

# Wonggi

*An Aboriginal Word for 'talk' or 'chat'*

*A community newsletter circulating the Moulamein District for over 40 years*

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**Beautiful Roses by Aleisha and Benedict**



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2022 Term 1 Week 5

## Principal Messages - Jennie Wilson

We are currently contributing to the Wongi every second week due to our fortnightly newsletter. Sometimes we will place extra 'news' in the Wongi if we have something important to share.

We would just like to remind everyone that our COVID restrictions have not changed, despite more relaxed guidelines across NSW. We have not had any changes from the Department of Education and NSW Health about schools changing their COVID safe practices. As soon as changes are made, I will make our community aware of them.

### Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to staff and students for holding and running a competitors only swimming carnival that parents could attend in my absence. I would particularly like to thank Cathy Mertz for organising the carnival and Brett Wilson for setting up Thursday afternoon. All the students did their best and I would like to congratulate our winners and those who participated. We have students who will now be attending the District carnival in Swan Hill Friday and we wish those students the best of luck. Miss Wilson will be attending the district carnival as the team leader. Thank you to the Pool Committee for the presentation of the pool, it was in picture perfect condition for our carnival. Please see photos on following pages.

### Year 3/4 Art with Mrs Wilson

Having our own space to complete creative activities is like winning the lotto for me as a teacher who takes most classes for 2 hours a week. In art across the school we are learning about the different Art elements and applying those to new artworks. We are also studying artists who use different elements in their work this semester. This week Year 3/4 used curvy lines and a spiral to draw a rose (inspired by our own garden roses) and considered colour balance. These giant roses are spectacular!

Jennie Wilson

Principal

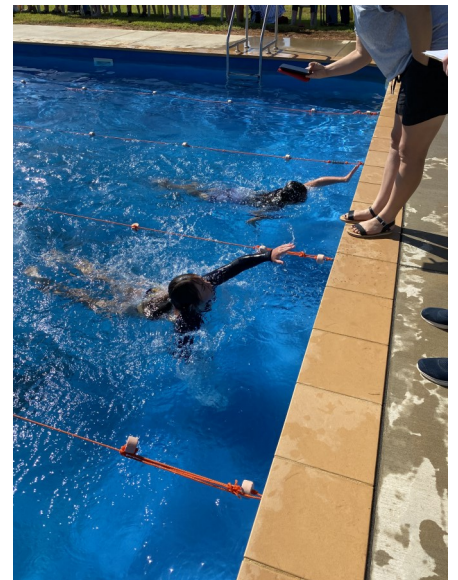
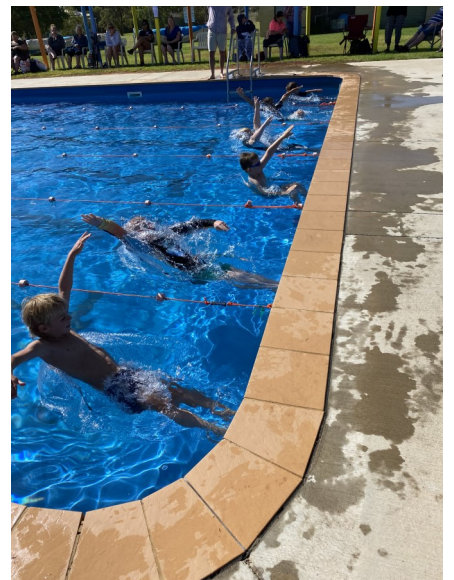
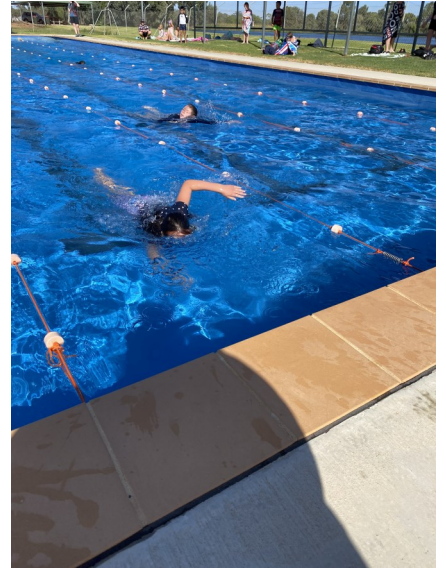








# SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2022









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**We are not visiting schools at the present time**

## upcoming sessions

Parents, Carers, and Community Members in Murrumbidgee are invited to attend a free mental health education session in Term 1.



### The sessions aim to:

- Strengthen your understanding of mental health definitions.
- Enhance your conversational approach to mental health and well-being.
- Build skills and strategies to support young people, including transition to work and study.
- Build awareness of local, state and national supports available to young people.
- Increase your knowledge and understanding of the mental health challenges facing young people today.
- Introduce you to some of the skills and strategies to encourage and support help-seeking.



### Helping my young person during COVID

Date: 14/2/2022  
Time: 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM AEDT  
Location: Online webinar  
Registration: <https://bit.ly/3zX4zBK>



### Helping my young person during COVID

Date: 16/3/2022  
Time: 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM AEDT  
Location: Online webinar  
Registration: <https://bit.ly/31XOH5B>



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