

January 2010

Welcome to Glenunga International High School! We look forward to you becoming part of the Glenunga International High School community and enjoying the high academic standards that the school offers.

On the first day Year 8 students meet at the blue wall where teachers will collect them for the assembly at 8.45 am in the Gymnasium. The Principal will then welcome students to the 2010 school year.

Parents and caregivers are warmly invited to attend the assembly and to stay afterwards for a question and answer session.

In this pack you will find the following forms:

1. Year 8 Camp Information
 2. Aquatics Consent Form for the Middle School Swimming Carnival and Year 8 Mylor Camp.
 3. Swimming Carnival Information and Consent
- These need to be completed and returned on the first day (Wednesday 27 January) to the Home Group teacher.***

At our information evening to welcome Year 7 families held 18 November 2009 we discussed our planned move to one netbook computer per Year 8 student in Semester 2 2010. At this stage we are not able to provide details about this initiative as we are still awaiting an upgrade to our infrastructure. We understand that this situation may be frustrating for families waiting to purchase a computer for their Year 8 student. Could we encourage you to wait until we are able to provide these details. We anticipate an information evening in March 2010 where we can provide information and answer questions.

On the first day of school please make sure that students bring the following:

1. Stationery, books and text books.
2. Aquatics Consent Form.
3. A lock for a locker and a spare key clearly labelled with your name (to be kept by your son / daughter's Home Group teacher).

There will be a **Parent Information Night on Tuesday 16 February from 6.00 – 7.00 pm** in the Performing Arts Centre. This is an opportunity for families to meet Home Group teachers and school leaders.

The school will be open for the payment of school fees as follows:

Monday 18 January - 9.00 am – 3.00 pm

Tuesday 19 January - 9.00 am – 3.00 pm

Wednesday 20 January - 11.00 am – 5.00 pm

A reminder that stationery orders will be home delivered by Wooldridges.

We look forward to you enjoying the start of the 2010 School Year. If we can assist in any way or if you have any queries please contact Tina Visvikis at Reception who will be able to direct your query to the appropriate staff member of our school.

Yours sincerely



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