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**Senior and Junior Cross Country**
Glenview School – a Queensland Independent Public School.

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

School starts 8:40am

**The Next Steps in our IPS journey**

In March the P&C passed a motion to adopt the standard form School Council Constitution. Staff will meet this week to vote on the same proposal. Following the conclusion of this voting process the Constitution will be gazetted and the formation of the School Council can begin.

**Car parking:**

Please help keep our children safe around the roads and crossings. Our crossing supervisors, Amanda, Kirstin and Sean can only do so much. Please give them your full cooperation – their interest is only in the safety of our kids. Please use only the designated parking areas in the main car park.

The staff carpark adjacent to ‘F’ block is staff only as the access, slope and tight spacing make it unsuitable and unsafe for general use. Please do not use this area for general parking.

**NAPLAN time again:**

This year marks the 9th year of Naplan testing across Australia and perhaps it is time to become a little more sophisticated with the analysis and the assumptions that are made by Educators, Politicians and everyone else. Recognising that Naplan is very high stakes testing for so many reasons, Educators feel it reflects on their professionalism and capabilities, politicians like to see ‘outcomes that justify $ spent’, parents naturally seek the comfort of knowledge about their child’s learning and I’m sure almost everyone else in the country has an opinion on or about Naplan.

Like most testing regimens, Naplan is statistically complex. There are countless mathematical and statistical accommodations and decisions made to arrive at some level of consistent, repeatable and understandable testing of students over 4 occasions across 6 developmental years. And, of course, herein lie the traps for the statistically unaware to make unjustifiable presumptions about Naplan performance and the window for the self-interested to wishfully and seemingly authoritatively aggrandize their analyses.
Last month the Grattan Institute released a report by two of their researchers into alternate ways we might view the traditional measures of student progress in Naplan. Somewhat sensationally, the report purports to be a study into the ‘widening gaps’ between diverse groups of students in Australia. However, there is much to be considered when the methodologies of measuring and comparing progress are explored.

One of the more recent measures of comparison in Naplan performance has been to look at the concept of ‘relative gain’ (i.e. improvement in performance) over time of various cohorts of students. On the assumption that relative gain has some intrinsically more valuable virtue than ‘gain’, relative gain looks at the rate of improvement of cohorts and attributes better performance to the group with the higher/est relative gain. As an analogy, let’s assume that we measure the 25 metre freestyle time for a 5 year old learner swimmer over a 6 yr period. Quite realistically, the child might improve his 25 metre freestyle time by 25 – 30 seconds from the age of 5 to 11. Cate Campbell, arguably our top female freestyle swimmer for example, has improved just 0.78 seconds in that 6 years. Who in their right mind would profess that the toddler is performing better because the ‘rate of gain’ is higher? The 11 year old has a PB of 36 seconds, Cate swims under 24 seconds. Absolute measures cannot be ignored.

Rate of gain is a flawed measure, though it has its uses. The report writers, Goss and Sonnemann present an argument in favour of using a new measure called ‘years of progress’ which basically ascribes a base line of expected performance calculated by using long term normalised means to a year level and thereby measuring whether and how far a child is above or below that level of performance. This is done through looking at expected rates of growth, again calculated from the 9yr data set.

What Goss and Sonnemann have shown again however, in their analysis of the non-linearity of the Naplan achievement progression, is that comparison of Naplan performance at school (even if a fairly large sample size) level is statistically and practically problematic and at anything below school cohort size becomes decidedly inaccurate. Relative gain also becomes more inaccurate if the actual gain across year levels isn’t linear. The report quotes Numeracy gain from year 3 to year 5 as approximately 89 mean points (400 to 489), from 5 to 7 as approximately 70 points and from yr 7 to yr 9 as approximately 45 points. Simply put, the rate of improvement becomes less the higher the student scores. Like Cate and the learner swimmer it’s an easy matter to improve rapidly from a low base, but a lot harder to improve enough to grab that world record.
Some schools have historically fallen into the trap of looking at the differences in means for comparing cohort performance. On the assumption that the reduction in the mean differences is an indication of improvement at different rates. Unfortunately as the report correctly points out, because of the reduction in actual gain as students get older, the reduction in mean differences may actually be illustrating a further widening of the ‘performance gap’.


Anzac Day – Please join us for Anzac Day commemorations this Friday at 9:30 am.

