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Glenview School – a Queensland Independent Public School.

*Every Day Counts- Please make sure your child is at school every day!*

School starts 8:40am

**Water Quality at Glenview**

Last week a family raised a very important issue and I’m pleased to be able to share this information with you.

As you are all no doubt very well aware, the Glenview Community does not have a reticulated ‘town’ water supply, despite the Ewan Maddock Dam being so close and despite the Eudlo main supply being located along Stevens Rd and Glenview Rd. All water on the school site comes from on-site tanks with our holding capacity now getting close to 200 000 litres. Our faithful old bore has succumbed to its shortcomings of shallow depth and the falling water table in the area and has not been used since around October 2015.

In the last 2-3 years we have undertaken extensive upgrading to our water storage, treatment and reticulation systems across the school and Anderson oval. This work was undertaken in stages and finally finished around October last year.

The upgrading involved removing old small tanks, installing new larger ones matched to catchment area and a rationalisation of the 14 pumps and filters and 4 sterilisation units in the school. We currently store about 200 000 l and use about 9 000 l each week. We hold approximately a 6 month supply including a reserve.

The reticulation work involved ensuring that every tank is linked up so we can move water around. There are two main supply lines- either of which can be directed to service the whole school. All water is double filtered down to 5 microns, with our filters being checked fortnightly and changed regularly or at a maximum of 6 mths.

All water used is sterilised through hospital strength Ultra-Violet sterilisers between the tank and the outlet. Tanks are cleaned internally regularly.

The system is designed to provide water of at least the quality of 'town' water as it leaves the treatment plant without the need for the addition of chemicals of any form. High quality, safe, potable water is thus provided to all buildings and areas of the school, including Anderson Oval.

**It’s a Leap Year:**

Most people are aware that a leap year (one extra day every 4th year) is our way of keeping the dates aligned with the season and ceremonies of our lives. The Earth’s period of rotation on its axis (a day of 23 hrs, 56 mins and 4 seconds) is entirely unrelated to its period of revolution around the sun which is 365.2422 days. The leap year day is used to correct the Gregorian calendar – created by Pope Gregory X111 which replaced the Roman calendar around 1582.

Some fun facts. Leap years occur every year that is divisible by 4 except for years divisible by 100 and 400. 1700, 1800 and 1900 were not leap years.
The leap year adds a leap day in February as a consequence of a battle of the egos of Augustus and Julius Caesar.

Most people work a day more for no pay in a leap year.

It’s untrue that people born on 29 February (leaplings) age more slowly than others.

Your chances of being born on 29 February are 1 in 1461.

Leap years are also marked as a time for women to propose to men. One theory is that the custom dates back to the 5th Century, when, legend has it, an Irish nun called St Bridget complained to St Patrick that women had to wait too long for their suitors to propose. St Patrick then supposedly gave women the chance to ask the question every four years. The tradition is not thought to have become commonplace until the 19th Century. Then there’s the theory that Queen Margaret of Scotland was behind the fabled Scottish law of 1288. The law allowed unmarried women the freedom to propose during a leap year, and the man who refused was handed a fine. The truth behind this tale is dubious at best - after all Queen Margaret was just eight years old when she died and scholars have been unable to find a record of the law.

And of Course there are the Olympic Games to look forward to.

**Independent Public School.**

One of our first organisational tasks to realise the Independence of our school is to establish the School Council. The Council is a gazetted body, which gives the community and staff a voice in the strategic direction of the school. Essentially it can be between 6 and 15 members strong with equal numbers of staff and community. The Principal and the P&C President are ex-officio members (termed official) and up to two appointed members are permissible. A possible structure for Glenview would be around 8 members- 2 elected staff, 2 elected community representatives, 2 appointed members (usually with specific skills) and the 2 official members. The appointed members are usually people with specific skillsets or knowledge, but this is not totally necessary. There is a formal secret ballot system for the election of the staff and community representatives. There are some process things to be put in place by the P&C to establish the Council and when these are in place we will be calling for nominations for the staff and community representatives.

**Children and Cars:** for further information please refer to the Qld transport website

There are a number of laws which impact on parents as they drop off and pick up children from school. For information please note the following:

1. You must secure/lock your vehicle before leaving it parked on a road. Your vehicle is considered unattended when you are more than 3m away from it.
2. Before you leave the vehicle you must:
   a. switch off the engine
   b. apply the parking brake
   c. remove the ignition key if there is no one 16 years of age or older in the vehicle
   d. wind up the windows if possible—a gap of 5cm or less is acceptable
   e. lock the doors if possible.
      This rule applies to all road-related areas, including car parks.

