



Well another fantastic year at **Glenroy Central**! I would like to thank all those who have contributed to Glenroy Central over the past year – **parents, community members, staff and students**. I would particularly like to thank the **President of our school council Leonie Land** and all the school council members who have been so supportive and positive about all we are trying to achieve; the **Education sub-committee** who have worked their way through many school policies; the **Healthy Eating Team** who have provided a great service through the canteen; the **parent volunteers** who help to support our programs every week; the staff who continue to take on many changes and challenges and the students who are the reason we are here. Thank you to all of you who sent along food for today's end of year parties for the students. What a fantastic spread of food from so many different cultures that make up our wonderfully diverse school.

I have one piece of news that is both sad and great at the same time! **Belinda** will be leaving us as she has been appointed as the **Acting Principal of Gladstone Views Primary School** for Semester 1 of next year. Although we are very sad to lose Belinda I know she will make a fantastic Principal and on behalf of all the staff, students and parents I wish her all the best for her new position. She has been a fantastic asset to Glenroy Central from its beginning in 2010 and she will be greatly missed, most of all by me!  
For 2020, Hanna Spark and Leanne Moore will be the Acting Assistant Principals.



With growing numbers in our school we welcome some new school staff to our teams for next year – Suzanne Burgers, Kara-Lynne Cummings, Thomas Cullen and Lyndon Waddell who are joining our Learning Community teams. Liam Watt is also joining us as the Physical Education teacher.

### **Our Learning Community Teams for 2020:**

Foundation: Lisa, Oliver and Suzanne

Grade 1/2: Margaret, Elle, Stephanie, Crystal and Kara

Grade 3/4: Erin, Tyler, Matthew and Thomas

Grade 5/6: Angela, Melanie, Lyndon, Susan and Courtney

Our specialist team is Athanasios in Performing Arts, Stavroula in Visual Arts, Liam in Physical Education, Paola in EAL, Jan as Librarian and Claire as Speech Therapist. We are still working on appointing our Auslan staff member.

The welfare staff are Nicole and Annette. Let's not forget the hub of our school, our admin staff of Kerry, Janet and Donna.

It is with sadness that we say goodbye to **Kelsey White and Erin Holloway**. On behalf

on the Staff, Students and Community, I would like to thank them for their dedication and commitment and wish them all the best for their future endeavours.





We, of course, say farewell also to the Graduating Class of 2019. They were fantastic at last Thursday's graduation ceremony. We wish them all the best for their secondary schooling and hope that their futures are happy and successful. The next years of their lives will be full of new adventures, new teachers and new friends.

As you venture into those teenage years, remember to study hard and be kind to your parents!

A **HUGE** thank you to the Year 5/6 staff - Hanna, Angela, Melanie, Kelsey and Athanasios who put in so much effort to create a memorable graduation ceremony. The students did you all proud. GREAT JOB!

Finally, I would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season. I'm sure everyone is looking forward to some relaxation and fun – I know I am! I look forward to seeing you all back here at the beginning of 2020.

School begins for Years 1 to 6 students on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020** at 9.00am and for our new Foundation students on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2020** at 9.00am when they will attend full time. I remind the Foundation parents that on the 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January all Foundation students will need to attend their interview time for assessment.

*Happy holidays and a great 2020!*

**Jo Money**  
Principal



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Term 4 Diary

**School Banking: Every Tuesday**

**Last Day of Term: 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019 – 1pm finish**

**First day of school years 1 to 6 – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

**First day of school Foundation – Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2020**