

# Glenmore State School Newsletter

## NEWSLETTER NUMBER 18

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#### Thought of the week

*"The principle is competing against yourself. It's about self-improvement, about being better than you were the day before."* – **Steve Young**

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#### PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Much has occurred at Glenmore since our last newsletter. Due to the positioning of public holidays last week, we held the newsletter over to this week.

Next week, we will issue reports to parents detailing students' achievement this semester. These reports will be a little different from previous years, particularly for students with Individual Curriculum Plans. Some subject areas will be reported on either in Semester 1 or 2 – Technology and History in Semester 1 and Geography, Art and Health in Semester 2. English, Maths and Science along with the specialist areas of PE, Music and Japanese will be reported on each semester.

On Friday 5 June, we held our Glenmore Reconciliation March, as part of Reconciliation Week activities. I wish to recognise the efforts of Mr Domic in organising this activity. Students marched around our ovals with the hands created in class, behind Glenmore's Reconciliation Banner, followed by the release of balloons. When I see children every day from a cross section of cultural backgrounds having a great time at lunch breaks playing soccer or footy, on the basketball court or playground, I know we are travelling pretty well at Glenmore in terms of getting along with each other.

At Glenmore we place a significant focus on positive behaviour – the Glenmore standards and associated awards, Students of the Week, Flying High and Rising star Awards and Gotchas. To the end of Week 8, staff have given out almost 1500 Gotchas to children doing the right thing. Callistemon House are leading the way this term followed by Banksia.

Next Tuesday is our Interhouse Carnival. I look forward to seeing the determination, sportsmanship and close competition that comes to the fore on these days. Not everyone excels in the classroom and for some students, sports day is their opportunity to shine. Teachers will be out to defend their ball games title against the parents and students at the end of the day. Go Banksia House!

Last Sunday, our fantastic Japanese teacher Ms Nishi, took part in the Cairns Ironman Triathlon – a 3.8km swim, 180km cycle and 42.2km run - a tough physical and mental challenge and just finishing an event like this is an outstanding achievement. Ms Nishi completed the course in 13 hours 54 minutes and 36 seconds. Some of our interhouse 800 metre runners this week were feeling a bit tired after 3 or 4 minutes of running! Well done Ms Nishi – Glenmore's first Ironman Triathlete!

Attendance is our focus for 2015. Mrs Saunders and 5JS are leading the way to date with a 94.4% attendance rate. Well done 5JS. We've proven over the last 2 ½ years that our students can perform well, our teaching practices are giving children a strong foundation, but they must be at school regularly to benefit from the good work at Glenmore. Attendance rates less than 92% put student achievement at risk. We CAN do 92. Every day counts for Glenmore kids.

*Mark Danlop*

Principal

#### What parents can do

Promote the importance of school	Get to know the teacher	Go to school events	Read the school newsletter
Be organised at home	Supervise homework	Ask about your child's day	Volunteer to help at school

Get involved in your child's school

*Quality Learning in a Caring Environment*

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

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Great state. Great opportunity.



## NEWS FROM THE DEPUTY ....

Glenmore Standards:

Successful participants this week are as follows:

Week 8

Elexis Riley	N'etochukwu Agugo
Umanga Budhathoki	Tyler New
Karl Butac	Lochlan Ohl
Thuan Le	Grace Carney
Thais Carvalho Dos Santos	Bryson Norval
Gemma Smith	Sheanell Hall
Coril Hartog	Veronica Sims
Lily Wang	



Week 9

Destiny Conlon	Janae Jarrett-Lawton
Juliana Agbisit	Arienwyn Jones
Renee Stennett	Fernanda Moreira De Jesus
Bernadette Catubig	Krystal Li
Jayden Price	Star Rumpf
Geovana Santos Silva	Shawn Cajegas
Tahlia Cooney	Stewart Cameron
Kaine Broszat	



Gum Leaf recipients for weeks 7 and 8



### AEDC – Australian Early Development Census:

This is a census conducted every three years. The census involves teachers of children in their first year of full-time school completing a research tool, the Australian version of the Early Development Instrument. Children do not need to be present when the teacher completes the census. Last Friday, all Prep families received a letter explaining the AEDC. A brief survey was also attached for parents to complete. The information from this survey helps the class teacher accurately complete the AEDC. **Any Prep family who has not returned this survey, please do so as soon as possible.** The AEDC is voluntary and is not a school test, so should you wish for your child's information to be excluded from the census, please contact your class teacher or the school office (49 230666).

