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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

*Thought for the Week:
All that I am or hope to be, I owe to my mother*

This term has past by extremely quickly and the students have been working hard on a number of topics throughout the school. The students in 3, 5 and 7 participated in the NAPLAN testing and the year 2s have been doing work around the diagnostic net. This will be the last newsletter for the term as next week I am taking a week of leave. While I am away Mrs Donna Ness will be taking my class for Monday to Thursday and Mr Clark will be here Friday. Mr Ross will be the acting Principal.

Thank you

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff for the wonderful work that they do at this school. Thank you to the teachers Mrs Wheatley, Mr Ross, Mrs Ness, Miss Foster, Frau Olyslaggers, Mrs Manz, Mrs Kukulies, Mrs Williams and Mr Clark who work hard to provide the children with great units of work and find ways to help each child individually. Thank you to Mrs Saunders and Mrs Solman who support the teachers but do a variety of other duties to help in our school. Thank you to Mrs Wendt who works tirelessly to keep the school clean even when we leave the rooms in a mess. Thank you to Mrs Clark who keeps the gardens looking great. Thank you to Mrs Nielsen who works hard in the office as well as helping in the classes. All these wonderful people working at Glamorgan Vale help to make this a great school.

Annual School Report

The Annual School Report for 2008 has been completed and is attached to the newsletter today. It outlines the highlights of Glamorgan Vale State School as well as the results for the NAPLAN testing and the year 2 Diagnostic Net.

R Some of our students will be representing our school in the Regional Reader's Cup to be held at Vale State School. Mrs Solman will be accompanying our team on this day. The children have been preparing for many weeks, with many thanks to Mrs Solman for working tirelessly to ensure our team is well prepared. Good luck to Cheney, Shakira, Samara, Courtenay and Connan.

Sports Day

Our school sports day will be held on Friday 19th June, weather permitting. This year we will start with the field events as Mrs Jackie Williams our PE teacher is usually at our school during this time. We will then have the running events after our lunch break. Attached to the newsletter is the program for the day.

4 to 7 Camp at Currimundi with Cluster Schools

Next week from Monday to Wednesday some of the students in years 4 to 7 have been invited to participate in this year's camp at Currimundi. This year we are combining with students from some of our cluster schools. The students will be participating in team building and leadership skills during the camp.

Dates to mark in your calendar:

<u>Fri 19 June</u>	School Sports Day
<u>22 – 24 June</u>	4 – 7 Camp at Currimundi with Cluster Schools
<u>Fri 26 June</u>	Last day of term 2
<u>Tues 14 July</u>	Term 3 begins
<u>Fri 17 July</u>	BVSSSA ½ day at Mt Tarampa: 800m, discus and 200m heats
<u>Wed 22 July</u>	Yr 6 Faith Lutheran Challenge
<u>Fri 24 July</u>	BVSSSA whole day Athletics Carnival at Mt Tarampa
<u>Mon 24 Aug</u>	Opera Performance 1:45pm

Arrival at School – Last week of school

Please be aware that student supervision will be available only from 8:15 each morning next week. If you arrive before this time you will need to stay with your child until a staff member arrives at the school.

Speed limit in the school grounds

It has been noticed that vehicles are travelling too fast through the school grounds, particularly at drop off and pick up times. We cannot stress enough the importance of safety at all times and once a car has entered the school gates, the speed limit is 5km per hour.

Term 3

I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday. School resumes on Tuesday 14th July.

School Leaders News



Thank you to everyone who came along to our movie night. It was a great success. We banked \$113.

This Week's Award Winners

Congratulations to:

Jessica Sagers for working hard in Mathematics.

Owen Lea for working hard in Mathematics.

Daniel Oppermann for great work during class every day.

Clay Whalley for a great job with his writing.

Connor Lister for working hard in Mathematics.

Cheyenne Rayner for working hard in Mathematics.

Blake Hingst for great work during perimeter and area activities.

Ryan Dawson for great work during perimeter and area activities.



NRL Footy Tipping Competition

Name	Round 14	TOTAL
Bad Boy	4	61
Bow Boy	4	60
Illegal Eagles	5	60
Jim Bob	4	59
Quikick	3	63
Ralph	5	60
Sideshifters	5	56
The Cruisers	6	65
The Pretenders	3	53
Thunderbirds	6	58
Tornado	4	55
Willy Willy	5	62
Wilson	3	55

Joke of the Week:

'What did one hermit crab say to the other hermit crab who stole his home?'
Stop being so shellfish!

Fun fact: Did you know that a thoroughbred horse goes 120 paces a minute during a horse race? Those four slender legs are carrying more than 450kg of horse and can reach top speeds of up to 64km per hour! Horses are unique because they are not measured using feet or metres, they are measured with hands. One hand is measured as the distance between the index and pinky fingers (approx. 4 inches or 10cm). How many hands tall are you?

Happy Birthday! To Matthew Grant who celebrates his special day this week.

