



Glengarry News

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REMINDERS

Fri. 1 st August	8.15 am Cross Country Training
Mon. 4 th August	8.15 am Cross Country Training 9.00-9.45 am The NED Show
Thurs. 7 th August	150 th Anniversary AFL "Kick Off" Free Dress – in footy team colours 2-3 pm Incursion: Worcester Brass Band
Fri. 8 th August	8.15 am Cross Country Training Assembly – Rooms 5 & 6

Congratulations to the members of our choir who performed so well at the 2008 "Children Sing Festival". They received 3 outstandings and were complimented on how well they worked for Mrs Ruscoe. I also heard through the grapevine that they were a credit to our school with their behaviour. Thank you to Mrs Ruscoe for preparing them so well!

The Glengarry Science Club started this week with 28 inaugural members from years 4 – 7. Great fun was had building bridges and investigating their strength. Thank you to Martin Ramshaw, a parent of Glengarry School, for providing this opportunity for our students.

Applications close tomorrow **Friday 1 August for the Gifted and Talented Programs for Year 6 students** entering High School in 2010. Year 6 students have been given booklets outlining the large selection of programs offered at our Government Schools.

Congratulations to Tom Noonan and Christine McCall who have both achieved places at John Curtin College of the Arts. Tom will be expanding his talents in the Visual Arts and Christine will have the opportunity to develop her drama skills in the Drama program.

The administration team welcome Mrs Caroline Markey as Acting Deputy Principal for the term.

Over half the year has gone and we are already planning for next year! To assist with this planning we need to know the number of students who will be attending **Glengarry in 2009**. If your child is **not returning**, could you please fill out the form on the last page and return it to the **office by Friday 8 August**. Thank you.

Please remember to update your child's medical records and especially home and mobile telephone numbers so that we can contact you immediately if necessary.

Congratulations to Brandon Massey who has been selected to represent his club (High Flyers) in the National titles of Trampolining in Brisbane at the end of this month.

Well done to Samantha Williams for achieving her goal of 100 tokens and obtaining points for her house. She will receive her ribbon at the next assembly on Friday, 8th August.

Janet Iacomella,
Principal



Samantha Williams – Yr 3, Rm 8 - Forrest

THE NED SHOW

Next Monday morning, 4th August, The **NED** Show is visiting our school. It will reinforce positive character traits and values through humour, audience participation and YOYOs!

- Never give up (focus and persistence)
- Encourage others (kindness and sharing)
- Do your best (diligence and excellence)

There is no cost, however there will be yoyos available for sale in the weeks following the show.

AFL KICK OFF

On 7th August AFL is celebrating their 150th Anniversary and we are holding our **Kick Around Australia** with a Kick Off. The entire school will be involved with students kicking with Subiaco Football Development Officers Luke Sanders and Daniel Ticknell. There may even be a surprise guest player from an AFL club!!

For a **gold coin donation to the Leukaemia Foundation of WA** all students and staff are invited to wear their favourite football team's club colours and gear, bring a footy (with your name on it of course!) for the activity. There will also be **raffle tickets** for sale to win a signed football and prizes for kicking accuracy.

More details will be forwarded in a special note when times have been finalised.

Judy Cribb, Deputy Principal

**BOOK FAIR - "Fuel Your Mind"
Week 4, Tuesday 12th – Friday, 15th August**

This year the Book Fair will be in week 4. You can purchase books from the library during the times listed below. If you can help in the library during Book Fair week please see Donna in the library or fill out the slip below.

	Tuesday 12 th Aug 8.30 – 8.45 am	3.00 – 3.30 pm	
	Wed. 13 th Aug 8.30 – 8.45 am	3.00 – 3.30 pm	
	Thurs 14 th Aug 8.30 – 8.45 am	3.00 – 8.00 (approx. 1 hour time slots) pm	
	Friday 15 th Aug 8.30 – 8.45 am	3.00 – 3.30 pm	

**OUR SPECIAL FAMILY NIGHT WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, 14TH AUGUST
FROM 3.00 PM TO 8.00 PM**

- The P & C are organising the sale of healthy hamburgers, a sausage sizzle, drinks and icecreams. These and the coffee van will be available from 5.30 p.m.
- We will be having some fantastic entertainment and competition winners will be announced during the night.
- The Choir, Band, Clarinets and Recorder Ensemble will start playing at 6.15 pm

Thankyou in anticipation of your continued support.

Sue Green and Donna Smith, Library

"Fuel Your Mind" BOOK FAIR - TUESDAY 12TH – FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST

Yes! I would like to help at the Book Fair!

