CONGRATULATIONS and THANK YOU for a TERRIFIC TERM 3

It is very hard to believe we are at the end of Term 3 already. This year appears to be slipping away at a rapid rate and we have so much to celebrate from this term together. Some of the extra curricular experiences and events we’ve seen include: Prep:100 Days of Prep and Aquarium excursion. Level 1: Edendale Farm excursion and Aussie Expo (happening tonight). Level 2: Mapping Walk and BBQ day. Level 3 & 4: Colonial Incursion, Level 4 Poetry recital night. Level 5 & 6: Grade 5 & 6 Sovereign Hill Camp, Level 5 Science Works excursion. Performing Arts: African Drumming incursion and Hip Hop Dance incursion. Visual Arts: Our GKabulous Art Show Phys Ed: The success of many individual students and teams moving through to District and State level in athletics. Extension: ICAS challenge and Tournament of Minds. I wish to take this time to thank the many hours of planning and effort that my wonderful staff put in to create and organise events like these. I am fortunate to work with a passionate group of people who endeavor to inspire and engage our students in a variety of learning opportunities.

My admin staff, out of classroom staff and specialist team have again worked tirelessly to ensure our classrooms remain focused on the students within and I thank them for a hard working Term 3. Finally to our students who provide us all with daily inspiration and energy, thank you for a hard working term. Great gains have been made by our students in achieving their personal goals or consolidating their learning. Keep it going—Term 4 promises to be jam packed and I look forward to moving through it with the enthusiasm and rigour.

FOOTY DAY TOMORROW

Out of School uniform day tomorrow! Instead come dressed in your footy team's colours ready for a fun morning and final day of school. GO PIES! Junior School Council do request a gold coin donation to support a charity that they will nominate. We will let you know where this goes to early next term.

THANK YOU SO MUCH

I would like to thank Trish Ryan, who has been working in our Library during Gail’s long service leave this term. Trish has been amazing in the library, keeping it running efficiently in Gail’s absence, with the support of our Grade 6 Library leaders. It has been a pleasure having Trish join our staff for this period of time and her effort is greatly appreciated.

HATS and UNIFORM

A reminder that hats and uniform will be diligently checked next term so if any items need replacing or updating, please ensure this occurs promptly to begin Term 4.

To all our families, have a safe and restful break. See you back fresh and ready to go!
Student of the Month

AUGUST

Year 4-6 AUGUST SOTM Champions

'A day made better' Staff Nominations

Shaz, Miss Pace, Mrs Rinaldi, Miss Whichello
Mrs Whelan & Miss Kap
Admin News

Outstanding Accounts:
Please make sure all accounts are up to date in preparation for Term 4 activities.

Working With Children Checks:
Please remember that if your Working with Children Card has recently expired, please make sure you give us a copy of your new card so we ensure our Working with Children Register is always current and up to date.

Free Dental Program:
The free dental checks happened this week & worked out very well. For all the students who saw one of the dentists, they should receive a dental report in the next few weeks. All the kids were very calm and well behaved and the whole process ran very smoothly.

Qkr:
Just another reminder regarding QKR—what you see on the screen are the generic school charges, it does not give you a running balance on what your family owes so if you think you have paid something please check in your Qkr receipts. If you still see the charge on the screen that doesn't mean it is still outstanding it is just a list of all charges for that particular grade level. Also if you only have part payment of an excursion due please use the new free payment field where you can pay what ever amount you choose. If you have any queries regarding Qkr please contact the office.

Enjoy your school holiday break, see you in Term 4!

Canteen

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COUNTER SALE SPECIALS (Until sold out)

BULLA SPLITS – Assorted Flavours –
Just $1 Each
Be quick as they are here for a short time

Hope everyone who ordered a Fab Footy Day Lunch is looking forward to it tomorrow. All the food has arrived & ready for my merry band of helpers to prepare. Fingers crossed we don’t blow a fuse with all the extra pie warmers on board.

I still have two places on the roster, available the first Wednesday or second Tuesday of the month. If anyone would like to join our Canteen Crew, please just contact me here in the canteen Tues to Fri 8.30am to 1.30pm or email cunningham.suzanne.s@edumail.vic.gov.au or SMS 0408 172 788 . Only a few to go till the end of the year – get a taste of what we do to start you thinking about helping next year!!!

Cheers, Suzi
SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Open Mondays 8.30-9.00am the Community Room  
Cash only. Holds available  
On selling of second hand uniforms for the GK community  
Donations are always welcomed  
Items MUST be in good clean condition. No tears or stains.  
Drop items for sale in on a Monday or through the school office. Please provide your name & contact number  
Only Glen Katherine uniforms please  
Items will be sold at approximately half the new uniform price (or less in some cases)  
The PFA deducts a commission from the sell price (approx.30%) and the balance is returned to the seller  
Items unsold after 12 months may be reduced in price  
Items unsold after two years may be removed from sale and either passed onto the sick bay, donated to charity or disposed of appropriately  
If you would like any unsold items returned after two years please note this with your details when you send the item/s in.  

Please note that we will no longer be accepting the old style summer dress.  

Our fantastic NEW Second Hand Uniform Shop is running well with thanks to Tina.M and Carol.B.

THE 5 WEEK 5 CENT CHALLENGE WAS A BIG SUCCESS

Who would have thought that those little 5c pieces would add up to $1,848.00.  
That's an outstanding 36,960 5c pieces!  
Thank you to all the students & families for bringing in the coins.  

Overall grade winners:

1st 1L- 3834  
2nd 1/2C – 3212  
3rd 4W – 3127  
4th 2B - 2336  
5th PL – 2110  
6th 2S - 1978  

Congratulations to 1L for winning the challenge in week 5.  
1L will be enjoying a Fish & Chips lunch this week for collecting overall the most 5 cent pieces.  

Check the tally board in the courtyard to see how your grade went.  
The 5 WEEK 5 CENT CHALLENGE was a fundraising activity initiated by the Parents and Friends Association (PFA).  

Once again, thanks for your support!  
Bridget.R & Carol.C
GK Spring Working Bee

**Sunday, October 16th: 9am-12pm**

Our second, and last, working bee for 2016 will concentrate on the lower section of our school grounds around the 2/3/4 playground and surrounds. Cleaning up leaf litter, gutters, pruning, bench making is all on the list!

*Children can help Mrs Webb with some vege patch painting in the community garden area.*

Please bring wheelbarrows, shovels, rakes, mattocks, crowbars and secateurs. A bbq lunch will finish off the morning providing a chance to sit back, admire our work and get to know some other school families.

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**Attention Mrs Webb** (webb.annemarie.a@edumail.vic.gov.au)

**RSVP:** Yes the _______________ ___________family will be attending the Working Bee.
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You are invited to attend an Exclusive Shopping Night at GIGLIOLA
Sip on bubbly and shop in style as the boutique is open especially for
friends of Glen Katherine Primary School

$15 ticket includes sparkling wine, light refreshments, mini fashion parade and
a $10 voucher to spend on the night* (maximum of 50 tickets available for the night)
10% of the proceeds from the night and the ticket price will be donated to the school

WHEN    Friday 21st October
         7.30pm - 9.30pm
WHERE    Shop 6/67 Main Hurstbridge Rd
         Tel: 9438 4385

RSVP: Friday 14 October. Any queries contact Sharon 0407829036 or samualjj@bigpond.com

*Voucher can be used on any item valued $29 or more.

Name __________________________ Class ____________  QR code receipt # __________
Mobile _________________________
Return slip to school office - RSVP 14th October
I’ve paid $________ for ________ tickets/s @ $15 each

COMMUNITY NEWS

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