Our Week Ahead

**Mon 11th May**
Home reading folders are sent home each week and must be returned each Monday before another can be taken out.

**Thur 14th May**
*Canteen today

**School Photos**
Please be advised that, due to unforeseen circumstances, our school photography day has been postponed, and will now be in Term 3.

**Rock It! Performance**
3rd June

**Garden News**
with Maureen Halloran
I will soon be dividing the chives. Children will be taking home clumps, which will need to be planted in the garden.

Mackenzie received a Principal’s Award and prize for Outstanding Achievement in Reading Recovery.

**P & C Meeting**
To be held this Thursday, 14th May, in the school library.
All are welcome.
Farewell

The staff and students of Glen Innes West Infants School would like to wish Mrs Robyn Parnell all the very best with her new position. As you are all aware Mrs Parnell has accepted the position as Principal of Wooli Public School. We would like to sincerely thank Robyn for the absolutely outstanding job she did as Principal of our school. Wooli will be very lucky to have such an enthusiastic and caring Principal joining their team.

Accepting the position of Principal at Wooli Public School was one of the hardest decision I have ever had to make. I have loved each and every day that I have spent at Glen Innes West Infants School. Every day I woke up always happy to go to work. Every day I knew that I was going to be working with a team of wonderful teachers and support staff who were prepared to do whatever it took to ensure we had the best learning environment for our students. The students at Glen Innes West Infants School are so lucky to have such a dedicated team in charge of their education. This team spend hours and hours of their own time making resources, researching teaching strategies and learning new skills to ensure that your children are receiving the very best education possible. I can’t speak highly enough of the wonderful staff at Glen Innes West Infants School, their professionalism and dedication is really making a difference for your children.

The K-2 schooling environment is unique, every decision that is made is made based on what is best for our young children. What a great place to spend your early years, the students are caring and friendly. They look after each other and the feeling in the school is like an extended family. I will really miss those happy little faces, all so keen to learn and share their learning with each other.

It has been an honour to be Principal of Glen Innes West Infants School and I will always treasure the friendships I have made.

As I sit in the middle of winter drinking my morning coffee on the beach at Wooli I will be sending you all my warmest wishes.

Robyn Parnell
Kinder students have been busy with reading and literacy lessons and practicing their sight words.