

# North Weekly News

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Term 3 Week 9

Wednesday, 17 September

## Term 3

Thurs 18 Sept	PSSA Cricket V's Small Schools Knockout
	Performance of Sean Choolburra
Tues 23 Sept	K-2 Assembly – Behaviour Awards
	3-6 Assembly – Behaviour Awards
Wed 24 Sept	Year 6 Market Day
Fri 26 Sept	Last day of Term 3

## Term 4

Mon 13 Oct	School Development Day for staff
Tues 14 Oct	Students return to Term 4
	Kindergarten Orientation Information Evening

## **PBL “Reach for the Stars” Badges and Awards**

Congratulations to the following students who received our “Reach for the Stars” Gold Star Award and badge:

**K-2 Bronte (1/2U)** for being a kind and thoughtful student, who consistently displays care and respect to all.



**3-6 Lincoln (6W)** for being respectful of staff and other students and always being a responsible learner.



## **Congratulations Riverina Champions!**

A massive shoutout to our incredible boys' soccer team and girls' touch team for taking out both their PSSA Riverina Finals yesterday! Your hard work, determination and team spirit have paid off. Congratulations on making it to the quarterfinals!



We are all looking forward to your next games which will be next term. This is an outstanding achievement and we are all very proud of you!



## Lap-a-thon

Thank you to all of the students and families who supported our Lap-a-thon again this year. We have raised \$8 143.10 which will be used to purchase resources to support our students' learning. Congratulations to the following class winners who will receive a book or sports store voucher.

- KD Mia
- KA Valentino
- KM Imsal
- 1A Riley
- 1C Scarlett
- 1/2U Adam
- 2M Laura
- 2C Grace
- 3MG Liam
- 3A Florence
- 4V Tarren
- 4S Aaliya
- 4/5H Oscar
- 5J Dexter
- 5/6P Hudson
- 6H Sam
- 6W Celine

## Assembly Awards - Term 3 Week 9

<b>KA</b>	Ezra, Cohen, Lakai
<b>KD</b>	Jaxon, Ellie, Chaise
<b>KM</b>	Maryum, Xander, Elijah
<b>1A</b>	Scarlett, Nate, Skylar
<b>1C</b>	Poppy, Krishav, Abram
<b>1/2U</b>	Ella, Samuel, Edie
<b>2C</b>	Kaitlyn, Grace, Olivia
<b>2M</b>	Aishal, Ayesha, Huey
<b>Italian</b>	Hunter, Emmie
<b>3MG</b>	Zahlia, Aurora
<b>3A</b>	Moses, Francisco
<b>4V</b>	Georgia, Sophie
<b>4S</b>	Romy, Alexander
<b>4/5H</b>	Mikayla, Kadie
<b>5J</b>	Abbey, Layton
<b>5/6P</b>	Poppy, Connor
<b>6H</b>	Samiul, Rihan
<b>6W</b>	Millie, Lexi
<b>Italian</b>	Chaise, Sarah
<b>SRC</b>	Gaby, Aist

## PBL Reward Tickets

Congratulations to the following students who were drawn out of the PBL Reward Ticket box for following school expectations:

- Chevy
- Mia
- Emmie
- Nate
- Brock



## P&C Lamington Drive

Last Friday, we held our lamington drive. We made 1065 dozen lamingtons, which is a wonderful effort. Thank you to all the parents and caregivers who came along to help and everyone who ordered lamingtons.

A special thank you to Kylie Plummer for her organisation of this school community event. Everyone's support has made this another successful fundraiser for our students.

Renae Testoni  
P&C President



## Market Day

On Wednesday 24 September (Week 10), Year 6 will be running a 'Market Day' fundraiser for all students from Kindergarten to Year 5. Students are encouraged to bring along some money and visit our market day stalls. All students are invited to dress up in crazy circus outfits for a gold coin donation.

The funds raised on this day will be used to purchase the Year 6 gift to the school.

Students in K-2 will have the opportunity to visit the market day stalls from 11.35 – 12.30pm and students in Years 3-5 from 12.15 – 1.00pm.

All activities will be either \$1 or \$2. There will also be some free activities available on the day.

A list of prices and activities was sent home last week.



## Celebrating Attendance

Congratulations to **Year 4** who had **93%** attendance for Week 8. They were closely followed by Year 3 and Year 5 with 90%. Year 4 will receive 10 minutes extra play for wonderful attendance. Keep up the great work.



## Sean Choolburra Performance

This Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2025, all GNPS students will have the opportunity to see a live performance by Sean Choolburra in the school. This performance will be free for all students.

Charismatic, vibrant and captivating, Sean fuses his engaging energy and humour with historical facts, spiritual wisdom, depth of ancestral understanding and knowledge: he is one very exciting and talented cultural ambassador.

Dance – stories – painting – fire creation – didgeridoo playing: all are presented with a wonderful array of artefacts, from fishing nets to hunting shields.

Students are encouraged to dance, sing and participate!



This performance is free and will be held in the hall. If you would not like your child to attend/participate, please inform the school.



## Sport News

### PSSA Touch Knockout

Congratulations to our outstanding girls' Touch Football Team, who have been crowned Riverina Champions after an impressive 6–2 victory over Murrumburrah yesterday in the Riverina final!

The game showcased the incredible talent, teamwork and determination of our girls, who came out strong from the start and maintained control throughout the match. Quick passes, solid defence and smart plays allowed them to dominate the field and secure a well-earned win.

The girls' teamwork and focus were exceptional, and they played with great spirit and sportsmanship.

This victory is a reflection of the team's dedication and hard work throughout the knockout.

A heartfelt thank you to Mrs Pandolfo for coaching and supporting the girls. A fantastic result and a memorable achievement. Go girls!

### PSSA Soccer Knockout

Congratulations to our amazing boys' Soccer Team, who secured an impressive victory in the Riverina Final, defeating South Wagga yesterday with a dominant 7–1 performance.

The team showed outstanding skill, teamwork and strength of mind throughout the match. From the opening whistle, they took control of the game, creating scoring opportunities and applying relentless pressure. Their strong defence and clinical finishing made for an unforgettable final.

The boys have worked hard all knockout, and this result is a reflection of their dedication. They played with heart, discipline, and true sportsmanship.

A special thank you to Miss Vecchio for coaching and assisting the boys.

This win marks a fantastic achievement and a proud moment for the school. Well done boys!

### PSSA Cricket Knockout Competition

This Thursday, our school cricket team will compete in the PSSA Cricket knockout competition against Small Schools. We would like to wish the boys all the best in this next round and thank Mr Arnold for coaching the team.



### Parking in Drop of Zones

In NSW, you can stop in designated 'No Parking' school drop-off zones for a maximum of 2 minutes to drop off or pick up children, but you **must remain in or within 3 metres of your vehicle** and not leave your car unattended. If you wish to walk your child into school, you will need to park in another area, that allows you to leave your car. Thank you for your cooperation as it helps keep our students safe and traffic moving smoothly around our school.



## Griffith Touch Association

# JUNIOR CLINIC

### Tuesday 30 September 2025

*A great opportunity for children to learn fundamental touch footy skills in a fun & safe environment*

**5yrs to 8yrs**  
**\$10**  
**9am-11.30am**

**9yrs to 12 yrs & over**  
**\$15**  
**12.30pm -3pm**





SCAN CODE FOR YOUR AGE GROUP



**Registrations close Monday 22 September**  
More information  
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