



Newsletter April 2025

Wow! What a busy month March has been. It's amazing how quickly these weeks are just flying by.

We started the month with successful Parent/Student/Teacher conferences, where we discussed learning goals and aspirations for the year. Thank you to all of our families for showing interest in your child's learning and classroom activities. It is wonderful to see students wanting to involve their families in what they're learning about in the classroom.

Next on our busy schedule was the dentist visit and celebrating our first Mother's Lunch; thank you, Jaclyn and Poppy! Then, we had a week to prepare before our Year 3 - 6 students took part in Pulse Alive in Homebush, and what an incredible event it was. Over 5000 performers from both Primary and High Schools across NSW came together to perform various acts for the Pulse Alive audience. Thank you to Miss Dugdale, Tesh and Brooke for helping with overnight supervision and transport for the event. And Mrs Armstrong and Danielle for keeping things rolling at school. Without your support, these memory-making excursions could not go ahead.

Thank you also to those families who were able to make it to Sydney to watch as part of the audience. We will share with our families once we've been sent the event's production to watch.

After our much-needed rest from dancing and preparing for Pulse Alive we came back to school with news of some successful artists awarded as part of the Hilltops Art-Trail competition. Miss Dugdale had coordinated for our students, with special entries by Hughie and Felicity Keatinge. Congratulations to all of these students (see photo next page). To finish off the term we have two special events coming up with the Easter Eggstravaganza on Tuesday 8th of April with our Hat Parade, Easter Egg Hunt and special assembly from 9:30-11am. Students will also be sharing a special lunch on Thursday provided by the Long Track Pantry who are also supporting our special Easter day on Tuesday. I sign off our last newsletter for the term with best wishes and luck to our State swimmers, Charlie, Jack, Will and Brodie, heading to Homebush Aquatic Centre for swimming on the 11th of April!

Calendar dates

Tuesday 8th April -
Easter Hat parade
(see below)

Thursday 10th April -
Longtrack lunch
(return your orders
by Tuesday)

Friday 11th April -
Last day of Term 1

Wednesday 30th
April - Students
return for Term 2.

Friday 16th May -
Bongongo Cross
Country



For your diaries...

What days does my child wear their Indigenous Polo?

Tuesday's and Friday's are the standard days that our students wear their Indigenous polo to school.

Other times that the children will be asked to wear their Indigenous polo will be school excursions/incursions, sporting events, and other special school events. This will be specified on the School Bytes and Dojo App for each event. .



Linden Webber



St Patricks/Harmony Day



Friday 14th March the children celebrated two very special cultural days. St Patricks Day and Harmony Day. This allowed them to wear something Green and/or Orange.

The fundraising team organised the events of the day with a gold coin donation for mufti day and a Leprechaun hunt. Thank you again Poppy and Jaclyn for a wonderful Mother's lunch.

A great day was had by all.



Gymnastics

On Monday all students participated in a gymnastics session at Yass Gymnastics & Swim School.

Thank you Mrs Grange for transporting our children. They all had a great time experiencing the different gym equipment on offer.

(See insert for more pictures).



Hilltops Art Exhibition success!

Congratulations to these artists who were awarded a prize at the Hilltops Art Trail Children's exhibition.



Pulse Alive

Week 8, Term 1 the 3-6 class travelled to Sydney for a two night stay at Quest Apartments, Homebush to participate in Pulse Alive.

Pulse Alive is a large-scale event, providing high-quality opportunities in the performing arts for students and teachers from NSW public schools. It provides performance opportunities for students of all abilities and is open to all schools without audition. This is the 2nd time that Jugiong Public School has participated in the event.

(See insert for more photo's of this event)

NSW the childy's hospital at westmead
An Initiative of The Children's Hospital at Westmead and the NSW Department of Education

You are invited to

OPERATION ART 2025

Opening event:
2pm Saturday 12 April 2025
Cowra Regional Art Gallery, 77 Darling Street, Cowra

Operation Art exhibition will be on display from 11 April - 4 May 2025. Cowra Regional Art Gallery is open Tuesday to Saturday 10am to 4pm and Sunday 2pm to 4pm.

