SCHOOL HOLIDAY ROAD SAFETY

With the school holidays approaching, daily routines will soon change. So to help keep our children safe, families are reminded about these key road safety points:

⇒ Stop, look, listen, think every time you cross the road
⇒ It’s the law that everyone wears a helmet when riding a bike in a public place
⇒ Click clack front ‘n back every person for your trip
⇒ Talk to your child about being a safe road user
⇒ Point out road safety differences and dangers in new environments.

The best way to keep your child safe is to actively supervise them. Talk and teach your child about road safety every time you are out and about. Remind other adults who care for your children to do this too.

Have a safe holiday break!

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PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

End of Term
An enjoyable fortnight has been had by all at Red Range Public School. The staff and students continue to work exceptionally hard, producing quality work in classrooms and having fun along the way. The one thing that is very obvious when I walk into classrooms is that all of our boys and girls are happy and engaged! All children and staff are due back to school on Tuesday 6th October 2015. Have a safe and happy holiday.

Yr 6 Transition
I was extremely proud to hear that our Year 6 children represented our school to such a high standard whilst participating in transition at Glen Innes High School. Mrs Shaffer was delighted to report that the children were outstanding ambassadors and had terrific fun throughout the day. Once again, thank you to Mrs Shaffer for her organisation of yet another successful transition day.

Uniform
Term 4 is summer uniform. We again congratulate our relay team and we think their well-earned North West polo jumper looks great, however, we ask that next term the North West polo jumper only be worn on Friday (sports) day.

It’s back!
Earn 1 sticker for every $10 you spend.

The Earn and Learn promotion has now closed. A total of 7740 stickers were collected by our school. Thank you to all the parents and children who put their stickers in our collection box. We now have to wait for Woolworths to validate our reward points and we can then purchase additional classroom resources.
AWARDS
Week 8
Super Spellers
Emily
Madison
Sophyra
Gail
Austin
Marika
Taneekwa
Chelsea
Class Awards
Justin - Outstanding work habits.
Gail & Austin - Great reading.
Dajarn & Tanika - Great effort in reading groups.
Maleika - Great work in class.
Mason - Highest dojo points this week.

Super Spellers
Dainaihya
Kirsty
Lizzy
Kailey
Alex
Shimmer
Jessica
Madison
Dajarn
Sophyra
Maleika
Haylie
Jaimie
Stanley
Shaquila
Bear
Sharni
Chloe

SPORTS AWARDS
Huntsman Run
Dajarn & Tanika - Great effort in running.

Mathletics Awards
Jaydan
Blaire
Shimmer
Chelsea

SUPER STARS
Lilli
Christian
Emily
Taneekwa

STUDENT CONTRIBUTION
Thank you to the parents who have paid the Student Contribution for 2015. We would like to remind those who have overlooked payment that your account must be finalised by Week 2 of Term 4 or we will have to charge full price for all future planned activities. The activities planned so far include:

♦ 10 day Intensive Swimming School - Cost $4 per day per child pool entry and a contribution towards travel expenses.
♦ Mathletics World Education Games - Cost $34.50 per student

The above activities are only some of those planned so far for Term 4. Those families who have paid the contribution will not be charged for these activities but those who have not will be charged full price. Parents having trouble making payments should discuss the range of support options available with the Principal and negotiate alternative arrangements.

Glen Innes Athletics
Season starts 9th October 2015 and runs every Friday afternoon from 4pm - 6pm at King George Oval, Wentworth Street, Glen Innes. Open to children 5 and over as at 30th September 2015. Registration with Little Athletics NSW starts from $70. For more information contact Geoff Tait (President) on 0432828721 or email president@athleticsgleninnes.org.au or Mandy Newberry at secretary@athleticsgleninnes.org.au
Clever K/1J

This week we have been studying the life cycle of a frog. We have enjoyed reading the informative text 'Tadpole Diary' and watching some videos about frogs online. We learnt how to draw our own life cycles with the correct labels and we had fun writing about how tadpoles grow and change. We have enjoyed another Netball session with Julie and have started shooting hoops. We are getting very good at it! In the last week students were not given homework as we used this time to revise work and consolidate our understanding. Enjoy your well deserved break and I look forward to starting fresh in term 4!

Extreme 2/3S

We are continuing to explore our class topic of “British Colonisation”. In Maths we have been looking at number sentences involving one operation of addition or subtraction by calculating the missing number. Library has been inundated with lots of new and exciting books. Your child can utilise this resource by borrowing every Thursday! We are having lots of fun playing Netball for PE and Sport. At home we would love to encourage the students to read every night and use MATHLETICS (1000 points is required to earn a Certificate). Have a great holiday!

Ingenious 4/5/6M

Years 4/5/6M are in the middle of a fabulous unit on Disasters. We have a focus this fortnight on the Titanic. The children are thoroughly enjoying this unit and they are finding it is so interesting with great questions and enquiries are being asked and discovered. We had a large number of our class attend the rewards day last Tuesday. It is great to see the senior class leading the way and displaying excellent behaviour and work habits. WELL DONE EVERYONE. Have a great holiday and see you all on Tuesday 6th October.

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