



NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 12TH MAY,
2021

TERM 2 WEEK 4



*Wishing all our Mothers,
Grandmothers and Carers a very happy
Mother's Day!
We hope your day was extra special!*



This week we have an article from the Turtle Room featuring new student Lilly Jeffrey.

Lilly Jeffrey

It is lovely to welcome Lilly Jeffrey to G.S. Kidd School. Lilly has settled in very well. Last week Lilly enjoyed making a gift for her Mum for Mother's Day.



REMINDERS

P & C NEWS

For all enquiries please phone President Lisa Warren Ph: 0428 424 032

Next Meeting Thursday 27th May G.S. Kidd School Library 5pm. **ALL WELCOME!** If you can't attend the meetings, but would like the minutes emailed out, please contact Lisa on the above number or email lbwarren@live.com.au



Save The Date
G.S. KIDD CHARITY GOLF DAY
6th June, 2021



Please contact Lisa if you wish to Sponsor a hole or play on the day.

*Don't Forget
Lunch Orders
Every
Thursday*



Please see page 3 for updated lunch order details.

P & C SHIRT ORDERS

Any P & C members who would like to order a P & C shirt please contact Bec Gander on 0408 250 830



My MUM 

Marvellous
Outstanding
Thoughtful
Hearthwarming
Endearing
Remarkable



MOTHERHOOD.
IT TAKES PATIENCE,
HUMOR, AND A LOT OF
WET TOWELETES.

Please note new online ordering cut-off is now **8am**



G.S. Kidd Memorial School (serviced by Gunnedah South School) accepts online ordering using MunchMonitor



Setting up an online account is easy!

1. Go to **www.munchmonitor.com**
2. Click **LOGIN**
3. Click **REGISTER**
4. Enter
 - School ID: gskiddmemorial
 - Password: munch2380
5. Click **Submit**
6. Enter your email address
7. Enter the password you want. Make sure you can remember your password
8. Review and tick on the Terms of use
9. Click **Create your Account**
10. Click on the **Activation Link** in the email we sent
11. Follow the steps to **create your Parent Profile**
12. **Add Students** to your account
13. Click on **Account Top-up** to transfer money into your account
14. **You are now ready to order online!**

SETUP A NEW ACCOUNT

Your School ID

Your School Password

SUBMIT

Quick Information

Using MunchMonitor Online Ordering

- You can place orders online up to 4 weeks in advance **Thursday is the only day for lunch orders.**
- Top-up your account online using VISA/MasterCard
- List allergies to alert canteen staff
- You can order anytime you want using web browsers such as Chrome or Safari
- You can use desktops, laptops, tablets or smart phone with internet access
- It only cost \$ 3.30 per school term for the family account
- No sign up fee
- No transaction fee



Call us at 1300 796 190 or email us at help@munchmonitor.com if you require further assistance.



MunchMonitor...making your school day easier



[Facebook.com/MunchMonitor](https://www.facebook.com/MunchMonitor)

Lunch ordering from Gunnedah South School will continue in 2021. Lunch orders will be offered **Thursdays again with an earlier online ordering cut-off time of 8am.** Please see details above to set up your online ordering account.

