

Important information.....

Influenza (flu)

As you may have heard through various media reports, influenza (flu) numbers are continuing to increase across the state. We are reminding parents it is important for all sick children to stay home from school until they are completely recovered so they do not spread the illness to their peers. Detailed information on the flu including symptoms, treatment and prevention can be found at <https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au> click on 'Health Topics A-Z' and search Flu. This online health topic advises that 'the infectious period (time during which an infected person can infect others) is usually from 1 day before onset of symptoms until 7 days after the onset of symptoms. After 5 days the level of infectiousness is probably very low, however some people, particularly children and people with weakened immune systems, might be able to infect others for a longer time.' Thanks for your support in keeping our school healthy and safe.

Labeling school items

Please remember to label ALL items brought to school. This includes jumpers, jackets, drink bottles, lunch boxes and plastic containers. Our lost property box is getting really full!

Canteen

TERM 2

Tues 4/6	Roxane J
Fri 7/6	Sue W & Mel W
Tues 11/6	Elyse F
Fri 14/6	Kerry C & Sue W
Tues 18/6	Trudy H
Fri 21/6	Felicity H & Roxane J

Contact Us

- Seesaw
- School Stream
- Email
- Facebook
- Phone
- Diary note.....or pop into the Office!

Dear Jervois Primary School Community,

WHEELATHON

Many thanks to our band of volunteers who helped make today's Wheelathon a great success! We had: Mums at stations handing out water and encouragement to everyone as they either turned around or kept going to their next destination; fellow riders and walkers who supported our students to 'keep going' that little bit further when legs were getting tired; supervisors Don & Brenda to cross everyone safely back over Jervois Road on the way back to JPS; our P&F ladies who made delicious hot dogs for lunch; Mel & Jarrad who patrolled the route in their utes, picking up anyone who had a puncture or had injured themselves. Thank you all so very much! Our staff and students really appreciate your support to make this a great day getting outdoors in the fresh air, exercising while chatting away with walking or riding companions. We had a sprinkling of rain, but nothing to deter everyone from participating. Our students love the Wheelathon and it can't happen without your support!



kind



Don't Forget: Next THURSDAY 6th JUNE is a STUDENT FREE DAY.

Our Staff will be meeting with Staff from Palmer Primary School to work on Moderation – timely as teachers are currently enveloped in writing Semester 1 reports.

AND.....MONDAY 10th JUNE is a PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Woolworths Earn & Learn

Remember to keep collecting Earn & Learn stickers for us. Ask your family and friends to keep their stickers too – they can pop them in the JPS box located at the Murray Bridge Market Place Woolworths store, or send them along to school.



There are sticker sheets available from the Front Office or just pop your stickers into either of the JPS boxes.

Help us reach our target of 20,000 stickers (that's a LOT!)

DIARY DATES Term 2 2019

Thurs 6th June

Mon 10th June

Mon 17th June

Wed 19th June

Fri 5th July

Student Free Day

Public Holiday

Yr 7 transition meeting @ T/Bend PS

Governing Council

End of Term 2 ~ Early finish 2:05pm

FRIDAY facts:

Odd weeks: W/S Reading & newsletter

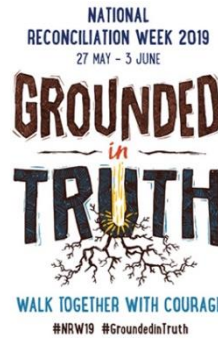
Even weeks: ASSEMBLY 2:30pm
(Wk 10 1:30pm)



Mikelle's Moment

**Being Happy, Safe and Belonging**

because we value respectful relationships, wellbeing and community



This was a focus at our Monday Meeting, students confidently connected **Reconciliation** ideals to our foundation of happy, safe and belonging. We also used the meeting time to do our JPS kindness and bullying survey.

