



# Glenroi Heights Public School

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Newsletter Term 3 Week 6



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**Week 7- 3rd September- Stage 2 excursion- Old Dubbo Gaol**

**Week 9- 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> September- Welcome to the Jungle School Concert- times to come**

## Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

Book Nooks were a wonderful way to finish our week last week. Thank you to all of the staff who put on their creative hats and created beautiful book reading spaces. It was heart-warming to see so many students engaged in reading!

We are looking forward to catching up with all of our parents and carers at upcoming personalised learning meetings. These meetings are a wonderful way to share your child/children's learning and successes and help plan their next goal.

On Monday morning our students were treated to an author visit by Gabriel Evans. They learnt all about creating picture books including developing characters, ideas and illustrations. An inspiring start for our students on a Monday. I looked up Gabriel and found out some interesting information. Check out the Six Things about Gabriel Evans inside the newsletter!

In the afternoon our students were visited by 'The Protectors'. This performance showed students how to address bullying and be safe in the playground and online. The character in the play, Serena and Leo, learn how to '**freeze and breathe**', **say sorry** and **be themselves**. They discover that **empathy**, **assertiveness** and **impulse control** are the only superpowers they need to build **confidence** and **positive relationships**. I can't wait to see our students using some of these strategies to help them build up their confidence.

REMINDER: There is NO assembly on Monday next week.

Have a great week.

Liz Beasley  
Relieving Principal





## Do you have a child starting Kindergarten in 2020?

Our Transition program has now started on Thursdays and Fridays from 9am-1pm.

Please return all enrolment packs to the office ASAP.

We run a fun play-based learning program to help prepare children for their first year at school.

Would you like to play cricket?

**CYMS Junior Cricket Club** 2019/2020 season registrations are now open for all new and experienced players.



To register please go to:

[Play Cricket - CYMS Junior Cricket Club - Junior Comp](#) or go to [Play Cricket](#) and search for clubs in **Orange 2800**

For further information please contact CYMS Junior Cricket Club at [cymsjcc@gmail.com.au](mailto:cymsjcc@gmail.com.au) or follow us on [FaceBook](#), search **CYMS Junior Cricket Club**



Come and join us for a cup of tea at playgroup and join in the fun craft activities, stories and singing with the children.

Glenroi Grasshoppers Tuesday, 9.30 – 11.00am @ Marang Gunya.  
Cheeky Monkeys Friday 9.00 – 11.00am @ GHPS Preschool Room.

Playgroups are a great opportunity to meet other families. If you have any questions please contact Rachel Livingstone, SACC Facilitator on 0401 004 092 or just turn up.

## Head Lice Notice

Please carefully check your child's hair for any signs of possible head lice.

There have been several reported cases lately.

Things to remember:

- Head lice have been around for thousands of years and anyone can get them
- Head lice do not carry disease.
- Head lice are common among primary aged children and they spread by direct contact with the hair and are rarely transferred through clothing or hats.





## REMINDER

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019

Excursion: Old Dubbo Gaol

**Please return your permission note and \$10.00 to your classroom teacher**



## PLP'S- Week 7- Have you got your invitation yet?

PLP's will be held at Glenroi Heights Public School in Week 7.

Notes have been sent home, inviting families to come in and speak about your child.

Please return your note to the classroom teacher to secure your time.

Thank you.





**SAVE THE DATE!**

Welcome to the Jungle School Concert

Term 3, Week 9

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>  
September 2019

Times to come.



## Book Nooks- Reading Afternoon

Thank you to all the parents, family and friends who attended our Book Week celebration last Friday by attending our 'Book Buddy' reading afternoon. The school looked fantastic with all the wonderful and creative book nooks set up around the school grounds.

It looked like everyone enjoyed reading their favourite books in the super cool nooks!







