



Glass House Mountains State School

10 October 2024

Embracing the Future Together – Caring, Learning and Succeeding

Principal Message – Mr Ian Persini



Welcome Back

Welcome back to school and our final term for the year – Term 4. I hope that everyone has had a safe long weekend. It has been great to see everyone back and seeing the amazing work that the students have been doing already. This is an 11-week term, with school finishing on Friday 13 December 2024.

Senior leaders and Leadership

Congratulations to the 15 students who received their senior leader badges on Tuesday. These students will now join the first group of students and begin to submit their applications for School Captain or House Captain positions. Good luck to all of the students as they participate in our leadership programme.



Upcoming events

As we are in term 4 and it always goes very quick, please keep an eye on our newsletter and website for upcoming events and payment closing dates. We post a lot on the school Facebook page, so if you have Facebook please like and follow our page.

Be sure to check the Term 4 calendar below as well as this lists all the upcoming events.

2025 Class Preferences

Below is the link for our class preference form for 2025, please ensure that you read all the information on the form. Please remember that this is a preference and all efforts will be made to accommodate your preference but it is not guaranteed. Please note the closing date for the class preference is 5pm 1 November 2024

<https://forms.office.com/r/98srpXb4Pn>

Interschool Sport

Interschool sport for our year 5 and 6 students will be starting again shortly. This term students will be playing AFL and will be played at the Glasshouse Mountains Sports Club. Please see your child's teacher for more information if they are playing.



Prep Transitions

Our 2025 Prep transitions have begun and will continue each Tuesday morning for the next 5 weeks. If you know families who are in the community who have not enrolled their child yet, please ask them to do so as soon as possible. The transition mornings are key to a successful start to school.



P&C Meeting Monday

There is a P&C meeting Monday at 5.30pm in the Administration building. Parents are welcome to attend and be a part of the conversation and decision making. I would like to thank the P&C for their ongoing support not only in the Boost certificates on parade but their support for the Arts afternoon was truly appreciated.

Deputy Principal Message – Mr Adam Vlieg

Positive Behaviour for Learning – Weeks 1-3

I AM RESPECTFUL (Learning Environments) is our primary behaviour focus for the first few weeks of this term. This priority is all about reminding students of our expectations regarding respectful behaviours in the classroom, with a focus on limiting disruptions and distractions to ensure that all teachers are able to teach, and students are able to learn. In this week's Mr V's Vlog episode, we visited lots of our classrooms and showcased outstanding classroom behaviour, which we were able to show to the rest of the school.



Learning Environment

- I respect the right of other students to learn
- I respect the right of teachers to teach
- I raise my hand and wait my turn to speak
- I listen respectfully to others' ideas/opinions
- I keep my classroom clean and tidy
- I care for school equipment and use it appropriately



Welcome Back Mrs Reid!

Next week we welcome Mrs Suzy Reid back to our school as our new Year 4B Teacher. We understand there have been some recent disruptions to this class, though we are pleased that Mrs Reid will be returning to our school and teaching these students. Mrs Reid brings with her a wealth of experience and expertise and was one of our Year 6 teachers last year.

Please remember to notify the school if your student is going to be absent before 9am of that day.

If you receive a text message stating your child is absent, please reply with reason for absence.

This helps us greatly with our attendance data.

We appreciate your support!

The Department are following steps to soon become paperless.

If you don't already have a QParents Account, please contact our Administration office via email – admin@glasshousemountainsss.eq.edu.au and they'll organise a link to be sent!



REMINDER THAT STUDENT ABSENCES CAN BE ADVISED VIA:

1. QPARENTS
2. PHONING THE ABSENTEE LINE – 07 5439 3260
3. WEBSITE - WWW.GLASSHOUSEMOUNTAINSSS.EQ.EDU.AU
4. PHONING THE OFFICE 07 5439 3222



At Glass House Mountains State School, our preferred method of payment for all Tax Invoice generated school activities is BPOINT.

BPOINT is simply paying your invoice by credit/debit card online.

It's as simple as opening the invoice, clicking on the link and entering your card details. See the information below. It is best not to use BPoint close to a payment cut-off date. BPoint can take 24-48 hours to process. You may miss the deadline. NB: The Biller Code to be used is 1002534. This is the Department of Education and Training code that is used by all state schools.



