



# Glenelg Primary School



## Calendar Dates

5th July 2023

Term 2, Issue 3

July

Term 2, Week 10

Friday 7th

R-6 Wellbeing Incursion

Final Day Term 2 - 2.30pm

Dismissal

Casual Day - Gold coin donation

July

Term 3, Week 1

Monday 24th

School resumes - Term 3

Tuesday 25th-Wednesday 26th

Year 6 Camp—Nunyarra

Wednesday 26th

Enrolment Information Session - 9.30am-10:30am

August

Week 3

Monday 7th

Commencement SALA Exhibition

Absence SMS Number

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The July holidays are almost upon us. This has been a wonderful term of learning and activities for everyone. Looking back over the last two newsletters there are many examples of the excellent learning taking place in classes around the school plus the many extracurricular events that have added further enjoyment. Thank you to all the families who have supported this work and assisted as volunteers and co-organisers of events this term.

Earlier this term our local member Mr. Stephen Patterson MP featured at our last assembly presenting the school with new flags. This was greatly appreciated, ensuring we continue to show respect to our country by displaying flags in excellent condition.



Tomorrow will be the final assembly for this term. We will have several items of interest. Special guests include Mr Tich Tyson, President of the Plympton/Glenelg RSL presenting books for our library following our wreath laying at the ANZAC Day dawn service and Mrs Valery Symons, from the Glenelg Kiwanis presenting the Kiwanis TERRIFIC Kid award for the first time at Glenelg Primary.

Some other information from our wonderful Specialists Team will also be sent out to all families soon, showcasing a 'highlights reel' of some great learning in each area.

To all our families, we wish you a safe and happy holiday break and look forward to your return on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July for the start of Term 3.

**Casual Day - Last Day Term 2**

**Friday 7th July 2023 - 2.30pm dismissal**

Principal: Shane Misso

Deputy Principal: Anthony Fischer

Assistant Principals: Matthew Bannister, Ryan Parsons, Bobbie Beswick

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## 2023 School Disco

On June 8, school kids enjoyed a fun disco. The students enjoyed a complimentary packet of chips and a juice box. Everyone had a wonderful time at their disco. The receptions had theirs at lunch. Years 1-3 had theirs at 5:30pm-6:30pm. Years 4-6 has theirs at 7pm-8pm. Thank you to the Parents and Friends committee who organised it and the teachers who stayed behind to help and supervise. – Rosa T. & Levi M.



# Enrolment Information Sessions

We are excited to share with families that our school recently hosted its first after-hours school tour and enrolment information session on June 19th.

It was great to be able to welcome 36 prospective families.. A special thank you goes to our Year 6 Student Ambassadors, who graciously volunteered to guide these families around our school. We extend our gratitude to the Ambassadors, their families and the many attending staff members for their support in making this evening a success.

The feedback we received from attendees was overwhelmingly positive, and we are eagerly looking forward to our final enrolment session on **Wednesday, July 26th, at 9:30 am**. If you know of families interested in enrolment for 2024, please encourage them to register for this final information session.

RSVP to [DL.1017.enrolments@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:DL.1017.enrolments@schools.sa.edu.au) or call the Front Office on 8295 3943 to register.

**\*\*NOTE - Glenelg Primary School no longer has a Capacity Management Plan and can usually accept out-of-zone enrolments\*\***

**First Round enrolment offers will be made to families on August 1st, 2023**



## Sibling Enrolments

Do you already have a child at GPS and another child starting in 2024? Please **complete a Registration of Interest now** for your 2024 Reception child.

Enrolling a sibling is easier than enrolling your first child, but standard forms and official enrolling processes are still required. Please visit the link below to complete the Registration of Interest. If you have any questions, please speak to our Front Office Staff.

**<https://glenelgps.sa.edu.au/enrol>**

# 2023 Term 2 Fundraiser

## The Vinnies Winter Appeal Food Drive

This term, Kids' Council have elected to support St Vincent De Paul (Vinnies) by collecting items that help those most in need during the cold, winter months.

We would like to encourage families to bring in item(s) to support us in helping others. Many of these items listed can also support Youth Vinnies and the women's' shelters who have a shortage in providing foods and supplies for young people and women who are most in need of our support.

