



GLENVALE NEWS

The Newsletter of Glenvale School

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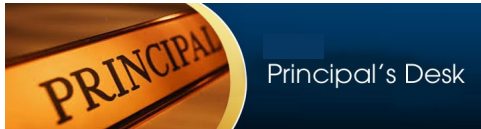
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Principal's Desk

Dear Glenvale Community,
 There is a lot happening across the campuses at the moment with a lot of scheduled works for both The Entrance North and Narara.

We have already purchased new play equipment, swings, carousel and other sensory equipment. A new Liberty Swing is also being installed along with soft-fall and synthetic grass and bike track. The new covered area has a 1200 square metre surface and will cover nearly the entire space between all of our classrooms.

We have been working with the Department to minimise disruption and in good news,



Picture is indicative of the style

The Entrance North:

Supply & installation of a new shade structure, surrounding pavement areas and refurbishment of the main Block G external breakout areas. Removal of existing sports shed & supply & installation of new sports shed.

Works are scheduled from 1st February through to 4th May 2021 utilising April 2021 school holiday period, although this may be subject to alteration pending inclement weather and specialised equipment lead times. Detailed design review, approval and certification are ongoing. Current works include breakout area awning installation rescheduled to commence on weekends to minimise disruptions to staff and students commencing Sat 27th Feb 2021. Proposed excavation works commencing Monday 1st March 2021.

the Department has just signed off on additional staffing at no cost to the school to assist us as the build continues.

Narara Campus

Work scoping is underway for a large outdoor covered area near Rooms 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the long awaited WiFi is nearly here as we are now just waiting on the hardware.

Parents and Citizens meeting reminder

We have our first P&C meeting of the year on Wednesday March 3 from 7pm to 8pm via Zoom.

The link to join the meeting is here:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87261989984>
 Our P&C is only new and we hope to build membership and other great activities and initiatives as we go.

Regards as always, Matt

The Glenvale Explicit Improvement Agenda



Measurable Student Achievement



Targeted Teaching and Resourcing



Strategic Collaborative Partnerships

Voluntary School Contributions

Voluntary Contribution

Every public school asks for a small contribution towards the many costs associated with education programs.

At Glenvale, we ask that parents contribute \$35 per child each year. This has not changed for many years and is very small in comparison to other schools, even though our costs can be much higher.

Please consider sending in the \$35 as soon as you are able to do so; a payment can be made via our webpage www.glenvale-.schools.nsw.edu.au. Go to the 'Make a Payment' tab and follow the links.

Many thanks to those who have already done so.

All donations to the school over \$2 are tax deductible as Glenvale is registered with the Australian Tax Office as a deductible gift.



Important dates

Please return permission notes and information regarding students ASAP.

Mon 22nd March—School Photo day, envelopes will be sent home in a few weeks



If parents/carers would like us to apply insect repellent - could you please ask the teacher for a medication form to complete and send a bottle in, labelled with the child's name. Thank you.



Fun at Avoca with Narara Room 4



*NE Room 7 have been working hard
at learning new routines*





Playground Awards



What a star you are!



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Week 4

Narara

- Room 1: Cooper B.
- Room 2: Mason R.
- Room 3: Xavier M.
- Room 4: Laura C.
- Room 5: Hamish G.
- Room 6: Zach P.
- Room 8: Ben S.
- Room 9: Ruby H.
- Room 10: Ayden W.
- Room 11: Trienelle C.
- Room 12: Mitchell J.
- Room 13: James Y.
- Room 14: Declan M.
- Room 15: Logan H.
- Room 16: Rhiannon E.
- Room 17: Justyn S.

Week 4

North Entrance

- Room 1: Tyler R.
- Room 2: Liam C.
- Room 3: Joel R.
- Room 4: Thomas M.
- Room 5: Summer M.
- Room 6: Krystal W.
- Room 7: Kaiden G.
- Room 9: Claudia H.

Week 5

Narara

- Room 1: Riley A.
- Room 2: Kyle A.
- Room 3: ---
- Room 4: ---
- Room 5: Sebastian K.
- Room 6: James C.
- Room 8: ---
- Room 9: ---
- Room 10: Beau M.
- Room 11: Blake H.
- Room 12: Ilija D.
- Room 13: ---
- Room 14: Ethan H.
- Room 15: James C.
- Room 16: Sophie J.
- Room 17: Ollie M.