It is really important for our families to register and gain access to QParents this year, especially now that we have rolled over to using online consent forms in 2024. QParents is a user-friendly portal which is accessible via app or web browser, providing parents with secure online access to information about their child's schooling. Contact the Office if you would like to sign up today!



Access your child's student information online and stay connected to your school.

Anywhere, anytime:

- report cards and assessment
- timetables and class times
- attendance records
- invoice and payment details
- online payments and much more

Visit qparents.qld.edu.au
Register, login and QParents then scan to download the free iPhone app

TERM 4 DATES

	M	T	W	T	F
1	30 First Day Term 4	Parade 01 Morning Tea with the Principal October Prep Transition	02	03 Year 1 Fire Education	04
2	07 Kings Birthday Public Holiday	Parade 08 Prep Transition	09	10	11
3	14 P&C Meeting 5:30pm	Parade 15 Prep Transition	16	17	18 Interschool AFL
4	21	Parade 22 Prep Transition	23	24	25 Interschool AFL World Teachers Day
5	28	Parade 29 Prep Transition	30	31 Year 1 - Street Science Incursion	01 November
					02 P&C MOVIE NIGHT
6	04	Parade 05 Morning Tea with the Principal Prep Transition	06	07	08
7	11 P&C Meeting 5:30pm	Parade 12 Prep Transition	13	14	15
8	18	Parade 19	20	21	22 P&C Free Dress for the Fireys
9	25 Surf Skills - Y4 Swimming P-3	Parade 26 Swimming P-3 Morning Tea with the Principal	27 Surf Skills - Y6 Swimming P-3	28 Surf Skills - Y5 Swimming P-3	29 Swimming P-3
10	02 December	Parade 03	04 Year 6 Graduation Night	05 Prep Puppet Show Year 6 Clap Out Ceremony	06 Year 6 Fun Day - Aussie World
11	09 3-6 Swimming Carnival	Parade 10	11	12	13 Last Day of Term 4

LOCAL NOTICES

GLASS HOUSE MOUNTAINS COMMUNITY HALL

GARAGE SALE

BOOK A TABLE



HALL MEMBERS
\$10
NON MEMBERS
\$15

ROTARY BBQ & COFFEE VAN ON SITE

SATURDAY
12
OCTOBER

8 AM - 11 AM



For more Information and to
BOOK YOUR TABLE
glasshousehall@outlook.com

BEERWAH & DISTRICT KINDERGARTEN PROUDLY PRESENT

BEERWAH SPRING FAIR

\$2 Entry
Free Face Painting
Fireworks

ADMIT ONE

FOOD TRUCKS RIDES SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26TH
FROTHERS - CAR SHOW 'N' SHINE 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM
92.7 MIX FM LIVE BROADCAST 32 SPORTSGROUND DR, BEERWAH
OBSTACLE COURSE & JUMPING CASTLE
ENTERTAINMENT, MARKET STALLS
PETTING ZOO, PONY RIDES
MEET BLUEY & MUCH MORE!!

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CHAPO'S BREAKFAST CLUB

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START:
16TH OF APRIL
WEEKLY - TUESDAYS
AT 8AM

School Hall Kitchen (outside) | jbrum42@eq.edu.au

Ian Cowan Tennis

Group & Private Coaching

0405 839 079

Catering for all ability levels | Holiday programs available

GREAT START.
Monday Afternoons 4-5pm
FREE COME & TRY SESSION
Glasshouse Mtns SS
Contact Ian by mobile or email

@IanCowanTennis
icowan888@gmail.com

Tennis Australia Club Professional

STARTING NEXT WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER! REGISTER TODAY IF YOUR CHILD IS KEEN AS SPORTSX NEEDS MORE NUMBERS TO BE ABLE TO DELIVER THE TERM 4 PROGRAM!

TERM 4 AT

Glass House Mountains SS

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SOCCER



EVERY WEDNESDAY / 2.45 - 3.45pm

\$165

Starting Oct 9th [10-week program]

FUN-BASED | FULLY INCLUSIVE | FOR ALL ABILITIES 😊

- The program is available for students from Prep - Year 6.
- Sessions will be run by qualified coaches who hold WWCC.
- Children will be split into groups according to age.

COME & TRY THE FIRST WEEK
PLEASE EMAIL YOUR CHILD'S NAME, AGE & CONTACT NUMBER TO CONFIRM THEIR ATTENDANCE!

CONTACT

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REGISTRATION

Scan QR code

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