

GLENREAGH PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 4, Week 4 (Wednesday 5 November 2025)

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FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL

In Week 2, our 5/6 class had a great week at camp. Although we were unable to participate in water activities on Lake Ainsworth, the days were full of fun activities for the students. A big thank you to Mr Clark who attended with the students and was a very good 'night monitor'.

The students in Year 5 are getting ready to nominate for leadership positions in 2026. A part of that process this year is they need to meet with me and nominate themselves for the leadership positions. During this meeting the students must convince me why they would make a responsible leader so I can accept their nomination. Students will then need to make a speech in front of the whole school before the students vote. The Student Leaders will be announced at our end of year presentation assembly on Monday 15th December.

Last Friday we celebrated World Teachers Day. As I wasn't here on that day, I would like to say thank you to my amazing team of teachers for going above and beyond to make sure our students are known, valued and cared for.

Have a great fortnight.

Warm regards,
Julie Carr

PS: Remember to buy and sell P&C Raffle tickets!

SAVE THE DATES

Mondays 10, 17 & 24 November

Kindy Orientation continues

Friday 21 November

Paralympian Visit - Stages 2 & 3
Lego League, Kempsey
NRL Gala Day, Coramba

Tuesday 25 November

Surf Groms - see School Bytes

Wednesday 26 November

Assembly from 2:15pm. All Welcome

Monday 1 December

Volunteer Afternoon Tea, 2pm
P&C Meeting, 3:15pm

Tuesday 2 December

OHS Taster Day, Year 6

Thursday 11 December

Year 6 Big Day Out

Monday 15 December

End of Year Assembly, from 2pm

World Teacher's Day

Our amazing staff were treated to personalised Thank You cards and a delicious lunch in recognition of their efforts. Our team go above and beyond to support all students' needs, tailoring teaching strategies to aid students in achieving their best possible outcomes. We love that, in our small school, our teachers know all students and are able to offer such an individualised education pathway. Thank you!



Wednesday 17 December

Lego League



Our Leaguers have designed an amazing kinetically powered, electric off-road motorbike to align with this year's challenge, which focusses on accessing historically significant geological sites. Excitement is building as the Kempsey event draws near.

We thank Sherwood Timbers, Hyatt Ground Engineering and the Walker family for their generous funding, which has covered the cost of team shirts.

Grandparent's Day Celebration Event

It was wonderful to welcome over 40 grandparents to the recent P&C Devonshire Tea. Grandparents clearly enjoyed working alongside their beloved grandchildren during the afternoon activities, whether it was doing crafts, reviewing classroom learnings or reflecting on changes over the decades. It was fun to hear of billy cart antics once again!

Many thanks to the wonderful P&C helpers who dollied up the eating area and ensured the event ran like clockwork, to the teachers and staff who engaged the grandparents, and to Glenreagh P&C for supporting the Tea.



P&C Christmas Raffle

With help from our families, we have been gathering prizes for the Christmas Raffle. Please remember to drop in a donation if you haven't already done so - we will be accepting donations until 5 December, and the raffle will be drawn on 12 December. Ticket booklets were sent home yesterday - please return booklets and money, including unsold tickets, by 5 December to ensure you and your friends are in the draw.

Year 6 Activities

Our graduating class will take part in a Orara Valley schools Big Day Out in December, heading off to Spring Loaded and a Jetty Foreshore picnic with their Valley peers. They will also share a celebration with their Year 5 classmates on 17 December, where pizza and soft drinks will surely be devoured!

A number of Orara Valley High transition days have already occurred, with the final event being held on 2 December.

We look forward to seeing our Year 6 students transition to high school, their next educational chapter, but will certainly miss having them in our school community.

