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Calendar Dates to Remember

MARCH
Week 5
Fri 1   Tennis Trials

Week 8
Mon 18  Athletics Carnival @ Alexandra Park
Wed 20  Harmony Day
        P & C Meeting @ 7.30pm
Fri 22  Albury Gold Cup school closes 12noon

Week 9
Fri 29  Good Friday

APRIL
Week 10
Mon 1   Easter Monday
Tues 2  Students return

Week 11
Fri 12  Last day Term 1

Term 2
Week 3
Tues 14  NAPLAN Testing
Wed 15  NAPLAN testing
Thurs 16 NAPLAN Testing

Term 3
Week 3
EDUCATION WEEK
Wed 31  Centro Lavington Performance

Week 10
SEPTMBER
Tue 17  School Concert

PRINCIPALS REPORT

SWIMMING CARNIVAL
Thanks to Mr Arnott, Mrs Terblanche, parents and particularly students for their
efforts yesterday at the Albury Zone Swimming Carnival. Mr Arnott was very
proud of the way in which our students conducted themselves. Congratulations to
Kane O’Regan who will be representing the Albury Zone at the Regional
Swimming Carnival in the 50metres boys’ freestyle.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
Now that the swimming is completed, we can turn our attention to the Glenroy
Public School Athletics Carnival to be held on Monday March 18th at Alexandra
Park. Mr Arnott will be distributing notes shortly.

HARMONY DAY
Mrs Clinch is organising our Harmony Day celebrations for
Wednesday, March 20th. This is an annual event at Glenroy
Public School and has become more successful each year.

MUFTI DAY
A special Mufti Day (casual clothes day) will take place on
Wednesday 13th March. Please send your children along with
a donation for the Easter raffle on this day.
ALBURY GOLD CUP – FRIDAY 22/3/2013 - 12 NOON ONWARDS.
Local public holidays declared after 31 December 2011 are now made under the Public Holidays Act by ministerial order and published on the NSW legislation website. A Public holiday has been declared for the Albury Gold Cup in the Albury City area. Glenroy Public School will be closed from 12 noon on Friday March 22nd. I have been advised that school buses will be running to their normal timetable on 22/3/2013.

LAVINGTON LIONS YOUTH OF THE YEAR
I had the pleasure of being a part of the judging panel for the Lavington Lion’s Club Youth of the Year competition on Tuesday evening. The competition is open to young people under the age of nineteen. Five high school students were interviewed by a panel of judges and then gave two impromptu and one prepared speech. Five young people nominated, they were all worthy competitors. I would hope that students from Glenroy School will be nominating themselves when they reach the appropriate age.

JAMES FALLON HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
Parents who have students in year six are strongly advised to consult the James Fallon website to keep abreast of events at James Fallon High School. The information contained on the website is extensive and pertinent to you and your child.

John Dent
Principal

P & C NEWS
WHAT HAPPENED AT THE MEETING – There were some great discussions at the P&C Meeting last Wednesday. The excitement started with our President Sean rushing out to join a fire crew, what great community commitment. We heard from Principal John Dent about some of the current issues for the school including the impact of the National Curriculum, we had a conversation about School Reports and thoughts on how they can improve in the future, changing to staffing and the employment of our Welfare Officer and lots of other topics. If this tweak's your interests or you have a topic you want discussed then pop 20th March, 7.30pm in your diary to come along to the next meeting.

A NEW CANTEEN TREASURER – Paula Roulston has put up her hand to be the Canteen Treasurer. A huge thank you to Paula for taking on this job. The canteen is such a great asset to the school and your efforts will make sure it keeps running like the smooth machine it is.

INTRODUCING THE BANTAMS – After a few years in the planning a small chook yard has been established at the side of the KC classroom and seven Bantams have taken up residence. A lovely chook breeder from Mt Beauty travelled in to deliver them and talk with the class. One of the main messages was that the students should still eat their sandwiches and not feed the whole lot to the hens! Feel free to pop your head around the corner of the classroom to say hello to our new girls. Hopefully we will get some eggs in a few weeks.

OTHER WAYS TO HELP OUT – There are a few ways we can take away some of those small jobs from the teachers to give them more time for other more important tasks. Sharpening pencils, washing paint brushes, covering books. Ask your child’s class teacher if there are any of those little jobs you can help with. I know the teachers would really appreciate it.

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Brekky Club
Every morning from 8.40am-9am. Everyone welcome. We are in need of donations of margarine, milo, vegemite, jam. This would be greatly appreciated.
Thank you to everyone who has donated this term.
Sharyn Junck

COMMUNITY NEWS

FALCONS HOCKEY CLUB.
Registrations now open:
New players always welcome.
Email falconshockey@hotmail.com.au
Website: www.falconshockeyalbury.com.au
New u9 teams in 2013
We need more boys and girls in all age groups
Junior Training (U9 to U16) 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm Thursdays (starts Feb 28th)
Senior Training 6:00 pm to 8pm Thursdays (started 7th Feb)