**Jindera Public School Canteen Roster**

**Monday each week - Bakery Orders**

- **Friday 20th March**
  - Ds - Monica Kolhagan  
  - (DS training)  
  - Ass 1 - Jenn Quayle - all day  
  - Ass 2 - Bek Twyford  
  - Barb unavailable

- **Friday 27th March**
  - Ds - Marita Christensen  
  - Ass 1 - Leticia Oehm - all day  
  - Ass 2 - Melinda Delaney  
  - Kylie unavailable

**Wednesday 1st April**
- Special Lunch order day

**Friday 3rd April**
- School Holidays

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**Venue:** Hume Public School  
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**NEWSLETTER**

**JINDERA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**Week 8 Term 1 - 19th March, 2015**

**Last week, Liam Clayton, Karen Kilronomakis and I attended a three day leadership course. The course was a very intensive and unique leadership training experience, focussing predominantly on behaviour, leading teams and school improvement. We have a number of projects to complete over the next few months, with another 3 day intensive training in August.**

IGA has very kindly donated $85.37 to the school as part of their Community Customer Rewards program. This is an additional donation to the products they provide for school events, free of charge or at a significantly reduced cost. Thank you IGA for contributing to our school community.

James Brooksby (Year 1), Sienna Finemore (Year 2) and Dustin Middleton (Year 5) received silver awards at this week’s assembly. Lauren Nixon and Wendy Howard received an Excellence Award this week. These special awards recognise the extra effort and attention to detail displayed by these students in many different areas.

Congratulations to the following students who received prizes in the star award draws recently:

- Xander Clark, Islyn Delaney (K), Ella Donaghy (Year 1), Tahlia Steinke and Jaspa Wegener (Year 2), Alisha Van Deventer (Year 3), Brett Raymond, Ashton Talbot and Tyler Jones (Year 4).

**Friday sport**

Swimming has now ended for Term 1 with class sport, in preparation for the athletics season, beginning. Students will be involved in skill and technique building for high jump, long jump, shot put and discus. The mini carnival will be held on Friday 15 May with the athletics carnival scheduled for Thursday 28 May 2015. Further details will be sent home next term.

**Riverina swimming carnival – Monday 9 March**

Congratulations to all our competitors who participated in the Riverina P.S.A. swimming Carnival. Our best performer was Thomas Brooksby who came 5th in the 9 years boys 50m Freestyle. Unfortunately, we were not able to access the bottles from NE Water. If anyone has any further contacts for 200 water bottles, please contact the school.

**Riverina swimming carnival**

**Week 8, Team 1**

**5552 8573**

**355 Wagga Road, Lavington 2641**

**Dates to remember:**

- **Tuesday 24th & Wednesday 25th March Parent/Teacher Interviews**
- **Thursday 2nd April Easter Raffle drawn**
- **Monday 20th April Staff Development Day (Student free day)**
- **Tuesday 21st April School commences for all students**

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Easter raffle

The P&C is coordinating the annual Easter raffle. Thanks to everyone for selling the tickets as all the funds go back into the school.

The P&C would appreciate any donations of chocolate eggs and other Easter items for the raffle. These can be taken to the class teachers. All students will receive a star award for their donations. The Easter raffle will be drawn at school on Thursday, 2 April during afternoon Easter celebrations.

University of NSW 2015 International competitions

Jindera Public School is offering the students an opportunity to participate in the Australian Schools Competition. The tests, organised and administered by the University of NSW, cover Maths, English, Science, Digital Technology, Writing and Spelling. There is a cost to participate and this must be met by the parents/carers if students want to be involved. A note went home last week and needs to be returned prior to the test dates (included on the information sheet). These tests are a good opportunity for students to compete against other students from across Australia and the globe.

Please note: the Digital Technology test closes during the holidays. Any students interested in sitting this test will need to have the money to the school office by Monday, 30 March. Late entries cannot be received by the testing centre.

ANZAC Day – 25 April

To commemorate the 100 years since the Gallipoli landing, the three schools in Jindera are combining to conduct the ANZAC service. This will be held on Saturday, 25 April, at the cenotaph on the corner of Dight Street and Urana St. All students, parents/carers and community are invited to attend the service. Please save the date at the end of Week 1 Term 2.

The school leaders will lay a wreath on behalf of the school.

Canteen special lunch

When: On Wednesday 1st of April in week 10, last week of term 1
What: Baked potato with cold or hot filling
Cost: $4.00

Cold filling: coleslaw, sour cream, cheese, coleslaw dressing
Hot filling: bolognaise meat sauce, cheese

Orders need to be returned to school, with the correct money, by Monday 23 March.

The canteen will be open for over-the-counter purchasing of ice-creams and drinks at lunch time on this day.

All forms must be returned, regardless of any changes.

