

# GLENORIE SCHOOL BULLETIN

Term 3, Week 6

19 August 2021



## Upcoming Events

Date	Event
24 Aug	7:00pm P&C meeting on Zoom
11-12 Sep	Band Camp
17 Sep	Last Day Term 3
17 Sep	Bush Fire Assembly

### COVID-19 Update

All schools in regional NSW will now operate on learning from home lockdown restrictions. Schools in Greater Sydney will continue to operate as we have already been doing over the last 6 weeks with students learning from home unless their parents are essential workers. Thank you to our Glenorie Public School community for your continued support and encouragement as we all adapt to new ways of learning and working from home. It is so nice to get such supportive feedback, which I would like to share:

*To all of the Glenorie Public School team,  
We just wanted to send a quick email to say thank you.*

*Thank you for giving my children a much-needed well-being day today. It's amazing the difference we saw in their mood and motivation.*

*Thank you for making each lesson so supportive, safe, loving and personalised.*

*Thank you for the sounds of giggles we can hear when they are on their daily zoom lessons... the best sound!*

*Thank you for the hours and hours of extra work you are doing to plan lessons, mark work, provide feedback, and check in with your students.*

*Thank you for continuing to share your love of learning in such a weird and confusing time in our little loves' lives.*

*It's so important to feel connected, and you're doing it so well.*

By our teachers maintaining students' ability to learn remotely and benefit from technological advancements in teaching, we have been able to enhance the learning experience for all.

Please remember that the daily timetable is flexible and needs to fit in with your family schedule. We understand if activities are completed at different times or need to be modified or enriched to suit your child's learning needs.

We will continue to contact students that we have had no contact with, to offer our assistance and just to touch base.

Remember if your child is unwell, you can contact the office or your child's teacher and online work for that day does not need to be completed.

### Refunds for PSSA, Excursions & Camp

Some parents have still not contacted the school about their refund/credit.

On Wednesday 14 July we sent an email to all parents with information about refunds and credits. In summary:

If you paid for the Zoo excursion, you do not need to do anything.

**If you paid for PSSA and/or Camp, you need to notify the school if you would like a credit or a refund.** If you would like a refund, you need to fill out the [Student Refund Application form \(PDF 77.49KB\)](#).

### Year 7 Enrolments to Galston High School

We would like to remind any parents that have not yet completed their enrolment forms for Year 6 students attending Year 7 at Galston High in 2022, it would be greatly appreciated if they can forward these to the high school immediately.

If you have not yet done so, you can either scan and email, with copies of birth certificate & proof of residential address, or simply post back to GHS.

### Enrolments

Enrolments are now being processed for 2022. We have quite a few new enrolments for next year. If you have children who are due to start Kinder in 2022, who live in our catchment zone, please enroll them before the end of this term. If you have already picked up your enrolment forms could you, please return your completed applications so we can put them in the system. Out of area families must apply to their local school. Thanks.

## Bus Services

**School bus services are constantly changing. We have just been advised that Busways will not be providing school bus services from Monday 23 August. We are still waiting to hear from Hillsbus.**

We will update you via the app as we receive information.

## Wellbeing Wednesday

Wellbeing Wednesday was a great success last week with teachers and students dressing up for the occasion and having a bit of fun.

We will restructure next Wednesday's activities to involve normal lessons as well.







Craft Club will be running an **optional K to 6 activity** next Wednesday. To cater for K-6 and so people can just use what they have at home, we will be running two activities. If you would like to join in a craft activity you will need the following -

Activity 1 - wool and a few sticks. Activity 2 - a paper plate and coloured paper. Plus general craft supplies like glue, scissors, texas / pencils. More information will be posted on your google classroom stream on Wednesday.

Thank you to everyone who shared their creations. Here are just a few from last week.



*Stay Safe!*

*Become involved in your child's education.  
Enjoy learning!*

Lyn Pearce,  
Principal





## Book Week August 22nd August- 27th August

We may all be in lockdown surrounded by cancellations, but one thing that is NEVER cancelled is READING. Next week Australia celebrates Book Week, and it is a fabulous opportunity to take some time away from the screen and enjoy the pleasures of reading.

Your teachers will share some fun reading activities with you, but you may like to send some pictures to your teacher of you reading your favourite book in your own special 'reading nook' at home.



## Story Box Library

Until the 26<sup>th</sup> August our school has free access to Story Box of [Story Box Library](https://storyboxlibrary.com.au) -it's Storytime, Anytime!

To view the wonderful stories (including the latest Children's Book of the Year Award books) read by Australian authors and personalities follow the instructions below:

Log in: <https://storyboxlibrary.com.au/login>

Viewer Username: **GlenoriePS**

Viewer Password: **library**



## Click and Collect



For those families wishing to have access to library books over the lockdown period, we are offering a 'click and collect' service for library books.

**Step 1 - BROWSE:** If students would like to get some ideas, they can access our school online catalogue via the OLIVER library homepage on their student portal.

**Step 2 - EMAIL:** Please send any library book requests to the school email [glenorie-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:glenorie-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au), with 'library click and collect' as the

subject. Specific books titles may be requested if available, otherwise a similar title will be chosen. Please indicate in the email what genre of books to include in the selection, and/ OR the PRC level desired (K-2, 3-4 5-6). Books will be processed and packed each Monday, so requests should be submitted by Friday to be considered for the following week.

**Step 3 - RECEIVE CONFIRMATION:** Parents will receive an email when the books are ready for collection

**Step 4 - CALL AHEAD:** Call the school prior to arrival so that your book pack can be waiting for you.

**Step 5 - COLLECT:** We ask that parents use a QR code to enter the school and wear a face mask. Your book pack will be waiting for you in the office on the front counter.

We appreciate your patience with this service as the school is running on a skeleton staff only

Keep reading and keep smiling,

Mrs Cook



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**DELIVERY OR PICK UP  
AVAILABLE EVERY FRIDAY**

**\$12.00 each  
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## Healthy Lunch Box recipe

### Japanese vegetable pancakes



#### Ingredients

½ small cabbage, very thinly sliced  
4 medium carrots, grated  
2 cups baby spinach, very thinly sliced  
4 spring onions, thinly sliced  
½ cup wholemeal plain flour  
6 large eggs, lightly beaten  
Pinch of salt  
Olive oil spray

#### Method

Place the vegetables in a bowl and mix together. Toss with the flour, ensuring it coats all the vegetables. Stir in the eggs and pinch of salt.

Lightly spray a large non-stick fry pan with olive oil spray and heat over medium-high heat. You may need to re-spray between batches.

Add heaped tablespoons of the mixture to the fry pan in rounds. Gently press to flatten. Cook until golden, approximately 3 minutes, and then turn to cook the other side.

For more recipes visit:  
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