**Glenview happenings:**

- Small Schools Cross Country 29 April
- District Cross Country 6 May
- Naplan 10 – 13 May
- STEM Day 17 May

**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 etc. is entirely free 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!!**

Two for the adults this time-

“Adults are just obsolete children!” And “You’re in pretty good shape for the shape you’re in!”

Lex Heilbronn
Principal
## STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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- **Glenview Spirit Award**
  - Junior—Ari
  - Senior—Emily

- **Good Choices Award**
  - Junior—Mazie
  - Senior—Rylee

## WALK TO SCHOOL

- **Active Kids Are Smarter Kids**
  - Walk Safely To School Day
  - Friday 20 May 2016

- **Until they're ten, children must always hold an adult's hand when crossing the road**
  - Walk.com.au
  - Find us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter
  - Supported by the Australian Government and all state, territory and local governments
No arguments, handball disagreements or putdowns were heard on our “Say No to bullying Day” at Glenview IPS. I would like to believe this harmony could last all year but I doubt it. The students always love to not wear their uniform. Mrs McCrae was amazed at all the different shades of orange there are.

We had a fun day; a little leprechaun (it was St Patrick’s Day as well) snuck into each classroom and left an inspirational quote written in orange marker on the white boards.

Thanks for your support on the day and keep the discussions open about thinking before you speak.

Ms Tilbrook

Intervention, Support Teacher and part time leprechaun.
I LOVE MY TEACHER

Do you love Glenview Teachers?! Want to see them recognised for the hard work they do?! Nominate them now for an 'Excellence in Teaching' award. http://www.qct.edu.au/wtd/excellence-awards.html Feel the love!

SOUND OF MUSIC– 27th APRIL

If your child has been offered the opportunity to attend the Sound of Music performance all money and consent forms are now due. If you are unable to attend please inform the office asap so we can allocate your ticket to another student.

Thank you.

ANZAC SERVICE FRIDAY 22ND APRIL

Our Anzac service will be held on Friday 22nd April at 9.30am next to the hall.

Senior Choir will be singing- Please wear Choir uniform with long pants and black and red music shirt

Glenview Band will also be playing,

Parents/ Carers all welcome
**SPIN OFF! JOIN OUR TEAM**

Fundraising opportunity: Every year local schools battle out on the spin bikes at a local gym to raise much needed money for chaplaincy, this year it will be on the 28th May at Goodlife centre Buderim, I am looking to enter a team or two both adults and children from the community to compete and gain sponsorship to support chaplaincy at Glenview.

The funds that are raised typically go towards, supplies to support children at the school, to support the welfare of families as required, activities and resources to engage with children such as resiliency games, programs such as shine, and uniforms and resources for active learning such as cheerleading.

I would really appreciate your support, so if you could spare a couple of hours on the 28th of May please contact me on 5439 6777 or nhanl14@eq.edu.au

Thank you!

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**HERO QUEST COMPETITION**

‘Hero Quest’

Role models are so important to us and can even influence how we see our own future. State Member for Caloundra Mark McArdle MP would like to know who your role models is and why. For your chance to win one of ten $100 gift vouchers to spend at a local surf store, compose your essay and give it to the school office by Tuesday 26th April.

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**SCHOOL BANKING NOTICE**

Due to the following two Mondays being public holidays school banking will be done on Tuesday 26th April and Tuesday 3 May.
**SMALL SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY**

Small School Cross country will be held on Friday 29th April at Kenilworth. The first 5 students to cross the finish line at our school cross country have been nominated to participate in the Small Schools Cross Country. If your child has brought home a consent form please return this by Tuesday 19th April. If your child has been nominated and does not wish to attend please contact office asap so we can nominate another student to take his/her place.

Thank you.

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**WELCOME TO GLENVIEW**

We would like to send out a warm welcome to our two new students who started at Glenview last week. Seth and Maddison

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**CONGRATUALTIONS TO OUR FOOTBALL STARS**

Last Wednesday and Thursday four students from Glenview state school participated in the Sunshine Coast district soccer carnival.

Emily, Kellie, Jake and Josh were selected to play out of many hopeful students across our South Sunshine Coast district. We are very proud of them and the huge effort they put in representing the school and also our region.