Children 7 years and over must use a seatbelt or a booster seat (if they are small for their age). Children up to 7 years old must sit in an Australian-Standard-approved restraint.
Where should children sit - Vehicles with more than 1 row of seats

- Babies and children up to 4 years old must not sit in the front seat.
- Children aged between 4 and 7 years can only sit in the front seat if all other seats are occupied by children under 7 years of age.
- Children over 7 years can sit in the front seat.

Vehicles with only 1 row of seats

- Children of any age can sit in the front seat as long as they are properly restrained.
- If a car has 1 row of seats and a passenger airbag, a rear-facing child restraint shouldn’t be used if the restraint is positioned close to the airbag.

Leaving Children in Vehicles – Extracted from Qld Criminal Code - opinion from Slater and Gordon Website.

Since there are so many factors and variables that can affect whether it is safe to leave children alone in a car, there is no law in Queensland that states a specific time or age limit for doing this. However, leaving children unattended in cars is covered by several areas of legislation. (For all Queensland legislation, you can view the full Criminal Code Act here. For other states, territories and countries, be sure please to check your local laws as these can and do vary.)

The main law in Queensland relating to leaving children unattended is as follows:

**Leaving a child under 12 unattended**

(1) A person who, having the lawful care or charge of a child under 12 years, leaves the child for an unreasonable time without making reasonable provision for the supervision and care of the child could during that time commits a misdemeanour. Maximum penalty—3 years imprisonment. (2) Whether the time is unreasonable depends on all the relevant circumstances. [Section 364A, Criminal Code Act 1899]

While some scenarios would clearly be against this law, there are also some grey areas which parents may wish to consider such as: The age of the child. The location of the car. How long you will be away from the car and how far. If you will be remain in view of the car etc. However, with so many variables to consider, the safest option will always be not to leave children unsupervised in a car. Moreover, there are some situations in which it is clearly and unequivocally a SERIOUS CRIME to leave children alone in cars, and that is when the child’s health and safety could be at risk.

The legislation relating to the protection of children includes:

**Duty of person who has care of child** (1) It is the duty of every person who has care of a child under 16 years to— (a) provide the necessaries of life for the child; and (b) take the precautions that are reasonable in all the circumstances to avoid danger to the child’s life, health or safety; and (c) take the action that is reasonable in all the circumstances to remove the child from any such danger; and he or she is held to have caused any consequences that result to the life and health of the child because of any omission to perform that duty, whether the child is helpless or not. [Section 286, Criminal Code Act 1899]
Endangering life of children by exposure Any person who unlawfully abandons or exposes a child under the age of 7 years, whereby the life of such child is or is likely to be endangered, or the child’s health is or is likely to be permanently injured, commits a crime. Maximum penalty—7 years imprisonment. [Section 326, Criminal Code Act 1899]

Glenview SPORT:
Ride to School day- 4 March
5 Nations Volleyball – 18 March
Cross Country 24 March

Housekeeping:
Car parking is always a challenge at peak times. Please use the designated carparks in the designated areas. Help keep our children safe! Please do not pick up or set down children from roadways, car park access roads etc. or any other area which increases the risk of accident or injury to children or adults.

School Hours: School begins at 8:40 a.m. and finishes at 3:00 p.m.

Allergies and Anaphylaxis:
Would you kindly ensure that all food brought into the school for lunches, snacks of any nut or nut related products. Your cooperation here is vitally important to ensure that student’s lives are not put at risk.

Wisdom for the week: Dr Seuss of course!!
Unless someone like you cares a whole lot, nothing is going to get better- It's NOT.