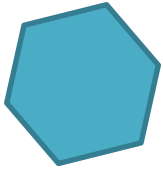


## Six Things About Gabriel Evans

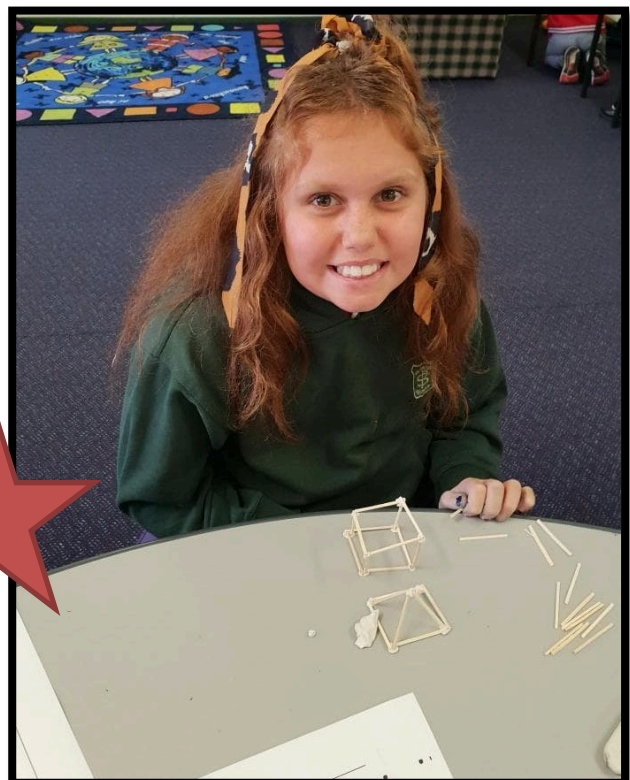
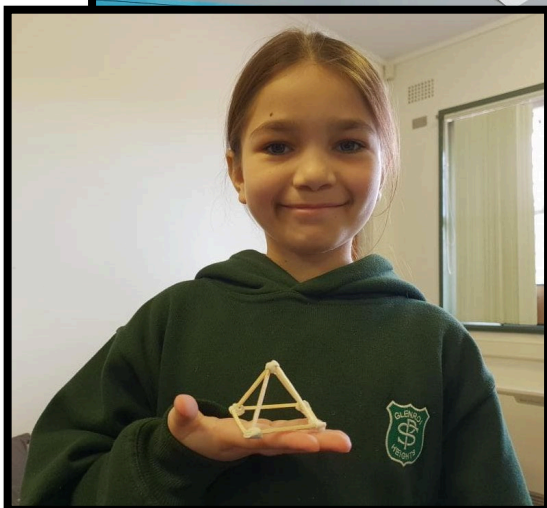
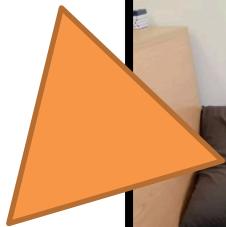
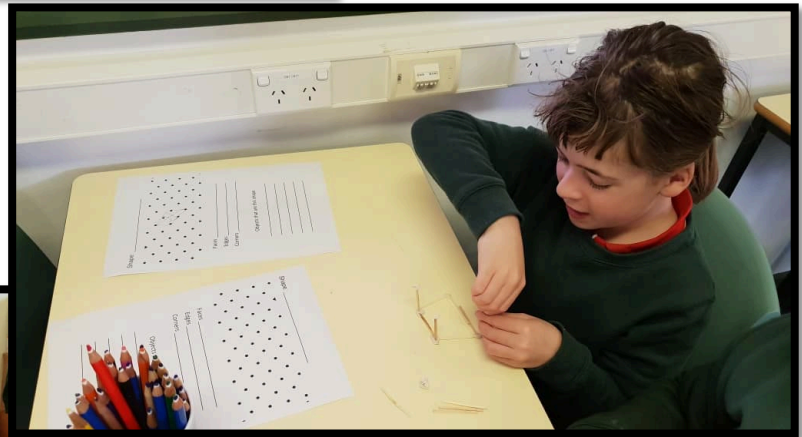
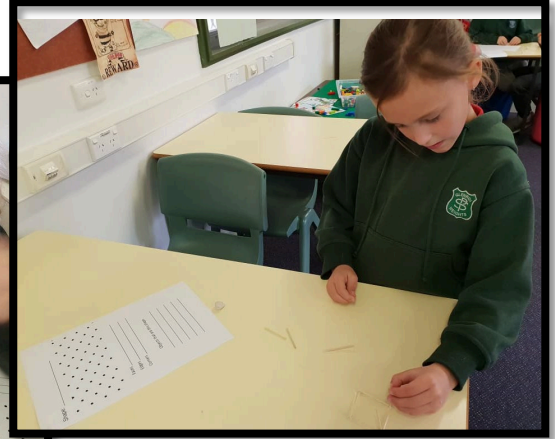
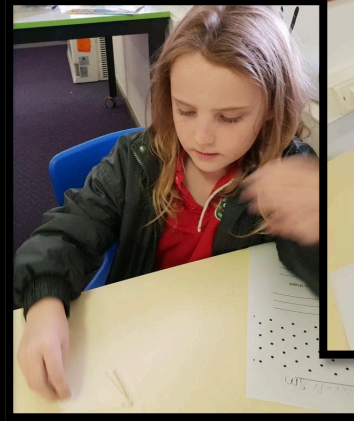
- 1) I love growing oak trees – I've planted over fifteen varieties on my hill.
- 2) I have a crazy Border Collie dog. She chases birds in trees.
- 3) My studio gets messy when I'm making books. I use acrobatic methods – including jumping, skipping and swinging – to reach my desk.
- 4) I once built a boat from an old kitchen sink. Its maiden voyage lasted five glorious minutes before the plug exploded. Like a good captain I went down with my ship.
- 5) I have a large collection of woolly beanies, but most of them are lost. I suspect they were eaten by a fiercely-hungry-beanie-eating monster.
- 6) My favourite breed of chicken is a frizzle



Last week at assembly, our school was lucky enough to have Rotary attend to kindly donate some books to us. This donation is very much appreciated.



