Dear Parents and Caregivers,

I would like to thank all the Parents and Carers that attended the Education Week Assembly last Thursday. Despite the weather lots of people stayed for the sausage sizzle. Thank you to Rachel and her helpers for cooking the BBQ.

This Friday we have a number of students performing at the Orange Eisteddfod. They have had lots of practice and I'm sure they will enjoy themselves and do our school proud.

In weeks 7, 8 and 9 the teachers will be having their PLP meetings with Parents and Carers. It is a great way to talk to your child's teacher about their progress. Your invitations will be sent home soon.

We will be having a whole school assembly this Friday at 12.40pm it would be great to see you all there.

Have a great week.

Jane Cameron
KS have been reading 
The Very Hungry 
Caterpillar.

They have been practising 
their handwriting.

They are playing a game 
of Bingo with numbers up 
to 12. Aren't they clever?

They have created beautiful pictures of Kings and Queens!
K-2 Assembly Week 4

Congratulations to all of our award winners at last week’s assembly, especially those who won the PBL Prize Draw. Boris sure had a tough time choosing the most respectful, responsible, cooperative and safe class!
So many merit award books! Well done on being Strong and Smart at school!

Remember that the reward for 500 points is lunch with Mrs Cameron!

**Merit Awards**
- Kolby Sullivan 150
- TJ Byrne 170
- Bianca Howell 240
- Selina Coulcher 100
- Conner Haywood 20
- Tahlarah Dixon 150
- Amy Byrne 100
- Michael Kinchela 100
- Bradley Parker 150
- Shari-Leigh Edwards 100
- Jayde Taylor 300
- Nicolai Kochanowski 50
- Alex Coleman 200
- Rhiannon Lavender 250

**Academic**
- KS – Jamie Wood
- KC – Serbown Howell
- 2/1B – Caleb Trainor
- 2/1M – Talisha Field
- 3/KWB – Kyden Patrick

**Home Reading**
- Paityn Whitey 50
- Jade Manning 70
- Paul Warn 50 & 70
- Angel Harmer 50
- Bella-Jade Crowhurst 50
- Rhiannon Lavender 50

**Gotcha**
- KS – Izabelle Field
- KC – Jarryd Reid
- 2/1B – Josh Risby
- 2/1M – Angel Harmer
- 2/1J – Abbee Eldridge
- 3/KWB – Madison Madgewick

**Assembly Awards**

**Citizenship**
- KS – Savannah Weeks
- KC – Savannah Howarth
- 2/1M – Nylinda Williams
- 2/1B – Bella-Jade Crowhurst
Glenroi Heights Public School is calling on community members to participate in a community project. The project is to design an artwork with four themes in mind, Belonging, Connection, Togetherness and our NAIDOC Theme for 2015 “We all stand on Sacred Ground: Learn, Respect and Celebrate”. The winning designs will be painted on local power boxes in the Glenroi community. One of the designs will also be printed on a shirt for NAIDOC week. Please take this opportunity to promote reconciliation in our school and our wider community.
ATTENTION ALL MEN

Glenroi Heights Public School has a brand new shed and is running a ‘Men’s Shed’ group every Tuesday at 12.30pm.

Men from the community are welcome to come and have a yarn and get involved in various projects within the school.

For more information or if you are interested come in and have a chat to Dylan.

Transition to Kindergarten

Our Transition To Kindergarten program has begun this term. All children starting school in 2016 are able to attend a half-day session on a Thursday or Friday from 9am to 1pm where they will make friends, develop their Literacy and Numeracy skills and become more familiar with the school environment. Please contact the school office to enrol your child.

Miss Simpson

We are collecting earn and learn stickers. There is a box in the office foyer for you to put them in.

Clothing Pool

If your child has taken clothes home from the clothing pool, could you please return them as soon as possible. We are getting very low especially with tracksuit pants. Or if you have some that your child has grown out of we would really appreciate the donation.

Playgroup News

Do you have a child that is too young for school? Bring them along to our Playgroups. Join in fun craft activities, sing and dance and have morning tea with other families. (Don’t forget to bring a piece of fruit for Cheeky Monkey’s on Friday). Parents and carers come and enjoy morning tea and a nice warm cuppa!

**Glenroi Grasshoppers**
Tuesday, 9.30 – 11.00 – Cootes Centre

**Cheeky Monkeys**
Friday, 9.00 – 11.00 – GHPS
Carewest Preschool Room

For more information please contact Rachel Livingstone, Schools as Community Centres (SaCC) on 0401 004 092 or just turn up.
Community News

The Reading Hour

This year the Children's Book Council of Australia celebrates its 70th Anniversary in 2015

We will be celebrating 'The Reading Hour'
Tuesday 25th August from 6pm – 7pm
Bookings 6393 8132

Parents, carers and children are invited to bring along a torch and blanket and then make lanterns for a special shared reading time.

‘Shining the light on books’

freya blackwood

Shining the light on local Illustrator
Freya Blackwood
Orange City Library
Wednesday 2nd September
4pm to 5.30pm
Bookings 6393 8132

Freya will be talking about her books, illustrations and overseas publications. Freya will also be able to show people her rough and finished drawings.

This event is designed for anyone interested in books, art and illustrations. Freya will be showing artwork from Banjo and Ruby Red.

Free Health Checks...

Orange Wombiha has invited the AMS to Wombiha office to provide you or your children with a FREE health check

When- Thursday the 13th of August
Where- 24 William St
Time- 1:00 – 4:00pm

Whats included -
- Hearing checks
- Eye checks
- Blood pressure
- Waist measurement/ weight
- Heart
- And more
- Plus a FREE give away

To secure a spot for an adult or child please call Kayla @ (Wombiha) 6363 8595

Bookings Essential – Phone 6363 3680

Positive Parenting

This is a three-hour interactive seminar on positive communication and parenting techniques. Parents will learn to help their children grow and develop to the best of their abilities.

Parents will learn:
- how to acknowledge each child as an individual
- about the power of focusing on what children are doing well
- to help their children have better relationships with themselves and others

Tuesday, 5.30pm – 8.30pm
25th August 2015
Cost: $25 ($15 concession)
Venue: Intermediate Orange
Address: 108 McLachlan Street
Orange NSW 2800

Bookings Essential – Phone 6363 3680