

2018 - Term Three

Upcoming Events

<u>INVERELL</u> <u>EXCURSION</u>

Woolworths & Art Gallery

20th Sept, 2018

<u>REGIONAL</u> ATHLETICS

21st Sept. 2018

<u>GALA TOUCH,</u> <u>CRICKET &</u> HOCKEY DAY

25th Sept, 2018

FISHING EXCURSION

26th Sept, 2018

BOOKWEEK/ GRANDPARENTS DAY

27th Sept, 2018

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Term 3-Week 9- 17th September 2018

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Welcome to Week 9 of Term 3. This term has been a very busy one, and the next two weeks will also be action packed with many activities.

Mrs Coddington will be attending a Principal Network Meeting in Moree on Wednesday, Mrs Eddy will teach her class. On Friday, Mrs Coddington and Mrs Makim will be attending training on the new HR System. Mrs Irwin will teach the primary class and Mrs Schneider will be in the office.

Regional Athletics—Good luck to our team of athletes competing at Regionals on Friday, 21st September. Students have been training for their events, good luck to Kohen, Kyemma, Caleb, Rory and Mellissa. Have a great day.

Woolworths/Art Gallery Excursion—(blue paper) All students will be participating in our excursion to Woolworths for the Discovery Tour, followed by a visit to AK Bellinger's Art Gallery and the Inverell Gallery on Thursday, 20th September. Students will have lunch when they return to school. Cost of this excursion is \$2.00, please complete the permission note and return to school tomorrow.

Small Schools Gala Day - (green paper). All students will participate in the Small Schools Gala Day on Tuesday, 25th September to be held at the Inverell Sporting Complex. Students will participate in hockey, touch and cricket. Private transport will be required to and from the complex. Students may order their lunch, a order form is attached and this must be returned by this Friday. Students may order a cheese burger/popper or water for \$5.00. Please return the permission note and lunch order by this Friday. Parents can order their lunch with their child's.

Gum Flat P&C will be running the canteen, all profits from sales will be held by our P&C. Your support of this fundraiser would be most appreciated.

Book Week and Grandparents Day—Gum Flat School will hold our Book Week Celebrations and Grandparents/Special Friend day on Thursday, 27th September. The day will commence at 10am, with the book week character parade at 10.30am, followed by morning tea. After morning tea, we will continue with activities for students and parents. The school will provide a hot lunch for students and visitors at 1.00pm. The theme for book week this year is "Find your Treasure", we look forward to seeing lots of pirates, let your imagination run wild. (Parents keep the costumes simple). We look forward to a great day with lots of visitors to our beautiful school.

The school website has now been updated, Mrs Schneider will update this each Friday.

Fantastic work by Emma Wilson and Jackson Schmidt.

The Town Excursion

On the town excursion we all had a quiz. It was fun. I was a buddy with Daman. First we all went to Pioneer Village. There was a lot of old stuff. Kyemma and I loved the crystals. After Pioneer Village we all went to the churches. On top of the church there was a pigeon. Mrs Eddy found the symbol for church. Next we went to the Art Gallery. Jackson found his Gran's painting on the wall. Out the back there was a picture made out of smashed plates. After that we went to the Australia Café. I had nuggets and chips. Their milkshakes were delicious! We all went to visit Melissa Simmonds' shop. She gave us all a rainbow pencil. Then we went back on the bus to school. My favourite part of the day was Melissa's shops.

By Emma



The Town Excursion

First we went to Pioneer Village. We looked at the old homes and schools. After that we had morning tea. After morning tea we went on the bus again. We went to see the churches. Next we went to the Australia Café for lunch. I had chicken nuggets and my drink was a strawberry milkshake. The place that I liked the most was the Art Gallery because my Gran's painting was there.

By Jackson