### **Please consider adding something to your next shopping list such as:**

Ring Pull Tuna, Chicken, and Salmon

Cup Noodles

Muesli Bars

Le Snack

Chips and Biscuits

Up & Go and fruit juice boxes

Sanitary supplies and toiletries



### **Please do NOT bring these items in as Vinnies have a surplus of the following:**

Baked beans

Canned spaghetti

Soups

Canned vegetables including tomatoes, corn, lentils, beans etc.

Thank you for all your help and support in this time of need!

Please give your goods to your class teacher and our Student Senior leaders will collect and prepare for the collection at the end of the term.

## **Casual Day - Last Day Term 2**

**Friday 7th July 2023 - 2.30pm dismissal**

Students are welcome to wear casual clothes on the last day of Term 2 for a gold coin donation. We encourage students to wear a beanie and/or scarf to recognise those doing it tough this Winter.

Gold coins collected will be donated to St Vincent De Paul.

## U12s State Touch Football Representative

Congratulations to Lani B (Year 5) for being selected in the Under 12 State Touch Football Team. Lani will be representing South Australia in Darwin in August. Well done, Lani!



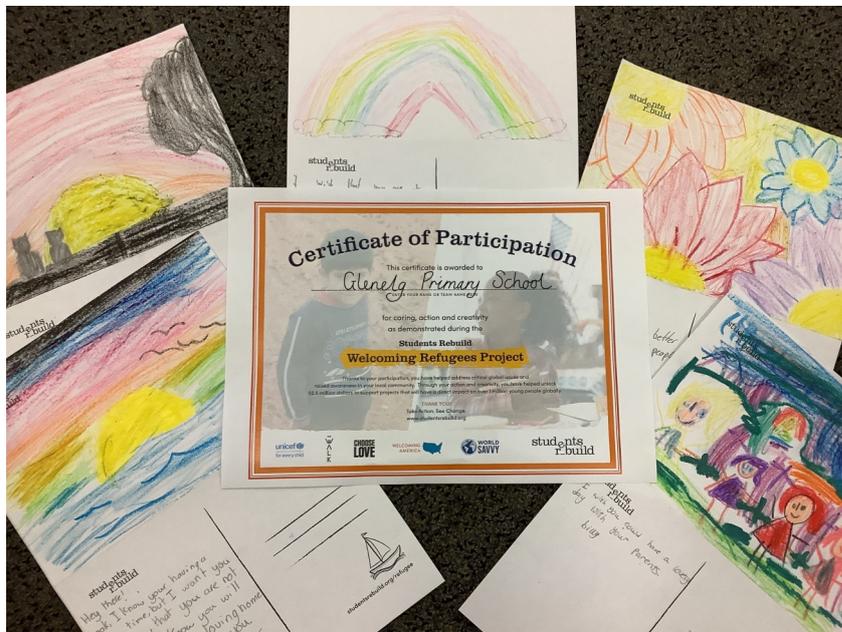
## MND Photoshoot with 'Cosi'

On Thursday week six, Jude and I went onto Glenelg oval to meet Cosi, to do a photo shoot for the Glenelg vs Sturt game on Monday. When Mr B told us, we were super excited for it. On the day I was really nervous and excited about meeting Cosi because I've seen him on TV before. It felt like meeting someone the whole world knew even though only Australia or just South Australia knows him. When we did the photo shoot, I had sooooo many emotions running through my body I was nervous, excited, happy and cold but I can't imagine how Cosi felt after Jude tipped a hole bucket of ice on him. After the photo shoot I was really happy because I felt like I was famous. And we got to keep the beanie we were wearing in the photo shoot for free. - Lani and Jude, Year 5



## Creative Arts—Open Studio

During Open Studio sessions (when the art studio is open to students at lunch), our students have been creating artworks to submit to the Students Rebuild Welcoming Refugees Project. Each postcard we designed represented a \$5 donation from the Bezos Family Foundation towards organisations providing refugee aid to children and families displaced worldwide. The love we sent the refugee communities represent \$160 being donated to those in need. Well done to our caring artists.



## Reconciliation Week Artwork

Room 3 and Room 4 buddy classes created this artwork for Reconciliation Week. The gum leaves represent the connection to the land that First Nations people have and the joining of the unique leaves represents a coming together to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements.