NAME:

CHILD'S NAME: ROOM

I can help on – (please circle)

TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY			FRIDAY	
Morning	Afternoon	Morning	Afternoon	Morning	Afternoon	Evening	Morning	Afternoon

SCIENCE WEEK - 16TH- 22ND AUGUST

On Friday, 22nd August as part of National Science Week, we will be holding a Science Tabloid Morning as this term's house activity. If there are any parents who can assist on the morning from 8.30-10.00 am, please see Ms Longman in Room 3.

Glass jars of various sizes are needed for some of the activities, so could you please send any that you have spare to Room 3.

Maree Longman, Science Coordinator

CITRUS COMPETITION

Rooms 5 & 6 have entered a Citrus Competition that requires the collection of blue labels from WA citrus fruits. If you can collect these and send them into the office it would be very much appreciated. The competition closes on 30th September. Thank you.

Miss Pack & Mrs Markey, Rooms 5 & 6 Teachers

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND HEALTH NEWS

Winter Interschool Sports

Well done to all our year 5, 6 and 7 students for your excellent achievements during the winter sports.

- Volleyball A came second. Volleyball B came equal first.
- Netball A and B both won.
- Soccer didn't win any games but improved in leaps and bounds each week.
- Football came third.

The coaches were very proud of their efforts at the Lightning carnival. Congratulations to the football team who were runner-up. We would like to thank the many parents, especially Mr Nigel Curnow who coached the boys soccer team and Mrs Trish Van De Kraats who assisted with the netball, for their support and assistance throughout the term.



Active After School Sport Club

This term is mainly for Years 1 and 2. If you are interested in participating in Term 4 please contact me at pam.algar@det.wa.edu.au or just come and say Hi!

Cross Country

The Interschool competition is on Tuesday 12th August. We need all competitors to attend training so that we can confirm the team. Tomorrow's training will involve pacing a pedometer, then running around Glengarry School. **TRAINING SESSIONS WILL BE AT 8.15 A.M. ON THE SCHOOL OVAL.**

Anyone who wants to run through the Interschool course, please meet at Davallia Primary School after school on Friday 1st August and/or Monday 4th August at 3:20pm.

Pam.Algar@det.wa.edu.au Phys.Ed / Health Teacher

KINDERGARTEN PYJAMA PARTY

At the end of last term, Room 18 had a Pyjama Party at school. We all wore our pyjamas and brought our teddies in. We made porridge, built play things for our teddies, had a picnic together and snuggled up to our teddies for rest time.

Zennija Kaye, Room 18 Teacher



DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

The deadline for newsletter articles is now **3.00 pm on the Tuesday** of newsletter week. Unfortunately due to time constraints, anything received after that will have to go into the following newsletter. My email address is: Kay.Paterson2@det.wa.edu.au. Thank you.

Kay Paterson, School Officer

P & C NEWS

Thank you to everyone who contributed to last term’s Free Dress Day. We raised \$242. Well done!

BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair will be held on Thursday 14th August from 5.30pm to 8pm. We will be selling healthy hamburgers, sausage sizzle, drinks, ice creams and the coffee van will be present. The school choir and band will also be performing and there will be plenty of books available at our annual Book Fair in the library. The Year 7’s will also be running a Gourmet Raffle. So, make it a date and we hope to see everyone there!

Sharryn Chapman, President, P&C

SAFETY HOUSE COLOURING POSTER/SLOGAN COMPETITION – Due tomorrow by 12 noon!

I hope you all have been busy colouring in (junior) or preparing a poster/slogan (senior) for the Safety House Awareness Week competition. If you have not done so, please have your entries into the yellow box with yellow balloons, in the library for me to collect by 12 noon tomorrow.

GOOD LUCK - Great prizes up to the value of \$250 to be won.

Pam Richardson, Glengarry School Safety House Rep.

LOST PROPERTY

There is a lot of lost property in the uniform room (Room 10). Please check to see if any of it belongs to your child/children, as in two weeks time it will be sent to Good Samaritans. ** There are also two scooters and one skateboard amongst these items.

Sue Massey, Uniform Committee

“WAY TO GO” CONCERT

I am sorry to inform everyone that there will not be a “Way To Go” this year. Due to family illness overseas, I am unable to fully commit as there is a lot of organization and planning and time is passing by very quickly. We have held a meeting and decided from now on to hold it every second year. I apologise to everyone who was looking forward to it.

Sue Massey, WTG Committee

NEWSPAPERS FOR RECYCLING

If it is convenient, could families please bundle their newspapers into approximately 10 kg (about 10 cm high) lots and tie up with string prior to dropping off at school. Thank you.

Kim Riley, HOPE Committee

GLENGARRY PRIMARY IN 2009

My child/children

will **not** be returning to Glengarry Primary in 2009. *** Please return to the office by Friday, 8th Aug.