Dear Parents,

Despite the year rapidly drawing to a close, exciting and productive programs continue to be a daily part of the classroom programs. Yesterday, I enjoyed a fabulous day with the Grade 1 children on their Transport excursion. We travelled on a train, ferry and bus and observed the many different modes of transport in the city. It was a full and busy day as the group negotiated the city pedestrians and traffic, all the while displaying beautiful manners and cooperative behaviours. Thanks Grade 1, I loved being on your excursion! In other parts of the school the following activities have been underway: Prep – Royal Botanic Gardens excursion; Grade 2 – iPad Bring Your Own Device trial; Grade 5/6 – visit to ACMI, Projec10 Palooza, Shrine of Remembrance; Physical Education – Bicycle Education, Gymnastics and Swimming; Performing Arts – Hip Hop Dance, Soiree, Dance Club performance at the Oxfam Concert and Prep – Grade 2 Christmas concert and transition programs throughout the school, especially for our 2016 Preps. The fun never stops!

National Athletics
One of our Grade 6 students, Tahj Seelig-Schattner (5/6H), has been successful in selection for the Victorian Primary School Athletics team and will compete in the 12 year old girls’ High Jump at the National Championships to be held in Canberra from December 4 - 8. What a fabulous achievement for Tahj who is quite a novice in comparison to other athletes competing at this level. Tahj has performed as a composed, focussed sportsperson and worked extremely hard. There are raffle tickets on sale at the Office to support Tahj and the Victorian Primary School Athletics Team. Please consider purchasing a ticket for $2.00. Tickets will also be on sale for parents at the end of Assembly tomorrow.

Book Boxes and Levies 2016
Shortly, you will receive information regarding the ordering of student requisites and payment of levies for 2016. Student requisites may be ordered through the School’s supplier, Office Max, ensuring that all items are consistent with what is required at each grade level. Families may order their student requisites may be ordered through the School’s supplier, Office Max, ensuring that all items are consistent with what is required at each grade level. All items are required but families may elect to re-use current items from home. The school asks families to contribute to the following voluntary funds: Library/ ICT Fund; Building Fund and Working Bee Levy. The school has not increased any levy costs since 2013 and I request parents carefully consider supporting these initiatives as they enable the school to continue to develop and improve our programs and facilities for the children.

Staffing News:
There are always a number of changes in our staffing at the end of the school year.

- Susie Walton has advised me she will commence Maternity Leave at the end of the 2015 school year and remain on Family Leave throughout 2016.
- Alex Schifter has accepted a teaching position at Kew Primary School to be closer to home.
- Kaye Norden, Business Manager, will commence Long Service Leave in mid-February prior to her retirement at the end of term 1.
- Kaye Borrow has advised me of her intention to retire at the end of term 1.
the conclusion of this school year.

- Christine Hallam will return to Glen Iris Primary School in 2016 following taking Leave during 2015.
- Fiona Kelly and Belinda Hartung have been re-appointed to Glen Iris Primary School for 2016.
- Emily Choo has been appointed to GIPS for 2016.

Soiree
On Monday, November 23rd, the Performing Arts program will present their second Soiree for 2015. Children who participate in the various instrumental and musical programs at GIPS are invited to perform for family and friends. This includes instrumental students, Choir, Dance Club and Rock Band. The Soiree is held over two sessions in the Hall – 5:30pm – 6:30pm and 7:00pm – 8:00pm. Even if your child is not performing, it is a lovely evening admiring the achievements of the children and the range of performance programs offered at Glen Iris.

Parents’ Association AGM
Last Monday, November 16th the Parents’ Association Annual General Meeting was held where the achievements of the group for 2015 were highlighted and planning for 2016 was put in place. I would like to thank and congratulate all those who contribute to the Parents’ Association – an important part of our school. A new initiative from Parents’ Association in 2015 has been the delivery of CPR – 4 Steps to Life, a CPR and first aid program. This program has been provided on two occasions for parents and been met with many positive responses. It is a program we may conduct with our senior students in 2016. Thanks to Jane Lukins for sharing her knowledge, expertise and time. Thank you to Danielle Czarnik for filling the role of Secretary, and to Kylie Carnegie who held this role earlier in the year. Alex Goldhagen, as Vice President and former President, offered valuable advice and support to the group as required. A special thanks to Jane Lukins for her leadership of the group this year. Jane has worked tirelessly to support parents, students and the school in many endeavours. Jane has kindly agreed to continue as President in 2016.

