

Welcome back to JPS for what promises to be an exciting year brimming with learning adventures alongside our students and their families. We would like to extend a warm welcome to our three new kindergarten students, Eustie, Oki, and Poppy, along with their families. We eagerly anticipate witnessing their learning journey with us and our K-2 teacher Mrs Armstrong.

We also welcome back our staff Miss Danielle in the front office Tuesday-Thursday this year from 8:30-3 pm, Miss Katrina Dugdale 3-6 Thursday and Friday, Mrs Letesha Manton (SLSO) and Mrs Lisa Elphick (SLSO/GA).

Unfortunately, this month we bid farewell to the Graham family as they transition to the Southern Highlands for their children's schooling and relocate north. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Emma for her dedication and enthusiasm in leading the Jugiong P&C as President over the past three years, and to Gus for his support of her initiatives and projects. We wish their family all the best and look forward to working with our new P&C Executive heading into the future.

Courtney Girdler (President) Trine Ruskin-Rowe (VP) Jennette Coggan (secretary) Brooke Beer (support) and Jaclyn returning as our Treasurer. Thank you for your time and dedication to improving our students time at JPS.

We have hit the ground running with plenty of excursions, sporting events and learning opportunities on the horizon for our students and even some learning for our parents and families as we transition into a program for Social and Emotional Education. Thank you to those families who were able to join us for our Zoom meeting with Marlene who is a "Play Is The Way" expert, on Wednesday 12th of February. Hopefully this helped gain some insight into why we see the program as beneficial for our students and how we will be transitioning to intrinsic motivations (fewer rewards) and using the life rafts and virtues to encourage positive decision making at school (management of student behaviours and choices) while encouraging critical thinking and emotional intelligence in our students. Inden Webber

## Calendar dates

Two weeks of intensive swimming from Monday 17th - Friday 28th February

Tumut Soccer Gala Day - K-6 Tuesday 4th March

Dental Visit -Monday 10th or Tuesday 11th March.

Pulse Alive - Sydney Year 3-6 Wednesday 19th - Friday 21st March

Last day Term 1 -Friday 11th April

For your diaries...

The "Jugiong Journal" may take on a different look in 2025, as we give our students some ownership of the content and style. There will be no sponsorship or advertising fee's, as we are unsure how this will look and cannot guarantee space for advertising each issue. We are welcoming of content to the journal and will endeavour to add what we can. Anyone wishing to contribute to the newsletter please contact jugiong-p.school@ det.nsw.edu.au





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## Thursday 13th

February 2025

Monday Nights - Poker at 6:30pm Thursday Nights - Darts at 6.30pm Friday **Night Raffles:** Our raffle raises funds to support Jugiong Families who are suffering hardships through illness. It is drawn each week at 7:30pm.

Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

Trading Hours: Monday - Saturday 4:00pm - Close

**Sunday 12.00 noon - 10.00pm** 

Our restaurant opens daily at 5:30pm - 8:00pm Sunday - Wednesday; 5:30pm - 8:30pm Thursday - Saturday

As it can be extremely busy over the weekend, please call ahead and book a table if you would like to join us for dinner.

Dine in or Take Away Food, Beer, Wine & Spirits available. Pizzas are available throughout trading hours.





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JUGIONG ENGINEERING SERVICES



## CHURCH NEWS



Parish Priest: Fr Lolesio Parish contact: Paula Butt 0413137601 Mass 10am 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month Liturgy 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays (unless otherwise advised)

Hall & Grounds Bookings:

Contact: Hayley Clarke jugionghall@gmail.com



## **NSW RES**

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TRANSFER STATION

Thursdays-1:30-4:30 Saturdays- 1:30-4:30