### Bush Poet Visit on Wednesday 10 June:

Last Wednesday, years 3 to 6 students enjoyed an excellent performance from three-times Australian Champion, Greg North. He certainly entertained the students and staff with his witty interpretations of some famous poems as well as a couple of his own. He emailed me to say that he enjoyed his time at Glenmore and complimented the response from the students. He also told me that he saw Cooper Millan and his family at the Heritage Village Bush Poet's breakfast – it's great to see our students getting their parents involved! Poetry is a wonderful medium to have fun with language.

### Waiting for children in the afternoon:

The school day does not finish until 3.00pm. Lessons should not be disrupted by parents talking outside rooms or looking through the doors/windows. **Please wait for your children in two designated areas – the Junior Covered Area OR the Senior Covered Area.**

All playgrounds are out of bounds as from the end of second break. **These playgrounds are not suitable pick up areas for your children. There is no supervision.** If you choose to allow your child to play in the playground area after school, you must understand that you are responsible for your child.

**The School strongly recommends that playgrounds are not used after school.**

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### Interhouse Sports Day:

This Tuesday, 23 June, is our Sports Day. Towards the end of the day, we have a Corner Spry competition - Parents Vs Staff Vs Yr 6 students. Staff won last year – maybe it's time for the parents??? Mmm..... come on, mums and dads....if you are coming on Tuesday, remember to volunteer for the Corner Spry – we can always have more than one team!!

See you Tuesday!

*Lauree Lanyon*

Deputy Principal

## STUDENT FORUM

### Student Forum: Nepal Fundraiser



On April 25, a devastating 7.8 magnitude earthquake near Nepal's capital city of Kathmandu claimed more than 8000 lives, caused thousands of injuries, and destroyed homes and buildings. 1.1 million children in the most severely affected districts hit by the Nepal

earthquake are still in urgent need of assistance. \$196 can provide emergency water kits to 10 families in Nepal that will last over a month.

Next Thursday Student Forum will be attempting to cover a Nepalese flag using donations from Glenmore students. If you would like to help, please bring along a gold coin.

## EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Temporary Teacher Aide (Identified)  
27.5 hours per week Part-time position  
13 July 2015 to 11 December 2015

**Role:** To work with teachers at Glenmore State School on a range of activities with the objective of improving learning outcomes of Indigenous students.

**Selection Criteria:** A brief letter and resume outlining your experience and cultural knowledge. A generic Position Profile is available from Glenmore State School's office between the hours of 8:00am to 4:00pm.

People with an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander heritage are strongly encouraged to apply.

**Closing Date:** 4:00pm Friday 3 July 2015

Applications can be delivered to the school by 26 June 2015 or posted to Glenmore State School, Box 5323, Red Hill, North Rockhampton, 4701

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## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following students for their great effort.

<b>Prep</b>	<b>Year 4</b>
Leilani Darkin	
Isabella Menadue	<b>Year 5</b>
Amiel Abadilla	Breanna Cooney
<b>Year 1</b>	Drashti Patel
Jayden Wiersma	<b>Year 6</b>
Ethan Shaw	Gustavo Almeida
<b>Year 2</b>	Ruth Brown
Christian Moulder	Krystal Li
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>LOTE</b>
Lucinda Barron	Emma-Sue Ingui
Joshua Sims	<b>LIBRARY</b>
Rhys Coleman	Cameron Price

## WEEK 8

## WEEK 9

<b>Prep</b>	<b>Year 4</b>
Sonny Leppin	Nyrieky McKinley
Kailea Stolk	Bowarrie Ingui
Zachariah Dickinson	<b>Year 5</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	Jazzmn Williams
Nyllarnie Meredith	Elijah Gabel
Ella Bugg	<b>Year 6</b>
Roanld Conlon Harbord	Kathleen Walker
<b>Year 2</b>	Shaylee Ohl
Emma-Sue Ingui	<b>LOTE</b>
Lance Casey	Emma-Sue Ingui
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>LIBRARY</b>
Cooper Millan	Rhys Coleman
India Donahue	
Alex Conrad	

## P&C NEWS

### P&C –President’s Blog!



It is now June and so far this year the Glenmore P&C Association has managed to donate funds for supporting on-going student achievement awards, a replacement frame for gazebo shade to be used this coming sports day, and the purchasing of some pretty awesome badges for our senior school leaders.

