

## Important Dates - 03 May 2017

- 05 May Disco 5.30pm to 7.00pm in the school hall
- 09 May Mother's Day Stall in the Hall for students
- 23 May C Gen for Choirs
- 15 June Sports Day - Field Events for Upper Primary
- 16 June Sports Day Track for Prep - Yr 6
- 23 June End of Term 2
- 10 July Beginning Term 3
- 15 September End of Term 3
- 03 October Beginning Term 4
- 16 October Pupil Free - Staff Professional Development Day
- 08 December End of Term 4

If your child is sick or away for any reason please txt 0427 077 182

## Principal's Message

### Every Day Counts

It has been an unusual start to the term with 3 four day weeks in a row. Despite the unusual start to the term I would like to congratulate and thank our families for ensuring their child is attending school, the attendance rate is excellent at this school.

Under Queensland law, parents and guardians must make sure their child of school age is enrolled and attends school all day, every school day unless they have an acceptable reason. Illness or competing in a school sporting event are acceptable reasons for being absent from school.

Every day does count at school and regular school attendance will mean that your child has a better chance in life. Your child will achieve better when they go to school all day, every school day. Research has shown:

- they learn better
- they make friends
- they are happier
- they have a brighter future

## Instrumental Music

News from Mr Lanzafame

A reminder to all Instrumental music students, that Mr Lanzafame will be away from school next Monday 8th May as he will be attending the Toowoomba Eisteddfod. There will be no lessons or band rehearsals.

Next Tuesday 9th May will be a normal day with band and lessons for all Yr 5 and 5/6 students.

Thank you, Mr Lanzafame.



## C Gen Voices for Choirs - Tuesday May 23

Students from both choirs have now received permission forms regarding this EQ festival, for which heats are being held statewide in coming weeks. (C Gen replaces Choral Fanfare which has been held bi-annually for many years.) These need to be returned by Friday May 12. All choir members are to be congratulated for their commitment to 8:00am rehearsals each Wednesday (Year 3) or Friday (Year 4-6).

Parents are very welcome to attend the festival to see our groups perform during the afternoon. Specific details will be made available ASAP.

Year 4-6 students who have shown interest, are strongly encouraged to attend the remaining 3 Friday rehearsals. Many will remember the thrill of being part of an award winning choir in 2015.

## West Zone Cross Country

Congratulations to all our students who represented the school with distinction at the West Zone Cross Country. Our students were fantastic and gave their all! Special mention to Riley Edwards, Jack Simpson and Ryanda Craige who were selected in the West Zone Team to compete at the Darling Downs Primary Schools Cross Country.

## Darling Downs School Sport Representative

Congratulations to Nicholas Clarke on his selection in the Darling Downs Primary Schools Hockey Team!

## Student Banking

### Message from the Student Banking Volunteer

I won't be able to get in to do the banking this week. Parents are welcome to send in two deposits in week four and I will process two separate transactions so that students receive the token they would have missed out on from week 3.

## P & C News

### Cross Country / Fun Run

Cross Country Fun run - Fundraising money counting has commenced, and prizes will be ordered soon. If you registered online please ensure that you have selected your prize after 19 April. If you have queries please contact [pandc@glenvaless.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@glenvaless.eq.edu.au) (subject title FUN RUN)

## ANZAC Morning Tea

Thank you to all that attended and brought a plate to share.



## Uniform Shop

Glenvale State School Uniform Shop

Open: Monday 8:30am-9:00am & Thursday 2:30pm-3:15pm

## Mother's Day Stall



Mother Day Stall - Please let us know if you can help with the preparation on the day 9 May or want to offer donations (homemade gifts are always appreciated) or may leave items at the office. Please contact [pandc@glenvaless.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@glenvaless.eq.edu.au)



## Community News

I have recently taken over Hair We R on the corner of Glenvale road and Greenwattle st.

I am offering an opening special to families in the area.

\$15 kids haircuts

15% off all other services.

Ph: 46333833 for an appointment. Bec Sherden - Owner Hair We R