NAIDOC celebration
NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC originally stood for ‘National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee’. This committee was once responsible for organising national activities during NAIDOC Week and its acronym has since become the name of the celebration itself. Glenvale State School’s NAIDOC celebration will be held on Thursday, August 4th with a visiting artist and activities planned for the students.

Wakakirri Supporters’ Night
On Sunday 7 August family and friends are invited to attend a ‘Family Sausage Sizzle’ at 5:00pm followed by our team’s performance of ‘1000 Paper Cranes’ at 6:00pm. Admission is via a gold coin donation. As well as the sausage sizzle, there will be a multi-prize raffle, drinks and chips on sale. This performance is our only community performance before we go to Brisbane to take part in regional heats of Wakakirri, which is a National Story Dance Competition. Team members are reminded their rehearsal commences at Midday, Tuesday August 23 SHOW DAY at Logan Entertainment Centre.

Cup Cake and Sausage Sizzle
A little reminder. Your order for Sausage sizzle and cupcakes needs to be returned by this Friday, 5th August.

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Next P&C Meeting
Monday 15 August, at 6pm Glenvale State School Staff Common Room (Administration Block) For more information, please email: pandg@glavenales.eq.edu.au, or contact the P&C Operations Manager on 4659 2111.

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Important Dates
- 04 August NAIDOC Day at Glenvale
- 07 August Wakakirri Supporter’s Night
- 22 August Wakakirri performance Brisbane
- 31 August beginning of ‘Book Week’
- 02 September Father’s Day in Prep
- 09 September GRAB Day
- 14 September - Carnival of Flowers Parade Prep
- 12 - 15 September PE Week
- 16 September last day Term 3
- 03 October Queen’s Birthday Holiday
- 04 October first day Term 4
- 17 October Pupil Free Day
- 22 October Glenvale Fete
- 27 - 28 October Yr 4 Emu Gully Camp
- 15-18 November Yr 5 Camp to Burleigh Heads
- 09 December last day Term 4

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