Upcoming Events
7th May – Mothers Day stall & AECG meeting
8th May - Mothers Day breakfast

Dear Parents/Carers
Congratulations to our students for the way they are wearing their uniforms. We have a professional looking uniform that our students wear proudly. New items of uniform are for sale at the office at very reasonable prices and we are the only place where you can buy the official jumper and tracksuit. The office also has a small supply of good quality second hand items.

Congratulations also to our school leaders on the way they represented our school at the GRIP Leadership conference in Tamworth yesterday. This day was organised for our leaders to build confidence in leadership. Thanks to Lizz Ferguson for providing transport.

NAPLAN testing begins next week. All parents of Year 3 and 5 students have had letters explaining the process. If you would like any further information about the NAPLAN tests, please contact the school.

Kind regards
Stephen de Roos

GRIP Leadership
On Monday, three of our Year 6 students attended the GRIP Leadership conference in Tamworth. The three girls, Lilli, Tanisha and Larna, our School Captains and Vice Captain respectively, had a wonderful time and have enthusiastically brought back with them innovative ideas and plans to help lead our school. We are excited to hear more from our dynamic leadership team! Well done for representing our school so commendably girls!

Mothers Day Stall
Our Mothers Day stall will be held this Thursday after recess. Gifts will range from $1 to $4. Further information will be sent home before Thursday.

BOOK CLUB
Orders due this Friday, 8th May
Mothers Day breakfast
I would like to invite all of our Mums, Aunts, Grandmas or special ladies to a delicious BBQ breakfast, to say thanks for all you do. Staff will cook bacon and eggs, toast, juice and tea or coffee in the hall. Breakfast will be served at 8am and should be finished at 8:45am. Please fill in the attached note for catering requirements.

Recess trial
As you know we have been trialling a new recess break. Students have started playing at 11am and go back to class at 11:15am to eat their morning tea. Feedback so far from staff is that we are seeing more co-operation between students and less wasted food. Students are saying they like the change. Later on we may also investigate making changes to our second break.

Youth Expo
This Thursday, 7th May, our Year 6 students will be heading to the Town Hall to get involved in the Gunnedah Community Youth Expo. The expo is to demonstrate to our young people the variety of local options they have in the areas of sport, health and employment and training. An amendment is required for the permission note: The students will be leaving at 11:30am immediately after recess and will return at approximately 1pm. A bbq lunch is provided for the students, but recess will be eaten at school.

Have you used our school app yet??
Go to your app store, search for Gunnedah Public School and you will see our school emblem. Load it for free and have access to all our latest events, newsletters and more

Canteen Roster
8th May – Lizz & Dianne
15th May – Lizz, Michelle & Shantelle
22nd May – Lisa, Emily & Sue
29th May – Lizz, Michelle & Jackie W
5th June – Lizz & Dianne
12th June – Lizz & Michelle
19th June – Lisa, Emily & Sue
26th June – Lizz, Jenny & Jackie W

PCYC Time4Kids fundraiser
Miss Baker is happy to be participating in the local fundraiser on Saturday, 16th May. As part of Miss Baker’s fundraising activities, we can look forward to cupcake and out of uniform days. There will also be a donation tin at the front office to help Miss Baker raise her bail money.
Horse Sports

If you are participating in horse sports, please note the following dates:-

Curlewis Public School
Friday, 8th May
Entries close 1st May

Gunnedah South Public School
Friday, 26th June

Werris Creek Public School
Friday, 7th August

Narrabri West Public School
POSTPONED TO
Friday, 30th October
followed by riding events on that weekend in Narrabri

Further information is available from our school office

HOMEWORK CENTRE
Red Chief LALC
Chandos Street, Gunnedah
FREE
Supervision provided by staff and tutors
Transport available
Structured homework/activities
Light refreshments
Every Tuesday and Thursday
From 3pm to 4.15pm
Contact: Natalie on 6740 2275 or 0427 103 415

Youth Expo

Are you 12 to 24 years of age?

Find out what local services and opportunities are available to you.

Local Service Providers: Sports, Health/Access/Employment and Training

Location: Gunnedah Town Hall
Date: Thursday, 7 May 2015
Time: 10.00am to 2.00pm
Cost: Free! BBQ Lunch Provided

For information:
Natalie on 6740 2275 or Nicole on 0458 659 666
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