COMMUNITY NOTICES:

Lowood Hairstylists & Barber Shop June specials: Short hair – 5 foils \$25, 4 splices \$25. Eyebrow wax \$5, Eyelash tint \$8, Mens haircuts \$10. Phone: 54 261434 – 75 Main Street, Lowood.

Bike Repairs Selling second hand bikes and parts. All bike repairs done promptly. Phone Eric on 54262470 or call at 8 Park Street, LOWOOD.

Fernvale Craft Celebration 2009 In the June/July school holidays 2009, opening Saturday 27 June and closing Friday 3 July, Fernvale Community Arts and Crafts Events will be holding their second exhibition and sale of the work of our local craftsmen and women at Fernvale Futures Complex, Brisbane Valley Highway, Fernvale. If your hobby is any of the following, we would love to be able to exhibit your work, and if you wish, offer it for sale. Cake decorating, ceramics, china painting, collage, crochet, decoupage, doll making, embroidery, iron work, jewellery, knitting, leatherwork, model ships or aircraft, needlepoint and tapestry, pottery, quilting, scrapbooking, sculpture, spinning and weaving, woodwork / woodturning, woodcarving or anything that we haven't thought of? For further information and to be sent an entry form, phone Suzy at Fernvale Futures on 54270200.

Somerset Newspaper Each Tuesday a quantity of the weekly free paper for our region, 'The Somerset' will be delivered to the school letterbox. Community members are most welcome to collect a copy from the letterbox.

School Holiday Programs The David Fleay Wildlife Park at West Burleigh are again running their popular Ranger for a Day program on June 30, July 2, 7 and 9. This new and exciting program allows children to venture behind the scenes and have close up encounters with wildlife through fun filled activities. The programs run from 9am to 3pm with two age groups available: Joeys 6-9 years and Wallabies 10-12 years. The cost of \$40 per child per session includes Ranger supervision, park admission, certificate of achievement and fun filled activities. Each group is limited to 6-10 participants to ensure maximum hands on fun. Girls and boys welcome. Places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment on 5576 2411. fleays@epa.qld.gov.au

Circuit Training Classes Offering a fantastic cardio, resistance and core strength workout where you can exercise in a comfortable environment with other women who want the same results as you. Circuit Training is a great endurance workout that increases your daily energy levels and your muscle tone, which in turn, helps to burn more calories during your everyday activities and when you are resting. All classes will continue during the school holidays. Feel free to phone Lynne on 5426 6358 or mobile 0402 185699 if you have an enquiries.

Glamorgan Vale Community Hall – Tuesday – 9.00am and 6.00pm

Wednesday – 6.00pm and Friday 9.00am

Please note that there will be no classes on Tuesday, 23 June 2009 due to the hall being used for another function.

Active and Healthy School Holiday Program After the enormous success of Somerset Regional Council's school holiday program for primary students over the last several years, demand has grown for a secondary school version. So here it is! On Monday 29 June, Wednesday 1 July and Friday 3 July the Council will be hosting a sport development program featuring: Basketball (29/6), Futsal (1/7) and Netball (3/7). The venue will be Lowood High School Hall, Prospect St. Lowood. **Ages: 13-17 (must be attending secondary school).** 9.30am – 12.30pm. Qualified first aid personnel will be present at all times. Participants need to wear comfortable sporting attire, bring a water bottle, morning tea and a positive attitude. For further information please call Scott Aurisch on 54244000. **To avoid disappointment, early registration is recommended as places are strictly limited to a maximum of 40.** Your place is only secure upon receipt of payment. Registration forms are available from the school office or from the Council office in Esk, Lowood and Kilcoy.

Sports Day 2009

March Past and War Cries.

Field Events (when one activity is finished the children will move onto the next activity)



P and 1 - Frisbee, Ball Throw, Long Jump
2 and 3 - Ball Throw, Long Jump, Frisbee
4 and 5 - Long Jump, Discus, Shot Put
6 and 7 - Discus, Shot Put, Long Jump

Morning Tea

Event 4.	50m sprint race	2004 Girls	(5 years)
Event 5.	50m sprint race	2004/3 Boys	(5/6 years)
Event 6.	80m sprint race	2002 Girls	(7 years)
Event 7.	80m sprint race	2002 Boys	(7 years)
Event 8.	80m sprint race	2001 Girls	(8 years)
Event 9.	80m sprint race	2001 Boys	(8 years)
Event 10.	100m sprint race	2000 Girls	(9 years)
Event 11.	100m sprint race	2000 Boys	(9 years)
Event 12.	100m sprint race	1999 Girls	(10 years)
Event 13.	100m sprint race	1999 Boys	(10 years)
Event 14.	100m sprint race	1998 Girls	(11 years)
Event 15.	100m sprint race	1998 Boys	(11 years)
Event 16.	100m sprint race	1997 Girls	(12 years)
Event 17.	100m sprint race	1997 Boys	(12 years)
Event 18.	50m race	Pre-schoolers children	
Event 19.	200m	2000 Girls	(9 years)
Event 20.	200m	2000 Boys	(9 years)
Event 21.	200m	1999 Girls	(10 years)
Event 22.	200m	1999 Boys	(10 years)
Event 23.	200m	1998 Girls	(11 years)
Event 24.	200m	1998 Boys	(11 years)
Event 25.	200m	1997 Girls	(12 years)
Event 26.	200m	1997 Boys	(12 years)