Congratulations to Emily and Jake for being selected to play in the districts team competition in Stanthorpe on 9th—12 June.
TRELYSE IS A WINNER

Congratulation to Trelyse for being the winner of the Council Ride2school Day Competition.

Trelyse was lucky enough to win a bike helmet.

REGIONAL STATS:

- 1945 students registered online (a 51% increase from 2015- a 115% increase from 2014).
- 62 schools from our region had at least one registered student. (an increase of 55% from 2015)
- Registered students collectively travelled 4,194km to school on the day (an increase of 40% from 2015)
- We counted 2284 bikes, scooters and skateboards at 11 schools on the day. This is an average increase of 86% from a normal school day.
- 21% of registrants stated this was the first time they had ever ridden to school (409 students)
- Peregian Springs State School had the highest number of registrants at 247 students, which is approximately 30% of the total school population.
- Brightwater State School had 343 bikes/scooters/skateboards in racks which is over a third of their total school population.

5 Nations Newcombe / Volleyball Carnival

On Friday almost 60 students and three teachers travelled to Montville to participate in the 5 nations Newcombe/Volleyball Carnival. It was a great day and every student who went was committed to the team. Although we didn't win, we all went home smiling and that’s one of the great traits of Glenview.. Everyone tried their best and overall it was a fun day. Thanks to Mrs Wallace, Mrs Smith and Mrs Craig for all their help on the day.

BY Jarrah
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

AGM—  TUESDAY 19TH APRIL 6PM — Staff room.
Come along and join our team.

It’s that time again...The Glenview State School P&C Committee AGM is on
Tuesday 19th April, 6pm in the staffroom. (Immediately following this AGM will be the 
General Meeting for April).

At the AGM, all P&C executive positions (President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary 
and uniform convenor) will be vacated, and nominations called to fill them.

If you feel you may have an interest in any of these roles (or know someone else who 
may) please feel free to have a chat with Lex or any of the P&C executive about them!

Kidz Bizz Notice

Kidz Bizz will be **closed** for the following upcoming Public Holidays:

Monday 25\(^{th}\) April - Anzac Day
Monday 2\(^{nd}\) May - Labour Day

We will be back to normal for the rest of the week, providing both 
before and after school care.
‘Sunshine Coast Inter-School Individual Championships’

Monday 16\textsuperscript{th} May  \sim  Week 6

‘Sunshine Coast Inter-school Teams Championships’

Tuesday 23\textsuperscript{rd} August  \sim  Week 7

THANK YOU FROM STELLA

I was a student at Glenview State School last year in year 6. I had been to several schools before Glenview but I had always left shortly after I started. When I came to Glenview I was instantly happy and stayed to graduate. Seen as I had loved the school so much and everything it had given me I thought I should give something back. My mother and I decided that we would plant a tree in the beautiful gardens. So today on the 24th March I returned to help plant the tree. Hopefully it will grow to be a source of shade for the east side on the prep building.

By Stella
School Banking is improving your kid’s ‘Common Cents’

It’s been a great start to the school year, and every week we see the students putting in a fantastic savings effort. That might be because of this year’s Grand Prize: a VIP tour of Australia Zoo to meet Robert andBindi Irwin! Many of our true blue Outback Savers are well on their way to reaching their 15 deposits by the end of Term 3, which will give them an automatic entry into the Grand Prize competition.

Aside from the Grand Prize, two new reward items are available this term. After making 10 School Banking deposits, students can redeem the Mud Splat Handball or the Outback Pat Bag Tag!

Learning about your child’s ‘Common Cents’

Earlier this year, CommBank released a report exploring just how clued-up about money Australian children are. They were asked to complete the ‘Common Cents’ Quiz, which looked at five key areas of financial literacy: spending, saving, earning, budgeting and investing.

The research revealed our nation’s kids are – on average – educated earners and spenders, and children whose parents have smarter money habits recorded higher ‘Common Cents’ scores. Here are some of the statistics we’ve uncovered:

- 68% of Aussie kids like saving their money more than spending it.
- 77% of them understand they can earn extra money by doing chores around the house.
- Only 50% know what a budget is, with one in five thinking it’s a sheet of paper with numbers on it.
- Over 60% of children surveyed would take $5 now, over larger monetary sums if they have to wait.

The report also shows that 69% of primary school children in Australia receive pocket money, and 82% of those are expected to complete tasks to earn it. Pocket money is a great way for parents to teach kids the value of money and the earning process.

