

Junee High School Newsletter

JHS Athletics Carnival 2017



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Calendar

Term 1, Week 10 Tues 4 April Fri 7 March

Athletics Carnival Last Day Term 1 My Day @ CSU Wagga

Term 2, Week 1

Mon 24 April Tues 25 April Wed 26 April Staff Development Day ANZAC Day Public Holiday First Day Term 2

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Feature Photo



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Please note that most of our school documents such as newsletters, excursion notes, information booklets etc can be found on our school website:



You can find us at: www.junee-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

Uniform Shop

Open Friday's @ 8:40am to 9:15am starting Term 2





Principal's Message

Thanks to all parents and students for working with us throughout Term 1. We have seen many achievements so far, such as:

- The election of SRC members and their increasing role in the school
- Training of staff in LMBR and the understanding of changes coming
- Increased communication with parents through many parent meetings as well as our parent teacher evening
- Success in many sporting endeavours, including 2 great school carnivals
- Curriculum achievements, especially the VET Sports Coaching course, taught by Mrs Andrea Francis, with Junee HS the only school in the Riverina delivering this course.
- The development of our Wellbeing team, including the addition of Lucas King as our School Chaplain

Thanks again for working with us!

Mr Lucas King – JHS chaplain

Mr King started with us on Friday 24 March in his one day a week role of Chaplain. Mr King had previously completed a teaching practicum in the TAS faculty a few years previously, with a number of students remembering him.

The role of chaplain is another support person in our school, jointly funded by the school, but mostly from the Junee Religious Education Board fundraising events. I thank this Board for their tireless efforts, and their care and concern for the students at our school.

The chaplain's role is to support students, staff and the school community. Mr King is available as a listening ear, someone to catch up with and to share ideas and troubles. He is part of a larger Wellbeing team that allows him to refer students on to other staff depending upon their needs, such as the counsellor, Family Referral Service worker or Wellbeing Coordinator.

P&C

The P&C held their Annual General Meeting last week with good attendance and ideas flowing.

I thank Ken Pickersgill, outgoing P&C President for his service and commitment to our school. Ken has contributed in many ways and I personally thank him for his guidance, advice and skill in assisting myself, our school and the P&C.

Congratulations and thank you to the following people for being part of the Executive

President: David McLennon Vice Presidents: Rachel McDermott and Teri Edson Secretary: Julie Shepherd Treasurer: Rachal Willis Uniform coordinator: Jodi Crowder Canteen Treasurer: Alison Carr and Rachal Willis

I thank all parents and citizens who are involved in the school and able to attend our meetings twice a term.

A number of issues were discussed including:

- Gonski funding
- LMBR
- Uniform, with SRC putting forward proposals. No changes were made but I undertook to talk with SRC and P&C to discuss any changes, including material for shirts and shorts for girls
- Canteen and Uniform shop investigating EFTPOS/ tap and go machine
- Fundraisers: Bulb order due; Recipes for cookbook due to the school by end of term; Proposed Fete for 3rd November; Mother's Day raffle

The Uniform shop will now be opened on Friday mornings from 8:40am to 9:15pm, beginning Term 2.

ANZAC Day

Each year the schools of Junee join with a plethora of community groups and members to celebrate and recognise ANZAC day. We will again be involved in the community march as a school and I invite all students to join with us behind our school banner. We will meet at 10am at Memorial Park to march. I also look forward to seeing our school captains in a leadership role for the ceremony.

I wish everyone a safe and happy Easter.

Be your best. Be respectful. Be responsible

Mr Scott Frazier Principal

SPORT NEWS

NSWCHS State Swimming Championships

This week we had four students travel to the Sydney International Aquatic Centre to compete in NSWCHS State Swimming.



Jasmine Phillips, Kirra Duck, Bella Passlow and Abby Foley competed in the 17-19 years 4x50m Freestyle Relay. The girls rose to the big occasion, improving on their previous performance at regionals by 2 seconds.



Jasmine had a busy meet, competing in an additional seven individual events over the three days. Her performance over the three days was outstanding, qualifying for finals in all events. Jasmine's achieved her best results in the 100m Butterfly and 100m Breaststroke, claiming a NSWCHS silver medal in each event. Even more pleasing, was that her swims were under the national qualifying times. In recognition of her fantastic efforts at the championships, Jasmine was one of two recipients from Riverina to receive the Eyeline Riverina Achievement award.

JHS Athletics Wrap

Thanks to all staff and students who helped make the 2017 JHS Athletics Carnival a huge success. Participation throughout the day was outstanding, with 97% of students competing in events, and an impressive 60% of students challenging themselves to compete in 5 or more events. The PDHPE faculty is extremely proud of the positive approach towards participation and the willingness of students to have a go.

A special mention to those students who really challenged themselves by competing in every individual event: Mia Phillips, Grace Fahy, Nick Hogarth, Bree Scott, Josh Hogarth, Zyon Shepherd, Mae-Rose Harrison, Tallarna Parkhurst, Abby Foley, Ricky Russell.

The house trophy was hotly contested, with the final house winner relying on the final relays of the day. Smythe continued their dominance in Athletics, retaining the trophy for another year, following closely by Salis, Hammond and Gwynne.