## State Hockey Squad

We are thrilled to announce that our Year 6 students James C. and Cameron C. have been selected in the SA State U13 Boys Hockey squad! Congratulations to Cameron for securing a spot in the team, and kudos to James for earning the role of reserve. Well done, boys!

## Year 2 Garden Update!

We have been busy using all of our new vegetables and herbs that our garden has produced in the last term. Children have tasted different parsleys, mint, two types of lettuce and on Friday of Week 7 we made kale chips! Overall it was a thumbs up for the new food!



## Emergency Evacuation Drill

Please note that on Tuesday 4th July we conducted an Emergency Evacuation Drill for Staff and Students. There was no actual emergency.

The aim of the drill was to rehearse the safe process involved in a whole school evacuation, and to be alert and aware of what different sirens would sound like in the event of an emergency.

## Week 10 Assembly

Our amazing coffee friend, Greg, from ASAP Coffee will be serving freshly brewed coffee from 8.30am on Thursday for parents to purchase before the Week 10 Assembly.



## Flinders University Student Visit – Room 13



On Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June, Flinders University students came to our new Student Learning Area and did 2 experiments with us, the students from Room 13.

First, in the morning we had to prepare and we all got garbage bags and cut holes to make smocks, so we did not get our school uniforms dirty. After recess we put our bags on and went to the SLA where they were waiting for us. There were 6 students in total and their supervisor was also there. Half the class started with dry ice bubbles while the other half did Oobleck. My group started with dry ice and moved onto Oobleck about 20 minutes later.



With the dry ice experiment, we put gloves on, and had beakers and the Uni students put dry ice from a container in the beaker. Then we got detergent and dipped our whole finger in the detergent and rubbed it gently around the rim of the beaker. That caused the bubbles to form on top of the beaker and at some point, the bubbles fell down the side.

With Oobleck we got corn flour and water and mixed it together until it was a sticky liquid, and then we added food coloring. We used wooden spoons to mix it. It was hard to mix it at the bottom and after a while

it was fun to play with, however it was very messy. It was both hard (solid) and soft (liquid). It was called a non-Newtonian fluid. We got to choose if we wanted to take the Oobleck home and on Thursday we did a quiz about what we learned.

**Mishka, Room 13 (additional edit- Mr Bice)**



## SAPSASA Hockey

We are thrilled to share the remarkable achievements of our Glenelg Primary School boys who recently represented us in the highly competitive South West SAPSASA hockey team. Over the course of an exhilarating three-day carnival, our boys demonstrated their skills, sportsmanship, and determination.

Facing off against eleven formidable teams, our boys showcased their hockey prowess, competing with courage and displaying outstanding commitment throughout each match. Regardless of the results, their positive attitude and collaborative spirit never wavered, embodying the true essence of our Spirit Cup: Courage, Commitment, and Collaboration.

After a challenging battle against fierce opponents, we are incredibly proud to announce that our boys secured a well-deserved fifth-place finish. This achievement is a testament to their hard work, dedication, and perseverance. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to each member of the team for their exceptional performance and commendable representation of Glenelg Primary School. We applaud their accomplishment and wish them continued success as they continue to exemplify our school's sporting spirit.

Congratulations James C, Sullivan N, Avery P, Cameron C and Max J



## Year 6 Division 1 Netball - Message from the Coach:

"I just love coaching these girls! Some of them I have coached since year two where they were just starting out as beginner netballers.

We went on a journey together from learning all the basics to now their last year of primary school, Year 6 where they are playing in the division one team! Over the years we have played in rain and sunshine to absolute freezing conditions and each week they make me so proud at their commitment and perseverance. Thank you girls for all your support over these past few years. You are all Superstars in my eyes! Always dream big! Sophie 🍀🍀"



# CANTEEN

The Canteen has been running a Crazy Krush Slushie competition where students have the opportunity to win a free slushie on purchase of a slushie.

Some of our lucky winners are:

Dylan C	Room 22
Tobi L	Room 22
Cooper W	Room 10
Alfie S	Room 23
Asher K	Room 03
Misha B	Room 13
Aaron F	Room 10
Arabella G-R	Room 9
Khushi T	Room 16

Congratulations to our winners! The competition will continue throughout Term 3.



Thanks to our amazing group of Canteen Volunteers we are finally able to bring back Special Food Day!

