



From the Principal

A big thank-you to Mrs McDougall and the staff keeping the school running while I was away. Had a beautiful wedding and a lovely honeymoon. Thanks to all those who sent well wishes. I have hyphenated my surname, and while I am happy to still be called Ms Heathwood I have let the children know that my new surname is Mrs Heathwood-Brunskill (ridiculous isn't it!?) They are welcome to call me Mrs HB (like the pencil - cause I'm sharp the teachers said on assembly)



We only have 3 weeks left till the end of term three. The time has gone fast this term! There is still a lot of activities on over the next 3 weeks - our last week of term includes a STEM day activity, an Apple Excursion & Speed Soccer on Friday.

I loved seeing the pictures of those terrific book week costumes! Well done students! The shortlisted books this year were so beautiful.

Camp is quickly approaching - more information was sent home last week. Keep those payments coming in.

Teaching and Learning

Spellathon money is due back this Friday please - great effort to students learning their words.

I'm so impress with our NAPLAN results this year. Year 3 students did a fantastic job. As a school our improvement results over the last few years is outstanding. Year 5 students showed good results in the areas of Reading and Writing. These results help our staff look at areas for development as a school.

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Lesson Focus

Week 8

Be Responsible:

Toilets

Use them at the right time.
Keep them clean and tidy

Week 9

Be Respectful:

Playground

Invite others to play
Look after our gardens

Calendar Items

WEEK 8

Monday 28/8/17

Assembly

LOTE - Puppet incursion

Yr 2 - Pantomime - Toowoomba

Thursday 31/8/17

Fathers' day stall

Friday 1/9/17

Fathers' day stall

Dress like day day - Gold coin donation.

WEEK 9

Monday 4/9/17

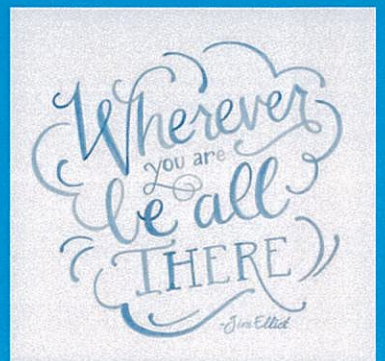
Assembly

Bookclub due back

P&C meeting - 4:30pm

Friday 8/9/17

Prep Vision Screener



Assembly Awards

	Academic Award	Beehaviour Award	Bees Badges	Principal Award
Week 5	John, Bridgette, Craig, Adyn, Sienna Z, Connor S	Amelia, Sienna S, Mackenzie, Lacey, Piper, Chandler	Leslie, Jayden, Philip, Brandy, Daisy, Lily, Ashley, Key, Elijah	Lucas Bannister
Week 6	Lindsey, Olivia, Lukas, Locklyn, Tayah, Stevie	Khloe, Hayley, Chloe, Matilda, Bonnie, Josh H	Amelia, Thomas, Kira, Kody, Sienna Sm, Bridgette, Claudia, Phoenix, Piper, Evelyn, Hannah, Tayah, Liam, Shannon, Tahlia, Chandler, Ella	Cooper Burns
Week 7	Joseph, Allegra, Connor C, Tyler, Conner P, Kyle	Charleigh-J, Sienna, Kiarra, Ashley, Brielle, Elijah	Dashel, Connor C, Chloe, Kiarra, Hannah, Tayah, Broyden, David, Josh	Angus Hines

P&C News

GARDENING

Do you love gardening or have an afternoon free each week? We are looking for helpers who can help water and maintain the school gardens once a week. Please see Rachel or Amy if you are interested.

SPEED SOCCER

We will be running a canteen at speed soccer again this year. We would really appreciate some volunteers to help prep the food and run it on the day. It's on Friday the 15th of September. Unfortunately, we haven't had anyone volunteer yet. We really need some helpers to make this a success. If you are available, please see Amy or Rachel.

FATHERS DAY STALL

We will be running our annual Father's Day stall on Thursday the 31st of August and Friday the 1st of September. Gifts will be starting from \$2.

MEETING

Our next meeting is on Monday the 4th of September at 4.30pm in the Library. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Chappy Corner

In the second week of the holidays there is a camp called SWAK for boys and girls at our local Atkinson dam. It is for Grades 4-8. SWAK will be a week of fun and making new friends, singing and learning about God. Registrations are now open. See the flyer below.

Have a wonderful week!
Chappy Christina

Housekeeping

Office Hours

The school office is open from 8:15am to 3:15pm Monday to Friday, if you need us outside of these hours please call and leave a message, we will return your call as soon as possible.

Staff contact

If you wish to discuss issues with your child's teacher please make a time before or after class. Please try not to take up time as learning starts, this means that students are missing learning time and classes become unsettled. Staff email addresses are available in the Parent Handbook for your use also.

Absences

Please contact the absence line **5466 6160** with your child's name, class and reason for absence. Our office sends out an SMS for unexplained absences.

Late Student Pickup

If you are late collecting your child from school, from 3pm the students will be in the school office. Please contact the office ahead of time if you know you are running late.

Naming Student Items

Please check that your children's belongings have a name on them, especially hats & jumpers now it is getting colder.

School Newsletter

If you would like to promote a community event in this newsletter please email admin@glenrovss.eq.edu.au by Wednesday of even weeks.

Parking, Drop off & Pickup time

Parents use the Hall carpark to drop off and pick up students. We ask that parent reverse into these spaces for the safety of all our children. If you are bringing your children into school before 8:25 they are to wait under the covered area near the office. There is no playing until the staff member on duty brings students to the undercover area. All students must have a hat to play in the mornings. In the afternoons there is a staff member on duty. Students are not to leave the grounds into the carpark without their parent/carer. Students are also not permitted to play on the equipment unless a parent is with them supervising. This is a safety issue that can make pick up time difficult to supervise and for the safety of all our students we ask you to support this. Please don't park at the front in the bus lane or drive into school grounds.

Community News

CAMP IS ABOUT HAVING FUN, MAKING NEW FRIENDS, CHALLENGING YOURSELF AND LEARNING MORE ABOUT WHO GOD IS! ARE YOU UP FOR THE CHALLENGE? DO YOU THINK YOU CAN SURVIVE A WEEK OF FUN?

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ACTIVITIES: OBSTACLE COURSE • KIDDLE POOL KICKBALL • TOMATO V BBQ SAUCE FIGHT • PAINT FIGHT • CAMPFIRE • EXTREME HUNGRY, HUNGRY, HIPPOS • DANCE OFF • SURVIVOR • J-TIME • ULTIMATE TWISTER • AMAZING RACE • MOVIE NIGHT • SPOTLIGHT • PROTECT THE PRESIDENT

WHO: 9-13 YEAR OLDS

WHEN: MON 25TH — FRI 29TH SEPT

WHERE: GLENGARRY CENTRE, ATKINSON DAM/ MIT TARAMPA

COST: \$180 PER CAMPER — BUS AS NUMBERS PERMIT
MILES • CHINCHILLA • DALBY • TOONBOOMA • CATTON

REGISTER ONLINE: WWW.SUCAMPS.ORG.AU REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 18TH SEPTEMBER

CAMP QUERIES: SHINE474@HOTMAIL.COM

CAMP DIRECTORS - DEB PERKINS - 0412 277 474 OR MATT GEORGE - 0408 304 776

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Did you know that children need to hear 1000 stories before they begin to read!!

Or the same story 1000 times :)

Talk Read Sing Play