Lex Heilbronn
Principal
STUDENT OF THE WEEK

22nd February
GROUP A - Shaylah
GROUP B - Jakson
GROUP C - Jaidah
GROUP D - Lyndsay
GROUP E - Sam S
GROUP F - Ned
GROUP G - Harrison
GROUP H - Natasha
GROUP I - Kellie

29th February
GROUP A - Sabine
GROUP B - Tyler G
GROUP C - Angus
GROUP D - Toby
GROUP E - Audrey
GROUP F - Jacob M
GROUP G - Emily R
GROUP H - Jarrah
GROUP I - Ned

Glenview Spirit Award
Junior - Jakson
Senior - Delilah

Good Choices Award
Jakson, Ollie, Steele, Sophey

Good Choices Award
Thomas, Hamish, Jaiah

RIDE TO SCHOOL—4TH MARCH

Friday 4th March 2016 is National Ride2School Day!
Be part of the fun and join in with over 350,000 kids across Australia on this day that will ride to school.
Sunshine Coast Council have prizes to give away if you get mum or dad to go to Councils website and sign you up

You could win:

1st Prize - $500 voucher at a Bike Shop of your choice
2nd Prize - $200 voucher at a Bike Shop of your choice
3rd Prize - $100 voucher at a Bike Shop of your choice
Plus many other random prizes to be won.

Remember you must ride to school on the day
If you live too far away ask mum or dad to drive closer to school then ride the rest of the way together.
To register go to the council website www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au prior to the day.
National Ride2School Day

National Ride2School Day is the perfect opportunity for Australian students and school communities to embrace a healthier start and to try walking and riding to school for themselves.

It is that time of year again when mum/dad checks those brakes, oils the chain and drops you off at Glenview Gardens to ride to school with your mates.

We will leave Glenview Garden’s carpark at 8am and should be at school by 8.30. Parents are welcome to ride with us or you can stay for a coffee.

Last year the scooters slowed us down so may I ask no scooters this year?

- The date is Friday the 4th March
- The place is Glenview Gardens at the start of Glenview Road
- The time is 8am

We hope to see many students this year

Ms Tilbrook and Mrs Keir
Ride Coordinators
The Prep Academy Kids have been very busy over the past few sessions. We have been exploring several new maths concepts. The session this week focused on measurement and data collection. Here we are using uniform informal units of measure to find out how far we can throw balls, bean bags, frisbies and paper planes. We are measuring our distances and recording our information on a graph so that we can interpret our results.
Glenview State School Photographs will be taken by “Portrait Patch” on

Wednesday 9th March 2016

With a reshoot for absent students on Friday 11th March 2016

All students will be photographed so as to be included in their class group.

If you wish to order photographs there are two payment options:

1. Online Option by using the link below:  (Preferred option)
   

   Please note: Online Sibling Package orders must be completed before 10am the day prior to the first photo shoot day.

2. Pre-payment Envelope Option issued to the youngest students in each family. Families wishing to purchase photo packs by cash or money order are required to return these envelopes to the allocated locked box for Portrait Patch at the school office no later than 9am on the day of the photo shoot. Please ensure your sealed envelope contains the correct monetary amount, as change will not be available.

   Please note: If ordering online there is no need to hand in an envelope.

Please ensure all students are in full uniform on Photo Days.

Thank you!
Hi everyone, hope everyone has settled into 2016, My name is Nikki and I am the school chaplain. I am here on Mondays, Tuesday afternoons and Wednesdays, please feel free to come and see me if there is anything I can do to support you and your family. I’m really focused on taking a pro-active approach to health and well-being and will be spending time in the classrooms talking about social and emotional health and doing activities to encourage self-awareness.

**Glenview Pups**

Glenview Pups has commenced again with a few new faces and a couple of regulars from last year. We meet every Wednesday for fun and morning tea, if you’re dropping your children off in the morning, and have other little ones, come and drop by for a cuppa and game.

The pup’s playgroup is a great introduction into the school and our pups from last year have done so well transitioning into Prep!

Any questions please contact Nikki on 5439 6777
Monday, Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday

**Glenview “Cheetahs”**

It’s exciting to see so many keen little cheetahs. The heart behind this cheerleading group is to encourage and “cheer” on our school but also each other, it’s a place where all ability levels can come and be supported. I have seen so many girls grow in confidence and solid friendships built throughout the last couple of years. This year to start with we are focusing on gymnastics related activities aimed to developed spatial awareness, co-ordination, flexibility, motor skills and strength. The more senior girls who have proficiency in gymnastics/cheer or dance are assisting with co-ordinating the group and really love the opportunity to mentor the younger ones.
GLENVIEW PLAYGROUP “PUPS”

When: Wednesdays

9am—11am

Where: School Hall, or Kidz Bizz

What to bring: Morning tea will be provided

Who: Parents, grandparents, carers and children any age under 5

Any questions please contact Nikki on 5439 6777 Monday or Wednesday

P & C NEWS

P & C Executives
President — Michelle Mc Cormac Ph: 0410926586 Vice President — Belinda Costello
Secretary —Richard Rankin Treasurer — Tracey Brooke
Uniform Convenor— Christine Humphreys Publicity Officer– Sonia Clark
Fundraiser co-ordinator—Kim Jones Ph : 0433 097 779

