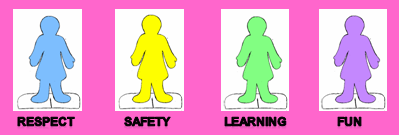
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**PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

After a very successful swimming carnival last Wednesday, we have a team of twenty two students representing Gunning Public School at the Yass District carnival tomorrow.

It was great to see so many Gunning students doing well and winning ribbons in their events. It was even more exciting to see so many having a go in every event, cheering on the other competitors, mixing with the Dalton students and behaving so well. Well done, everyone.

Champions on the day were-

Jnr Girl Champion Samantha Poidevin (D) Runner Up Elysia Mackay &

Georgia Guilfoyle

Jnr Boy Champion Will Luck Runner Up Bailey Lanham

11 yrs Girl Champion Claudia Guilfoyle Runner Up Maddison Robinson

11 yrs Boy Champion Patrick Lewis Runner Up Isaac Lanham

12 yrs Girl Champion Amanda Hansen (D) Runner Up Ebony Hull

12 yrs Boy Champion Jayke Poidevin (D) Runner Up Otto Kemmis

Regards

Janet O’Dea

**PERMISSION NOTES**

If you have not yet returned the permission notes sent home with the first Grapevine this year, could you please do so as soon as possible.

All school permission notes this year will be sent home on orange paper. Any note on orange paper needs to be completed and returned to the school

**PARENT INFORMATION SESSION**.

We will be holding a parent information session in the hall on Wednesday 16th February, starting at 6:00pm.

All parents are welcome to join us to discuss plans for the year.

**CANTEEN NEWS**

Don’t forget that the canteen is now open for lunches on Mondays and Fridays.

**GUNNING COMMUNITY FITNESS INC**

Do you or anyone you know:

* Hold an interest in the GCF Inc
* Have a key to return
* Want to be on the committee
* Would you like to become involved either on the team or as a participant
* Decisions must be made
* Now is the time to speak up – call Debbie on 4845 1403.

**SQUAD SWIMMING**

Gunning Swimming Pool; Thursdays 5pm – 6pm; $10 per person

Call Emma on 0407 227456 for enquiries or bookings

**YASS FOOTBALL CLUB**

Winter Football registration days – Friday 11th & 18th February 2011, 5.30 – 7.30pm at Walker Park. Registration fee: U7-U9 $60 per player, U10-U18 $100 per player. The competition is for players born 1993 – 2004. Registrations are to be completed online at myfootballclub.com.au. Fees are to be paid by cash or cheque (payable to Yass Football Club Inc) on registration days; please bring your Myfootball Club invoice. Junior League commences Saturday 7th May; Mens Comp Saturday 16th April; Womens Comp Sunday 10th April. Enquiries: [www.yassfc.com.au](http://www.yassfc.com.au) or contact Grant Taylor 0417 684289, 6226 4096.

**Goulburn & District Netball Assoc. Inc.**

## 2011 Registration All players, coaches, managers, teams and school contacts are invited to register for the 2011 season.

Divisions & Cost: Net-Set-Go (Netta) Ages 5 – 9yrs $ 80.00

Junior / Intermediate / Cadet $100.00

(10 - 16yrs)

Senior 17yrs+ $140.00

Non-Player $ 35.00

REGISTRATION DAY: SATURDAY 26TH FEBRUARY AT NETBALL COURTS,

CARR CONFOY PARK, EASTGROVE 10.00am - 1.00pm

Team nominations would be preferred from schools/groups. Individual registrations will be accepted.

Registration forms and payment need to be completed on registration day. GDNA will have forms

available on the day.

**CSIRO ENERGYMARK**

Get involved in Energymark.**munity?**

Volunteers are needed to lead discussions on energy, climate change, water and waste. Help create a sustainable future – reduce your carbon footprint and save power at home. You don’t need to know a lot about energy and climate change to participate. Gather a small group of people (family, friends, neighbours or workmates) for discussions and receive support and discussion material from CSIRO. To register or for more information visit www.energymark.com.au or call 1300 119 003**.**

**TARALGA HOCKEY CLUB**

Would all Junior and Senior players (male or female) wishing to play hockey this year, or any new players who would like to join a team, please contact Ruth Robertson on 4821 1605 or Jo Gulson 4823 5598 for further information. New players welcome. No previous playing experience necessary.

**LISTEN WITH CLARITY**

Does your child display any of the following difficulties:

* Daydreamer, often “away with the fairies”
* Learning difficulties or performance deficits
* Weak literacy, numeracy or memory
* Poor reading, writing, phonemic awareness
* Poor auditory processing
* Poor concentration. Low attention, easily attracted, low comprehension with background noises, or some sounds are too loud
* Difficulty expressing thoughts or feelings, poor social skills
* Anxious, low self esteem, self critical, depressed
* Poor posture, clumsy, poor hand-eye co-ordination
* Often says “what”, “pardon”, “huh”
* Delayed or unclear speech, stutter, poor voice quality
* Disorganised – homework, punctuality, low motivation
* Over-emotional, immature, frustrated
* Behavioural or social problems – aggressive, attention-seeking
* Slow to react or to process instructions
* Hyperactive, difficult to sit still especially if trying to pay attention
* Chronic congestion, food intolerances

If so, I may be able to help you. Your child may have a listening problem. For more information or for a listening assessment, please contact Trudy Price on 0411 877761.

**CALENDAR**

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| **TERM 1** | **MONDAY** | **TUESDAY** | **WEDNESDAY** | **THURSDAY** | **FRIDAY** |
| Week 4  14th – 18th Feb | **Canteen**  **(Kylie/Belinda)** | **Gymnastics** | **Parent Information Session**  **6:00pm** | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Tracey/Gai)** |
| Week 5  21th – 25th Feb | **Assembly 2:45**  **4/5/6**  **Canteen (Beth/Belinda)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Lil/Carol)** |
| Week 6  28th Feb– 4th Mar | **Canteen (Kylie/Belinda)** | **Gymnastics** | **Questacon Science Circus** | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Tracey/Gai)** |
| Week 7  7th – 11th Mar | **Assembly 2:45**  **2/3**  **Canteen (Beth/Belinda)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Lil/Carol)** |
| Week 8  14th – 18th Mar | **Canteen (Beth/Belinda)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Belinda/Kylie)** |
| Week 9  21st– 25th Mar | **Assembly 2:45**  **K/1**  **Canteen (Lil/Carol)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Tracey/Gai)** |
| Week 10  28 th Mar – 1st Apr | **Canteen (Belinda/Kylie)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen (Belinda/Kylie)** |
| Week 11  4th – 8th Apr | **Dance & drama performance afternoon**  **Canteen (Belinda/Kylie)** | **Gymnastics** |  | **Tennis** | **Footsteps Dance**  **Canteen CLOSED** |