**Stop and Think**

because we value every opportunity for student success

Example of questions asked in our surveys,

5. What have been your actions in this situation?

- ☐ Ignore it ☐ walk away ☐ ask the person to stop in a powerful voice
☐ tell a teacher ☐ talk about it at home with a parent/carer ☐ nothing

6. If you have been bullied in the past month, has it stopped?

Yes ☐ No ☐ (if you answered NO, see a teacher or ask to see the PCW)

5. How kind are you?

How kind is our school?

What is your score for JPS?
Being Happy, Safe and Belonging

10
5
1

10
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10
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1

The next step is for this data to be collated. It is then given back to classes to analyse, notice what's going well and what could be improved and how.

One student spoke to me later in the week and said we have way more kindness than bullying. Another student told their peer that they were so kind they needed a scale more than 10.

**Learning and Leading**

because we value lifelong learning and leadership

Next Thursday is a Student Free Day. This day is 1 of 2 that the Department for Education (DfE) allocate for teachers annually to develop understanding and practices in Learning Design, Assessment and Moderation (LDAM)

The LDAM strategy is for 4 years and has a learning focus each year.

YEAR 1: 2017	YEAR 2: 2018	YEAR 3: 2019	YEAR 4: 2020
Collaborative reflective practice and collaborative moderation	Formative assessment to inform Learning Design for deep understanding	Clarity of learning intentions and feedback that moves learning forward	Deepening Learning Design
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2018-2020: Formative assessment to inform Learning Design for deep understanding			
2019-2020: Clarity of learning intentions and feedback that moves learning forward			
2020: Deepening Learning Design			

We will be joining the Palmer Primary school staff, a great opportunity for collaboration and small school support of one another as we strive to continuously improve & focus on student achievement.

A part of the day will focus on reviewing the power of learning intentions and success criteria. This becomes even more powerful when students are involved in the process with teachers. This will also support one of our Site Improvement Plan actions to improve reading as we explore student goal setting and monitoring in reading.



I am very grateful to the support from **Music Match** for making it possible for our year 4-7 students to have an amazing (no cost) excursion to Adelaide to participate in the Dream Big Festival for children. Thank you to the teachers for their organization and Adelaide additions which they prepared. This would not have been possible either without parent /carer support of this learning experience. Kind regards, Mikelle ☺



Volunteers Week: May 20th – 26th

Last week was officially National Volunteers Week, where volunteers all over Australia are acknowledged. We like to think we acknowledge our volunteers every week, as we appreciate any and all offers of support and assistance here at Jervois Primary School whenever they are given. We are truly very lucky and grateful to many parents, grandparents and community members who give



their time to do things for and with us at JPS. We know you don't do this for the recognition or for any particular reward – you may only receive a thank you or a smile in return.....but know how truly grateful and appreciative we are!

We had some lovely feedback from a parent last week: *"Happy to put our hands up as often as we can! Jervois is a great school and we are honoured to have our kids learning there. Keep up the great work!.....A little school doing BIG things!"*

Parents & Friends

This is what's coming up over the next few weeks.....

- Apron order forms have been sent home earlier this week - your opportunity to purchase a unique JPS apron
- McCue's Bakery Pie Drive is on again. Forms are included with this newsletter. This is a great fundraiser for us and also offers the opportunity to purchase delicious pies and other delights to pop into your freezer, ready on hand for the coming cold winter weather. How nice to have a family pie to pop into the oven to serve with vegies for a hearty warm dinner.....yum!
- Please save the date: Sunday 28th July has been set aside for the Bunnings BBQ. Helpers will be required.

Thanks to the parents who stayed around after wheelathon for our meeting! We will include more news in the next newsletter! Roxane J (Secretary)

Wellbeing Words

Did you know this week is reconciliation week? Reconciliation, as we discussed at school, is all about restoring relationships. Reconciliation week always begins the day after May 26th (national sorry day). On this day, in the 1976 referendum over 90% of Australians showed they wanted to move forward and be an inclusive nation, where they voted to include Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in our constitution. It was a monumental step for our nation, working towards positive and respectful relationships between everyone. It is good for us to remember occasions like these and reflect on the good it has done for the wellbeing of our country and so many people. Relationships are being restored and we are working towards a greater future together.

