Learn to Live-Live to Learn

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Upcoming Events:

STUDENTS RETURN Monday 18/7

> SDD Tuesday 19/7

Zone Athletics 20/7—21/7

Claymation Friday 22/7 GWPS

3-Way Conferences Primary 28/7 Infants 29/7 GWPS

Canberra Camp 2/8—5/8

Education Week Assembly
Thursday 4/8
DHS

Online Forms

3-Way Conferences

Canberra excursion and payments



K-6	A student misses
1 day per week	1 year of school
1 1/2 days per week	1 1/2 years of school
2 days per week	2 1/2 years of school

Term 2 Week 10

Here we are at the end of Term 2, half way through the year. It has been another busy term for the students, staff and community. It doesn't seem that long ago we were celebrating Anzac Day and our Small Schools Athletics Carnival and now we are looking forward to Term 3, with 3-way conferences and our primary camp to Canberra and the snow.

Highlights of this term have been the Colour Run and STEM morning, PBL assemblies, Cultural days, RAWart, Breakfast Club, Dinosaur Club, NAIDOC celebrations, Mothers Day stall, Tocal excursion and Robcup, just a few that come to mind.

I would like to thank the students for trying their best and demonstrating everyday our core PBL values of respectfulness, cooperation and excellence. I would like to thank our community for your tireless support which is demonstrated in many ways, for which we are very grateful. Finally, thank you to the Staff for making our school a welcoming and inclusive space with student wellbeing being the cornerstone of everything you do.

Lastly, I would to take this opportunity to wish everyone a restful break, enjoy the holidays, keep safe and we look forward to seeing you all next term.

Have a wonderful break, Mrs Hurney and Staff

Attendance:



Week 9: 87%

Week 10: 79%



COVID UPDATES

In Term 3 2022, your child's school will operate with a number of COVID-smart measures that have been developed with NSW Health to minimise transmission and keep schools open. These key measures include:

- rapid antigen testing (RAT) of students and staff who have COVID-19 symptoms or are identified as close contacts
- support for staff and students to have <u>up-to-date</u> vaccinations
- maximising ventilation
- encouraging regular hand washing and continuing enhanced cleaning of schools
- assessing risk and applying appropriate safeguards across activities and events
- learning from home where face-to-face learning is not possible.

In certain circumstances, NSW Health and the Department of Education may advise that certain COVID-smart measures be temporarily reintroduced at your school. Your principal will work with the Health, Safety and Staff Wellbeing case management team and provide further details of any changes to COVID-smart measures at your school when required. These temporary measures may include:

- ceasing large indoor gatherings
- ceasing off-site and inter-school activities
- mask wearing for adults and high school students
- limiting visitors to schools
- separating cohorts of students
- symptomatic use of RATs
- learning from home or remotely.

PBL ASSEMBLY

Please congratulate our award recipients at the Week 10 PBL Assembly



REGIONAL COUNTRY SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

A big congratulations to Georgia McDonald for coming home with six individual medals from the country swimming championships. First in 50 fly, 100 fly, 100 IM; second in 50 free; third in 100 backstroke and 200IM. We wish her the best of luck as she travels to Sydney this weekend to compete in the Country Championships.



Library -

Remember your Library Bag on Monday for Infants and Wednesday for Primary, to protect the books you borrow.



The next P & C general meeting: Friday 22nd July 2pm at GWPS All Welcome



NAIDOC DAY DHS

Thank you Dungog High School and Murrook for another fantastic day celebrating NAIDOC Week on Monday. It was a wonderful day of johnny cake baking, dancing, Gathang Bingo and learning about artifacts. A special thank you to Nan Margaret who made it all possible by driving us to DHS and back again, and helped look after us as we had fun, learnt and made connections.



Cultural Afternoon at GWPS

A huge thank you to Kara Clements for coming to Glen William PS last Tuesday to teach us some Gathang language, and play Gathang Bingo with us. We learnt so many new words!



Pass around some essential oils (e.g. lavender or peppermint). Invite children to do some mindful smelling.

Children stand with their feet wide apart. Place arms out to the side and lean to one side, turning the head to face that same direction.





SDD

Term 3 SDD is Tuesday 19th July. Students return Monday 18th July.

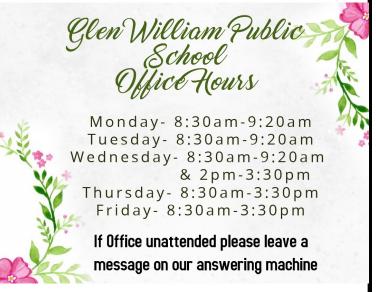


Commemorating NAIDOC at GWPS

NAIDOC Week is the first week of the school holidays. We have been learning about NAIDOC and participating in mini activities everyday during Week 10, from colouring a poster, to creating Aboriginal fridge magnets, reading Dreaming Stories and playing Aboriginal games during PE. This year's theme is 'Get Up, Stand Up, Show Up'. In light of this, students have also been learning about significant Aboriginal people who have stood up and been brave to make change for the better throughout history.

News From The P&C

Anyone who is working on a school site (including parents and volunteers) is still covered by the Public Health Order and therefore must meet mandatory double vaccination requirements.







2022 CALENDAR TERM 3

MONTH	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT / SUN
JULY	18 STUDENTS RETURN	19 SDD	20 Zone Athletics	21 Zone Athletics	22 Claymation	23
1						24
JULY	25	26	27	28 Counsellor	29	30
2					Newsletter	31
AUGUST	01	02 Camp Canberra	03	04 Education Week	05	06
3				Assembly		07
AUGUST National Science Week	08	09	10	11 Counsellor	12	13
4					Newsletter	14
AUGUST	15	16 PBL Assembly	17 STEAM World Cardboard	18	19 RAWART	20
5		Primary	Challenge			21
AUGUST Bookweek	22	23	24	25 Bookweek Parade	26 School Photos Hunter PSSA Athletics	27
6				Counsellor	(Glendale) Newsletter	28
AUG / SEP	29 Interrelate	30	31 LMG Cultural Day GWPS	01	02	03
7					,	04
SEPTEMBER	05	06	07	08 Counsellor	09	10
8					Newsletter	11
SEPTEMBER	12	13	14	15	16	17
9						18
SEPTEMBER	19	20 PBL Assembly	21	22 Counsellor	23	24
10		Infants			Newsletter	25

P & C NEWS

Hello to all our wonderful P & C of Glen William Public School



The end of Term 2, mid-year can you

believe it!!

Thank you for all the support given to help make our school and events amazing.

Just a quick reminder before we head off on holidays that our next P & C Meeting will be :

FRIDAY 22nd JULY @ 2pm

Have a safe and awesome break. Looking forward to seeing you all back in Term 3.

Heidi C-P & C President





Children's Discovery Day 10am-2pm Tuesday July 5 \$5 per person

Native Bee Talk 10am-11:30 Tuesday July 12 \$20 per person (includes morning tea)

Nature is Fun 10am-12pm Wednesday July 13 \$5 per person

Lego Display
All Day Thursday July 14
& All Day Friday July 15
\$5 per person



BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Ph: 49871655 | Email: events@huntergardens.org.au Hunter Region Botanic Gardens 2100 Pacific Highway, Heatherbrae, NSW 2324



Children's Discovery Day 2022. Tuesday, 5 July 10:00am – 2:00pm

* Live Music

* Hunter Heroes

* Let's Love Water Show

* Raffle

* Educational Stalls

* Educational Children's Activities

* Lawn Games

* Kookaburra Café

* Plant Stall

* Guided Tours

Tickets are \$5 per person. https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/353392144417

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