

### Newsletter 6 - 2024

Thursday 7th March



This week we say a big congratulations to Jess in our 5/6 team, who got married last Saturday. By all accounts they had a wonderful day of celebrating with their families and friends. On behalf of the staff, students and community of Glenroy Central PS I would like to wish Jess and her new husband John all the best for a long and happy life together.

Jess is already back at school and will be taking time off towards the end of term for her honeymoon.

This week the Student Voice Ambassadors led the school on our Clean Up Australia Day campaign. We spent 15 minutes doing a tidy up around our school and making sure there was no plastic or rubbish on the ground to get swept down the drains and into the ocean.



The students did an excellent job armed with gloves, buckets and brooms with each Learning Community focussing on a different area of the school. Thanks everyone for helping us keep our part of Australia clean!

### Term 1 Diary

Round 3 1st March Vs St Francis (away game)

Public Holiday Labour Day -Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March

NAPLAN – Years 3 and 5 -begins 13th to 19th March

House Spirit Day – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March (last day of Term 1 – 2:30 finish)

Term 2: Harmony Day - 17<sup>th</sup> April (change of date)

#### We are a Child Safe School.

All school policies are regularly updated:
To keep up to date you can follow this link:
<a href="https://www.glenroycentralps.vic.edu.au/page/113/Policies">https://www.glenroycentralps.vic.edu.au/page/113/Policies</a>

The school treats any personal information we gather from you confidentially and in line with the Department's Privacy Policy.

Please note: The school yard is supervised from 8:45am each morning until 3:35pm each afternoon Monday to Friday.













A reminder that **NAPLAN** (National Assessment Program for Literacy and Numeracy) is coming up on 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March for Years

3 and 5 students. The tests are online so must begin and end as scheduled. It is really important that all students are here and that they arrive on time so that the testing program runs smoothly. We appreciate your support. Every student in Australia, from Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 will be participating in the tests. Results will be distributed in Term 3.

## Remember, everyday counts!

Jo Money Principal



Reminder: School closed on Monday Public Holiday - Labour Day **FOUNDATION TOURS**: If you know someone who lives in Glenroy and is interested in our school, we are beginning school tours for 2025 enrolments. Ring the school office on 9306444 to book in on one of the available dates.

Our school enrolment zone can be found at

www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au



### INTERSCHOOL SPORTS REPORT

Sport: cricket, bat tennis, softball

Round: 3

Date: 1st March 2024

Opponent: St Francis



This week all our teams played against St Francis. In cricket, we batted first and made 153 runs and only lost 2 wickets. When we bowled, St Francis only made 65 and we took 4 wickets. Hamza and Abdul Wasay were the best of the bowlers and Mir Abbas hit a big 6 to finish the innings. We won the game, 173 to 75 runs.





#### Softball

**Girls** – Under the guidance of Karen and Lisa C, the softball teams were full of energy and ready to play. The girls team unfortunately lost 6 home runs to 3 home runs. Yasmin C, Irha and Khadija all scored a home run.

**Mixed** – The mixed team also lost, but with a close finish of 6 home runs to 4. The home run scorers were Abdul K, Ahmad Al D and Omar A scoring 2 himself.

### **Bat Tennis**

**Mixed** – The mixed bat tennis team lost in a close contest, losing 21 to 17 points. Lewa, Adam, Clyden and Yaser all won their matches.

**Girls** – The girls team lost 25 to 15 points. Sanaasri, Yasmin and Rudayna all won their matches.

All our students represented the school well. Next week we are playing against Westbreen at home.



# KINDER NEWS

Over at the kindergarten we have been enjoying getting out into our surrounding environment by exploring the school a bit more. The three-year-olds had their first visit on Wednesday and the four-year-olds have been meeting Lauren at the pirate ship each Wednesday and will have their first visit to the Foundation room Thursday.



Our current focus for our kindergarten children has been to focus on their language and development. You will see us engaging the children with fun rhymes, songs and finger puppets.