Week 5

North Entrance

- Room 1: Paki T.
- Room 2: Lara T.
- Room 3: Ezekial F.
- Room 4: Jesse W.
- Room 5: Gary M.
- Room 6: Nicholas H.
- Room 7: Ella M.
- Room 9: Anthony B.



Social
Futures

We are Social Futures

Working to create positive social change in our communities

Social Futures has been creating positive social change in regional Australian communities for more than 40 years.

We work directly with individuals, families, communities, organisations and governments across our focus areas of homelessness and housing, youth and family, community inclusivity and programs that promote genuine participation for people with disability.

Social Futures on the Central Coast

Social Futures has been delivering Local Area Coordination (LAC) services as a partner in the community for the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) since it first rolled out in 2016.

In July 2020 we began delivering LAC services on the Central Coast.

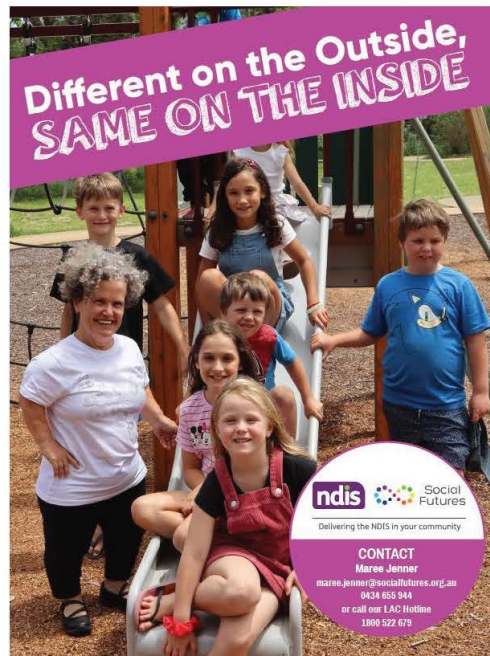
Our Local Area Coordinators assist people with disability, their families and carers to help understand and access the NDIS, connect with community supports and services and put NDIS plans into action. We also work with businesses, schools and mainstream services to make communities more accessible and inclusive of people with disability.

In addition to the Central Coast, Social Futures delivers LAC services across more than 80 per cent of regional NSW – in Northern, Western and Far West NSW.

Social Futures offers Information Sessions about the NDIS to schools

and school communities on the Central Coast, as well as providing Connection Desks where parents can meet with an LAC at school.

We are also now launching a disability awareness program for Central Coast schools, called 'Different on the Outside, Same on the Inside'.



Contact

If you would like to learn more about Social Futures, please visit our website socialfutures.org.au.

To learn more about our school and inclusion awareness programs call Gabriel on 0499 491 506 or email gabriel.wingate-pearse@socialfutures.org.au. To talk to us about our LAC program call our LAC Hotline on 1800 522 679.

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Social Futures Local Area Coordination Program is funded through the National Disability Insurance Scheme

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land where we live and work and their continuing connection to land, water, sea and community. We pay respects to Australia's First Peoples, to their unique and diverse cultures, and to Elders past, present and future.

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03

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04

Improve operational service levels with best of breed travel services.

Importantly, we are genuinely invested – a true collaborative partner, not merely a service provider.

Disability Access Services

A1 Building Solutions has been providing home modifications, disability access services and quality assessments for over 5 years and work together with the Department of Housing, Wesley Mission and Kurri Kurri Community services (state wide).

Home modifications include internal and external works providing quality disability access services to customers.

Home Modifications Expertise

Frank Riggio, Building and Project Manager at A1 Building Solutions, has over 10 years experience in providing home modifications and has worked state wide within the disabilities/aged care sector as well as iCare and Lifetime Care, ranging from transitional to major complex modifications.

Frank is a representative on the Advisory Committee for Home Modifications Information Clearance House, UNSW Sydney and is experienced in internal and external modifications, extensions, new builds and conversions. In addition to working with other primary care funding bodies, Frank collaborates with occupational therapists, tradesmen, clients and families.

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Sensory Movies & Theatres

Social Events

Getaways & Day Out Trips

School Holiday Programs

Transportation Kids to and from school, taking to appointments, therapies, sport etc.