



Hermidale Public School

Newsletter Term 2 Week 7

1 June 2021

Dear Parents,

Many learning opportunities were provided to the students throughout last week. I joined Mac, Ruby, Marlie and Matilda in Narromine for the Public speaking competition. The students presented themselves very well and all delivered quality speeches. A number of audience members praised the students for their speech and delivery. On Friday, the students travelled to Girilambone for the Life Education Van annual visit. The topics covered in the van were Cyber bullying and relationships.

Appointment of permanent Teacher - I am very pleased to inform you that Rebekah Coddington has been appointed to Hermidale PS for the next three years. Her position is being funded through school funding. Having a full time second teacher will enable us to continue to meet the literacy and numeracy learning needs of your child and enables us to provide differentiated teaching through the two classroom grouping.



We are heading to the snow!
Please return permission notes &
Payment is due to confirm your booking

Parents to pay -

\$150 for 1 child

\$120 each for 2 children

\$ 100 each for 3 plus children

Payment due by Monday 7 June, 2021

School uniform reminders

As the mornings are getting cooler, could I remind parents that children need to wear a school jumper to school. We also ask that girls have their hair up for the day and that all children bring their school hat to school. If children don't have their school hat, they will need to play in the shade.

School Winter Jackets

Following the parent survey, winter school jackets will be available for parents to purchase from **Totally Workwear in Dubbo**. If you wish to order one, please phone Totally Work Wear to order and pay by this Friday. **Please see information about the jacket and sizing charts below. If you are ordering a kids or adults size quote style number 3WSJ**

If you are ordering ladies size quote style number 2WSJ1

Totally WorkWear phone number 6882 8011



Sorry day and Reconciliation week - 27 May - 3 June.

National reconciliation week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore hope each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

These dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey— the successful [1967 referendum](#), and the [High Court Mabo decision](#) respectively.

Mrs Coddington and the students learnt about the significance of Sorry day and the apology to the nation by former PM Rudd. They wrote some inspired metaphors to describe their thinking and feelings. A few of the pieces of work completed by our students are shown here.

The tears rolling down my face were like a beaming sun as I heard the words "I'm Sorry" said over the radio

- Abbie Smith

As the tears continuously rolled down my face, it hit the ground turning the dust to mud. So many children getting taken, getting stolen and not a thing I could do to stop it

- Oliver Sheather

I think reconciliation means sharing the country, caring and helping others from past challenges and joining together and recognising this is Aboriginal land and letting them reconnect with their country.

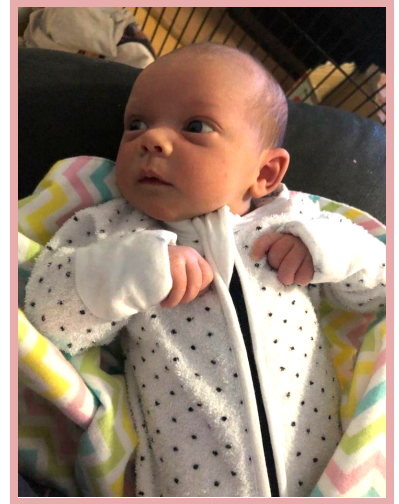
- Matilda Mudford

I think reconciliation is to move forward as one

- Jimmy Smith

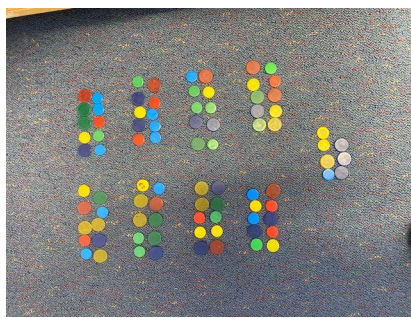
BABY GIRL

Beautiful news from Jacinta & Edgy on the safe arrival of Baby Claire Gabrielle May Edge on 14th May. At a healthy 3.02 kgs and 50cm long! Mum and bubba are doing well and we are certain that big brother Malcolm is besotted.



Talk Moves

Our whole school participated in a targeted talk session that came from us playing the game "Minute to Win it" last week. Students had to share and reflect on how best they could display the counters they had gathered from this highly intense minute. There were some great questions during the gallery walks and some readjusting to allow us to see everyone's collection relatively quickly without needing to count or think too much. Mrs Robb can not wait to play this again so she can try and have more counters.



Skye Dedman
PRINCIPAL

TERM 2

What's coming up?

Week 8

Friday 11th June

Touch football at Narromine

Week 9

Monday 14th June - PUBLIC Holiday

Thursday 17th June - Semester two reports home

Week 10

Sunday 20th June to Friday 25th June

School Excursion to snow

Winter Holidays

26th June to 11th June

Term 3

Week 1

Tuesday 13 June

Students resume



Students of the Week

Matilda for writing a meaningful definition of her understanding of what Reconciliation is

Mac for being a focused worker who willingly shares and reflects with his peers.



