Dear Parents and Carers,

Exciting news – if you dropped your children off this morning you will notice that by the afternoon our demountable classroom has arrived! Large trucks and a crane have been in our school grounds setting up 2T’s classroom.

I had the pleasure of attending our African Beat Drumming Performance on Thursday. Both the K-2 students and the primary students thoroughly enjoyed the event. The students were involved with singing, movement and of course drumming. We have some very talented students and teachers. We also have some fabulously talented parents who also became involved in the performance in the afternoon and demonstrated their wonderful dance moves.

When the school books performances we do so under careful consideration in terms of how the performance will benefit our students. Many of us would not necessarily experience an African drumming performance and these activities are an important part of a child’s education and we like as many students as possible to participate.

It is important to note that sometimes due to a variety of circumstances it may be difficult to pay for some school events. Please speak to your child’s teacher or to me if this is the case to see what can be arranged.

A reminder that our canteen is now open 5 days a week for lunch and recess.

We had a good response to the AFL after school activities. Please remember that you need to pick your child up at 4pm.

NOTES GONE HOME:
Notes can be downloaded from this website: www.glenfield-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

The Next P & C Meeting: Monday 20 July in the Staffroom at 9.00am.
We are looking forward to an enjoyable last few weeks of learning for the term. Reports will be coming home on Friday 19 June 2015 and parent/teacher interviews will be held on Tuesday 23 June 2015 after school. An explanation letter and appointment note will go home next Monday – so keep an eye out in your child’s bag.
Joanne Urry
Relieving Principal

African Beat
Drumming Performance:
‘Salaka: Sharing the Spirit of Africa’
An extremely exciting and engaging performance was experienced by the students of our school, last Thursday, when the African Beat Drumming Performers: ‘Salaka: Spirit of Africa’, visited our school. Each and every student was riveted by the performers. All students danced, sang and played an African drum. It was an experience that we will remember for a long time.

Some Kindergarten students wrote about ‘Salaka: Spirit of Africa’.
Today we went to the hall. We saw African drummers. Then we sang songs and danced. We had a turn on the drums. We had a wonderful day. Steven
Today we went to the hall and I loved the drums the best. We had so much fun. I played the drums and I danced with Selima. Safiyah
Today we went to the hall to see African Beat. We sang and danced. That was a great day. Maryam
Yesterday we went to the African drumming and I had a turn of the drum. I liked drumming. Drummers were on the stage. We had a great time. Irene
Yesterday we went to the hall and we played with the drums. I liked it and I liked the dancing. I had a great day. Avishi
Yesterday we went to the hall and we drummed. We went up on stage and drums were on the stage. I liked dancing. Ritika

Competition Soccer
Winter Gala Day 1 2015
On Friday 5 June 2015 our soccer sides competed in the first The Fields Zone soccer gala day competition. The day was a busy one and quite cold at times.

We had many new students representing our school for the first time in soccer and both sides performed admirably. There were some great goals and solid defence throughout the day. The junior side was two minutes away from going through the day undefeated but a late goal conceded took the dream of ringing the victory bell back at school away. Two plays of the day go to Sebastian, who cracked a great goal on the run and Bodhi beat four players from half way to slot a majestic goal.

A special mention must go to Mrs McClure for keeping the soccer balls in check for each game. She would instinctively locate the missing football and ensure it was ready for the next game. What a rare talent! Thank you to all the parents who supported the squad on the day.

SOCCER RESULTS GALA DAY 1:

JUNIORS:

- Game 1: Glenfield 2 Robert Townson 0
- Game 2: Glenfield 1 Kearns 0
- Game 3: Glenfield 2 Macquarie Fields green 1
- Game 4: Glenfield 5 Macquarie Fields red 0
- Game 5: Glenfield 0 St Andrews 1

Standout players: A. Mainali / S. McClure / C. Lillyman

SENIORS:

- Game 1: Glenfield 0 Robert Townson 2
- Game 2: Glenfield 5 Kearns 0
- Game 3: Glenfield 1 Macquarie Fields green 3
- Game 4: Glenfield 0 Macquarie Fields red 0
- Game 5: Glenfield 0 St Andrews 6

Standout players: J. Johannes / B. Lillyman / J. Eccleston

Mr Eccleston
Soccer ‘supercoach’ 2015
Expression of Interest

The P&C would like to organise a fundraiser for the school, to help with the purchase of iPad like devices. We thought that a Cadbury Chocolate Fundraiser would be the easiest and quickest way.

This is not compulsory, but if you would like to participate please fill in the form below and return it to the office. The forms will be collated and the chocolates ordered for delivery before the end of Term 2.

Each box will contain 50 chocolates (mixed Freddo Frogs) to be sold for $1 each. The money and any unsold chocolates will need to be returned to school.

Dates will be advised closer to the time.

Our family is interested in participating in the Cadbury Fundraiser.

Student’s name:.................................................................Class.................................................................

Please order .............................................................box(es) of chocolates

Parent/carer signature.................................................................