Lego Robotics
Earlier in the year, all grade 5 students were introduced to the Lego Robotics program and the associated skills. Throughout term 4, a team of industrious students in grades 5/6 have been busy in preparation for the Lego Robotics challenge which takes place this Sunday, November 22nd. The team programs a robotic device they have constructed to perform a range of manoeuvres in a given time frame. The team challenges robots from other schools. That may sound simple to you, but let me assure you … it’s not! Other challenges include answering technical questions from a panel of experts about their robot and developing a creative means to educate people about reducing waste. The team have been organised by our Assistant Principal, Robyn Floyd and facilitated by Claire Schwarz, as part of the Scientists In Schools program.

Swimming Carnival
We are all looking forward to the House Swimming Carnival at Bialik Pool next Tuesday, November 24th. The children will leave school shortly after 9:00am and return by lunch time. Parents are welcome to cheer on the swimmers. Thanks to Nathan Gilliland for his organisation of the Carnival and also the Swimming program that commences on Friday, December 4th.

Working Bee
Last Saturday, the final working bee for the year was held to attend to a range of grounds and maintenance tasks around the school. A small but hard-working band of parents and children attended and made a big difference to the appearance of the school. The gardens will benefit from the mulch and there is always some tidying to do. Thank you to the approximately 60 parents who have attended working bees in 2015. Your efforts have been a much valued contribution to the school facilities. Special thanks to Gary Bennett for his convening of the Buildings and Grounds committee in 2015 and organisation of the working bees. This was the first time we have conducted the working bee in the later part of the day on a Saturday and we realise it may have been inconvenient for some families. Efforts are made to offer a range of times and dates. If you had intended to attend a working bee this year in lieu of payment of the Working Bee levy but dates and times have not suited, you are still welcome to contribute the $70 levy at the Office.

Year Book
In past years, teachers have produced a Year Book with contributions from each class. This is something we look forward to continuing in 2016. In 2015, we decided to produce “Glen Iris Primary School – 1865 – 2015”. The book was launched at the 150th celebrations and is available at the Office for families still wishing to purchase a copy. Whilst it is a different format from the Year Book, the children made significant contributions to many aspects of the publication. We hope to see the regular Year Book back in 2016.

Yours Sincerely

Meredith Carracher

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LATEST NEWSLETTER
Want to receive an alert when our latest newsletter is online? Go to the GIPS website homepage and click on the orange link: Subscribe to Newsletter.
From the Assistant Principal’s desk

School Policy Updates
The Education and Community Partnerships Committee oversees the updating of school policies on a three year cycle in consultation with parents. This year we will be updating our First Aid, Anaphylaxis, Occupational Health and Safety, Homework and Technologies policies to Departmental Guidelines. These will be available for parent consideration Friday 23rd October from the General Office. School Council will ratify them at the November meeting.

150th Anniversary Excursion Bags – some still available
Support sustainability at Glen Iris Primary School and purchase an excursion bag. On excursions we ask students to bring drinks and lunches in light plastic bags. These are difficult to tie and untie and create waste. Our excursion bags have an easy draw-string and can be reused again and again. They could also be used as a library bag!

Special deal until sold out. Purchase an excursion bag for $10 and you’ll find a 150th badge and washable tattoos inside.

Christmas hamper idea
Buy a 150th shopping bag for $8 and fill it with goodies. (Yes, rather than using a hamper basket… that’s my brilliant Christmas idea this year for all my relays!)

Reminders

Before and After School Supervision
Dear Parents

Just a reminder that children will be supervised in the yard from 8.45am and until 3.45pm.

Children should not be in the school ground without adult supervision outside these hours.

Please arrange with our Camp Australia program if you require assistance with child supervision at school.

All students are required to be wearing their school hat for all outdoor activities this term.
President’s Report

Wow, 2015 has been an amazing and busy year for the PA! For me the highlights were working with a great team, having the opportunity to meet a whole lot of parents I would not otherwise have known and celebrating the school’s sesquicentennial (I just had to use that word one last time!)

As well as our regular activities the PA was proud to put on a great Trivia Night in Term 2 and also introduce some new initiatives with the debuts of the online booking site for lunchtime and icy-pole duties, the Cake and Produce Stalls, the Mothers’ Day Pampering extravaganza, MoDEC meetings and most recently, free parent CPR and Epi-pen training sessions.

Fundraising Summary:
As of the AGM, for this calendar year, the GIPS Parents’ Association raised over $57k with a net profit of over $42k. The main contributors to this were the Trivia Night, the Cake and Produce Stalls and the Walk-a-thon, although every activity has helped. The funds have been used for the purchase of Apple TVs, new carpet, new books and will help fund the grade 1 & 2 playground renewal. Future funds will be used towards updating the in-fill areas with new equipment, furniture and learning materials.

