

Jamberoo Public School

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A SMALL SCHOOL MAKING A BIG DIFFERENCE



Some of our
fabulous carnival
swimming newbies

2020 P & C Meeting

On Wednesday night, the P&C met to host both the annual general meeting and the first P&C Meeting for 2020. A big congratulations to the following parents who were successful in becoming our executive P&C members:

President: Rebecca Binks

Vice President: Janine Wilkens

Vice President: Hana Papesch

Secretary: Eden Kirk

Treasurer: Kristeen Harris

The students and staff appreciate the tremendous work the 2019 committee have achieved and look forward to working alongside the 2020 committee to continue to reach great outcomes for JPS students.

Outdoor Learning Space

I would like to meet with any parent who have a passion or interest in a project relating to the use of the recently opened outdoor learning space. In 2020, this magical space will be utilised by students to promote outdoor and environmental education.

Swimming Carnival

A huge thanks to Mrs Behl-Shanks and Mrs Milligan for their super efforts in organising the JPS 2020 Swimming carnival. The weather was very accommodating and the day ran like clockwork. I appreciate the support of families that were able to help on the day, and able to support and promote being active. The students and staff proudly used the new P&C donated house colour shade shelters to show pride in their teams and keep safe from the sun. Well done to all students who had a go and did their personal best.

Water Tank

If any parents have a background in moving a water tank/ and or small concrete slabs, and would like to help the school, please contact myself at school. At present we have an idle water tank that needs relocating, and a small slab that needs removing. Any help would be massive.



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Calendar Events

On ClassDojo I will be setting event dates as soon as possible to give parents enough notice before events occur. Please visit ClassDojo today to see updated events.

Parent Information Evening

Thank you to those parents who were able to attend last Tuesday's Parent Information Evening. The event was a great opportunity to meet your child's teacher and gain an insight into what expectations and learning are in stall for your child. Please remember that although teachers are busy people, they still are there to take time to meet and hear your questions and concerns. As educators our primary role is to work collaboratively with parents to get the best results for students.

Resilience

Last Tuesday during the Parent Information Evening I heard a term used called 'over-rescuing'. This term means that sometimes we need to let our loved ones learn by their mistakes and develop resilience to grow. A big challenge facing students in today's society is a fear of failing. As Winston Churchill once said "Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts." I have placed a short video on the JPS School website that gives students a clear definition of what resilience is. We will be playing this at our next assembly.

Mr Paul Galea
Principal Jamberoo PS

JPS SWIMMING CARNIVAL

The weather played nicely this week, with our carnival taking place on a steamy Tuesday resulting in the swimmers being very happy to be getting wet. Congratulations to all participants on your efforts in the pool! The winning house and Age Champions will be announced at tomorrow's assembly. Notes for all students qualifying for the District Carnival next Friday will be posted on Care Monkey tomorrow. A big thanks to all staff and our many fabulous parent helpers who helped the day run so smoothly.

DEBATING 2020

Debating will commence this Tuesday 18 February. Could all interested students please meet Mrs Behl-Shanks and Mrs Martin in Tangalla classroom at 8am on Tuesday morning. Debating will be held each week from 8am - 9.30, from now until we are eliminated from the Premiers Debating Challenge (hopefully sometime around the state finals in September!).

DRAGON BOATING

The Shellharbour Festival of Sport are again running the annual dragon-boating races for community teams on Saturday March 7th (from 9ish until 2sh). If you would like to be part of this fantastic community day, we have a few seats to fill in our Jamberoo school boat. The staff and families have excitedly jumped on the band wagon, so don't delay or you will risk missing out! Cost - \$25 per paddler. Training run - Friday 6 March afternoon (details to follow). For further information contact Sharon Behl-Shanks or Jess Martin.

Library News Week 3

As part of Parent Information Evening, our Library Lab opened to display some of the exciting new STEM tools that we are using this year. Thank you to Chloe, Sarah, Belle and Jack, who came in for the evening to run the displays. Also thankyou to the P&C for their support of STEM this year.

Library borrowing has begun for all classes this week. K-2 classes will enjoy borrowing time with me and 3-6 classes will borrow with their class teacher. On your child's library day, it is helpful if they pack a library bag to transport books safely along with any books that need to be returned.

Taking the time to explore a library book together is a great way to foster a love of reading, particularly in the younger years. So, ask your child about what they have chosen to borrow and why, and consider spending some time together reading and looking at the pictures.

Lastly, the Library Lab has been a cosy and dry venue for lunch times on Monday and Tuesday this week. It has been great to see so many students enjoying some relaxing time together and sharing equipment with one another.



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Newsletter Distribution Note 2020

As the school is trying to minimise paper and photocopier usage, newsletters will be emailed to your email address every Thursday. You can also find a copy on the school website. If you must have a paper copy please complete the details below:

My eldest child _____ of class _____
will require a printed copy of the school newsletter.

