

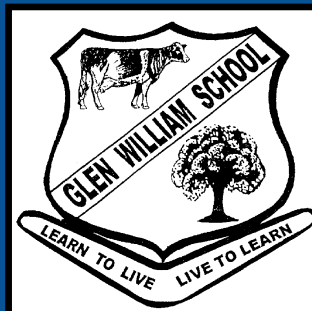
# Glen William Public School

Learn to Live- Live to Learn

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## Upcoming Events:

**Canberra Camp**  
2/8—5/8

**Education Week Assembly**  
Thursday 4/8  
**DHS — POSTPONED**

**Book Week lunch orders**  
Due 15/8/2022

**Book Week Parade**  
Thursday 25/8

## Online Forms



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 3 Week 2

Welcome to Semester 2! We hope you had a safe and restful break, and are ready for another jam-packed and exciting term.

We have hit the ground running this term with a Claymation workshop, Zone Athletics Carnival, Gymnastics, Dance, Infants 3-way Conferences and more. As the Primary class prepares for Canberra Camp starting next Tuesday, Infants are excited to keep things running on the home front.

Congratulations to our talented athletes who competed at Zone Athletics Carnival this week. As always, we were so proud of their sportsmanship and the way in which they represent Glen William PS with pride and integrity. A special congratulations to Stephanie who placed 3rd in shot put and our relay team who came first in the final. We eagerly await to find out if we will be going to Hunter Athletics.

Unfortunately, our Education Week Assembly at Dungog High School has been impacted by COVID-19 guidelines and has been postponed. This means that students will not be performing their dance next week. The new date will be confirmed later in the term.

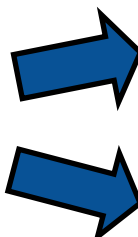
Thank you to our families who participated in the Infants 3-way Conferences. As always, this was a wonderful opportunity for teachers, students and families to communicate and build relationships with one another. Primary families, we look forward to your interviews. We will keep you updated with booking availability and times.

Due to the recent rain events the Library has sadly encountered water damage, as has the tennis court. Currently these have both been deemed non-usable, however we are doing our best to have them fixed and opened back up to the staff, students and community as soon as possible.

We are looking forward to another wonderful term of learning and growing together. Next stop, Canberra!

*Mrs Rains and Staff*

Attendance:



Week 1: 71%

Week 2: 72%



## COVID Updates

### For positive COVID-19 cases

If there is a positive case in your child's class, year or other grouping, your child can continue to attend school in line with NSW Health advice.

If a student or staff member receives a positive RAT, they need to:

- record the positive RAT result through the Service NSW website. Please add details of your child's school or early childhood education centre when prompted
- notify the school of the positive RAT or PCR test result as soon as possible
- follow NSW Health Advice to isolate for 7 days.

Registering your child's positive RAT with Service NSW is a requirement of the Public Health Order and helps NSW Health track COVID-19 in schools and address any public health issues early on if required.

Negative results do not need to be reported to Service NSW or to the school.

Schools will inform their community when there is a positive case in the school and guide families on NSW Health advice, including monitoring for symptoms.

Please see pamphlet attached for more information.

## Count Down To Camp

As we prepare for our Canberra camp, just a few last reminders:

- All medication needs to be appropriately packaged and clearly labelled with instructions. Please ensure you hand in any medication by Monday at the latest.
- The Personal Health Declaration form will be sent home Monday. This must be handed to Mrs Rains prior to getting on bus at Mount Kanwarly at 5:45am on Tuesday. **Students will not be allowed to get on the bus without this.**

We can't wait for a week of adventures, exploring and learning together.

## Gymnastics

Gymnastics started on Tuesday with Jen. As always, students are having a wonderful time!

## Claymation

Last Friday Ian from Digi Ed held a Claymation workshop at Glen William PS. Students wrote their own story using a story map and made their characters and backdrop before using iMovie software to make and edit their films.

Head over to FaceBook to find the link to watch our entertaining films!



## Zone Athletics

Congratulations to all of our competitors who represented Glen William Public School at the Zone Athletics Carnival this week. You tried your best, showed great sportsmanship, and represented our school with pride.

Congratulations to our small schools relay team who came first in the final, and congratulations to Stephanie who competed in the 100m and 200m finals, and placed 3rd in the senior shot put. We are very proud of your efforts and we look forward to hearing if we have qualified for the Hunter Athletics Carnival.

Finally, a huge thank you to our wonderful parents and carers who helped out on the days, we appreciate all that you do for our kids.



The next P & C general meeting: Friday 12th  
August 1:30pm at GWPS  
All Welcome

### Library -

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







## Good for kids good for life



### Screen time and physical play

Movement and play are important for kids development



Choose small screen games and Apps that reduce kids sitting time and encourage physical activity.

- Choose videos, games or Apps that get your kids moving e.g. dancing, sports, yoga. Join in using the App or game with your kids
- Plan a walk using a digital map. Take photos of interesting things along the way
- Video your kids learning a new skill e.g. hopping, a new skateboard trick. Replay the video to track their progress over time
- Be a role model! Show your kids how to track their physical activity. Talk about how being active is fun & feels great! Show them how far you walked or swam last week!

Source: Screen time & physical activity: kids! Raising Children Network <https://raisingchildren.net.au/school-age/play-media-technology/screen-time-healthy-screen-use/screen-time-physical-activity>



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<https://goodforkids.nsw.gov.au>

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### Sunsmart Snippet

6 tips for staying SunSmart:

1. Learn to understand the UV index
2. Slip on sun protective clothing
3. Slop on sunscreen
4. Slap on a hat
5. Seek shade
6. Slide on wrap-around sunglasses



Protect yourself in five ways from skin cancer



[sunsmartnsw.com.au](http://sunsmartnsw.com.au)



### Glen William Public School Office Hours

Monday- 8:30am-9:20am  
Tuesday- 8:30am-9:20am  
Wednesday- 8:30am-9:20am  
& 2pm-3:30pm  
Thursday- 8:30am-3:30pm  
Friday- 8:30am-3:30pm

If Office unattended please leave a message on our answering machine

### News From The P&C

Attached to the newsletter is a Book Week Parade Menu. Please pre-order lunch for parents and students using this form.  
**Return by Monday 15th August.**

P&C meeting Friday 12 August, 1.30pm.

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Term 3 Canteen roster 2022

Date	Volunteer
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Laura Saville
29 <sup>th</sup> July	Heidi Chandler
5 <sup>th</sup> August	Heidi Chandler
12 <sup>th</sup> August	Kersha Jones-Clark
19 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>Helper Needed</b>
26 <sup>th</sup> August	Scott & Sarah Hunter
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Sharna Kirkham
9 <sup>th</sup> September	Kersha Jones-Clark
16 <sup>th</sup> September	Julie Vasic
23 <sup>rd</sup> September	Laura Saville

### Nutrition Snippet

#### WHAT A WASTE.

Did you know that the average household throws out 1 in 5 bags of groceries they buy?



Save money and help the planet by reducing your food waste.

For ideas on how to reduce waste check out our blog at [healthylunchbox.com.au/5-easy-tips-to-reduce-food-waste/](http://healthylunchbox.com.au/5-easy-tips-to-reduce-food-waste/)

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Cancer Council  
Healthy Lunch Box