Lunch

Event 27.	800m	2000 mixed	(9 years)
Event 28.	800m	1999 mixed	(10 years)
Event 29.	800m	1998 mixed	(11 years)
Event 30.	800m	1997 mixed	(12 years)

Ball Games

Event 31.	Tunnel Ball	P - 1
Event 32.	Over and Under	P - 1
Event 33.	Cut the Cake	P - 1
Event 34.	Tunnel Ball	2 - 3
Event 35.	Captain Ball	2 - 3
Event 36.	Leader Ball	2 - 3
Event 37.	Tunnel Ball	4 - 5
Event 38.	Captain Ball	4 - 5
Event 39.	Leader Ball	4 - 5
Event 40.	Tunnel Ball	6 - 7
Event 41.	Captain Ball	6 - 7
Event 42.	Leader Ball	6 - 7

Afternoon Tea

Relays

Event 43.	P - 1	50m
Event 44.	2 - 3	80m
Event 45.	4 - 5	100m
Event 46.	6 - 7	100m

Presentations.

Glamorgan Vale State School
P&C ROUNDUP
Wednesday 17th June 2009

P&C Executive

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Vice President: Shane Beattie - 54 262 208
Treasurer: Kym Zahnow - 54 266 297
Secretary: Karen Dunbar - 0437 929 792
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Billy Mac's Bakery Pie Drive

Just a reminder, that if you placed an order, they will be ready for collection at **3pm TOMORROW (Thursday 18th)**. Thank you to everyone who supported this fundraiser. The P&C made a profit of \$337!

State of Origin 2 Meal Deal

The last meal deal for the term will be on **Friday 26th June**. Forms are attached. For the students going on camp - your order is due **THIS FRIDAY** (Sports Day). All other students' orders are due on Wed 24th June. Spare meal deal forms are always available from the noticeboard.

Country Fair Raffle Tickets

With the end of term approaching it is easy to overlook the Country Fair Raffle. This year we have tried a new approach to the raffle and have used a professional organisation that specialises in sourcing prizes and the printing of the books of tickets. I'm sure everyone agrees that the tickets look good and the prizes look fantastic! As we have to pay \$1,400 for the prizes and the printing of the tickets we need to sell as many tickets as possible in order to make a profit. If every family can sell at least two books between now and the Country Fair then we should do well. At \$2 a ticket is a great investment in getting a chance to win some wonderful prizes. We ask that you return any books as soon as they are sold.

Trivia Night

What a fun time had by all last Friday night as the teams battled it out with the Quiz Master Jason Beattie! We would also like to thank the students for forming teams and joining in on the night competing in the own special trivia challenge. Final figures are still coming in but it looks like being around \$500 profit for the evening! Well done to everyone who organised the event and especially those who supported it.

Country Fair Meeting

- The next **Country Fair Meeting** will be on **tonight (Wednesday 17th June)** at 7pm at the School. Hope to see as many of you there.

Free Hot Breakfast!

The P&C are holding a FREE hot breakfast for all staff, students, parents and community members of Glamorgan Vale at the school on **Thursday 25th June from 8am**. Please join us for a delicious hot brekkie, cuppa and a chat. No need to RSVP. The P&C are providing this breakfast to say "THANK YOU" to all the staff, students, parents and community members for their support of our P&C with our fundraising events.

Community Notices

Tennis Day

The next Community Tennis day will be held (weather permitting) at the Glamorgan Vale tennis club's courts this **Sunday 21st June** starting from 10am. Soft drinks and a bbq lunch will be on sale. Everyone is welcome to come along!

Lions Club Bookfest & Garage Sale

The Fernvale Lions Club would like to thank everyone who supported their Bookfest and Garage Sale. It was an outstanding success with over \$1600 raised!


Have a good break - See you when you get back after the holidays!

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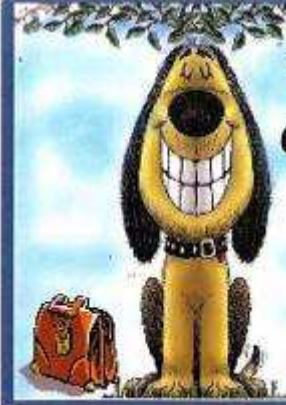
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Community Billboard

Dates to Remember

- Wednesday 17st June – Country Fair Meeting 7pm
- Sunday 21st June – Social Tennis Club Day 10am
- Thursday 25th June 8am – Free Hot Breakfast @ School
- Saturday 25th July – Sausage Sizzle at Woolworths Fernvale

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