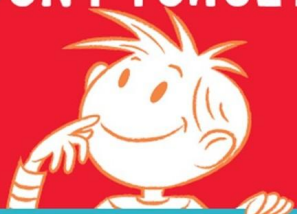
**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
TO YOU**



Mac - 1st June

We hope you have a wonderful day

DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC

Book Club

orders are due:
to **Hermidale PS** by
14th June 2021

We are on Facebook !!



Hermidale Public School

Create @Username · Education

+ Add a Button

Search for us on Facebook and hit the "like" button so you can follow along & stay up to date with what our school is up to.

SPORT



Year 3-6 Small Schools Touch football competition - Friday 11th June at Narromine footy field.

Round 1 Combined Hermidale/Girilambone PS v. Eumungerie PS.

Training sessions - Wednesday 2 June at Nyngan Junior League oval 12.30 - 2.30

Tuesday 8th June at Girilambone PS 10.30 - 12.30

**Ed.
week
26-30 July
2021**

Around the School



Mac, Ruby, Marlie & Matilda representing the school at the Narromine CWA public speaking competition.

Teachers and staff from Hermidale, Girilambone and Marra golfing around at the Nyngan Golf Course - Thanks Tim Tulenew for organising a very fun afternoon.



HANDY HINTS & TIPS FOR SCHOOL

HEALTHY TIPS FOR HEALTHY FAMILIES

CHOOSE
HEALTHY
SNACK
OPTIONS



MAKE WATER
YOUR DRINK



TURN OFF
THE SCREEN
AND GET
ACTIVE EACH
DAY

EAT MORE
FRUIT & VEG

GET
INVOLVED IN
ACTIVE
TRAVEL

CHOOSE
HEALTHY,
EVERYDAY
OPTIONS AT
THE CANTEEN



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT:

Live Life Well @ School <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/heal/primaryschools>
Healthy School Canteens <https://healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au>
Healthy Lunch Box ideas <https://healthylunchbox.com.au>

Live Life Well @ School

THIS RESOURCE WAS DEVELOPED BY WESTERN NSW LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT



Sunsmart Snippet

Slop on sunscreen



Apply SPF 30 or higher sunscreen generously, re-apply every two hours.

Apply 20 minutes before going outside.

Adults use about a teaspoon for the face, neck and ears; a teaspoon for each arm and leg; and a teaspoon each for the front and back of the body.

www.sunsmartnsw.com.au

 **Cancer Council**
Healthy Lunch Box

The more you read,
the more you know.
The more you know,
the smarter you grow.
-Dr. Seuss





Term 2 Canteen

At the recent P&C meeting it was voted to trial 'The Little Brown Bag' catering for next term's canteen which was also voted to run once a week on a Thursday.

Order and payment can be made directly by **Wednesday morning 8am** as follows:

Little Brown Bag Facebook messenger

OR

Amie Taylor - 0432 788 795

Please ask for bank details so you can transfer money.

Options for canteen will include:

Butter Chicken **\$8.00 (comes with rice and Naan)**

Caesar Salad **\$8.00**

Sticky Sesame Chicken **\$7.00 (comes with rice)**

Spag Bol **\$7.00**

Lasagne **\$7.00**

Sushi **\$5.00**

Ham & Cheese Pizza Slice **\$3.00**

Pizza Scrolls **\$3.00**

A small side salad or veggies can be added to the above meals for \$1

Please feel free to discuss any queries with the P&C and I hope everyone's Easter Raffle tickets are going well.



COMMUNITY NEWS

Uniting and CWA present:






TRIVIA NIGHT

Hermidale Tennis & Fitness Centre

★ 6:00 PM ★ FRIDAY, 18 JUNE 2021
 ★ FREE EVENT ★ DINNER PROVIDED

Prizes throughout the night

Limited Spaces / Tables of 6 Players / Children Welcome

RSVP: 14 June / Catherine Thompson 0438 652 794 / cthompson@uniting.org

Join us for a night of fun and laughter

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS WORKSHOP



Friday 16th July 2021 – 8.30am to 4pm

Venue: TBC

Booking by: 17.07.2021 at
nynganlalc@bigpond.com or 02 68 322 639


TOPIC OF CONVERSATION:
 ABORIGINAL CULTURE - ABORIGINAL ARTEFACTS & BUSH TUCKER -
 WORKING TOGETHER - DROUGHT - WELL BEING - MENTAL HEALTH -
 SUPPORT & SERVICE PROVIDERS

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COMING SOON TO NYNGAN

Mobile Oral Health Centre



Who is Eligible to Attend?

<p>Children (Under 18 years old)</p> <p>When: Every Thursday and Friday from the 14th June to the 6th August 2021</p> <p>Where: At the Nyngan Multipurpose Service (MPS) Hospital Road, Nyngan</p>	<p>Adults (18 years old or older)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must hold a Medicare card • Hold a Medicare card, and hold or be listed as a dependent on a valid Australian concession card • Health Care Card • Pensioner Concession Card • Commonwealth Seniors Health Card <p>All adults and children must be normally a resident within the boundary of the Western NSW Local Health District</p> <p>To make an appointment you can:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call our Contact Centre on 1300 552 626 • Or • Drop into our Mobile Oral Health Centre during opening hours
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