Signed _____ Date _____

Awards

Birralee	Walabi	Tangalla	Wonga Wonga	Nuninoona	Cooinda
Max Leeder	All Kindergarten received a award	Willa Buckley	Jackson Comerford	Finn Pedersen	Ruby Palk
Harrison Hudspeth		Archie Savell	Reece Mills	Jack Woolley	Neve Wilkins
Allysa Ceballos		Ella Abreu	Nyasa Nakhate	Lilli Mawbey	Odin Stubbles
		Judah Schofield	Alexis Tidswell	Isabel Ryan	Hudson Buckley
		Darcy Douch		Cooper Anderson	

Learning Habits

Birralee	Tangalla	Wonga Wonga	Nuninoona	Cooinda
Lina Williams	Ellery Hoogvliet-Hewitt	Noah Egan	Eva Heffernan	Ellie Linsley
		Margaret Murray	Kobi Thornton	Hayley McArthur

House Award

Menzies

Class of the Week

Walabi

Principal's Award

Sophia Mackay

Noah Egan



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Parents, Retirees, Grandparents, Local Community members...
Jamberoo Kindergarten children are ready and waiting 😊

SEEKING VOLUNTEER/S TO TRAIN TO TEACH ETHICS IN OUR SCHOOL

Dear Families,

Primary Ethics is offered on Thursday afternoons at our School. Ethics is for children of any faith or no faith. Ethics classes introduce your child to ethical discussions and help children to make decisions based on logic as well as giving them practice at forming and expressing their ideas.

Here's our latest information about classes running this year:

2020

Kindergarten *Requires Teacher*

Stage 1 (years 1 + 2) Will run + has spots available

Stage 2 (years 3 + 4) Will run + has spots available

Stage 3 (years 5 + 6) Will run + has spots available

Waitlists

We would love to offer a Kindergarten Class, however we don't currently have enough Volunteers. Children have been placed on a waitlist until an Ethics Teacher is recruited and trained.

Could you Volunteer on Thursday afternoons at JPS?

We are seeking Volunteer/s who are available for about an hour each week to prepare and deliver an Ethics class for our local children. If you or anyone you know might be interested, visit primaryethics.com.au to find out more or contact JPS Ethics Coordinator, Tania: tpdmcinnes@outlook.com or 0415 923 025.

Becoming a Teacher

After completing all mandatory checks, Volunteer Ethics Teachers receive free training and support and the chance to contribute to their local School in a rewarding way. Training is offered regularly at Wollongong and Sydney Universities on weekends. Lessons are thought provoking and are designed to enhance children's critical thinking and moral reasoning skills.

Each week children discuss a topic from the approved Primary Ethics Curriculum. Find out more about topics by visiting primaryethics.com.au/parents. You can also *subscribe to PrimaryEthics@Home*

This note has the endorsement of the school principal.



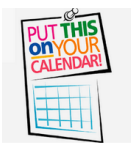
For more information on Primary Ethics visit www.primaryethics.com.au

Primary Ethics is a registered charity and the approved provider of Special Education in Ethics in NSW public schools. **t:** (02) 8068 7752 **e:** info@primaryethics.com.au



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Term 1 Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk 3					14/2/20 - Swim Scheme 1:30-3pm
Wk 4	17/2/20	18/2/20	19/2/20 - Gymnastics	20/2/20	21/2/20 - District Swimming
Wk 5	24/2/20	25/2/20	26/2/20 - Gymnastics	27/2/20	28/2/20
Wk 6	2/3/20 - Young Leaders Day	3/3/20 - Paul Kelly Cup	4/3/20 - Gymnastics	5/3/20	6/3/20
Wk 7	9/3/20	10/3/20	11/3/20 - Gymnastics - Regional Swimming Carnival	12/3/20	13/3/20
Wk 8	16/3/20 - Debating Workshop - Jamberoo PS	17/3/20	18/3/20 - Gymnastics	19/3/20	20/3/20
Wk 9	23/3/20	24/3/20	25/3/20 - Gymnastics	26/3/20 - Grandparent's Day	27/3/20
Wk 10	30/3/20	31/3/20	1/4/20	2/4/20	3/4/20
Wk 11	6/4/20 - Photo Day	7/4/20 - Kindergarten Vision Screening	8/4/20	9/4/20	10/4/20 Good Friday



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Chook Roster 2020

Saturday 15th February - Shepley Family	Sunday 16th February - Shepley Family
Saturday 22nd February - Egan Famile	Sunday 23rd February - Egan Family
Saturday 29th February - Stewart Family	Sunday 1st March - Stewart Family
Saturday 7th March - Wilkins Family	Sunday 8th March - Wilkins Family
Saturday 14th March - Egan Family	Sunday 15th March - Egan Family
Saturday 21st March - Stewart Family	Sunday 22nd March - Stewart Family
Saturday 28th March - Shepley Family	Sunday 29th March - Shepley Family
Saturday 4th April - Reilly Family	Sunday 5th April - Reilly Family
Friday 10th & Saturday 11th April - Kirk Family	Sunday 12th April - Kirk Family

