



## NEWSLETTER

WEDNESDAY 26TH MAY,  
2021

TERM 2 WEEK 6



This week we feature an article from the Goanna Room written by Charlotte Gander.



My Friends  
and



### My Favourite Things

My name is Charlotte Gander and I am in Year 9. My best friends name is Alyssa. At school my friends names are Lilly, Harmini, Ava and Dyoaka. I like listening to Disney songs called 'For The First Time In Forever' from Frozen, 'I See The Light' from Tangled and 'How Far I'll Go' from Moana. I have dolls called Annabelle, Isabelle, Anna and Elsa. My favourite things to do at school include writing, reading, counting money, music and cooking. At school I play soccer and cricket for sport and everyone has fun.

By  
Charlotte  
Gander.



# REMINDERS

## P & C NEWS

For all enquiries please phone President Lisa Warren

Ph: 0428 424 032

Next Meeting Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May G.S. Kidd School Library  
5pm. **ALL WELCOME!** This week's meeting will be  
followed by a meeting to start organising the Bogan Bash  
Ball. We look forward to sharing ideas.

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](mailto:lbwarren@live.com.au)



Premiere Movie  
Fundraiser  
Tomorrow night at the  
Civic Theatre.

**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](http://www.thecivic.com.au)



Believe in your own magic.  
You ALREADY HAVE  
WHAT IT TAKES.  
DREAM BIG. BE BOLD.  
HAVE FAITH. ☀️ 🌀  
INHALE POSITIVITY. EXHALE SELF-DOUBT.  
You've GOT THIS!



**KINDNESS**  
is a gift  
everyone can  
afford to give.

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# *Mark Andrew Single*

Our dear Mark - the quiet volunteer at GS Kidd School who touched so many of our hearts. Mark was a valued member of the GS Kidd School team for over 20 years. With his gentle quiet and happy nature, the students quickly learnt to love and trust him. Mark became an asset to the staff, always willing to help with any task we asked of him. He was especially handy keeping bikes and equipment maintained, looking after our gardens at both schools (which always looked a picture), but he loved helping the kids most of all. The students loved him immensely and he loved them back just as much. He went above and beyond to help any student and guided them to achieve all they could with their learning. He would sit and help the kids with their reading and writing and would help with anything that they needed.

Mark provided invaluable assistance in establishing our vegetable and sensory garden, and took ownership of maintaining the water feature.

Mark loved our excursions and always willingly offered to pay his way on these exciting, social events. A favourite annual excursion was the much anticipated Footy Trip to Newcastle. Mark was always excited. He would talk pure 'footy' for hours. The tipping competition brought out everyone's competitive spirit and Mark was up there with the best.

He loved a laugh and joke with the kids and they would always seek him out on the playground to play games. The kids were his priority and he would do anything to make sure they were happy. He was one in a million and we will miss him so much. Thanks for all the joy you have brought to our school and our lives Mark. The staff and students will never forget you.

*Words shared from staff.*



*A Life  
Remembered  
1972-2021*



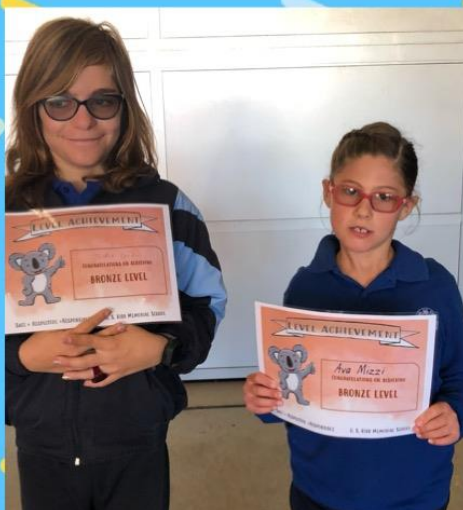


# PBL Awards

A big CONGRATULATIONS to our recent recipients of PBL and Sports Awards. The past two week's PBL focus has been *Respectful Behaviour at Home and in the Community*



*Safe Respectful Responsible*





We have celebrated three student's birthdays since our last newsletter. Lilly Jeffery turned 7 last Wednesday, Rebekah Thomson turned 19 last Thursday and Dyoaka Morris turned 12 last Saturday. We hope all the girls enjoyed their special day.



## Eisteddfod

Our students and staff have been working hard to prepare for our entry in the Gunnedah Eisteddfod. Please come along to the Town Hall Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 12:30pm and enjoy our wonderful performance. We would love your support. See details right. There will be no tickets available at the door for these sessions. For further enquiries, please contact Gunnedah Eisteddfod Society President, Mrs Meryl Hennessey on **0428431553**.