If you’re curious about your child’s ‘Common Cents’, we encourage you to take them through the simple Quiz that’s available at commbank.com.au/commoncentsquiz

For more tips, videos and activities to stimulate your child’s interest in money skills, head to The Beanstalk at commbank.com.au/youthsavers

Things you should know: Conditions apply, see commbank.com.au/schoolbanking. Prizes include 9 Sוהra AM/FM 25/4/16 and calls 1.50p AESIE 31/11/11. Entry is open to all Participants account holders aged 5-13 years who participate in CommBank’s School Banking programs. Merry banking! Wish us a green! and make at least 10 deposits to their third term account through the School Banking program during the promotion period. Limit of 1 entry per person. The draw will take place at 12:00pm (AEST) on 17/11/2011 in the Promoter’s office. The first valid entry drawn will win a family pass to the Outback Saver’s VIP tour of Australia Zoo, valued at $235. The Promoter’s pass will be published in the public section of The Australian on 17/11/2011. Promoters: Cemnbank of Australia (ABN 44 132 323 304) 311 Hay Street, Sydney NSW 2000. Call 13 2351. RSN Permit No LR/275/58/670. ACT Permit No TP157/939. SA Permit No 175/10131. About the research: Independent research conducted on behalf of Commonwealth Bank of Australia, SPRACH Marketing. A total of 1,830 surveys completed by parents and their children aged 5-12 years. A qualitative on-site research was also held, with 151 parents and children completing questionnaires for parents, and 115 children for teachers. Published nationally throughout Australia. The full report can be found at commbank.com.au and 19 November 2011.
STEM DAY – 17TH MAY

Come along and ignite your imagination as you join us to celebrate National Science Week 2016 with Glenview’s

STEM DAY!

STEM is curriculum based on the idea of educating students in four specific disciplines - Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics - in interdisciplinary and real-world applications.

As part of our STEM Day we have Jessica from Street Science coming to do a whole school Science Show Spectacular with fire, air, wind and water!

After the show, everyone will spend the rest of the day in workshops covering a range of STEM topics and activities - keep an eye out for the timetable closer to the event!

We also have two special guest workshops this year:

Lower school will get to work with the Street Science team to play with perfect polymers slime and snow!

Upper school will get to meet the UQ Robogals team who are going to teach us how to program real robots!

So get excited for Tuesday 17th May!

Costs for this day are included in the Student Resource Levy.
COMMUNITY NOTICE

Two Feet and a Heartbeat is a charity walk aiming to help beat Childhood Heart Disease – the leading cause of infant death in Australia.

Did you know the human heart begins to beat at 21 days after conception? The Two Feet and a Heartbeat course is 2.1km long, a simple reminder that we all have a heart beating inside us capable of so much, we just need to take the first step. A sausage sizzle and children’s entertainment will be available following the walk.

Step out on Sunday May 22nd at Buhk Family Park, Alexandra Headland and help beat Childhood Heart Disease. To register today or for more information, please visit twofeetandahearthbeat.org.au

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
SPORT NOTICE

Tennis lessons with Tom Ferrell will commence on Monday 18th April at 3.15–4pm. Meet at Glenview State School tennis courts.

KIDS TRYATHLON

Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon is the largest under 16s triathlon series in the world because it’s all about fun and every kids wins a medal.

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Register now at try.weetbix.com.au
INDOOR CRICKET

MILO T20 BLAST INDOOR is a new format of cricket that is available for girls and boys aged 7 - 12. It is a fun and social way for kids to get active with their friends.

- Eight week program
- Action-packed games, where everyone gets a chance to bat, bowl and field
- Players of all abilities can play indoor cricket using a softer ball
- All games last just over an hour

Visit PlayCricket.com.au to find your local centre and register today

KAWANA INDOOR CRICKET MILO T20 BLAST

When: Tuesday April 19 – Tuesday June 7, 2016
Where: Kawana Indoor Sports
32 Production Avenue, Warana, QLD, 4575
Contact: Viv on (07) 5493 7999 or 0417705735
Time: 4:25 pm – 5:55 pm  Age: 7-12 years
Cost: $99 includes hat, shirt, bag and MILO

Register today at www.playcricket.com.au and search postcode 4575
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 and Thursday in the school hall at 3.30pm

First lesson Free.

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