Holiday Chook Roster

Monday 13th April -	Monday 20th April -
Tuesday 14th April -	Tuesday 21st April -
Wednesday 15th April -	Wednesday 22nd April -
Thursday 16th April -	Thursday 23rd April -
Friday 17th April -	Friday 24th April -
Saturday 18th April -	Saturday 25th April -
Sunday 19th April -	Sunday 26th April -



ILLAWARRA SPORTS HIGH

SUPPORTING TALENTED ATHLETES THROUGH EDUCATION

2020 INFORMATION & OPEN NIGHT

Monday 24th February 2020
6.00pm til 8.00pm
Illawarra Sports High School Hall
Guru Street, Berkeley



The Open Night will provide parents and students with information regarding local enrolments and the Talented Sports and Development Program.

Information for students in years 5 to 10.

Register your interest online www.illawaspor-h.schools.nsw.gov.au



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Kiama High School 2020
Year 5 and 6 Open Night, Wednesday 26th February, 6:15pm to 8pm in the Gadhu Gym
Be entertained, view displays, ask questions, meet the Principal, Year 7 Advisers and teachers.
Respect – Responsibility – Excellence



Kiama-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

**KIAMA
 GIRL GUIDES**

SEASHELLS UNIT
 FOR 6-10 YEAR OLDS
 THURSDAYS
 4.30 - 6.30PM

FLAME TREE UNIT
 FOR 10-14 YEAR OLDS
 THURSDAYS
 6.00 - 8.00PM

 NEW MEMBERS WELCOME ANYTIME
 2 WEEK FREE TRIAL AVAILABLE



**WE ARE EMPOWERING
 THE WOMEN OF THE
 FUTURE; FOR THEY WILL
 NOT ONLY IMPACT THEIR
 FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES,
 AND COUNTRY – THEY WILL
 CHANGE THE WORLD.**

**WE'RE GIRL GUIDES,
 A PLACE TO GROW.**



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THE FLAME TREE PROJECT

Illawarra in Song



2020 Program Auditions

Students in Years 3-8

The Flame Tree Project is a high quality choral program for young singers in the Illawarra.

In 2020, we are delighted to share the Dreaming story 'OOLA BOOLA WOO' – THE STORY OF FIVE ISLANDS. Four outstanding Australian composers have been commissioned to produce 7 original compositions.

The cost of this unique program is \$135. The Flame Tree Project is a provider of the NSW Government's 'Creative Kids Program' and a \$100 voucher can be claimed against this cost. We also have subsidised places available courtesy of the generous support the IMB Community Foundation.

Auditions: Confirmed upon application

Workshop Dates: Sat/Sun 22 & 23 Feb and Sat/Sun 21 & 22 March 2020

Performance: 22 March 2020

Places are limited and applications will close once the program is full. The Application Form can be found on our Facebook page. For further information please email stevew@flametreeproject.com or phone 0437 885731.

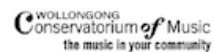


OOLA BOOLA WOO

The Story of Five Islands



Flame Tree Community Partners:



PARKER'S TENNIS COACHING



Tennis lessons are now available for private, semi-private & group lessons before and after school at Jamberoo Tennis Club.

Please contact Andrew on 0407 029 731 for more information.



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WHY CONSIDER CHRISTIAN SRE ?



TO NURTURE SPIRITUAL
WELLBEING



TO ANSWER SEARCHING
QUESTIONS



TO HELP SHAPE
PERSONAL VALUES



TO BROADEN YOUR CHILD'S
EDUCATION



TO PROVIDE EXTRA PASTORAL
CARE FOR STUDENTS AND
FAMILIES

2020 Classes at Jamberoo Public School

SRE Classes will be running for years K-6 with teachers who are ready and eager to engage your kids with questions around faith, life, and Jesus!

Here are some reflections on primary SRE from past students:

“As a child of non-religious parents, SRE was the only place I was challenged to think about, religion and my own worldview. I did not become a Christian until much later in life, but I valued SRE for building my interest in all sorts of questions of faith. As a parent, I chose to send my children to a public school over a faith-based school because SRE exists in NSW schools. My children could mix, learn and grow up in a multi-faith, multi-cultural environment which values choice and religious belief.” John

“When I was a primary school student, I remember how much I loved SRE. The things I learnt were so valuable. I learnt how to make good choices... to know that God had made me ... that I wasn't a mistake ... that I was loved. These things had a deep impact in my life.” Nicole

For more information on Primary SRE visit
<https://whysre.com.au/>

For more information on:

Protestant SRE - Rayne, Children & Youth Minister at Jamberoo Anglican at 0490 342 595
Catholic SRE – Gai, Catholic SRE Coordinator at 0401 468 209



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