show Yr 6 Canberra Excursion	27 March Yr 6 Canberra Excursion	28 March 3-6 Assembly with 5N Yr 6 Canberra Excursion	29 March	30 31 Mar
10	1 April	2 April Student Banking	3 April	4 April 3-6 Assembly with 3S P & C Meeting – 7.30 p.m.	5 April K-2 Assembly with KH	6 7 April
11	8 April	9 April Student Banking	10 April K-2 Grand Parent Assembly -11.50	11 April 3-6 Assembly with 5/6O Easter Church Services	12 April Last Day of Term 1	13 14 April