Date | Event
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25 Mar | Sydney North Primary Swimming Carnival
25 Mar | 7:30 pm P&C Meeting
4 April | Silver / Gold /Medallion Assembly
9 April | 10:15am Combined Scripture
11 April | ANZAC Ceremony
11 April | Easter Hat parade / end of term
25 April | Glenorie ANZAC RSL Ceremony
28 April | Staff Development Day teachers
29 April | Students first day Term 2
9 May | Cross Country Carnival
13 14 15 May | NAPLAN Testing

**Easter Hat Parade**
As we have mentioned previously, we will be hosting an Easter Hat parade on Friday 11th April. We would love for all of our friends and family to join in the fun. The parade will start at 12:05pm followed by a picnic lunch from 1:15pm.

**EASTER HATS TO BE MADE AT HOME**

**High School 2015**
High school placement forms went out to all Year 6 students two weeks ago. All forms are required to be handed in at the office or to the classroom teacher this week. All Year 6 students are required to complete this form and be entered into the system to enable the tracking of all students into High School placements, whether they be Government or Independent schools.

**School Development Day**
Each year the Department of Education and Communities provides schools with five professional learning (school development) days. On Monday 28th April all teachers at Glenorie will be undergoing training to further improve our collective teaching skills in relation to Literacy – writing at Galston High school with our Galston Community of Schools group. As the day is designed for staff development, no supervision will be provided for students. You will be responsible for the care and safety of your child on the day. All students should therefore return to school on **Tuesday 29th April**.

**P&C Meeting**
Next Tuesday evening the P&C will be meeting to further discuss our school's successes and future directions. The meeting is open to all interested parents and citizens. We would love you to become involved. If you are free this coming Tuesday (25th March ~ 7:30pm), please accept our warm invitation to attend the school’s P&C meeting and discuss the allocation of P&C funds for 2014. 7:30pm ~ Staff room.

**The Dreaded Lice Epidemic**
This time of year is notorious for head lice and nits. Please keep a watchful eye on your child’s hair and consult your pharmacist if you notice any signs of lice. Please use the school holidays as a chance to thoroughly check your child’s hair and, if necessary, treat accordingly.

**Crossing & Car Park Safety**
I have mentioned in previous bulletins about the parking in Glenorie car park. Double parking and reckless driving endangers the lives of our students. Earlier this week we had an incident where a parent and students were nearly hit by a reversing car who was parked in a no stopping zone on the crossing on Old Northern Road. It was also unfortunate that the driver then berated the parent who asked them not to park on the crossing. **IF A SMALL CHILD HAD BEEN WALKING BEHIND THAT REVERSING CAR, THE DRIVER WOULD NOT HAVE SEEN HIM/HER AND THE CONSEQUENCES COULD HAVE BEEN TRAGIC!** Although you might believe that you are careful when walking through the Glenorie car park, you cannot guarantee the drivers are careful/ aware. Do not risk your own (or YOUR child’s) safety. **Do not walk through the car park; stay behind the taped walkways; do not double park because you cannot get a car park.**

**Road Safety**
*(Please Read This Info)*
In the interests of student safety, please be careful when parking in the Glenorie car park. Please observe the signs on Old Northern Rd and Tecoma Dr... the speed limit is 40km/h. Thank you.
Again, we ask that you consider the following to ensure our students (your children) are safe whilst walking near the road and to school:
- Ensure your child does not weave in between parked cars stay behind the taped walkways.
- DO NOT park in the preschool car park or double park in the Glenorie Park car park (at the side of the school).
Please ensure that your child (and you) cross the road at the crossing (lights on Old Northern Rd and wombat crossing on Tecoma Dr – at the rear of the school).

- The “Drop Off” area in front of the school is a No Parking zone.
- The preschool car park is for the parents of the preschool children only.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Country Fair
The Country Fair, under the excellent leadership of Riaan van der Merwe, is well on track to be a huge success. If you are able to assist by attending committee meetings or by donating prizes (or asking friends, families, etc for donations) please contact the office. Remember to keep Sunday September 14th free (try to avoid birthday parties on that day).

What are the advantages of an Extension Class for my child?
The underlying philosophy is one that promotes student ownership of and hence engagement in their learning. Students will be surrounded by like-minded peers who are dedicated, intelligent and have the drive to achieve their personal best. The class atmosphere encourages students to push themselves to the limits of their capabilities, motivating them to set and achieve higher standards of learning. Engaged students are far more likely to be successful students. This class will remain as a discrete unit for all subjects except Visual Arts and Technology where they will integrate with the rest of their year in practical classes of reduced size. Galston High school’s expression of interest closes on 28th March. You can get an application for from your child’s classroom teacher.

Term 1 finishes on Friday 11th April.
Students return for Term 2 on Tuesday 29 April.

Become involved in your child’s education.
Enjoy learning!
Lyn Pearce
Principal

Easter Eggs and Raffle Tickets
Thank you to those families that have sent in Easter Eggs for our Easter Egg Raffle. We are still in need of many more eggs. If you can spare one or two Easter Eggs in any shape or size please send your donations to the office.

