Calendar Dates To Remember

YEAR 3-6 EXCURSION - A MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY 7TH APRIL AT 6PM IN THE LIBRARY TO DISCUSS 2014 EXCURSION OPTIONS. ALL PARENTS/CARERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

TERM 1

Week 10 APRIL
Parent/Teacher Interviews this week
Fri 4 K-6 Assembly @ 12.15 Host 3/6I

Week 11 Parent/Teacher Interviews this week
Mon 7 Parent meeting re Yr3-6 Excursion @ 6pm
Thu 10 ANZAC Day Service 11am
Fri 11 Blue Level Day
Easter Hat Parade @ 2.45pm
LAST DAY TERM 1

TERM 2

Week 1 APRIL
Mon 28 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY
Tue 29 All students return.

Week 2 MAY
Mon 5 District Athletics
Wed 7 TOON SCHOOL

Week 3
Mon 13 NAPLAN Language
Wed 14 NAPLAN Reading
Thu 15 NAPLAN Numeracy
Fri 16 Carevan Bright Eyes Year 1 only
K-6 Assembly @ 12.15 Host 1/2C

Week 4
Fri 23 GPS Cross Country

PRINCIPALS NEWS

SPORTING REPRESENTATIVES

Congratulations to the Glenroy Public School students who have been selected to attend sporting trials at a variety of venues over the term - well done to all of them.

Thankyou particularly to Mr Arnott who has coordinated the trials and worked hard to help all students to achieve their personal best. Thanks also to parents/carers and relatives who have willingly accompanied or transported students to venues.
One of our former students Bryton Garth, has been an outstanding sportsman (both in ability and sportsmanship) throughout his life and has worked hard to achieve high personal goals. His parents and his primary school community are both proud of his achievements.

Bryton was selected to train in the Under 16 Giants Academy squad for 2013/2014 which started around Oct/November, 2013. Over the Xmas break they were given a 10 week training program to complete themselves over the school holiday break. Then they resumed training again on the 20th January, 2014. A carnival was held on the 22nd March, 2014 where over 70 plus boys tried out for the squad. A squad of 30 players was then chosen (Bryton being one of them) to represent the GIANTS academy in 3 games against the Swans Academy, Bryton travelled to Sydney to attend a Camp for 3 days on the 28-30th March and played centre half forward and full forward for the first game at Lakeside Oval where the final score was:

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\text{Sydney} & \text{GWS Giants} \\
3 \text{ goals} & 18 \text{ goals} \\
3 \text{ points} & 13 \text{ points}
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What an amazing opportunity it was for Bryton to attend the camp. They trained at the Giant’s Headquarters, had a full tour of their facilities, ate lunch in the Giants HQ cafeteria. The place they stayed at had the Collingwood Football players stay at the same premises.

The Squad will play their next game at Queanbeyan on the 12th April and their final game at Homebush Sydney on the 17th May.

BLUE LEVEL REWARDS
Congratulation to all students who have achieved blue level this term, next week they will be travelling to Frederick’s Park to enjoy some playtime and lunch. Well done to all of you.

CRAZY HAIR DAY
I would like to congratulate all of our students who actively participated in the Crazy Hair Day yesterday, what a lot of fun! The Student Representative Council organised the day. Everyone who spent so much time organising outfits and hair, deserve high praise. Congratulations to all our competition winners and thankyou to everyone who donated Easter Eggs. I have never seen so many. These will be used as prizes for our Easter raffle.

BUSH GARDEN
Thanks to Narelle Vogel, Marie Clinch and Jane Riley for their work in planning for our bush classroom. The bush classroom will be built at the back of the school and will complement another one of our Artist in Residence projects. Both of these projects will be launched next term.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY
All of Glenroy Public School Staff will be participating in our term two staff development day on Monday, April 28th. Students will return to school on Tuesday, April 29th.

TURBO
Don’t forget our P and C movie night on Saturday night. Our P & C President, Mr Len Foard has assured me that the current rain is just a passing shower and that it will be a beautiful night under the stars on Saturday night. It should be a lot of fun. More information in our P & C news.

INDIGENOUS MORNING TEA
On Thursday 3rd April we welcomed our new Indigenous families to Glenroy Public School. Thank you to our supportive friends from the community – Mrs Rooke, Mrs Murray, Mrs Hampton, Mr Noonan and staff of Albury Wodonga Aboriginal Health Service. The students enjoyed sharing morning tea with their friends and extended family.

Thankyou to Mrs Conibear for organising our Aboriginal Morning Tea.
PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS
Parent-teacher interviews for classes are currently taking place. Feedback on these interviews is appreciated, and so far it has been very positive. The Parent-Teacher interviews offer you the opportunity to discuss your child’s progress with the classroom teacher. Thankyou to the parents who have been able to make the time to attend.