Enjoy your week,
Amanda ☺

Nicki's Garden Corner

Hi everyone,

Huge thanks to the families who have donated manure for our garden.

We would love to get some lucerne or pea straw which is suitable for garden mulch if anyone can donate some? Any old bales hanging around the farm or garden which you aren't likely to feed your animals; we would love to have them to use in our garden. If you can please let me (or Michelle/Jo), that would be great!

Lots of people have taken our Jerusalem Artichokes and tried them – most have roasted them and added a bit of oil, garlic & rosemary; they have a delicious nutty flavour. We still have some left in the office if you are keen to give them a try!

There are still plenty of seeds in the front office if you would like some to take home and plant or start your own garden at home. Just leave a donation in the jar is all we ask – money raised goes toward future needs for our garden.

Enjoy the lovely rain we have been having – great for our gardens, lawns, water tanks, crops and to freshen everything up!

Keep warm!
Love Nicki.



Our garden produce has been used for making scones with the 2/3 class – they were delicious! Lots of learning and fun in the garden and recycle shed to create things for our schoolyard using recycled materials....



Shelley's Sharing (PCW piece)

It's the end of May already and we're halfway through Term 2! Time seems to have flown by, doesn't it?!

This term some very dedicated senior helpers (Jack, Sienna, Makayla and Olivia) and I are providing milo, music and colouring in the library on Monday lunchtimes. I really want to thank my helpers, who are very committed and work hard to making sure all runs smoothly. At least a quarter of the school has attended each time - and it's good to feel we are providing a space for students to enjoy themselves, especially in the winter months when being outside isn't always the warmest option ☺

That being said, Nicki and I are still working outside on the bottle-top mural on Thursdays at Recess - although outside, we are under cover - and we're nearly finished. Next step will be to work out where to place the mural permanently.

Last newsletter I let you know that I have a Commissioning service coming up, and I promised to give you the details.

The service will be held at 9.30am on Sunday 16th June at:

Murray Bridge Uniting Church

1 Narooma Blvd

Murray Bridge 5253

I will be 'commissioned' by people from local churches (not just the Uniting Church), and it would be lovely to see some of the students and families there! I will also be the speaker that day - so, if you haven't met me and would like to, this is an ideal opportunity to make yourself known to me. This invitation is also for the teachers and staff of Jervois - all are welcome!

Lastly, I just want to say that I visited 'Impact' at Wellington last Friday night and I was very impressed with the professionalism and dedication of the staff there, as they led the youth group. It was a fun and successful night and again, I can recommend it (even more now that I've attended myself)!

Have a fun weekend, everyone - and don't forget to listen to your children when they talk to you - we all love to be listened to -

Shelley



Sickness

Just a reminder to please keep your kids at home if they are unwell! There are so many different lurgies around at the moment and although we love seeing your kids, keep them home when they are unwell! Not only do they increase the chances of other students and staff becoming ill, but they are not able to actively learn and spend their day feeling horrible!

Remember if your child is away for 3 consecutive days Departmental Policy requires us to have a Doctor's certificate for their absence.

State Athletics

Last Monday we had 5 students from JPS included in the Murraylands team to compete at the SA State Athletics Championship in Adelaide. Patric (relay), Kieran (relay, 800m), Gemma (100m, relay, shot put), Aia (shot put) & Levi (relay) all travelled down to the SA Athletics Stadium with hundreds of other students from all over the state to compete for State honours. Everyone put in a wonderful effort – Gemma came away with a silver medal in her shot put event: congratulations Gemma – super effort!