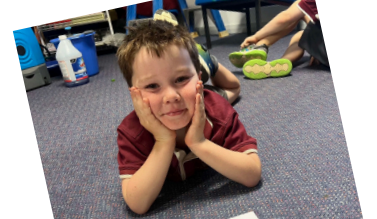
RSVP by Friday 4 April to heidi.windeisen@det.nsw.edu.au

Sponsors: Office of the Children's Guardian, mta, ecoDesign, The Children's Hospital at Westmead is part of Sydney Children's Hospitals Network, @operationartexhibition

10 Questions with

Eustie Ruskin Rowe - Kindergarten

What's your favourite thing to play with at school? **"Skipping with a hoop"**
What's your favourite activity at home? **"Playing with my toy tractor. We have a spray tractor that Jack drives. Riding Amo my horse"**.
What's your favourite colour? **"Green"**
What do you want to be when you grow up? **"A worker, mustering sheep, because it's fun and I get to go on the buggy"**.
If you could do anything you wanted, what would it be? **"Playing in my house"**.
Do you have a pet? **"Yes, her name is Trixie, she is a puppy"**. What do you like about Trixie? **"I throw something and she chases it and chews it"**. Does she bring it back? **"No"** (smiles).
If you could own any animal, what would you own? **"Trixie the dog, because she is a nice dog"**.
What is your earliest memory? **"If you are good at Preschool you get a lolly"**
What is something we may not know about you? **"I can draw a tractor"**.
Who is your most favourite person? **"Billy, because he is nice to me."**



Hughie Keatinge - Year 3

What's your favourite thing to play with at school? **"My friends"**.
What's your favourite activity at home? **"Working with dad and playing with my goats"**.
What's your favourite colour? **"Bright Orange"**.
What do you want to be when you grow up? **"A farmer of cows, sheep and goats because I like being outside"**.
If you could do anything you wanted, what would it be? **"Not go to school"**.
Do you have a pet? **"I have a few. Billy Bob the goat is my favourite because we hand raised him. Spice and daisy are our Jack Russells. Daisy chases balls and brings them back. Spice is very active"**.
If you could own any animal on this earth, what would you own? **"Dogs because when you are mustering sheep you can train them to go around the sheep"**.
What is your earliest memory? **"When I was 2 I drank out of the Tomato sauce bottle. Mum couldn't find me and I was in the fridge drinking tomato sauce. I used to like it, but not anymore"**.
What is something we may not know about you? **"I have recently started sleep walking and I did a lap around the house, through the sprinkler and in the laundry door"**.
Who is your most favourite person? **"My dad because we go farming together alot and both like being outside"**.



Tumut Soccer Gala Day



STATE SWIMMING

Congratulations Charlie, Will, Jack and Brodie for making your way through to the State Swimming Carnival in Homebush at the end of this Term. The foursome will be competing in the PP6 Relay and have already made us proud with their huge swimming achievement. Charlie will also compete in two individual swims at Sydney, (12yrs - 50m Freestyle and 50m Backstroke).





JUGIONG COMMUNITY NEWS

Wednesday
2nd
April 2025



7th Light Horse Gundagai Troop



The 7th Light Horse Troop will be attending the

Jugiong Anzac Day Ceremony
Friday 25th April 2025
3.30pm

Memorial Gates, Riverside Drive, Jugiong.

All current and Ex-service men and women, community groups, school children (in school uniform) are welcome to join the Light Horse Members in the March.
(please form at the Police Station at 3.15pm)

Everyone is welcome to be a part of the wreath laying ceremony

All enquiries please phone
Paula Butt 0413 137 601



Hello

You are invited to our Australia's Biggest Morning Tea. Let's get together and enjoy a cuppa so we can support those impacted by cancer.

Host Jugiong PS TheirCare

Where Jugiong PS, Flyde St, Jugiong NSW

Date 4th of April 2025

Time From 8am

Details In the school Library



Women's Health Clinic

Women's Health Nurses provide a free, confidential and culturally respectful service to women living in our region. Services are provided to women by women.

VISITING SERVICE

Women's Health Nurses are women who provide services for all women, with a particular focus on vulnerable women. The Women's Health Nurse will be visiting Deniliquin to provide a range of services including:

- Cervical Screening Tests
- Breast Health Awareness
- Menopause/Pelvic Floor Education
- Contraceptive Advice
- STI Screening

WHERE

Murrumbidgee/Harden Hospital
53 Scott St Harden

WHEN

Wednesday the 9th of April
Wednesday the 11th of June

CONTACT

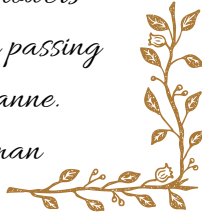
For an appointment with the Women's Health Nurse call 1800 654 324

Harden

Call for an appointment: 1800 654 324

On behalf of the Sharman and Gillam families. We would like to extend a special thank you to all those who sent cards, phone calls, text messages, food and flowers with regards to the sudden passing of our daughter Sallyanne.

Ross & Helen Sharman



JPS proudly supports all local businesses in our small village.

GINO'S FRUIT AND VEG



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 RFS

JUGIONG BUSHFIRE
BRIGADE

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TRANSFER STATION

Thursdays—1:30—4:30
Saturdays— 1:30—4:30