Next meeting is Tuesday 8th March
6pm in the staffroom

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS HAVE CHANGED

Christine Humphreys is our uniform convenor ,

Please note our uniform shop is now only opened on

Monday 3pm– 3.30pm

Or ring Christine to make an appointment outside this time.
Nambour Districts Swimming Trial was a great experience and it was really fun. 11 students competed and we all had a great day. Congratulations to Ben who made it into the districts team for freestyle.

By Ned and Jarrah

On Friday 11th March we will be holding a Leukaemia Foundation Fundraiser.

Children will be able to have their hair coloured by our student fundraising committee here at school. (Please do not colour your hair at home)

Cost is $1.00 for each design.

All donations go to Leukaemia Foundation.

Please do not colour your hair at home as catch up school photos will be held on the same day.

Thank you to Tash, Annabelle and Sharni.
EARN AND LEARN

Hurrah our earn and learn resources have arrived. At the end of last year we were able to order various resources from modern teaching aids with the points we had accumulated from collecting woolies stickers. Thank you to all our wonderful parents and students who sent in these stickers.

CROSS COUNTRY-24th MARH

Our cross country event is fast approaching and will be held on Thursday March 24, (last day of Term 1).

Senior Cross Country will be held on Andersen Oval 9am for all students turning 9 to 12 years (students born 2004 - 2007).

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Junior Fun Cross Country will be held around the school. This fun event will be for all the Prep students - 8 year olds. Parents are most welcome to attend both events.

5 Nations Volleyball.

This event will be held on the 18th March at Montville. If your child nominated for the team please return notes asap.
SPORT NOTICE

FUN FOR ALL AGES AND FITNESS LEVELS

If you have any enquiries, please check out our website: www.queenslandrunning.com.au.

It is a great family afternoon where mums and dads can run with their children.

We also have family registrations or individual numbers can pay up front for the season.

We have very reasonable rates to run and they include as many events as you would like to.

You can choose a program and enjoy the atmosphere of the event.

For those unable to run, but still wishing to participate, a 500 metre non-competitive walk is available.

The Sunday program occurs at various parks in and around Brisbane, including Chermside.

Our competition includes distances ranging from 500/800 metres (alternating each week).

March - July 2016

Queensland Running

2016 Cross Country Programme
Annette Brander  SUNSHINE COAST

GIRLS SCHOOL RUGBY LEAGUE

9 A-Side GIRLS Rugby League
Yrs 6/7-8 /9-10/ 11-12

Date -- WEDNESDAY 23rd March
Venue - Caloundra JRL - Gregory St, Caloundra
Time - 9.30am Start approx - 2.00pm finish.
Cost  $30 per team

There will be two divisions “Inexperienced & Experienced” Please nominate according to the ability level of your team.

Girls Rugby League is the “FASTEST” growing game in QLD and in 2016 girls can play club Rugby League from u/12 to u/18 as well as the opportunity to play for the Sunshine Coast and State Carnivals for school and club.

Your school can enter a team just contact Glen or Steve for more info

Glen Dreger/ Steve Belsham
National Development Officer - Sunshine Coast
Glen -M: 0447 232223  E: gdreger@nrl.com.au
Steve -M: 0402 892 897  E: sbelsham@nrl.com.au
Join the fun!

Ginger Sport host a range of exciting activities. Try our soccer-ball shaped jumping castle. Large and mini soccer worlds are available for events and parties. Then there’s the music show, soccer parties, custom kick, and online shop merchandise.

Check out our website for more information www.gingersport.com.au.
COMMUNITY NOTICES

CLEANER WANTED

I am looking for a cleaner in Glenview, just 2 hours a fortnight. If you could refer someone or would like the job yourself please contact me urgently

0448 548 406

Hope you can help

Megan

HAVE FUN WHILE GETTING FIT

Ladies want to have some fun getting fit, join Kylie’s boxercise classes or call her for a personal training session. See below for class times. If you would like more information on Kylie Read Personal Training sessions please call her on 0456 700 777 or check out her facebook page.

Kylie classes are held in Glenview area, there is also a class on Monday in the school hall.

First lesson Free.

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Kylie Read
PERSONAL TRAINING