Junkyard Beats ~ Yr 4-7 Excursion

'We travelled by bus to Adelaide, having recess in the park. We split into 5 groups and had a 'Great Race' – having to locate different things around North Terrace and the city streets; like the War Memorial, Central Market, all the statues along North Terrace. Then we had to go to Central Market and find something to buy with our \$5 per group which we thought no one would know what it was (e.g. our group bought Kang-Kong which is a type of herb. We hadn't even heard of that one!). We all met back at the park for lunch, and then walked to the Dunstan Playhouse to watch Junkyard Beats. There were 4 people who made music using bins, water, pipes, graters, chopping boards – all sorts of things you would find lying around the house; and using their bodies. A loooooong bus ride home after a busy day – we racked up our steps for the day easily! Thank you Chelsea & Kellie who came along for the day to help our teachers (Tania, Mrs D & Mrs L) with the groups.' (Nikkita – Yr 7)



Some of the things we found and saw along our 'Great Race' and The Junkyard Beats performance



New Family Addition



Charly (Yr 1) and Maisie welcome a little brother, Harvey, to their family.....congratulations Andrew (our Groundsman & Gov Councilor) & Sarah on this exciting news!

Future dates for your diary:
School Concert will be **MON Nov 11th**
 with a
Student Free day on **TUES Nov 12th**

Jervois – The History Trail Begins.....

You may have noticed big things happening down the bottom of the hill from our school over the past week! A wonderful pictorial history of our town is coming to life through murals being painted on local infrastructure – starting with the Jervois Bowling Club. A couple of our classes went for a walk yesterday to see for themselves the wonderful artwork being created. Here is some info shared by the local group who is steering the Jervois Art Trail.....

The Story of Milk Transport from Jervois

The mural in the Jervois Bowling Club wall and fence seeks to tell the story of Milk Transport from dairy farms in Jervois.

The first dairy farms commenced production in 1925 and it is believed that the farmers separated the cream, loaded it into milk cans and took it to the nearest riverside points using the old faithful horse and dray. At the river, Farmers Union and AMSCOL milk boats took the cream to Murray Bridge. The river boats included the “Co-operation”, “Union”, “Progress”, “Civic” and “Loyalty”.

New technology was to influence milk transport in later years. Radio became popular in 1934 and dairy farmers had to consider refrigeration with the development of 32 volt electrical systems being installed in more and more homes and dairies.

With the opening of the Jervois Cheese Factory on 1939, trucks were collecting the milk cans at the farm gates and delivering it to the factory. In later years, Jervois milk was transported to the Tailm Bend Butter Factory as well.

In 1955, electricity was supplied to the Woods Point, Jervois and Wellington areas and so, milk transport had to take another turn. Dairies were remodelled to include bulk refrigerated vats to keep the milk cool until pick up time.

More and more Jervois swamp land became available for production over the years. Eventually a peak of 56 dairy farms meant a huge quantity of milk had to be taken to market.

On the 29th August, 1960, the first bulk milk tankers commenced transporting milk from Jervois and have now developed into the huge, shiny B-double milk tankers that we see pounding our roads today.

Yes, technology has transformed the transport of milk from Jervois and we hope that our mural helps you appreciate the change from horse and cart, river boat, and truck to our modern bulk tankers.



Check out the almost completed murals down at the Bowling Club next time you are driving past – perhaps take a little detour after dropping or picking the kids up before/after school – it's worth a look!



Mrs Abbott's age is a secret!

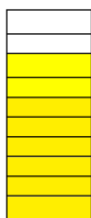
At school I am **grateful** for every student in LLI & Reciprocal Reading

In learning I am **grateful** for extra learning & to teach the LLI program

At home I am **grateful** for my family & my 2 little dogs

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: I went and saw Wicked! the musical

My happiness scale at the moment



Charlotte is 7 yrs old

At school I am **grateful** that we have canteen

In learning I am **grateful** to learn about Math and Spelling

At home I am **grateful** that my cousin has a horse

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: Yesterday we had Mrs Bruce

My happiness scale at the moment is



Mia N is 9 yrs old

At school I am **grateful** for my friends because they are kind and nice

In learning I am **grateful** for teachers because they do their best to make the school a better place