**A Sushi Day will be held in Week 3 of Term 3.**

More info to come at the start of Term 3

Have a safe and happy holiday!

**Sarah - Canteen Manager**



# HAVE YOU BORROWED A UNIFORM?



If your child has borrowed a piece of clothing from the Front Office could you please return it as soon as it has been cleaned.

The Front Office is running short of supplies so please return any items you have borrowed ASAP, or if you have any size 6/8/10 navy trackpants or jumpers you no longer need, please donate to the Front Office. The first aid room is also in need of any spare paper or plastic shopping bags, please donate to the Front Office.

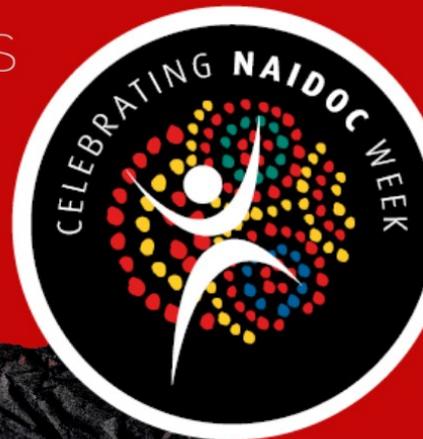
Thank you!



PARENTS & FRIENDS  
COMMUNITY-FAMILY-FUNDRAISING-VOLUNTEERING

## NAIDOC WEEK FUNDRAISER

WEDNESDAY 5TH JULY 2023



A big Thank you to the Glenelg  
Primary School Community.  
Your support for our donut  
fundraiser saw us raise

# \$225

for the Tjindu Foundation



*Special thanks & congratulations to Year 4 student Elizabeth P for designing the logo  
to be used for the 2023 Glenelg Primary School Fete*



Glenelg Primary  
Community



**SAVE THE DATE**

**SATURDAY 21ST OCTOBER**

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY  
AMUSEMENTS • MARKET • FOOD STALLS

WE'RE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR LOCAL STALL HOLDERS  
AND BUSINESSES THAT WOULD LIKE TO TAKE PART

EMAIL YOUR REGISTRATION OF INTEREST TO  
[PARENTS.FRIENDS277@SCHOOLS.SA.EDU.AU](mailto:PARENTS.FRIENDS277@SCHOOLS.SA.EDU.AU)



# Playgroup News



## Exciting News

Thank you to all of the families who have joined us for the inaugural term of Glenelg Primary School Playgroup.

We hope you have enjoyed the sessions as much as we have!

Our wonderful Playgroup Leader, Hannah, has had an exciting opportunity offered to her for the remainder of the year as a Kindergarten Teacher and we congratulate Hannah on accepting this new role!

This creates an opportunity for a new Playgroup Leader to come on board and not only work within our Playgroup, but join in a SSO capacity and really become part of the fabric that makes up our amazing school.



The position of Early Childhood Worker/Student Support Officer has been advertised on the Edujobs website.

If you or any one you might know would be interested in applying for this position, please complete the application process as per the Edujobs website. Feel free to contact me directly at [dl.1017.playgroup@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:dl.1017.playgroup@schools.sa.edu.au) if you have any questions.

Tanya

## TERM 3

Your session times will remain the same for term 3. If your circumstance has changed and you are no longer able to attend Playgroup please email [dl.1017.playgroup@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:dl.1017.playgroup@schools.sa.edu.au) so that we can invite new families.

We also ask that you pay an upfront fee of \$20.00 per term which goes toward purchasing supplies for Playgroup and will save you having to bring payment each week.



# WICKED WINTER SPORTS!

LEARN NEW SPORTS SKILLS IN TERM 3  
GLENELG PRIMARY SCHOOL



BOOK ONLINE NOW AT

 **KELLYSPORTS.COM.AU**

Programmes for R-2 students run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

## This term we will focus on the following sports:

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Basketball

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings - giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future. Children will learn all four sports over an 8 week program.

## 8 WEEK PROGRAM FOR \$128 INCL. GST

*OR redeem your \$100 Sports Voucher and pay only \$28!*

**WHEN:** Monday  
**COMMENCING:** 31/7/2023  
**CONCLUDING:** 18/9/2023  
**TIME:** 3:30pm-4:30pm  
**MEETING PLACE:** JP Yard



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