Due to ongoing COVID restrictions, there will only be a limited number of people who can be seated in the Town Hall for school performances.

**Due to the slow uptake of tickets to the designated school sessions outlined, through Try Booking, TWO family members will now be permitted to attend each session.**

The days impacted are:-

*Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 9.30am- Primary Choral and Small Schools Musical Entertainment*

*Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 12.30pm – Small Schools Choral, Primary Musical Entertainment*

*Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May, 9.30am – Infants Choral and Musical Entertainment*

*Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May, 12 Noon – Pre School & Infants Musical Entertainment*

*Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June, 9.30am – Choral Speech*

**Separate tickets will be required for each session, at a cost of \$5 per session and restricted to 2 family members per session. Tickets are available now for purchase.**

The Try Booking Code for ticket purchase is:

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRJWI>





# variety BASH

It was all hands on deck and full steam ahead as the GSK Team, parents and community members prepared for the Variety Bash Big Breakfast. Please enjoy our special Variety Bash feature.















































# variety BASH

Wow! What an awesome day we had last Thursday when the Variety Bash rolled in to town and visited our school. We were fortunate enough to be one of only 12 schools to be visited in regional N.S.W. We truly value the ongoing support given to G.S. Kidd School from all members of the Variety Bash. Their continued commitment to raising money for children is very much appreciated. We were thrilled to have the opportunity to host breakfast for the team of over 325 people, and what a breakfast it was! Under the guidance of staff members Sandy Cavanagh and Fi Blake, the team at G.S. Kidd worked tirelessly to bring it all together. It was a huge success! A very big shout out to all the staff at G.S. Kidd for an awesome team effort and a big thank you to the families who came along. A very special thank you to Clay Dawson from Woolworths and his team for their wonderful help, support and very generous donations!

		Date <b>20/5/2021</b>
To <b>GS Kidd Memorial School</b>		
The value of <b>Five thousand dollars</b>		
For <b>Swing Sets</b>	<b>\$ 5,000</b>	NOT NEGOTIABLE
		Regional Director



*Thank you!*



We would like to sincerely thank the following businesses for your very generous donations, help and support to help make our Variety Bash breakfast the huge success that it was. All of us at G.S. Kidd School are very grateful for the amazing support given to our school by our local community. Please accept our heartfelt thanks from all the staff, students and families.

**Major sponsor Woolworths Gunnedah.**

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| • Mornington Butchery | • Crazy Sams             | • Winanga-Li                   |
| • Aldi                | • A1 Hire Tamworth       | • Katrina King                 |
| • Coles               | • Sonia Jones Coffee Van | • St Joseph's Catholic Church  |
| • Gunnedah Hire       | • Gunnedah Shire Council | • Hartley's Electrical         |
|                       |                          | • Gunnedah South Public School |





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# **GS KIDD CHARITY GOLF DAY 2021**



Established 1911

**SUNDAY 6TH JUNE**

Gunnedah Golf Club

18 Hole Event

4 Person Ambrose or 4 Ball vs Par

10:30 for 11am shotgun start

**Call the Pro Shop on 6742 1751**



We need helpers for our Golf Day to be a success. If you are available to help at any time throughout the day please contact P & C President Lisa Warren on **Ph: 0428 424 032**.

"Many Hands Make Light Work"....Any help will be greatly appreciated. Remember all proceeds go to school and will benefit our children. Please come along and enjoy a great day.



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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Website: [gskiddmem-s.school.gov.au](http://gskiddmem-s.school.gov.au)



## 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.

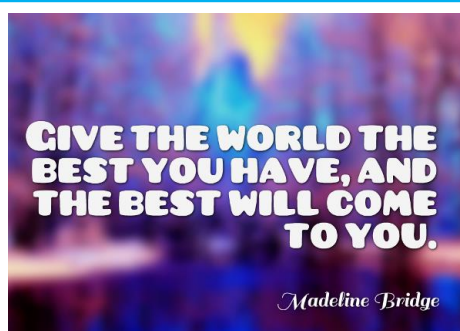
Visitors signing in at the front desk should self-serve using the COVID safe check-in tool as displayed in the poster. Schools should adapt the COVID safe check-in within their existing process for visitors to their school.

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

[education.nsw.gov.au](http://education.nsw.gov.au)



*Thought  
For  
The  
Day*

## Positive Behaviour For Learning