The P&C had a very productive meeting on Monday night tabling some up-coming fundraising ideas, one of which includes a delicious winter warmer pie drive starting early in Term 3. We are always searching for new ideas, so if anyone has any tried and true staples in their fund raising portfolio, we would love to hear from you.

Remember, you don't have to be a P&C committee member to be involved. Just email [pandc@glenmoress.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@glenmoress.eq.edu.au) your name and contact details.

### What's new this week?

**SPOT YOUR DATE OF BIRTH TO WIN A \$5 TUCKSHOP VOUCHER!**

**If you find YOUR own full date of birth printed in this newsletter you are a WINNER!**  
**Simply call the school office on 4923 0666 before 3pm on Monday 22 June and you will receive a \$5 tuckshop voucher.**

*Note: One date of birth has been selected and hidden/printed in small font in this edition. Competition open to students of Glenmore State School only.*

*Gavin Pointing*

President

## TUCKSHOP

Don't forget to get your pre orders in for Sports Day.

There will be two lunch breaks and separate bags must be used for each order.

If you can spare some time on sports day please call in to the Tuckshop – many hands make light work!

Please note: Tuckshop closed on Friday 26 June for stocktake.

*Reminder - Tuckshop is closed Friday mornings during parade.*

Monday 22	HELP NEEDED
Tuesday 23	SPORTS DAY – help needed
Wednesday 03	HELP NEEDED
Thursday 04	HELP NEEDED
Friday 05	HELP NEEDED

## UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings 8.30am – 9.30am

## INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC – STRING NOTES

On **Thursday 25 June** the string students will be presenting a short performance of their work so far this year. The concert will be held in the **Library starting at 12.30pm**. We would like to invite parents, grandparents and friends to come along to support the students and to enjoy their performances. I will be available after the concert for parents who may like to have a brief chat about their child's progress.

Looking forward to seeing you all there.

Anne Svendsen

## BIRTHDAY WISHES

Happy birthday to the following students celebrating their birthday this week.

**Katie Kleidon, Luaitama Paia'aua-Doyle, Alex Reid, Mekhi Eves, Lochlon Bashford**



## SPORTS DAY - 23 June

Sports Day for all classes will be Tuesday 23 June. Normal school times will be followed. Programs will be on sale at the school office from Friday 19 June for 50 cents each.

Before Sports Day some events are held.

*Help is required on the morning of Sports Day from 7.30am to put up shade shelters for the day. Any help you could give would be appreciated.*

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Queensland Symphony Orchestra will return to Rockhampton in July with two concerts!**

The main concert on Wednesday 8 July at 7.30pm, is a program of wonderful music including Vivaldi's best known piece, Four Seasons, and other great works for string orchestra.

The second concert, Kiddies Classics is on Thursday 9 July at 10.30am is one for the young and the young at heart.

For more information contact Dial'n'Charge on 4927 4111

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

Come and Join us for a Kids Day Out for primary school children.

The Theme: Let Your Light Shine

When: Friday 3 July

Time: 9.00am – 2.30pm

Where: North Rockhampton Uniting Church Hall

**Morning Tea and Lunch provided.**

For more information or to register phone Joan 4921 2135 or Ros 4928 8754

## SPORTS DRAW – 19 June

### Rugby League

Year 6	vs Crescent Lagoon @ Rocky High 1.45pm
Year 5	vs Frenchville @ Rocky High 1.45pm

### Netball – All games played at Jardine Park

Snr C	vs St Joseph's PA on Court 6 @12.30pm
Snr D	vs St Joseph's PA on Court 1 @1.50pm
Jnr E	vs Allentown on Court G13 @ 1.10pm

### Hockey – All games played at Kalka Shades

Glenmore 1	vs Frenchville 3 on Turf 2 @ 1.00pm vs Glenmore 3 on Turf 1 @ 1.40pm
Glenmore 2	vs Glenmore 4 on Turf 1 @ 1.20pm vs Park Avenue on Turf 1 @ 2.00pm
Glenmore 3	vs Frenchville 3 on Turf 1 @1.00pm vs Glenmore 1 on Turf 1@ 1.40pm
Glenmore 4	vs Glenmore 2 on Turf 1 @ 1.20pm vs Crescent Lagoon 2 on Turf 2 @ 2.00pm

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