Tom is having a "Dance For Sick Kids" Party..... All Welcome

Where: "Nerraw" 16 Evans Road Gunnedah

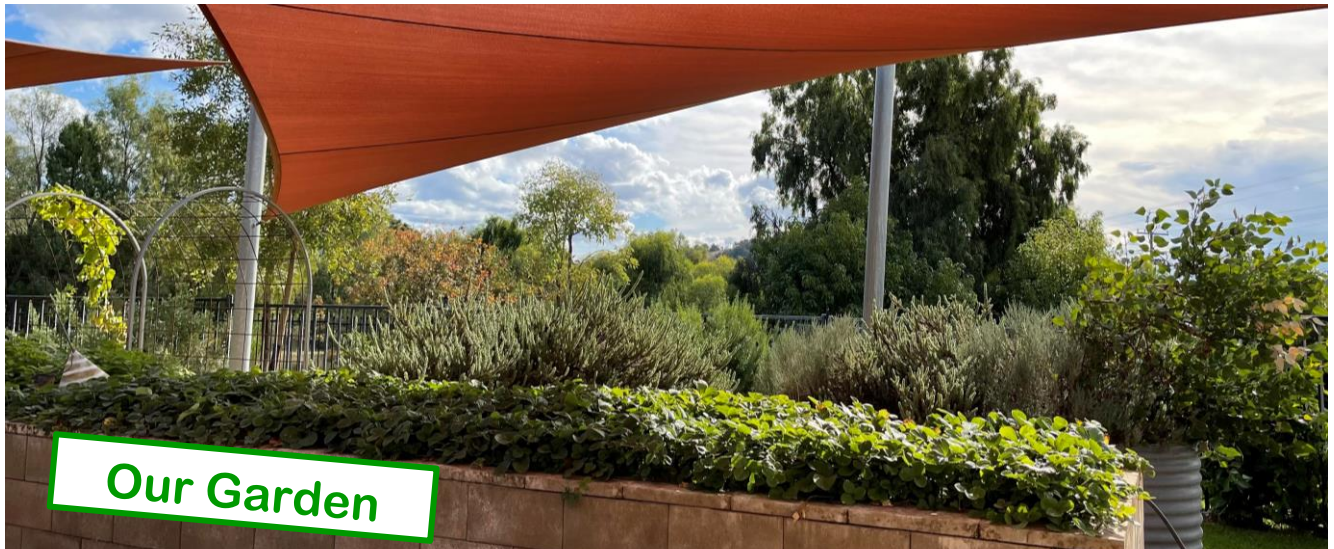
When: Saturday 15th May 2021 5pm-9pm

Entry: Gold coin donations. If you prefer to sponsor Tom

<https://www.danceforsickkids.com/s/2528/2707/w>

RSVP: Lisa Ph: 0428 424 032

Bring along your dance moves and enjoy a sausage sizzle, ice cream cones, drinks and lolly bags.



Our Garden

School Dental Initiative

We are fortunate to have the dental health van visiting our school later this year. Forms will go home today and must be returned NO LATER than Monday 17th May, 2021.

REMINDER

Please return notes by next Monday 17th.

Australian
Dental Health
NSW

School Dental Initiative



- 1 FILL IN FORM** The dental health van is visiting our school to help find dental decay early! Fill and return this form to school.
- 2 THE VISIT** We will provide a full examination and two small diagnostic x-rays, remineralisation of teeth and fissure seals if required. (If your child is not Medicare eligible we will do a FREE limited Dental Health screening and tooth strengthening remineralisation)
- 3 FILLINGS** If your child needs fillings, you will be contacted. If you give consent, we can do further treatment. We will also provide a written treatment plan.



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PBL Awards



*Safe
Respectful
Responsible*

A big CONGRATULATIONS to our recent recipients of PBL and Sports Awards.

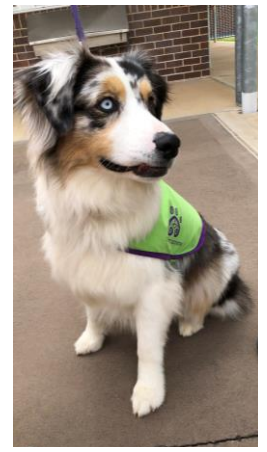
The past two week's PBL focus has been

*Respectful Behaviour in the
Classroom
and*

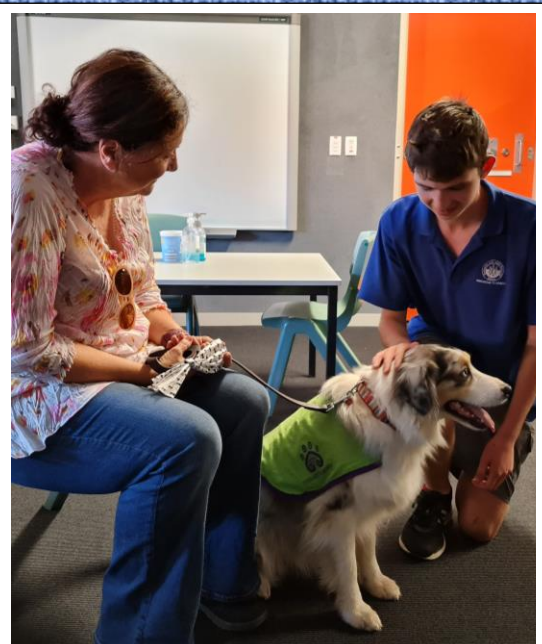
Respect for Ourselves



Therapy Dog



At the start of Term 2, G.S. Kidd School embarked on a Sensory Canine Assisted Therapy Program. Social Worker Karen Clark-Dickson from Aware Family Wellness in Tamworth visits the school every second Friday with Tilly the Therapy dog. This has already proven to be very popular with the students. There have been many studies conducted on the benefits of Canine Assisted Therapy programs in schools. Some of these benefits include promoting interaction and communication, encouraging nurturing, empathy and teaching responsibility, improving moods, bringing calming qualities, reducing anxiety, providing physical benefits, creating a learning tool and providing companionship. We are fortunate to access such a wonderful program and look forward to many positive results.



Woodwork



Friday Afternoon Activities

The students are all enjoying their Friday afternoon activities and this week we feature students enjoying the woodwork class. The students are all being very creative building prime movers. A big thank you to P & C President Mrs Lisa Warren for organising the model kits that have been kindly donated by Bunnings. A very big thank you to Bunnings Tamworth.