At home I am **grateful** for parents and pets - they are there for me

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: I got 3 new baby turtle

My happiness scale at the moment is



Things people in our School Community are Grateful about... (Interviews by SC members)

Dylan is 6 yrs old

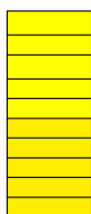
At school I am **grateful** for playing outside at recess and lunch

In learning I am **grateful** that we get to do writing

At home I am **grateful** I get chocolate and ice cream

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: We played rabbits, hares and foxes

My happiness scale at the moment



Bailey S is 7 years old

At school I am **grateful** for playing with my friends at the tunnel

In learning I am **grateful** for Maths – it's my favourite thing because I can learn

At home I am **grateful** for playing outside because I can climb trees

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: I got to eat cake and had a party bag

My happiness scale at the moment



Jorja J is 13 yrs old

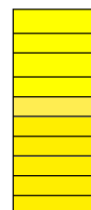
At school I am **grateful** for having lots of friends to play with

In learning I am **grateful** to be able to draw 3D things

At home I am **grateful** to have a nice and caring friends & family

Something **awesome** that happened in the last week: I had ice cream because it was my birthday!

My happiness scale at the moment



Community News/Events



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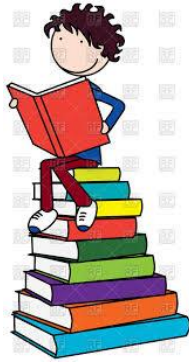
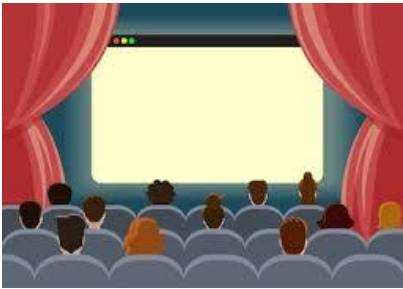
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What's on at the Murray Bridge Library.....??



The Children Act

Thursday Night Movie

In the midst of a marital crisis, a High Court judge must decide if she should order a life-saving blood transfusion for a teen with cancer despite his family's refusal to accept medical treatment for religious reasons.

5:30pm Thursday 13 June 2019

Author Visit

with Sophie Thomson

Sophie is a passionate gardener and well known and loved presenter of the ABC's popular Gardening Australia Program. Come along and get your sustainable gardening juices flowing.

To book call 8539 1175

6pm Thursday 27 June 2019



Sunday Sessions

with Oliver Asel

Get ready for a powerhouse performance from local entertainer Oliver Asel as he cranks out some wild acoustic tunes.

You may recognise Oliver who talent has firmly established him in the local youth music scene.

2pm Sunday 9 June 2019



Author Visit

with Wendy Altschwager

Join us with Wendy as she talks about her new novel

"Behind the Door"

An old tatty diary in an ancestral home lends itself to intrigue and the discovery of a shocking truth.

To book call 8539 1175

2pm Sunday 16 June 2019

Great to have so many things
available locally to do!

Parents over-sharing online

Parents are ignoring the risks of social media and are sharing too much of their children's life online and putting them at risk, new research shows. One in five parents say photos they have posted of their children on social media have been shared elsewhere without their consent and more than one in 10 have experienced negative comments posted on pictures of their kids. Many forget to gain permission from the child themselves.

Facebook and Instagram are the most popular platforms for parents posting pictures of their children. But 11 per cent are also sharing photos of their children to Twitter, which does not allow private profiles.

45 per cent post pictures of their children on social media at least once a week or more, with 14 per cent of parents posting daily.

"While parents don't deliberately put their children at risk, it appears that they don't understand the **dangers of posting photos online (eg. exposing children to a whole range of strangers), or don't know how to lock down their social media profiles so that sharing is safer**", says eminent psychologist and cyber expert Michael Carr-Greg.

Useful website: thinkuknow.org.au