Looking forward to a great year!

Quality Learning in a Caring Environment

All parents are invited to attend monthly P & C Association meetings

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PRINCIPAL’S NEWS

It has been great to see the way the students and teachers have been working in the classes during the week. There is certainly a lot of energy in our classrooms. Glenmore SS is fortunate to be one of the 10 Fleming Schools in Central Queensland. These schools have been chosen by the management of Central Queensland Region to work in partnerships with John Fleming – the Deputy Principal of Haileybury College in Victoria.

www.haileybury.com.au The Fleming Model of Explicit Instruction has created outstanding results for children in some of the most challenging schools in Australia. In a few weeks’ time, three staff from Glenmore will travel to Mackay to meet with John and to observe his work in Sarina and Mackay schools. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school to make some real advances in quality outcomes for the children of Glenmore. The staff explored some of the Fleming principles in the staff meeting this week and looked at the 6 Givens:

1. Good relationships
2. High Expectations
3. Presentation
4. Correction of work by teachers
5. Displays of children’s work
6. Setting a positive Learning Tone.

My vision for Glenmore is that we have a school where teachers and students strive for excellence, where classrooms are calm and productive learning environments and where the playground is a safe and welcoming place for all children.

I have been impressed by the willingness of the children to stop and say hello when I am out in classrooms or in the playground. My focus when I am talking to the children is to model and expect in return, courtesy and politeness. We have also been emphasising the ‘hands off’ policy of the school. It was great to have representatives from the Canterbury Bankstown Bulldogs in our school yesterday. One of their messages was about bullying and about treating each other with respect. It was great to see these young footballers reinforce the idea that we need to treat each other with courtesy and respect and that hitting our way out of a situation we don’t like is never acceptable. I would like to thank the Bulldogs for their clear message to our students.

One of the most important things we can do is to offer help to those in need. I believe that our older students should be safe people for our younger students to approach if they need help. I believe that our older students need to model appropriate behaviour to our younger students. I am very confident that our senior class of 2013 will be able to offer that example. I would like to say how very impressed I have been by the character of our school captain Lara Foley, of the other students who ran for office last year, Chloe Rothery and Michaela Webb and of the Year 6 group in general. I really believe that it is going to be a very positive year for us at Glenmore and I will be very happy to have our Seniors represent us.

As part of reaching out to others, our school Chaplain, Melissa Frost has agreed to organise a fundraiser to raise money for the Bundaberg schools which were heavily impacted by ex cyclone Oswald recently. We have thought a lot about what we could do to help out and thought we would like to see funds go to a specific school. Next Wednesday from 8-9, we will have a money line under the Senior Play area, outside the Tuckshop. Please bring in any coins to place on the line. All funds raised will go straight to a school in Bundaberg. It is a great way to reach out to those who are at this time in greater need than ourselves.

You are always welcome at Glenmore Primary School.

PRINCIPAL

CHRISTINE HILLS

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following students for their great effort this week:
Prep: Jessica Graham, Jemima James, Jasmine Mullins
Year 1: Lilly-Ann Mason, Satchen Stubb
Year 2: Verna Mae Catubig, Naomi Lunabek
Year 3: Lochlan Ohl, Jasmine Quinn, Spieh Gill
Year 4: Kayla Ross, Mary Gooda, Connor McLauchian
Year 5: Ebony Neale
Year 6: Lara Foley

BIRTHDAYS WISHES

Happy birthday to the following students who are celebrating their birthdays in the upcoming week:
**CHEERLEADING NEWS**

Glenmore Cheer Squad starts on Monday 11 February 2013 3pm to 4pm. For any further enquiries please contact Julie on 0419 760 123.

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**CHAPPY CHAT**

So good to have you with us at Glenmore State School. In response to the widespread flooding experienced by Bundaberg we as a School community will be showing "Bundaberg North School" that Glenmore Primary School CARES about others.

**Fundraising Hour** – Wednesday 13 February 8-9am

**Fundraising Location** – Glenmore Primary School assembly area tuckshop end. (Look for Chappy).

What to bring – a gold coin donation and together we will show our CARE.

COMMUNITY CARING ABOUT COMMUNITY

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**SCHOOL BANKING**

Dollarmite School Banking:- interested in saving some money for your children. Parent information packs are going home with this week’s newsletter. School Banking is every Friday.

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**P & C NEWS**

P & C Meeting:- Monday 11 February at 6:30pm in Staff Room. All are welcome to attend and share ideas.

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**“COME & TRY DAY” FOR INDOOR NETBALL**

WHERE: ISA Rockhampton 37 HOLLINGSWORTH STREET

WHEN: SATURDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

TIME: FROM 10AM

WHO: AGES 5-13, BUT ALL AGES ARE WELCOME

INCLUDES: FREE NETBALL COACHING, JUMPING CASTLE, SAUSAGE SIZZLE (ALL FREE)

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**FOR SALE**

Ashton ¾ size Violin and case with music stand (all purple). As new condition $150 ono. Please phone 0439 532 609

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**BROTHERS FOOTBALL CLUB**

**Junior’s Sign On Day!**

Sunday 10 February between 11am to 1pm @ Kele Park Milliwa Street (near Rockhampton Airport.

New Players and Parents Welcome!

Under 7-9-11s

Modified Rules – Play Friday nights

Under 13-15-17 Youth Footy – Play Saturday mornings

Affordable player fees!

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**CHILDREN’S AUTHOR**

Children’s author and illustrator set to ‘Wow’ audiences

Popular Australian children’s author and illustrator Michael Salmon will present two workshops at the Rockhampton Regional Library on Saturday 23 February. Author of The Dinosaur Who Invented Things and The Monster Who Ate Australia, the sessions will consist of the author illustrating and talking about creativity and his books - and some audience members will have the chance to be caricatured by the artist. Meet the author after the sessions and purchase a signed book.

All sessions $10 pp.

- **Stand-up comedy/creativity sessions for kids**
  - 10.00am-11.30am
- **Illustrating and creativity for adults**
  - 2.00pm-3.30pm

Be early to book as seats will be limited. Bookings on phone 4936 8043

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**BOOKCLUB**

Issue 1 has now been handed out to students. If you’d like to place an order please fill in the form on the back of each booklet, clearly writing your child’s name and class at the top of the order form. The order form and money need to be placed into an envelope with the child’s name and class clearly written on the front. The envelope is handed into the school office.

The orders are due in at school on February 14. The orders are placed with Scholastic on that day and are then expected back at school within two weeks. Students will be notified once their books have arrived. If you would like any other order forms please come to the library.

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**AUTHOR’S VISIT**

Michael Salmon is an author and illustrator of children's books. He will be visiting Glenmore on February 26 to present “Follow Your Dreams”. This is an hour long presentation focusing on Michael’s lightning fast sketches and caricatures, creativity for young people and how he develops his ideas into books. Michael has written over 160 books and has been visiting schools since 1972. The cost of the presentation will be $3.50. A permission form will be included in next week’s newsletter.

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**Tuckshop Roster**

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