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Gilgandra Public School had a very special visit from Olympian Lisa Critoph last Friday, June 27.

Lisa participated in the 1984 Olympic Games in Los Angeles in the sport of synchronised swimming.

She helped organise the synchronised swimming event at the Sydney Olympics in 2000 and was a coach at the 2004 Olympics in Athens.

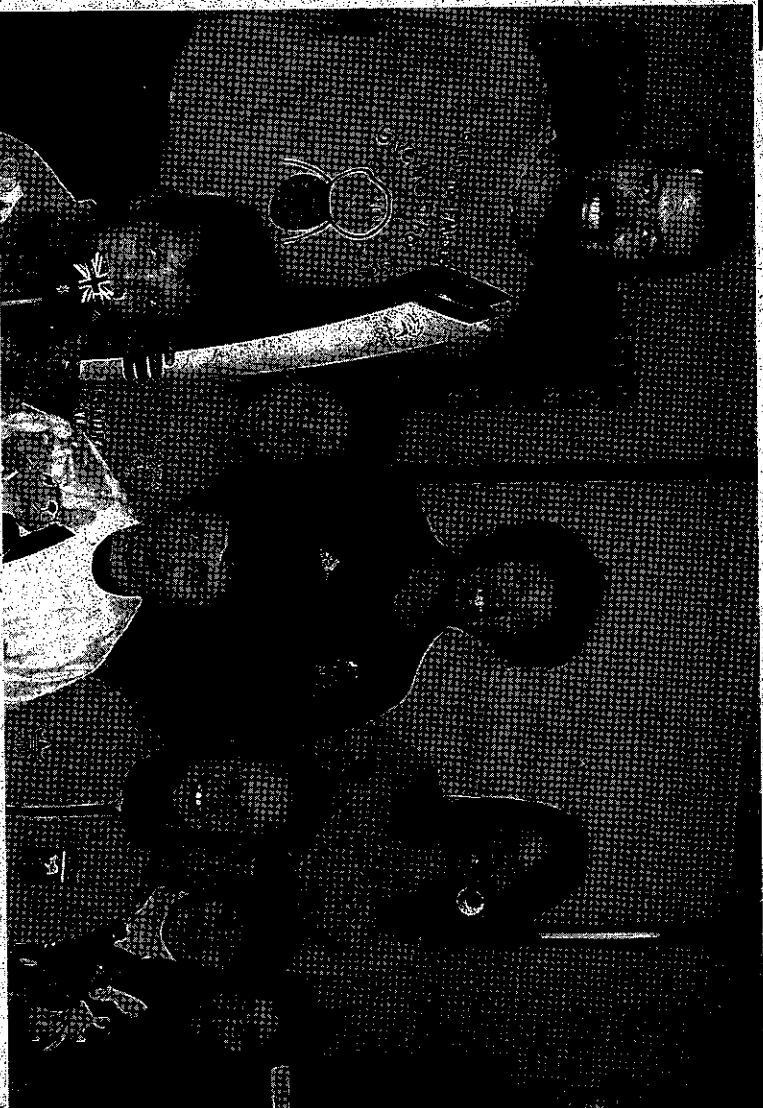
Lisa brought with her 30 different items of memorabilia from her career and shared her Olympic experiences with the children.

Some of the memorabilia included her diary and a book of competitors, demonstrating how important reading and writing are to her.

In keeping with the theme, children sold Olympic coloured jellies on the day, with almost \$300 raised for Star FM's 'Give Me 5 For Kids' appeal.

Ally and Dazza from Star FM enjoyed visiting the school to promote the appeal and would love to come back for GREAT Day in August.

Don't forget this year's theme is Ready, Set... Read and everyone's a champion.



Dazza from Star FM, Olympian Lisa Critoph and Ally from Star FM with Gilgandra Public School students Zach Sandry, Jack DeBritt, Adam Lunnis, James Priestley, Tilly Mannus-Sandry and Kane Marchant when Lisa visited for Olympic Jelly Day last Friday, June 27.

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