AN OPEN INVITATION TO ALL STUDENTS: ANZAC DAY
Students from Glenroy Public School have been invited to participate in this year’s Anzac Day March in Albury - Friday 25/4/2014. (The second Friday of the school holidays.) Students will be gathering in Spencer Street (near Super Cheap Auto) at **8.30am with Mr Hall.** The march will commence as soon as possible after assembly with students marching down the right hand side of Dean Street to Townsend Street before travelling (parent help needed) to the Monument for the Wreath Laying Ceremony. Our school leaders will be laying the Wreath towards the end of the 10.00am service.

We traditionally, have had a large number of students marching in the ANZAC DAY MARCH. If your child would like to march, they are most welcome. Every Glenroy Public School participant will be expected to wear full school uniform.

If your child would like to march please let their class teacher know before the end of the term. Any medication will be the responsibility of the parents.

MEDICAL PLANS
If your child has serious asthma, anaphylaxis or allergies or any other medical condition the school is in need of a Health Management Plan. This helps us manage children safely if they are suffering an attack. It is in your child’s best interest to have this available for us. **If your child has a diagnosed illness requiring medication to be administered at school, by law we require a direction from a medical practitioner on dosage details.** Please make sure all contact phone numbers and emergency contact numbers are updated at the front office.

John Dent  
*Principal*

THE CAREVAN BRIGHT EYES PROGRAM
On Friday May 16th the Carevan Foundation are coming to Glenroy Public School to run the Bright Eyes Program. This program provides a **free vision screening** for each Year 1 student. To participate in this program you must sign a consent form which your child received today. Please read the information on the consent form carefully and return it to your child’s class teacher as soon as possible.

School Support Team

BLUE LEVEL DAY
**Congratulations** to all those students who have **achieved BLUE level** this term by consistently following school expectations. As a reward for this achievement those students are invited to wear **BLUE coloured clothes on Friday April 11th**, the last day of term. They will be going to Frederick’s Park for some fun games and activities and a picnic lunch. They need to bring their own lunch with them and canteen orders will still be available if they choose to order.

Students will be leaving school to walk to Frederick’s Park at about **11am** and returning to school at **1pm**. Please ensure you sign your child’s **permission note** to allow them to attend this event. There will be no cost involved.

If weather is unfavourable, the students will be staying at school and a special ‘movie and popcorn’ event will take place instead.

School Support Team
News from K/1M Classroom
This term Kinder have been busy working on writing simple sentences and letter formation. The Year One students have been working on writing independently and focussing on good punctuation.
I saw a dragon in my bed. (Savina, Kinder)
Today is crazy hair day and I won best costume. (Ella, Yr 1)
Yesterday we went to the athletics carnival. I ran in a race. Then I did some activities. It was fun. (Angel, Yr 1)
I saw a dragon in the tree. (Isaiah, Kinder)

P & C NEWS

KEEP THOSE DONATIONS COMING IN
There were some really crazy outfits and crazy hair at the school on Wednesday. It looked really fun. Thanks to everyone who donated Easter Eggs on the day. If you forgot to send those lovely balls of chocolate in with your child then please keep the donations coming in. We rely on every family donating so we can make up our hampers for the Easter Raffle.

THERE IS ALWAYS A PRIZE FOR THE MOST TICKETS SOLD
Get busy selling those tickets. And don’t forget, there is a gift voucher ready for the family and individual that sells the most tickets. A bit of competition for you.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CANTEEN MANAGER
We have been getting a few questions about why we have called for Expressions of Interest for the Canteen Manager. The P&C is committed to ensuring that everything we do is through an open and transparent process. We believe this means our school community can feel confident in all that we do. So we thought it was important to make sure that our employees in the Canteen are appointed through an application and interview process. Deb Beacroft has been doing a fantastic job and we have really appreciated her professionalism in dealing with this awkward yet necessary process.

Expressions of Interest are being asked for the position of Canteen Manager. Anyone interested in applying for this position please address your resume to the P&C President Len Foard, C/- School Office. Applications close Friday 11 April.

IT’S THIS WEEKEND – OUR MOVIE ON THE OVAL
Don’t be thrown off by the forecast of rain. We will be watching the skies and are confident that we can rely on the forecasters in getting it wrong AND that if there is any rain during the day that the oval will still be lovely to sit on. Our P&C has been busy wandering the streets putting notices in letterboxes and telling anyone and everyone about the event. At $5 a ticket it is a pretty cheap night at the movies. SEE YOU ON SATURDAY.

CANTEEN NEWS – An Easter Meal Deal note has gone out today for Friday 11th April. There will also be other Easter treats to buy on the day.

TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE AT THE FRONT OFFICE – It’s this weekend

GLENROY PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C
MOVIE ON THE OVAL
Featuring
TURBO (PG)
SUNDAY 5TH APRIL
Logan Rd gates open @ 7.00pm
Movie starts @ dusk (around 8pm).
Tickets $5.00 each Under 5 free
Available at the school between 9.00am-3.00pm or on the night.
BYO blankets, beanbags & chairs
Show Bags, Popcorn, Ice creams, Lollies & Drinks available.
All welcome
This is a no alcohol and no smoking event.

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