Gladstone Views Primary School
NEWSLETTER

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Thursday March 6, 2014

Diary

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<td>School Council meeting</td>
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<td>St. Johns First Aid – Whole school Incursion</td>
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<td>Thurs 13 Mar</td>
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<td>Whole School Photo Day - Arthur Reed</td>
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<td><em>(Photo order &amp; money to be brought to school on photo day (Thurs. 13th March)</em></td>
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<td>Fri 14 Mar</td>
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<td>Interschool Sport ~ Round 5 (home) GVPS v’s Sirius College</td>
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<td>Fri 21 Mar</td>
<td>9.30am – 11.00am</td>
<td>Interschool Sport ~ Round 6 (away) Aitken College v’s GVPS</td>
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<td>Fri 21 Mar</td>
<td>6.00pm – 9.30pm</td>
<td>Magical Moments Under the Stars ~ Movie Night</td>
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<td>Mon 24 Mar</td>
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<td>School Nurse visit – Prep students only</td>
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<td>Fri 4 Apr</td>
<td>2.30pm</td>
<td>End of Term 1</td>
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Items Distributed With Newsletter Today

- Updating our records form (every student)
- Primary School Nursing Program (Prep only)
- Pizza Order Form for Movie Night

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Congratulations to everyone involved in the special assembly which launched our FISH philosophy and the presentation of our School Captains, House Captains and Junior School Councillors. We had lots of positive feedback on the afternoon and I would like to thank Ms Donaldson and all the teachers for the time and effort they put into the afternoon and to all our students who took part in the event. Our fish philosophy is for all our community and I would like to remind everyone of the four main ideas.

Choose your attitude, Make their day, Be present and Play. I have no doubt that all our staff are directing their efforts into making our philosophy work with our students and it would be great if all parents embraced it as well.

Have a great week

Michael West

CANTEEN NEWS

Mon Mar 10 - Fri Mar 21

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<td>Maria S.</td>
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<td>Bruno</td>
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<td>Wed</td>
<td>Phuong H.</td>
<td>Vanessa W.</td>
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<td>Thurs</td>
<td>Lucy G.</td>
<td>Marcela D.</td>
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<td>Fri</td>
<td>Amanda H. Kim R. Pauline W.</td>
<td>Amanda H. Kathy V. Pauline W.</td>
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**Inflatable Movie Screen Advertising**

Local businesses

Magical Moments Under the Stars

*Friday 21st March, 2014*

Your visual will be shown for 15 sec. (looped in a presentation).

Your advertisement can feature text and pictures. For your convenience your slide will be put together by one of our staff members.

The cost to participate is $55 including GST.

Please contact Jane Donaldson PH: 9338 6083 or email donaldson.jane.e@edumail.vic.gov.au

**Date to Remember**

School Photographs

*Thursday 13th March*

*(First Thurs after the Labour Day weekend)*

**Please remember to bring your order form and money on the day. Each student needs to return an order form on photo day. Money only needs to be placed in one student’s envelope. Family photo envelopes are to be filled out and listed separately.*

**MAGICAL MOMENTS UNDER THE STARS**

*Friday 21st March, 2014  6.00pm – 9.30pm*

**FEATUREING ~ ‘Despicable Me 2’**

*A night not to miss*

Enjoy a picnic on the oval (food/drinks will be available for sale)

Spinning Wheel, fun activities and more

View a Movie on a gigantic, inflatable outdoor movie screen

Purchase your tickets now....

**Ticket Order:**

Name: ___________________________ Mobile Phone: ___________________________

Child’s Name: ___________________________ Grade: __________

Adult Tickets @ $10ea _______ Child Tickets @ $5ea _______ Total $: __________
The following students have demonstrated excellent knowledge of the multiplication tables and we congratulate them on their achievement.


**STAND TALL AWARDS**
*Week ending 21st February*

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<th>Class</th>
<th>Name</th>
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<td>Prep A</td>
<td>Xavier Y.</td>
<td>For being focused in class and able to order the numbers from 1 to 20 quickly and correctly.</td>
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<td>Prep B</td>
<td>Emily C.</td>
<td>For beginning to write the sounds she hears in words.</td>
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<td>Prep C</td>
<td>Maggie S.</td>
<td>For always listening and following instructions carefully.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1/2A</td>
<td>Marlon R.</td>
<td>For accepting a challenge in his learning and pushing himself to achieve his personal best. Keep up the fabulous work Marlon!</td>
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<td>1/2B</td>
<td>Bailey A.</td>
<td>For always listening carefully and following instructions.</td>
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<td>1/2C</td>
<td>Isabella M.</td>
<td>For working hard to improve her handwriting. Fantastic work Isabella!</td>
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<tr>
<td>3/4A</td>
<td>Kelsey C.</td>
<td>For being a co-operative, respectful and responsible student that others can look up to.</td>
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<tr>
<td>3/4B</td>
<td>Ozgur H.</td>
<td>For speaking clearly and with confidence when giving his speech for the Junior School Council elections.</td>
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<td>3/4C</td>
<td>Isabelle C.</td>
<td>For doing her best in every task and helping others whenever she can.</td>
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<td>5/6A</td>
<td>Christina L.</td>
<td>For her outstanding contribution to class discussions and for being actively involved in all classroom activities.</td>
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<td>5/6B</td>
<td>Andrew W.</td>
<td>For his great attitude towards his writing and improvement during Mathematics sessions. Keep up the good work!</td>
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<tr>
<td>5/6C</td>
<td>Rania E.</td>
<td>For being a wonderful, helpful class member who shows respect towards her teacher and class mates.</td>
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### STAR FISH AWARDS
*For any of the 4 principles*

**Week ending 28th February**

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<th>Prep A</th>
<th>Eden H.</th>
<th>For having a kind and caring attitude towards her classmates.</th>
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<td>Prep B</td>
<td>Nakida S.</td>
<td>For choosing a positive attitude and always trying her best.</td>
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<td>Prep C</td>
<td>Evan B.</td>
<td>For always coming to school with a cheerful and positive attitude.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1/2A</td>
<td>Senuri P.</td>
<td>For always being pleasant when people are talking.</td>
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<td>1/2B</td>
<td>Jemima F.</td>
<td>For choosing to have a positive attitude to her school work.</td>
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<td>1/2C</td>
<td>Iris H.</td>
<td>For making our day everyday by starting each day with a smile.</td>
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<td>3/4A</td>
<td>Zac A.</td>
<td>For making Mr. Woolcock’s day by helping him demonstrate how to make a number expander.</td>
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<tr>
<td>3/4B</td>
<td>Isha K.</td>
<td>For making Mrs K’s day by completing extra maths homework without even being asked!</td>
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<td>3/4C</td>
<td>Joseph V.</td>
<td>For being present and choosing a positive attitude in <em>Read to Self</em>.</td>
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<td>5/6A</td>
<td>Minadi G.</td>
<td>For making the day of all the students in the grade due to her constant willingness to help her peers with their writing.</td>
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<td>5/6B</td>
<td>Helal E.</td>
<td>For his positive attitude and ability to encourage other people in the grade to contribute and do the right thing.</td>
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<td>Keenan D.</td>
<td>For making a class member’s day by helping him with his maths.</td>
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### GLADSTONE PARK POWER BASKETBALL CLUB ARE NOW RECRUITING NEW PLAYERS

Have you ever wanted to play basketball but were unsure where to find a local club?

Gladstone Park Basketball Club who train at the Gladstone Park Community Centre and play each Saturday at the Broadmeadows Basketball Stadium are looking for new players.

We are looking for players’ from U/8’s through to U/19’s with a particular need for girls in the U/8’s and U/10’s and boys for all age groups.

No experience is necessary as we will teach you the fundamental skills to enjoy this great team sport. Interested persons can contact any of the following people for further information.

- Paul Hukely – Secretary on 0408 370 842 or paulhukely@gmail.com
- Anita Ollerenshaw – President on 0411 060 970
- Email: westaire@hotmail.com

### The Dance Room

Dance Classes in Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Ballet, Breakdance, Aerobatics & Singing
Classes for all ages, Preschool–Adults
Fun, Friendly, Positive atmosphere.
Classes held in Tullamarine, Glenroy & West Brunswick

Phone: 9338 2065
Mobile: 0418 883 608
E-mail: thedanceroom@bigpond.com

### Pascoe Vale Girls College

**Year 7 – 2015**

**Information Sessions**

Pascoe Vale Girls College invites prospective students and their parents to attend one of our information sessions at our College.

Sessions will occur on the following days at 11.00am:
- Tuesday 29th April
- Thursday 1st May

An evening session is also available at 7.00pm on Wednesday 30th April

Please call the College on 9306-2544 to reserve a place.
SPORT NEWS

Interschool Sport

Gladstone Views had a successful beginning to the Summer Competition with games played against School of The Good Shepherd and Gladstone Park PS

The results for the round of games against Good Shepherd were:

**Basketball (girls)**
GVPS (24) d Good Shepherd (14)

**Basketball (open)**
Good Shepherd (25) d GVPS (8)

**Softball (open)**
Good Shepherd (9) d GVPS (3)

**Softball (girls)**
GVPS (9) d Good Shepherd (0)

**Cricket**
GVPS (183) d Good Shepherd (99)

**Volleyball (open)**
GVPS (2 sets) d Good Shepherd (1 set)

**Volleyball (girls)**
GVPS (2 sets) d Good Shepherd (1 set)

The results for the round of games against Gladstone Park were:

**Basketball (girls)**
GVPS d Gladstone Park

**Basketball (open)**
Gladstone Park d GVPS

**Softball (open)**
GVPS d Gladstone Park

**Softball (girls)**
GVPS d Gladstone Park

**Cricket**
GVPS d Gladstone Park

**Volleyball (open)**
Gladstone Park (2 sets) d GVPS (0 sets)

**Volleyball (girls)**
GVPS (2 sets) d Gladstone Park (1 set)

The next round of games will be played away against Westmeadows this Friday March 7th.

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Essendon AFL Players Visit

Last Wednesday Brendon Goddard, David Zaharakis and Dylan Van Unen from the Essendon football club visited our school to conduct football clinics with the grade 5/6 students. The students were thrilled to have the opportunity to meet the AFL players who took the time to talk to the students and answer questions. Outside the players held football clinics which focused on handballing, kicking for goal and kicking to a designated target. The players autographed student’s football jumpers and even took time out to go in and speak with Jill Elliott our canteen manager who has been a dedicated support of the Essendon football club since she was 7 years of age. Gladstone Views would like to sincerely thank the Essendon football club for providing the opportunity for players to visit our school.

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Gladstone Park

Proudly invites prospective students and families to attend the College

**INFORMATION EVENING**

*Wednesday 30th April, 2014*

6:00pm to 7:00pm - General Information Session
This will be an opportunity to learn more about the school’s curriculum, staff and policies.
This session will be held in the Theatre.

7:00pm to 7:30pm - SEAL (Select Entry Accelerated Learning) and Select Entry Language Immersion Program
This is an opportunity to learn more about these programs.
This session will be held in the Theatre.

Further information can be obtained by contacting
Venchka Hay on Julie Ryan on 9933 0500

**OPEN DAY**

*Wednesday 7th May, 2014*

9:15am – 10:30am – School Tour No.1
11:00am - 12:15pm – School Tour No.2
2 guided tours of the facilities will take place, where you can view demonstrations and open classrooms.

The tour will start at the Theatre.

RSVP: required for School Tours only

[gladstone.park@schoolmail.cig.au](mailto:gladstone.park@schoolmail.cig.au)

Please indicate which School Tour you would like to attend.

**Knowledge is Power**
Taylor Drive, Gladstone Park.
3043.
Phone: 9933 0500
Volunteers Needed

Dear Parents,

With now only two weeks away until our family evening – ‘Magical Moments Under the Stars’ (where the latest release movie Despicable Me 2 will be screened) we are on the hunt for parents to assist us on the night. The Movie Night Working Party together with the teachers have organised some exciting activities and food sales prior to the movie starting. We need your help to run those activities.

Please note that the activities will be held between 6.00pm and 7.30pm. Food sales will be held between 6.00pm and 7.30pm and also during intermission. We are anticipating that you will be required for 45 minutes only.

**Parent helpers will not be required at any time whilst the movie is showing.**

If you would love to help us to make this a great evening would you please complete the following form and return it to school by Tuesday, 11th March, 2014. We will notify you of your duty and the time you are needed by Thursday, 20th March, 2014.

In anticipation of your support, thank you.

**Movie Night Working Party**
(Sonia W, Vivienne Z, Diane A, Sarah J, Jenny B, Marcella D, Jane D)

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**VOLUNTEER HELPERS ~ MOVIE NIGHT**

Friday, 21st March, 2014

Return to school by Tuesday, 11th March

Parent’s Name: ____________________________ Child’s Name: ________________________

Phone: ____________________________

Please indicate the areas you would like to help in. Prioritise 1 - 3

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