Age Champions

	Boys	Girls	
12	Corey Rollington	Juliette Hart	
13	Nick Hogarth	Chloe Hatch	
14	George Harrison	Grace Fahy	
15	Bryton Parkhurst	Mae-Rose Harrison	
16	Zyon Shepherd	Charlotte Field	
17+	Ricky Russell	Abby Foley	
	Damon Jackson		

Records were broken in the Senior Boys 4x100m relay (Smythe), Junior Boys 4x100m relay (Hammond) and Junior Girls 4x100m relay (Salis) and in the Intermediate boys 1500m (Riley Makeham). Our relay teams for Zone are looking super competitive this year!



The highly sought after titles of King and Queen of the Track did not disappoint. The Queen of the Track required a photo finish to split the first two runners, with Maddie Deacon just claiming the title from Abbey Field who charged home, starting from scratch. Bryton Parkhurst cleaned up in the King of the Track, claiming the title in a comfortable run.

Zone Athletics

Zone Athletics will be held on Friday 12 May, which is week 3 next term. All students who finished 1^{st} and 2^{nd} in an event (and $1^{st}-4^{th}$ in 100m) are eligible to attend. Judging by performances on Tuesday, we look forward to a competitive team representing our school at this carnival.

Thanks also to Year 11 Sport Coaching students for their support in preparation of resources for the day.

Riverina Representative Success

We have had a very successful term with many students gaining selection in Riverina Representative teams. We congratulate the following students who have been selected in various sports this year. It is fantastic to see our students regularly Being Their Best and striving to succeed in their chosen sport.

- Tamsyn Scott Cricket
- Sebastian McDermott U/15s Touch
- Jasmine Phillips Swimming
- Kirra Duck Swimming
- Bella Passlow Swimming
- Abby Foley Swimming, Soccer
- Bryton Parkhurst U/15s Rugby League
- Damon Jackson Open Rugby League

As the term comes to a close, we thank all parents, grandparents and carers who have assisted our sporting teams with transport and support throughout

the year. Without your help, our students would not have access to such fantastic opportunities.

Upcoming Sport Dates for Calendar:

- Thursday 27 April 7/8/9 League Tag
- Thursday 27 April Riverina U/15 AFL trials
- Friday 5 May Riverina Open Touch Football trials
- Friday 12 May Zone Athletics Carnival
- Monday 22 May Country Cup Rugby League
- Friday 26 May Riverina Lawn Bowls trials

Opens Touch Football

We have also had our Open Boys and Girls Touch teams participating in a gala day at Jubilee Park recently. Teams from Wagga High, Kooringal, Young and Mount Austin were in attendance. Both teams faced very experienced competition and are to be commended on their effort and sportsmanship throughout the day. Our students performed extremely well and learnt a great deal about playing touch football from the day.



Sebastian McDermott and Damon Jackson displayed fantastic leadership skills through their efforts in refereeing a number of games during the day. Well done to all students involved and a big thanks to the parents that assisted with transport on the day. A special mention to Mick Diggins for assisting with coaching and refereeing on the day.

9 & 10 Boys Touch

On Wednesday the 29th March our 9 & 10 Boys touch footballers headed off to Wagga to participate in the NSW All Schools gala day. With a side containing a range of experience the boys performed exceptionally well. The first game against Wagga Christian College was an emphatic victory, with the boys quickly settling into their roles on the field. A highlight of the day was the performance against Wagga High. Rilev Makeham's try in the first five minutes set the scene for a great match. Although going down to the much more experienced team 5 -3 the effort and skill shown was fantastic. Our next two games were against superior opposition and the boys were able to continue improving and learn from their opposition. The final game against Temora High was certainly the one that got away, playing five straight games took its toll on the team physically and it's a credit to the students to how close they came to winning the match.



The player's player for the day was Jesse Daley in his first representative sport for Junee High School. Special mention to Seb McDermott, Craig Rogers and Riley Makeham in leading the team around the park and our ever improving wingers Dylan Gustowski and Jamie Whiles whose defensive play and talk was superb. Well done to Seb McDermott and Rhys Diggins who refereed throughout the day showing fantastic leadership skills.



A special thanks to all parents, grandparents and carers for assisting with transport and a special mention to Isaiah's pop Nick for his help with coaching and water boy duties. <u>Try Scorers for the day</u> Jessie Daley 1 Riley Makeham 2 Bryton Parkhurst 2 Craig Rogers 2

> *Mrs Andrea Francis* PDHPE

W	hat Sort of Start	is Your Child Ge	etting?
JUST A LITTLE	BIT LATE DOESN'T SEEN	1 MUCH BUT	
HE / SHE IS ONLY MISSING JUST	THAT EQUALS	WHICH IS	AND OVER 13 YEARS OF SCHOOLING THAT'S
10 minutes each day	50 minutes each week	Nearly 1.5 weeks each year .	Nearly <u>Half a year</u>
20 minutes each day	1 hour 40 mins each week	Over 2.5 weeks each year	Nearly <u>1Year</u>
Half an hour each dav	Half a day each week	4 Weeks each year	Nearly <u>1 and a Half</u> Years
1 Hour each day	1 Day each week	8 Weeks each Year	Over 2 and a Half Years