Stage 2 have been learning all about 3D shapes. They made, drew and described some common 3D shapes. Looks like a lot of fun!!





## Pop Up Service Stall of the Week

# Job Centre

**Job Centre Australia specialise in empowering people with a disability, illness or health condition to improve their circumstances through a range of training, support and employment opportunities under DES (Disability Employment Service)).**

**Job Centre will be at our school on Thursday the 29th August from 2pm in our main pickup area.**

**Please feel free to have yarn and get more information about their service**



Charles Sturt University Orange campus  
and Future Moves invites you to attend

# Sky Stories

## COMMUNITY OBSERVATION NIGHT

Canobolas High Dance Group, music,  
face painting and lucky door giveaways, all before  
the sun goes down and the telescopes come out.

**Date: Tuesday 10th September**  
**Time: 5:00pm – 8:30pm**

**FREE**

**Astronomers:**  
Rod Somerville, *Orange Planetarium*  
Ray Pickard, *Bathurst Observatory Research Facility*  
Tina Leaman Keshara, *Education Resource Developer, Murrumbidgee Wiradjuri Project*  
Special Guest Speaker  
Trevor Leaman  
*PhD Researcher on the Wiradjuri Cultural Astronomy Project and Director of Dark Skies Downunder*

**Food:**  
*Gerald Power of Indigenous Cultural Activities + BBQ*

**What to bring:**  
*A picnic rug and warm clothes*

Charles Sturt Orange Campus, Leeds Parade Park in carparks 1, 2, or 3 and follow the signs

Image Credit:  
Bathurst Observatory Research Facility

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## The Writer's Corner

### The Mysterious Killer

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"AAAAHHHH" As the campers were setting up their tents they heard a loud scream. They all jumped in fright as they wondered what it could be. One of the campers, John, decided to go and see what it could be. Once John got out of his tent, he saw a man with orange and red hair, and a white pale face staring straight at him in the distance. He was getting closer the more he stayed outside, so he tiptoed back inside his tent and told his friend what he saw. The others didn't believe him. He zipped up his tent and snuggled up in his sleeping bag and tried to get to sleep, but he couldn't because something was bugging him. He then saw a dark shadow outside the tent. He woke up his friend and told her to go see what it was. She unzipped the tent and saw what the shadow was. "It is just a tree silly"; "you have nothing to be afraid of." "Just try and get some sleep and you will be alright." She whispered. "Fine" he replied. But he couldn't because he was terrified of what he saw, and it made him wonder if something bad would happen.

The next morning they started to go looking for some berries when the boy saw the man again. "Ruby look" the boy whispered. "Where do i look?" she replied. She saw what the boy was looking at. The camp leader told the campers to go back to a nearby cabin, while she went to see if the man was lost. They ran to the nearby cabin, and locked the door behind them. "AAAAHHH". They heard a scream coming from deep in the forest. They all crowded the window to see if there was any sight of the camp leader.

"BANG!" The man started to bang on the door. All of the campers ran to the other side of the room, trying to find a hiding spot. "Let me in!" the man screamed. "We will never let you in!" yelled ruby. They looked around to see if there was an exit. A group of boys saw a back door. "Come on guys we will exit this way" whispered the one of them softly. "CCCRREEKK" was the sound the door made as they left the cabin. The man smashed his way through the door and saw an empty cabin. "Where are you guys hiding at" he screamed. All the campers split up. Some scrambled up trees and others crouched down behind bushes.

Suddenly the man ran out of the cabin, and caught sight of one of the campers. The camper strived to climb the tree, but then it was too late. SPLAT! Everything was quiet. Everything was still. The campers were shocked to see what happened to their friend. The man started to swing his axe, side to side. "come out come out where ever you are" the man whispered. All of the campers came out of their hiding spots, and all came together as a huge group. "We will call the police, if you do what you just did again" said ruby fiercely. "I don't care what you do" he replied "I will just go on the run again", he went on. All the campers split up and told each other, to meet in the middle of the forest.

They found each other in the middle in the forest, and made sure everyone was alright. John came up with a plan. All the campers grab some nearby sticks, and hoped that they will be good for weapons. One of them volunteered to run into the cabin and call the police, with an old telephone. "3, 2, 1 GO!" They all cheered as they ran, back to the man. They had a battle and some of them were badly injured. The camper that called the police also called an ambulance, just in case. By the time the police came, the man was on the ground. Luckily the campers found some rope, and tied his hands around his back. Unfortunately some of the camper's parents had children that were murdered and one wife, with no husband. Some were in hospital and unconscious. But the parents that still had their children safely at home were glad their children were alright.

But when everyone was asleep, that same night, the man known by the name of Michael Myers, broke out of jail and came back for revenge.