Thank You!
On behalf of the Parents’ Association, I would like to extend thanks to all parents, staff, students and others in the school community who have supported our many social and fundraising activities throughout 2015 and made this year such a success.

I would especially like to thank all the members of the 2015 PA committee for their support, enthusiasm and dedication to the school and to the PA activities this year. Firstly, I would like to thank those who give their time to help run the PA and who coordinate the ongoing activities across the year:

Danielle Czapnik as PA secretary
Greg Price as the Class Rep Coordinator and School Council Liaison, who has championed an improved email communication strategy and the icy-pole and lunchtime duty online booking system.
Justine Moore for again coordinating the Lunchtime Duty roster.
Emma Verge for taking over the icy-pole rep role and for managing to keep the freezer stocked!
Kim Green and Katrina Hrelija for running the second hand uniform shop.
Flip Connell for taking over the Book Club role and introducing the LOOP system.
Rachel Thomson for coordinating the special lunches each term through classroom cuisine.
Wendy Clark for organising the Entertainment Books.
Ash Mrocki for running the footy tipping comp again.
Vanessa Mackie and Kristie Howes for keeping an eye on the lost property.
Carolyn Ryan for her role in achieving funding for the school through various grant applications, running our school Facebook page to promote the Trivia Night and the 150 celebrations and organising a very successful Silent Auction at the Trivia Night.
Next I wanted to highlight our hugely successful special events this year and thank those that have been instrumental in coordinating them:

**Julie Gray** and **Sene-Li Wong** for their coordination of the Family Fiesta in February

**Kelly Blue** for her inspirational idea of bringing the Cake and Produce Stalls to GIPS and coordinating them each term with **Kate Venter** and **Carolyn Currie**

**Pip Young** and **Sharon Van Doornum** for again coordinating the Mothers’ Day and Fathers’ Day Stalls

**Gavin Blue** for putting on a really special Mothers’ Day Pampering Event this year and being there to photograph many special moments across the year.

**Mal Osborne-Smith** for running MoDEC so the Dads get a regular social event and the Mums will benefit from a year’s worth of planning….we Mums are expecting great things guys!

**Jade Paynter** for being thrown into the deep end and organising a great Father’s Day brekky despite late date changes and threatening rain.

**Fiona Freemantle** and **Kristin Meachem** for organising the Walk-a-thon in a heat wave!

**Julie Gray**, **Jacqui Brown** and **Anne-Maree Downes** for coordinating the Mango Drive.

A special mention to everyone who helped me coordinate the Trivia Night including **Deb Pratt**, **Pip Young**, **Julie Gray**, **Rebecca Zhao**, **Carolyn Ryan**, **Fiona Freemantle**, **Nicola Thomas**, **Ashwini Reddy**, **Ginny Robinson**, **Kelly** and **Gavin Blue**.

A huge thank you to **all parents** who volunteered to help with the running of the school’s 150th Celebrations, including **Kylie Carnegie** for her significant contribution to our wonderful book, and **Natalie Jefferson** and **Kevin Wheeler** for helping Michelle Freeland-Small with the amazing 150th Mosaic which will serve as lasting reminders long into the future.

I would also like to acknowledge the contribution of those that have retired or are retiring from the committee:

**Alex Goldhagan** as Past President and Vice President this year.

**Kylie Carnegie** who was the PA secretary for Term 1

**Lisa Connell** in the Friends of the Library role

**Denise Garret** and **Michelle Grubnic** who have been enthusiastic and supportive General Committee Members.

Lastly but by no means least, I would like to thank **Meredith Carracher** and **Robyn Floyd** for their ongoing support of the PA and our activities and also the GIPS office staff, **Liz Devenish**, **Kaye Norden**, **Rose** and **Kathy**, plus the **teachers**, the **class reps** and the **parents** who volunteer their time and efforts to help.
2016 committee update:
Thank you to those on the Committee who will continue in their current role next year and to those that have nominated for a new role in 2016.
Following the AGM, I am pleased to announce the committee members for 2016 as follows:

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We are still looking for a few key roles (highlighted above) to be filled in order to make 2016 another exciting and profitable year on the social and fundraising front at GIPS! If you’d like to know more about how you can help, please contact me jane@lukins.id.au

Jane Lukins
GIPS PA President
Doing your best

PROJEClO Palooza

The Grade 5/6 Students would like to invite the Glen Iris community to the Projec10 Palooza. The Grade 5/6 Projec10 Palooza will be held at Glen Iris Primary School on Friday 27th November from 2:30pm – 4:00pm.