Next week we will be starting to sell the raffle tickets. This year the tickets will cost $1.00 each. The tickets will go on sale in the morning, before school and at recess.

Thank you for your kind donations.
Signora Lo Grasso

Need Eggs?
We have eggs for sale from the school farm to purchase at the school office for only $3 per dozen.

Canteen Roster
Friday 21st March
CO-ORDINATOR Stacie Thom
9.30-12.00pm Kate McGuinness
9.30-12.00pm Steve Dula
11.00am-1.30pm Belinda Rowe
12.00pm-2.00pm Namz Ginwala

Monday 24th March
CO-ORDINATOR Belinda Rowe
9.30am-12.00pm Lonnie Loria
11.00am-1.15pm Debbie Tscheben
12.00-2.00pm Jenny Pye

Friday 28th March
CO-ORDINATOR Wendy Carabetta
9.30-12.00pm Lisa Johnson
9.30-12.00pm Janine Thomson
11.00am-1.30pm Tracey Hogan
12.00pm-2.00pm Nancy Kazzi

“SPIN – CLUB Glenorie Table Tennis”
- Congratulations to the following Students for their successful completion of the Level 2 grading on Friday the 14th of March, Isaac Oberlechner, Audrey Lin and Justin Lin who have all worked very hard over the last 3 Months to achieve their grading, well done all of you and wear your new Club shirts with pride, Certificates will be presented on Friday the 21st March.
- Congratulations to Matt Catania and Jason Thomson who have both played in the first competitive round of the Cherrybrook-Glenorie intra Club competition last Thursday at Cherrybrook both had good results and enjoyed the experience good luck for the rest of the competition season boys.

Chris Gamlin
26 TECOMA DRIVE GLENORIE
STARTING 7:30 AM
SATURDAY 29TH MARCH 2014
LOTS OF GOODIES, INCLUDING TOYS, GAMES, DVD'S, CLOTHING, SHOES, HANDBAGS, SOME ANTIQUES, SMALL ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, JEWELLERY, ORNAMENTS & BOOKS.
COME ALONG AND GRAB A BARGAIN
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
PHONE: 0408 496 647
BEYOND BLUE FUNDRAISER
For Depression

Saturday 13th September
Allure Restaurant – Dural
Can you help in anyway?
Prizes or Donations?

Contact Melonie Evirgen on 0406 046 776
Semra’s Fundraiser for the RSPCA
‘Flea Market’
When: Sunday 27th April
Where: 70 Sermelfi Drive Glenorie
Time: 9am to 1pm

100% of proceeds go directly to the RSPCA

- Kid’s clothes
- Kid’s shoes
- Ladies shoes and clothing
- Books, toys, DVDs and games
- Any donations appreciated (in good condition)

Many thanks,
Melonic and Semra Evirgen
Mobile Number: 0406 046 776

Please support this wonderful cause!!!!!!

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Are you interested in a little extra one-to-one band tuition during the Easter Holidays?

Would you like a lesson from a specialist music teacher on your instrument?

Do you have an old guitar or keyboard laying around you’d like to dust off for a good cause?

TSA and DMC staff are combining to donate a day of their time, raising money for charity these Easter holidays and invite students, staff, parents, family and friends to sign up for a good cause.

Help DMC & Teaching Services Australia support Mr Lavis and Car 56 on the 2014 Newcastle Variety Bash with our School Holiday Music Tuition Day raising money for Variety, The Children’s Charity

Date: April 22
Time: Book a 30min time slot between 9am-4pm
Venue: Dural Music Centre (Unit 31/86 New Line Rd, Dural)
Cost: $35 (make a tax-deductible donation of $35 or more for your ‘free lesson’)
Bookings: 9651 7333 or at Dural Music Centre (bookings essential)

All proceeds from the day will be passed on in full to Variety, The Children’s Charity.
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<td>Exclude until all blisters have dried. This is usually at least 5 days after the rash appears in unimmunised children, but may be less in previously immunised children</td>
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<td>Exclude until discharge from eyes has ceased</td>
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<td>Depends on cause</td>
<td>Exclude until there has not been a loose bowel motion for 24 hours</td>
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<td>3-7 days</td>
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<td>Head Lice</td>
<td>Time from infestation to eggs hatching usually 5-7 days</td>
<td>Exclude until all live lice and eggs have been removed</td>
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<td>Hepatitis A</td>
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<td>Exclude until a medical certificate of recovery is received, but not before 7 days after the onset of jaundice or illness</td>
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<td>Herpes (cold sores)</td>
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<td>Young children unable to comply with good hygiene practices should be excluded while the lesion is weeping. Lesions to be covered by dressing, where possible</td>
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<td>Exclude until appropriate treatment has commenced. Sores on exposed surfaces must be covered with a watertight dressing</td>
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<td>Exclude until well (sneezing, coughing ceases)</td>
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<td>14-25 days</td>
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<td>Pertussis* (Whooping cough)</td>
<td>7-20 days</td>
<td>Exclude the child for 21 days after the onset of cough or until they have completed. 5 days of a course of antibiotic treatment</td>
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