

# BARRINGTON

## PUBLIC SCHOOL

Integrity and Excellence



Term 3 Week 5 Tuesday 20 August 2019

### Weekly Awards

#### K

**Ivy Gambrill** – ‘becoming more confident and ‘having a go’ at new things’

#### 1/2

**Kelly Laurie** – ‘showing great talent in all art lessons’

**Alerah Hardy** – ‘persevering with challenges in maths’

**Bella Douglas** – ‘enthusiasm during whole class discussions’

#### 3/4

**Alex Terras** – ‘an excellent persuasive powerpoint’

**Thomas Coombe** – ‘a great persuasive powerpoint presentation’

#### 5/6

**Kenneth Wright** – ‘excellent effort on the sporting field’

**Emma Woods** – ‘putting in extra effort toward her work’

### Silver Commendation Certificates

Ella Germon, Ivy Gambrill, Isla Denyer, Zoe Kilby, Lily Blanch, Alex Terras, Emily Hebblewhite, Oliver Laurie, James Barry, Sienna Macdonald, Selina Denyer, Summer Edwards, Hugo Laurie and Jackson Bandy.

### Gold Commendation Certificates

Sienna Forbes.

### BPS Values Award

**Emma Woods** for the value of RESPONSIBILITY.



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### Coming Events Term 3

**Tuesday 27 August**

Whole School Assembly in Kindergarten room at 2.15pm.

**Wednesday 4 - Friday 6 September**

Years 3-6 Excursion to Canberra.

**Friday 6 September** – K/1/2

Excursion to Billabong Zoo, Port Macquarie.

**Tuesday 10 September**

Whole School Assembly in Kindergarten room at 2.15pm.

**Friday 27 September**

Last day of term 3. Gloucester High School Tri Challenge.

### Term 4

**Monday 14 October**

Staff and students return to school.

**Thursday 31 October**

School Photos.

**Wednesday 6 November**

Kindergarten Orientation Morning.

### Canteen Roster

**Monday 26 August**

Donna Partridge and Nadine Rayner.

**Monday 2 September**

Emma Laurie and Sharee Pope.

### Birthdays

Allira Wilson 11.8.19 (7)





## Responsible Pet Visit

Once again this year, K/1/2 students had a visit from Vicki and her lovely Border Collie as part of a free state Government program for schools. We were taught how to care for our pets at home and how to respond appropriately to dogs that we don't know. The students impressed Vicki with their knowledgeable answers to questions and she commented on our usual beautiful behaviour and good manners.



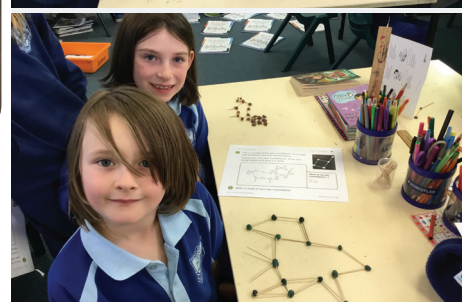
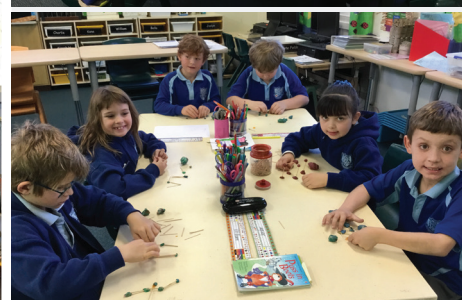
Congratulations to the following students who have demonstrated the school's values:

### Week 4

Bradley Rayner, Hugo Laurie for Responsibility and Kelly Laurie, William Coombe and Saige Partridge for Good Choices.

## K/1/2 Science

In science this week, K/1/2 students learnt about features of the night sky. They each created and named their own star constellation. There were some very clever and creative ideas!



## Canberra Excursion

From Wednesday 4 September to Friday 6 September 2019, students from our school will soon be undertaking, an education tour of the national capital. Students will be given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$30.00 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

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### Gloucester High School Tri Challenge

The Gloucester High School Tri Challenge will be held on the last day of Term 3, Friday 27 September, 2019. This year will be the 27th running of the event which comprises a 10km ride, 4 km kayak and a 4 km run. This fun and challenging event is open to all students as either an individual or as part of a 3 person team. Individual entrants must be at least 14 years of age on race day. Entry fees are approximately \$45 for an individual or \$75 for a team, which includes hiring of the kayaks and bus fares to and from the event. Please note that "new" kayak paddlers (ie. those who have not completed the kayak leg in the tri-challenge before) will need to have completed a kayak training session with Barrington Outdoor Adventure Centre a week before the race, at a cost of approximately \$45.00 per student. This will be held on Friday 13 September and organisation for this will be communicated when the entries are finalised.

This event is a unique and special day in the Gloucester High School calendar and has been well supported in the past. With 6 weeks until race day, it is time to start some regular training and take full advantage of the benefits this type of race can offer.

Any parents who would like to make themselves available to help out on the day please contact Mr Adam Cameron at the High School. Entries are due by the 6 of September and should be handed in at the front office with completed paperwork and money. Incomplete entries or entries without payment will not be accepted. Please note when maximum field size is reached no more entries will be accepted. To avoid disappointment, get your entries in early!

### New Garden

A big 'Thank You' to our local AECG for the donation of native bush tucker plants. We have created a wonderful new garden outside of Miss Radford's 1/2 room.



### P&C News

#### 'Knowla Bull Sale'

Money donated on the day was \$1702.85 less expenses of \$597.52, leaving us with a total profit of \$1105.33. Well done and thanks to everyone involved.

#### P&C Meeting

There will be a P&C Meeting next Thursday 29 August, 2019 at 9.30am in the school common room. All welcome.

### Father's Day Breakfast BBQ

On Friday the 30 of August staff and students will be hosting a Father's Day breakfast BBQ. The morning will start at 8.30am with breakfast and will be followed by some playground games and activities organised by the children. For a gold coin donation children are encouraged to come to school "dressed like Dad". It would be appreciated if you could RSVP by Wednesday the 28 of August so catering can be organised.



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# GLOUCESTER JUNIOR CATTLE SHOW

Friday, 20 September 2019

at Gloucester Showground

Commencing 9:00 am to 2:30 pm

for children up to 20 years of age



The Junior Cattle Show is a day to introduce and educate children of primary and high school ages to beef and dairy cattle handling, preparation for parading and judging. There are a number of events on the programme that the children can take part in even if they don't have their own animals to exhibit.

For more information go to Facebook: Gloucester Junior Cattle Show, or phone Alison Kernahan - 0456 884262.

Program and Entry Form available - Facebook, CRT, Norco and Schools.

## FREE PARENT FIRST AID COURSE

WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST 2019 | 10 AM - 12 PM



Child minding available  
Please book in.

- CPR
- Bites and Stings
- Burns and Scalds
- Drowning
- Cuts and Fractures

**CWA HALL**  
**100 Church St, Gloucester**  
**Morning tea provided**

To book: <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/91009>  
More info: Patsy Macken 65392000

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