The Projec10 Palooza is a market afternoon where the Grade 5/6 students are working in teams to raise money to help educate students in Ghana. Each team has their own project stall.


So bring all your spare change and come and enjoy an afternoon of fun!

Shanae Hill (5/6H), Amy Kopciewicz (5/6K), Ian Box (5/6B), Sarah Hunting (5/6N)
Congratulations Taj!

Taj will represent our school in the 12 year old girls’ High Jump at the National State School Athletics Competition in Canberra. To help support her we will be selling raffle tickets from School Sports Victoria. These are available at the Office for $2.00 each.

Calling all GIPs dads
(current, past and future)

You are invited to the next MoDec event.

Join other GIPs dads for an evening of Barefoot Bowls as a (participant-$15 or spectator-free)
Thursday 3rd December from 6pm at the East Malvern RSL.

We will play until dusk then retire to the sportsman's lounge at the RSL.

We hope to see you there.
LEAVING GIPS ???

If your family plans mean that your children will not return to Glen Iris Primary School in 2016, could you assist by advising the Office as soon as your plans are known. We work on the assumption that children will return to the school unless we hear otherwise.

Thankyou—Office Staff

A BIG THANKYOU to everyone but a special mention to some very hard working kids shovelling mulch for quite some time at Saturday’s working bee. Their surprising commitment to shovelling the mulch into a seemingly endless line-up of bins should be commended. The little troopers included Robert Barber, David Beggs, Ally Moore and Orla Weaver. Sadly the pile did not go down enough….
HOLIDAY PROGRAM AT GLEN IRIS PRIMARY!

Team Holiday is a multi-award winning holiday program provider for children and teens across Melbourne and greater Victoria and are now starting up at Glen Iris. We provide full-day activities to over 35,000 children aged 5-15 every year. Our programs are perfect for working families or for kids who are just looking for fun activities to do during their holiday break.

95% of families rate Team Holiday as the better than any other program they've ever used.

Fast Facts:

- Our service is fully approved for Child Care Benefit and Child Care Rebates.
- We provide a huge variety of the me days and activities Monday to Friday throughout most school holiday periods.
- We open at 8am and close at 6pm, however you can drop off as late as 9.30 and pickup as early as 3.30pm (provided we're not on an excursion!). We do not offer half days.
- Activities include sports clinics, swimming, cooking, giant outdoor games, pamper princess days, scooter riding days, arts and crafts, loads of incursions and excursion and much, much more! Check our website out for upcoming themes www.teamholiday.com.au
- We provide two programs: a 5-12 year old program and a 10-15 year old program.
- Team Holiday only employs fully qualified staff, all with working with children checks, first aid, anaphylaxis training, asthma training, lifeguard/austrswim certificates and are either qualified teachers, studying in the field or coaches in specialist fields.
- Team Holiday welcomes all children from any school. You can choose to enrol into as many, or few days as you like.
- For more information, please visit www.teamholiday.com.au or call 03 9532 0366 to speak to one of our friendly team members.

SINGLE PARENTS ACTIVE KIDS PROUDLY PRESENTS:

FREE FAMILY FUN DAY
Elwood Park, St. Kilda St Brighton, 67c5
SUNDAY 21st of November
STARTING 12 Noon.
FREE BBQ, ACTIVITIES AS WELL AS:
MEMBERSHIP SPECIALS, RENEWALS AND MORE.
EVEN IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND THERE ARE PLENTY MORE OPPORTUNITIES. HERE IS A LINK TO OUR VERY ACTIVE WEBSITE http://www.singleparentsactivekids.org/
LIKE MINDED SINGLE PARENTS TO CHAT WITH, ACTIVE KIDS WANTING TO PLAY WITH YOUR ACTIVE KIDS, WIN WIN!
"SINGLE DOES NOT MEAN ALONE"
PLEASE RSVP TO info@singleparentsactivekids.org or call Mounsh on 0430 504 119.
An Invitation to all Past and Present Estrella Pre-School families........

SUSAN IS RETIRING!

After 23 years, our lovely and dedicated Assistant Susan Williams is retiring at the end of the year.

We are having an “Open House” at Kinder and would love as many families as possible to drop in to say Thank You and Good Luck to Susan as she embarks on the next chapter of her life.

Where – Estrella Pre-School
Chamberlain Street Ashburton

When – Friday December 4
Anytime between 4.30pm – 6pm

Looking forward to seeing you....

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INTERNATIONAL GAMES DAY
@ YOUR LIBRARY

SATURDAY 21 NOVEMBER
GAME ON! 2015

Join in the fun from 10am to 5pm. Free event, no bookings required.
Games include Ticket to Ride, Takenoko, Smallworld, Pandemic, Alhambra, Forbidden Island and Story Dice.

