Our Vision is to:
* Promote positive relationships to strengthen our whole school community
* Maximise student engagement and learning
* Maintain a safe, caring and inclusive environment
* Work as a team and challenge ourselves to create success
* Encourage resilience, positive mental health and wellbeing

A few messages from the Principal’s desk...

It has been so lovely to see the majority of our students come to morning assembly and line up on time and ready to start their learning. Well done everyone!

**STAFFING:** It is that time when the school is preparing for the coming year. There have been a number of staffing changes for 2016 that we would like to share.

Jordan Tate has accepted a teaching position at Croydon Hills Primary School. This is a wonderful opportunity for Jordan and we wish him well. Carmel Pan nowitch will be pursuing educational career aspirations outside of Gladesville. We look forward to hearing what she is up to next year. Loretta Hochkins will be retiring from Gladesville Primary School at the end of the 2016 school year.

Loretta has been at Gladesville for 20 years as an Education Support Officer. Loretta has been a part of the Gladesville community as a staff member, parent and grandparent and has made significant contributions to student wellbeing and classroom support in her time here. We wish her all the very best. Naomi Hobbs will be taking Family leave from January 2016 as she awaits the birth of her second child. We will keep you posted with the arrival news in February next year.

**UNIFORM:** A reminder to all families that as of 2016, students are to only wear the blue polo shirt with the school logo. This process was outlined by School Council in August 2014, with 2015 being a phase out year for yellow polo shirts.

Blue polo shirts are available through the office uniform shop.

Don't forget the working bee on the 21st November! See you there!

Have a great week, Mrs Wood

A Tribes Learning Community

* Mutual Respect, Personal Best, Appreciation,
Free Dress Day

FRIDAY 13th

NOVEMBER

NO GOLD COIN DONATION

BRING A NEW AND UNOPENED BOTTLE FOR OUR GAME STALL

EXAMPLES CAN BE SAUCE, SOFT DRINK, OIL, JUICE, DRESSING, DETERGENT, CORDIAL, WATER, TOPPING, ETC.

BY HUDSON 2/3J
Once again we will be holding a Christmas Raffle which will be drawn at the Christmas Concert.

For our final fundraiser of the year to be successful we ask families to donate goods to our Christmas Raffle.

Please leave your donation in the basket at the office.
A Parent’s Perspective

Join other parents in hearing Mel share her thoughts about some of the day to
day realities that parenting a child with
a disability brings. Working to meet your
children’s needs, finding the resources and
support team which work for you, building
resilience yourself and in your family. Mel is the parent and full-time caretaker of 3
children with a disability.

Lunch is provided and will be an
opportunity to meet and get to know other
parents. Following lunch, parents can share
their views about what would support them
in their parenting journey, and ask questions
of an “expert panel”, including parents and
representatives of disability groups.

Who: All parents and carers of children
aged 0 – 18 years with a disability
When: Wednesday 25th November 2015,
11.00am – 1.30pm. Lunch provided.
Where: Japara Living & Learning Centre,
54 Durham Road, Kilsyth.
Bookings & Enquiries: Call Parentzone.
Julie on 9725 6190 or Q on 9725 6123.
This session is FREE of charge to attend
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