In Loving
Memory

Mark Andrew Single



Passed away unexpectedly on Saturday 10th April 2021.
Aged 48 years

Dearly loved son of Stan (dec) and Marie (dec).
Baby brother of Gary, Stan, Judy, Wendy, Vicki, Christopher,
Rodney, Lisa, Jillian, Brian (dec) and Bruce.
Uncle & great uncle of their families.

The relatives and friends of the late Mark Single are respectfully invited
to attend his funeral. The cremation service is appointed to commence
at 3.00pm on Friday 14th May 2021
in the Edlen Chapel, Wandobah Rd, Gunnedah.

Covid-19 - Upon arrival to the service you will be required to use your
mobile phone to scan the Service NSW QR Code and enter your details. It
would be appreciated if you arrive 30 minutes prior to the start of the service.

We are all deeply saddened at the sudden passing of Mark Single. Mark has been a valued member of the G.S. Kidd team and he will be greatly missed. Please see Mark's funeral details above. We all pass on our deepest sympathy to Mark's family. We will feature a special tribute to Mark in our next newsletter.

How very quietly you tiptoed into our
world, silently, only a moment you stayed.

But what an imprint your footprints have
left upon our hearts.





Australian Guide to Healthy Eating

Enjoy a wide variety of nutritious foods from these five food groups every day.

Drink plenty of water.