Ashburton Library
154 High St
Ashburton

Camberwell Library
340 Camberwell Rd
Camberwell

Hawthorn Library
584 Glenferrie Rd
Hawthorn

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American Library Association
Australian Library and Information Association
Boroondara City Library
National Novel Writing Month
1 to 30 November

Young Writers! Can you complete a novel in just one month? Challenge yourself and prepare to write like crazy.

‘Writer’s block’ drop-in sessions will be available on 10, 17 and 24 November from 4pm - 5pm at Camberwell Library.

We will help with editing, brainstorm plot problems, provide inspiration and the opportunity to meet other young writers.

Camberwell Library
340 Camberwell Road
Phone: 9278 4866

No need to book, just turn up.

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The City of Boroondara presents
SummerTime Cinema 2015

Labyrinth (PG)
Saturday 5 December
Greythorn Park, North Balwyn

Shall We Dance (G)
Saturday 12 December
Riversdale Park, Camberwell

Girls Just Want to Have Fun (PG)
Saturday 19 December
Central Gardens, Hawthorn

SummerTime Cinema is open from 6pm for an approximate 8.20pm start. 
Sit if you can spot the names and no tickets required. Drink and food is better left on the short list. Visit www.nighttimecinema.com.au

Arrive on time and enjoy the pre-screening entertainment!

For more information visit www.boroondara.vic.gov.au/summertime-cinemas or contact 0278 4770
Anaphylaxis Policy update

We are currently reviewing this policy. We remind parents that we are a nut-aware school but also have a number of students with food allergies. If you are bringing party food to celebrate your child's birthday you will need to check with the class teacher about potential allergies before bringing the food to school.

Don’t forget to check the Community Noticeboard on the GIPS website!
This week’s notices:
'Past GIPS student - Babysitting etc
**WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK**

Just a reminder all volunteers who work in our school with our children must have current Working with Children Checks as indicated in the policy approved by School Council.

The policy and further information is located on our website.

We have had some situations of parents turning up without these checks and unfortunately being unable to partake in rostered classroom or playground activities, sporting events or excursions.

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**LEAVING THE SCHOOL DURING SCHOOL HOURS**

If you need to take your child from a classroom during school hours:

- Please fill in the Leave Pass Book at the Office.
- Hand the white slip to the teacher when you collect your child.

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**NUT AWARE SCHOOL**

Just a quick reminder that Glen Iris Primary School is a Nut Aware School and, as such, it is important that parents do not allow their children to bring any product to school that contains nuts of any type. Naturally this includes peanut butter, Nutella, nut health bars and cakes/biscuits that contain nuts. Please inform class teachers of all the ingredients of any food sent to school to share on special occasions. We appreciate your diligence in this matter.
## PARENTS/GUARDIANS

If during the day you need to advise the school of your child’s pickup arrangements, please ring the school office at all times.

Please **do not send** this information via email as we cannot guarantee this will always be seen by the office staff or teacher before the afternoon dismissal, and we want the children to be safe and accounted for at all times.

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## HEAD LICE

They’re back…

Head lice are common in school-aged children and are the most adaptable of creatures. They have survived living solely on human for 10 000 years. You may be reassured to know that they are commonly found in places other than Glen Iris Primary School.

Some of the reasons they have survived for as long as they have are:

- The six legs of a louse end in a claw, allowing them to grip the hair.
- They detect vibration and can hide (conditioner will help fix this problem)
- Head lice can ‘hold’ their breath for 20 mins – looking like they are dead.
- The eggs are attached to the hair with a ‘glue’ like substance.

Studies conducted on 45 different products to dissolve the ‘glue’ showed nothing would dissolve it.

The good news…

We know where they live and we know how to find them.

If you follow these steps, once a week, the control of head lice in your home will be greatly improved.

**Step 1** Comb inexpensive hair conditioner on to **dry, brushed (detangled) hair**. This makes it difficult for lice to grip the hair or run around;

**Step 2** Wipe the conditioner from the comb onto a paper towel or tissue;

**Step 3** Look on the tissue and on the comb for lice and eggs;

**Step 4** If lice or eggs are found, the child should be treated;

**Step 5** If the child has been treated recently and only hatched eggs are found, you may not have to treat since the eggs could be from the old infection.

If your child has head lice – tell anyone who has had head to head contact with them and ask them to check their family for head lice.

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## SCHOOL PICKUP

Just a reminder to all parents when picking up children after school **please do not park in the school car park**.

The disabled car park is specifically reserved for those who need it and everyone else is asked to please park out in the surrounding streets.

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