

East Links

Term 1 | Week 11 | 9 April 2025



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ANZAC DAY MARCH 2025

The Griffith ANZAC Day town march will be held on Friday 25 April. This is the final week of the school holidays. We encourage children to march with the school. Mrs Hunt and Mrs Hicken will meet students in front of the library (Banna Ave, Griffith) no later than 10.15am. We will then march to the Memorial Park where an ANZAC Day ceremony will be held. Students who will be marching should be in full summer school uniform (including a hat if it is hot). School staff will be accompanying the students in the march however parents will need to take supervision responsibility during the ANZAC Day service and immediately following the march.

The school will hold our ANZAC DAY Assembly on Friday 2 May at 12:30pm.

BAND MOVIE FUNDRAISER

Thank you to everyone who supported the band movie fundraiser on Thursday last week. It was a full house, and the music and Minecraft movie were enjoyed by all. All funds raised will support our band trip to Sydney for the School Band Festival later in the year. Thank you to the P&C band fundraising committee, led by Kate Crosato, for all your work organising this event.



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REPORTING TO PARENTS 2025

From Term 2, the school will be introducing updated school reports.

The new format has been developed by the NSW Department of Education in response to feedback from parents and educators to make reports easier to read and understand.

Your child's report will still show their progress across all subject areas.

Teacher comments will appear in English, mathematics and the general comment section, in line with department policy.

Kindergarten reports will include a comment for all key learning areas including, creative arts, HSIE, PDHPE, science and technology.

A new achievement scale and descriptions are included to provide a clearer picture of your child's progress.

Parent-teacher interviews remain an important way to discuss your child's progress and achievement in more detail. These can be requested following Semester 1 and 2 reports.

We welcome your feedback or questions about the new report format

RIVERINA SOCCER SELECTION

Congratulations Josh F, Joseph M & Elise A! All three of our soccer stars have been selected as representatives of this year's Boys and Girls Riverina Soccer teams. This is a terrific achievement for the trio. To call them soccer fanatics is an understatement. Daily, you'll find them in our playground enjoying their football. They have trained very hard for this opportunity and it is well deserved!

They look forward to the NSW Boys and Girls Soccer Carnival, which is to be held in Ballina on the North Coast in late August.

Good luck! We are very proud of you and hope that the carnival is a wonderful experience.



RIVERINA RUGBY SEVENS

Congratulations to Vua S, who has been selected to represent the Riverina in the Girls' Rugby 7's NSW state carnival. Vua's determination, quick thinking, super speed and willingness to learn will be a great asset when the team plays in Sydney during June.

Well done, Vua and good luck!



Outstanding Students Week 10

KA	Dawood A, Braiden R, Blair C
KHR	Jeylan N, Jaida M
KM	Harlow S, Lenny E, Jazon K
KS	Jarden M, Cooper R
1D	McKenna A, Aleah C, Ariana D
1K	Darcy R, Grace P
1M	Myles Z, Lionel S, Jordan M
2B	Nixon C, Carter J, Jaelyn S
2CW	Sarin C, Divya W, Elizabeth T
2N	Preston W, Stephen P, Jaide K
3/4C	Corbin C, Archie N
3/4G	Eva B, Rai G
3/4H	Jed G, Lylah H, Isobel R, Selena H
3/4RA	Oliver P, Nevaeh R, Emily H
3/4S	Mia B, Oliver R, Tate B, Kaydia T
5H	Kingston P, Quinn C, Sofia A
5Q	Sharleen K, Cherry K, Peyton W, Matthew D
6CB	Jonas C, Imogen C, Eli B
6N	Ryan P, Isaac R, Lilly W

P&C Canteen Voucher Winners

Josie Mutia
&

Sophie Macklin

**Thank you for volunteering
at our canteen.**

PIE DRIVE
BY MICK'S BAKEHOUSE

Orders to be placed by 23rd May 2025
Collection Friday 6th June 2025

ORDER USING FLEXISCHOCIL

- Meat Pie
- Curry Pie
- Potato Pie
- Steak and Mushroom Pie
- Sausage Roll 4 Pack
- Apple and Blueberry Pie
- Apple Pie

FAMILY SIZED PIES \$20
SAUSAGE ROLLS \$15 P/4PACK

GEPS - Term 1 2025

Term One	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
11	7 April Year 6 Canberra	8 April Year 6 Canberra	9 April Year 6 Canberra	10 April K-2 Easter Hat Parade 12.00pm Mortimer Shield Rugby League	11 April LAST DAY of TERM 1	

GEPS - Term 2 2025

Term Two	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
1	28 Apr Staff Development Day	29 Apr Staff Development Day	30 Apr Year 4 Borambola Excursion Students return to school.	1 May 3-6 Assembly Year 4 Borambola Excursion 7pm P&C Meeting	2 May 12:30pm K-6 ANZAC Assembly Year 4 Borambola Excursion Opportunity Class Placement Tests	
2	5 May AFL Gala Day – Collina Oval	6 May	7 May	8 May 3-6 Assembly	9 May K-2 Assembly	
3	12 May Year 5 Canberra Excursion Road Safety Week	13 May Year 5 Canberra Excursion	14 May Year 5 Canberra Excursion Kindergarten 2026 School Tour	15 May GEPS Cross Country	16 May Walk Safely to School Day	

CANTEEN ROSTER

Wed 30 Apr

Ana Balu

Thurs 1 May

Lauren Catanzariti

Fri 2 May

Alison Matthews, Roz Toscan,

Katelyn Darlow

CAKE ROSTER

Wed 30 Apr

Tammy Hirst, Amanda Nietvelt,

Alex Richards, Cristy Barber,

Hannahlee Alexander

PLEASE NOTE

NEW CANTEEN PHONE NUMBER

0482 381 182

YEAR 4

BORAMBOLA

Thank you to all parents for completing their Online Borambola Consent form. A reminder that payment is due by Monday 28 April.

YEAR 5 CANBERRA

May 12 – May 14 2025

Week 3 Term 2

Online consent and payment can be made on School Bytes.

GRIFFITH EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL

CLOTHING POOL SALE



GREAT QUALITY SECOND HAND UNIFORMS ON SALE

WINTER PINAFORES	\$5.00	
SUMMER DRESSES	\$2.00	(LIMITED SIZES)
WINTER JACKET	\$5.00	(NEW STYLE)
	\$2.00	(OLD STYLE)
		(LONG & SHORT SLEEVE)
SHIRTS	\$1.00	
SLOPPY JOES	\$1.00	
LONG GREY PANTS	\$1.00	
GREY SHORTS	\$1.00	
GIRLS NAVY TIGHTS	50 CENTS	

WE ALSO HAVE A SMALL NUMBER OF BLACK SHORTS, SKORTS, TRACK PANTS \$1.00
NOT ALL SIZES AVAILABLE

CASH ONLY



SCHOOL OFFICE 8.45AM - 3.30PM
7 APRIL - 11 APRIL & 28 APRIL - 2MAY
(EXCLUDING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS)