

# GLEBE MATTERS

## Principal's Address

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you have had a lovely week.

Today we celebrate World Teacher's Day with the 2022 theme of, 'Hats Off to Teachers'. The teaching profession is one of the most important and rewarding professions in the world and we are incredibly fortunate to have such an amazing teaching team at Glebe Public School. Every day I am amazed at the dedication, resilience, and passion that is shown by our staff each and every day. Today, like all days, hats off to our amazing teachers.



### Breakfast Club

Due to the high number of students accessing the Breakfast Club, starting next week, we will be expanding it to 5 days a week! The feedback from our teachers has been incredibly positive, with a noticeable difference in students focus, engagement, and stamina, especially in the morning teaching and learning time. If you would like to volunteer to support the breakfast Club program, please contact the school.

Have a restful weekend and if there is anything we can do to support you and your family over the coming weeks, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Bryce Walker  
Principal

[bryce.walker@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:bryce.walker@det.nsw.edu.au)



### IMPORTANT!

Strictly no dogs are allowed on school grounds, including the car park







# JARJUMS

Jarjums has commenced during lunch time and the students have been busy with designing the whale for the Personalised Learning Plans (PLPs) and learning about how traditionally Aboriginal people pass on cultural knowledge, traditions and history.

Jarjums includes cross curriculum priorities, with lessons that engage all students in reconciliation, respect and recognition for the worlds oldest continuous living culture.

Students will learn through knowledge and understanding of the special connection to Country, Culture and People.

Rondelle Ryan  
Deputy Principal Instructional Leader  
(Aboriginal Education)



## UP AND COMING

### PBL

#### Positive Behaviour for Learning

Next week the PBL focus will be on being a safe, respectful learner in the COLA.

- PBL Team

### STAGE ONE: Excursion to Sculptures by the Sea

Stage 1 students will be visiting the Sculptures by the Sea exhibition on **Wednesday 2nd November**. please return all permission notes and payments by Monday. Students will need to be in **full school uniform** including a hat and comfortable shoes.

Bec Barnes  
Eucalyptus Class Teacher

### The Colour Run

Our P&C have organised a Colour Run to raise money for new interactive white boards for the school. This will be help on **TUESDAY THE 22ND OF NOVEMBER**.



# Attendance

On time school attendance is vital for students academic and social achievement.

## Late Arrivals

Students who arrive after 9:00 am are to go to the school office on arrival and receive a late note. The reason for the late arrival is recorded and the reason must be provided by a parent or carer.

## Justified Reasons

On occasion, your child may need to be absent from school. Justified reasons for student absences may include the reasons listed below.

- being sick, or having an infectious disease (Dr certificate may be requested)
- having an unavoidable medical appointment
- being required to attend a recognised religious holiday
- exceptional or urgent family circumstance (e.g. attending a funeral)

## Unjustified Reasons

Unjustified reasons for student absences may include:

- slept in and did not want to go to school
- stayed up late watching TV and was too tired
- couldn't find school uniform or school bag

## Travel

Families are strongly encouraged to travel during school holidays. If travel during school term is absolutely necessary, discuss this with Mr Walker. An Application for Extended Leave may need to be completed and approved. Absences relating to travel will be marked as leave on the roll and therefore contribute to your child's total absences for the year.

The key message is: if your child or children are absent from school, regardless of if it is a whole day or a partial day, you **MUST** provide a justified explanation.

As a school, we are streamlining our processes for monitoring student attendance, but I am asking for your support and diligence in undertaking your roles and responsibilities in line with Compulsory School Attendance.

As always, our school is committed to working in partnership with our families to support, promote and sustain regular school attendance. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's attendance or engagement at school, please do not hesitate to speak to us about how we can help.



## Minutes lost = days lost per year

A couple of minutes here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss days per year

5 mins per day = 3 days

30 mins per day = 18 days



Patterns of lateness can have a serious impact on your child's education.

## Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn

education.nsw.gov.au



Make friends



Build skills through fun





# From the P&C...

[CLICK HERE  
TO VOLUNTEER  
FOR EVENTS!](#)

Our major event is the School Colour Run on Tuesday 22nd November at Wentworth Park.

We hope to see lots of the families there to support and join in the fun. The event will start after lunch. Please jump online [here to help your child/ren create a profile and get fundraising](#). Remember all money raised goes to upgrading our school interactive whiteboards. So far, enough money has been raised to buy 3 interactive whiteboards! Thank you very much for your efforts and please keep on giving and spreading the word around!

We are also selling real Christmas trees this year to support our school music program. This company grow beautiful sustainable trees and ordering is easy. [Please share this link with family and friends.](#)

Please also note that Another AMAZING event to HELP our school is happening THIS weekend:

One of our local business owners, Jon Gomez of [Crossfit RJ](#) is being incredibly generous in trying to help raise funds with [GPS Parents & Citizen's Association](#) through an 80K run. Not 50, 60 or 70k, but 80 KILOMETERS!

On October 30th, Jon will run from Manly to Bondi through the coastal track to help Glebe Public purchase new digital classroom boards. Ben from [Health Alliance Movement](#) is the local physiotherapist following up on Jon's physical condition leading up to and on the day of the event. Please help support them AND our school in this effort.

YOU can also participate at any point of the track, either by running (it doesn't matter the distance, from 1K to even 10K) or encouraging him along with cheers and signage to get him to the finish line. The run starts at 5:00 AM at Manly and finishes at 5PM at Bondi!

## IMPORTANT DATES!

5th Nov : Street stall

15th Nov: P&C

Meeting (6:30pm in the staff room)

18th Nov: Last day to order Christmas Trees

22nd Nov: Colour Run

3rd Dec: Christmas Tree collection day 7-11am

10th Dec: Glebe Village Christmas Carols



**We are fundraising with**  
Entertainment

**Buy online today!**

**SCAN ME**



**SHOW YOUR SUPPORT**  
Every Membership we sell, 20% goes directly to our fundraising




**Save on these offers & More!**

**Dining**  
25% off - Save up to \$67

**Activities**  
2 for 1 or 25% off


**Shopping**  
Up to 10% off eGift Cards

**Order by**  
18TH OF NOV




**Freshly Cut Christmas Trees**

**A GLEBE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C FUNDRAISER**  
Freshly Cut real Trees Direct from the grower  
Collect from the school on Saturday 3rd December.  
Tree stands and puddings also available.

**DON'T FORGET TO SELECT GLEBE PUBLIC SCHOOL AT CHECKOUT!**  
<https://schooltrees.com.au/pages/glebe-public-school>

**PICKUP**  
3RD OF DEC @ GPS

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL!**



**Wear - Eat- Music - Repeat**  
**GLEBE CITY STREETS!**  
Glebe Point Road will be closed to traffic for a day of neighbourly love!  
**GLEBE P&C WILL BE HOSTING A BOOTH ON THE STREET**  
We will be selling our Glebe t-shirts, drinks and **WITH YOUR HELP, BAKED GOODS!**

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**5 NOVEMBER**  
Saturday 10AM- 3PM\*  
The street will continue to party until late but we close early

**WHERE**  
Corner of Glebe Point Road & Derby Place

**TO HELP ON THE DAY OR BAKE, SIGN UP**



**73 KILOMETERS**  
**74 KILOMETERS**  
**75 KILOMETERS**  
**76 KILOMETERS**  
**77 KILOMETERS**  
**78 KILOMETERS**  
**79 KILOMETERS**  
**80 KILOMETERS**  
**1 MAN**  
**1 DAY**  
**30<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER '22**

**FUNDRAISING RUN ON BEHALF OF:**  
  
**CrossFit**

# — REMINDERS —

## Emergency Recess and Lunches

The school has a supply of food for emergency situations should students require them. These are for situations such as a student drops their food. They are not provided for students who do not like what has been packed for them. Please ensure that your child has enough recess and lunch for the day. Should you be in a situation where you need support in providing recess and lunch for your child, we are more than happy to assist and support; however, we ask that you contact the school and have this conversation.

## Names on Belongings

Please ensure that your child has their name clearly marked on their belongings such as hats, jumpers, drink bottles, and lunch boxes/containers. This makes it much easier for them to be returned should they be lost or misplaced.



## Changes to Pick Up Arrangements

Should the pick up arrangements for your child change during the day, for example, they need to attend Centipede, please let the office know by calling the school before 2:00pm. It is difficult for messages to be passed on to students close to 3:00pm.



## Learn how to play an instrument and join the new Glebe PS band program!

On Friday 11th November students from years 3-6 (2023) will participate in a band try out session. They will see, hear and play all the instruments of a concert band.

Instruments you can play in band include: Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone, Euphonium, Bass Guitar and Drums  
No Experience required. Open to all children in years 3-6 2023

Band \$17.50 + GST per weekly Session

## Private Music Lessons

- Having a lesson is part of being in the band program
- Group tutorials will run before and after school.
- 4-6 students per group. \$20+GST per weekly 30/45 minute tutorial
- 1/2 hour Individual lessons also available \$42+GST per 30 mins.

To ENROL and further information:  
<https://musicpartnership.com.au/school/glebe-public-school/>

EMAIL:  
alex.bierli@musicpartnership.com.au

Need to Hire Instrument?  
<http://www.prestoinstruments.com.au>



## Glebe Community Singers are back in person!!!!

NO prior experience needed  
"I don't sing" singers welcome, professionals, and everyone in between

Sing for fun, community and health!

**Term 2 starts 5 May, 6-7pm at Glebe Public School, Music Room.**  
(Entrance through the car park in Derwent St, up rainbow stairs to office, turn left once inside the building.)

\$120 for the 9 week term or \$15 casual drop in.  
First visit free!

Everyone is welcome, no auditions, just come and have fun!

More info: Liz 0438 524 842

NOTE:

May 5, 5pm, rehearsal for Town Hall gig (11 May) in music room. All welcome, including any children who want to sing at the Sydney Town Hall!



## TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEY



FOLLOW THE LINK TO HAVE YOUR SAY!



This survey is for parents and guardians of Glebe Public School students only. This survey offers a platform for you to express your views and perceptions of your children's experiences at home and school. Your participation in this survey is anonymous and confidential.

Please phone the front office with further questions 9660 4549



[www.musicpartnership.com.au](http://www.musicpartnership.com.au)



[www.facebook.com/MusicPartnership/](https://www.facebook.com/MusicPartnership/)



# EMPLOYABILITY WORKSHOP



**Wednesday 2nd November, 2 - 3pm**  
**Glebe TreeHouse (inside Glebe Public School)**

## **LEARN TO:**

- Build a strong resume that captures your skills
- Write a great cover letter
- Prepare and present for a job interview

**Limited spots. Contact the Gaia to register, 0403 524 591**



**Glebe  
TreeHouse**





# GLEBE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Gadigal Land | Eora Nation



2022  
SCHOOL  
TOURS!



PLEASE JOIN GLEBE PUBLIC SCHOOL  
FOR ONE OF OUR 2022 TOURS!

- Meet the Principal
- Hear about the programs offered
- Complete enrollment procedures
- Opportunity to ask questions
- Visit the school grounds
- Learn about transition activities scheduled for Term 4

IS YOUR CHILD  
STARTING  
KINDERGARTEN  
IN 2023?

**PLEASE RSVP HERE**



 [School Website](#)



 [Starting School](#)



 [Are You in Area?](#)



[Tour Booking](#)



Please phone the front office with further questions **9660 4549**







- ALL WELCOME TO -



# *Glebe Public School* **BREAKFAST CLUB**

**WHEN**

**TIME**

**LOCATION**

**MENU**

**COST**

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday weekly

8:30am-9:00am

Canteen

Toast, fruit etc.

Free of charge



**9660 4549**

If you would like to volunteer your time to help with the Breakfast Club, please call Miss Rvan