Parent/Teacher interviews

These are scheduled for next week, Week 9 of term. Notes were sent home on 5 March and should be returned as soon as possible to secure a meeting time. Parent/teacher interviews provide an opportunity to meet with the teacher to discuss your child’s progress. If you are unable to make it on the nominated day, please contact the class teacher for an alternative day.

Parenting Riverina Programs April 2015 to June 2015

ParentingRiverina@missionaustralia.com.au

1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching

A group based behaviour management program. Simple methods and an easy to remember technique. This program aims to eliminate arguing, yelling and smacking.

Parenting your child with ADHD

Targets parents who have a child with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder. How to manage behaviours, medication, how to deal with schools and how to prevent problems from arising.

Congratulations to the following students who received Merit Awards at our last assembly

2K - Jaspa Wegener, Zander Vanderslueis-Quayle, Domynic Wayenberg, Jade Campbell-Smith
3/4B - Levi Clark, Hannah Curphey, Alex Christensen, Bailey Lake
3/4H - Rylan Doughty, Akeira Delaney, Tia Callanan
5/6K - Mitchell Van Deventer, Jake Fitzpatrick, Skye Lezius, Katie McMillan
5/6S - Amy Scammell, Jeremiah Quinn, Seth Ross, Lara Heather, Jayden Dawson, Hayley Martin, Braiden Reeves, Sam Kelly, Colten Atkins, Zahlia Lloyd

Week 9, Team 1

19 March, 2015
Before school arrangements
Parents/carers and students are reminded that a teacher is not on playground duty before 8:55am. Students arriving at school before 8:55am are reminded to sit quietly in the quad area until the bell rings at 8:55am. All students are then to move to the covered netball court and area behind the Kindergarten classrooms where they will be able to play handball, skipping, other quiet games or sit and talk to friends in a supervised area. All other areas are out of bounds in the mornings as students are out of the teacher’s view. Students arriving at school after 8:55am should move straight to the covered area. Parents/carers are requested to assist playground duty staff by ensuring that no students are in the unsupervised quad area after 8:55am.

Years 5 and 6 major excursion – 17, 18 and 19 August 2015
An expression of interest was sent home on Monday for students who are interested in attending the Years 5/6 major excursion to Canberra on 17, 18 and 19 August. The total cost of the 3 day, two night excursion is $280.00, thanks to the generous donation from the P&C.

The expression of interest and a $50.00 deposit need to be returned to the boomerang blue box by the end of term, 2 April, to secure a place and allow planning to continue. If you have any questions regarding the excursion, including student assistance, please contact the school.

Library works – A P&C funded project
Along with all the fabulous work the P&C does to support all of our students and parents, the P&C has made available the funds to create an additional learning and meeting space. The computer room has had a makeover to make it accessible from the library. This means that classes and community groups have an additional space in the school, currently struggling for additional rooms. Classes can now be supervised from the library or have an alternative, quiet area for whole class learning. Future P&C meetings will be held in this area. Please come and have a look.

Lianne Singleton
Principal
19 March 2015

JPS P&C Election Day BBQ and Cake Stall

The NSW State Election is only a couple of weeks away, Saturday 28th March 2015, and the P&C will once again be using the opportunity to hold a sausage sizzle and cake stall to help raise funds for the P&C.

Plates will be sent home to our families to give them a chance to donate some beautifully presented baked goods for us to sell. We are also asking for any donations of home grown eggs for us to sell on the day. These items can be brought to the school on the Friday before the election or dropped off on the day.

The BBQ and Cake stall will be held from 7.00am – 1.00pm and we are looking for volunteers to help out on the day to cook the BBQ or staff the cake stall. If you can help out for any of the listed time slots please let Peter Martin know by either email pjmartin@bigpond.com or mobile 041 8808 242

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Thank you in advance for your support!
This term 3/4B have been studying texts by Jeannie Baker and David Miller. As part of our Art unit we have looked at the different techniques used to create the collage illustrations in these books. Below are some examples of how we imitated the illustrators’ techniques to create our own artworks.

**A Quick Bite...**

**Start Right with a Veggie Garden at Home!**

Growing a vegetable garden at home can be very rewarding. Here are a few tips about the right spot to start. A vegetable garden should be positioned where:

- It receives maximum sunlight (roughly 6hrs) and not be shaded by trees and buildings.
- It is easy to access.
- It should have good soil and be on fairly flat ground to ensure good drainage.
- It is mostly free from weeds and other competing plants.
- It has access to good supply of water.
- It is going to be safe from damage, i.e. strong winds and pets.


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**TAFE RIVERINA INSTITUTE**

**Indigenous Mental Health Workshop**

This one day workshop will focus on mental health in Aboriginal communities, with topics such as:

- Suicide
- Stigma
- Common Mental Health Disorders
- Mood Disorders
- Substance Abuse being discussed.

This course is a great opportunity to learn about mental health first aid and how you can support your community.

For more information and to register please contact Kellie Harmer 69381273