Grain (cereal) foods, mostly wholegrain and/or high cereal fibre varieties



Vegetables and legumes/beans



Lean meats and poultry, fish, eggs, tofu, nuts and seeds and legumes/beans



Milk, yoghurt, cheese and/or alternatives, mostly reduced fat



Fruit



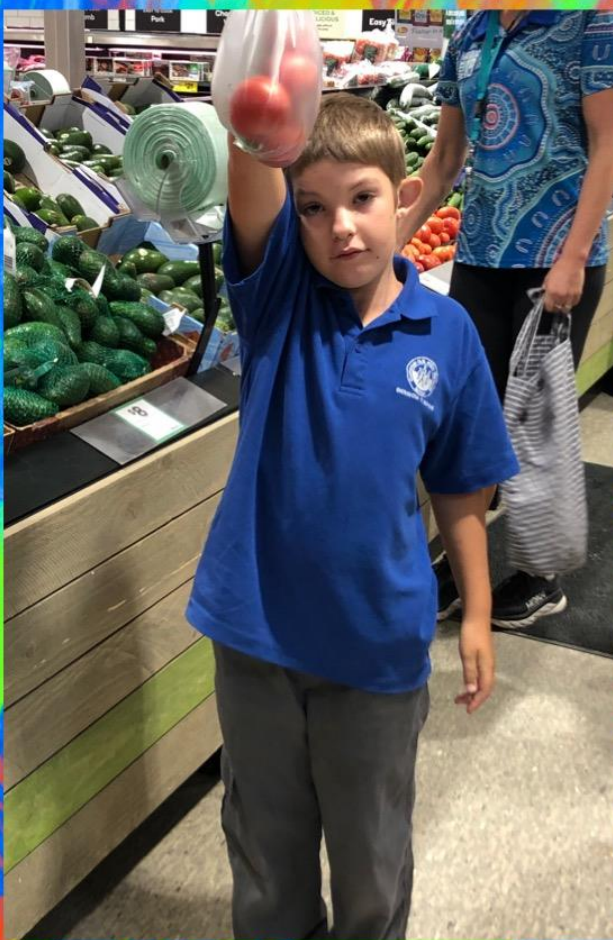
Use small amounts



Only sometimes and in small amounts



Shopping

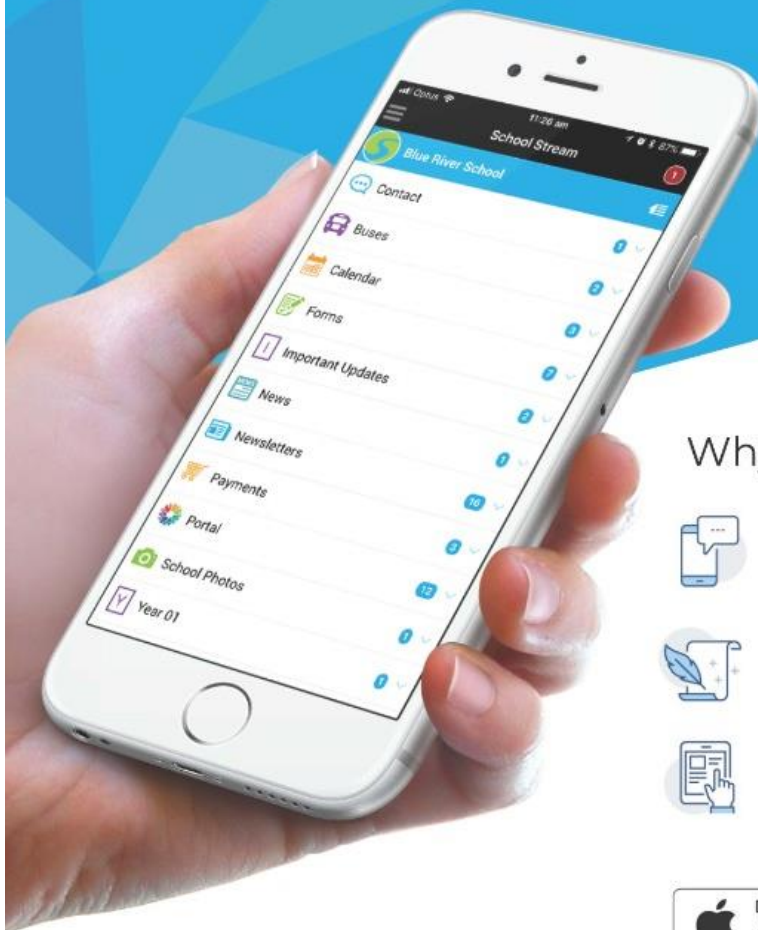


As part of the Living Skills Program at G.S. Kidd School, every fortnight the students participate in shopping and cooking. Each class has an allocated day that they cook a meal in the school kitchen. In preparation, the students create their shopping list for the ingredients they require for the planned menu. The students travel on the school bus to Woolworths to do their shopping, and as part of a peer support program, the older students team up with younger students to navigate their way around Woolworths and choose the ingredients from their shopping lists. This is a wonderful life skill lesson for all students, and our older students gain valuable experience in being responsible and are great role models to our younger students.



Download our school app for free!

The mobile school app Schoolstream is the latest form of communication we will be using here at G.S. Kidd School. It will be used for instant alerts, news, notes, reminders, newsletters and more. We hope to engage our whole parent/carer community in a few clicks. We encourage all families to download the app as this will now become our main communication method.



Why download the app?



Receive instant notifications for important news.



Easily register absentees and excursions.



Keep up to date with events and set reminders.



Download on the
App Store



GET IT ON
Google Play

Download instructions:

1. Go to the App Store and download "School Stream" to your phone.
2. Open the app and type the school's name into the search bar to load the school's profile.
3. Make sure you agree to Push Notifications when prompted.



schoolstream



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variety BASH

The Variety NSW Bash is back for 2021 with more than 100 cars taking to the roads of outback NSW to help give kids a fair go. We are very fortunate to be one of the regional schools chosen to host the Big Bash Breakfast. This will take place next Thursday 20th May. If you would like to see the cars they will be parked on the spare land next to school.



Please come along and see the cars, and show your thanks for the wonderful support this amazing group of people give to our school. We are very grateful for their generosity.

PREMIERE MOVIE FUNDRAISER

Supporting the Gunnedah Community Scholarship Fund



Cruella | PG | 134 min

5.30pm | Thursday, 27 May 2021
The Civic Theatre, Gunnedah

Prizes for Best Dressed | Tickets \$20.00 ea
Light refreshments included.

Book online at www.thecivic.com.au



Our whole school Assembly takes place every Monday. During this time we present our weekly PBL awards and Sports awards. For all regular updates, highlights and photos please follow us on Facebook or download the School Stream app.

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Fax: 6742 4120.

Email: gskiddmem-s.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Website: gskiddmem-s.school.gov.au



KEEPING
your
safe

QR Codes for Schools

The Service NSW COVID safe check-in is required for visitors to the school, complimenting existing school visitor sign-in processes, including the external visitors to the school site form.

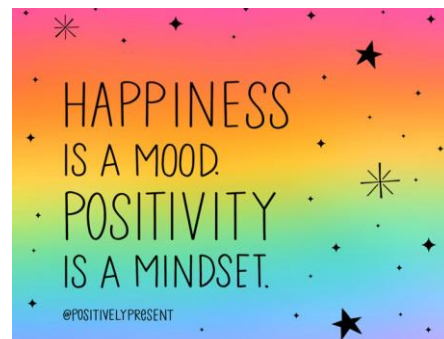
Visitors signing in at the front desk should self-serve using the COVID safe check-in tool as displayed in the poster. Schools should adapt the COVID safe check-in within their existing process for visitors to their school.

Parents and carers who are only dropping off and picking up students **do not need** to check in using the Service NSW QR code.



Please use hand sanitiser

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*Thought
For
The
Day*

Positive Behaviour For Learning

