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2025 Voluntary Contributions and Charges Information

The Glen Huon Primary School Board and School Executive have reviewed and endorsed the schedule of voluntary contributions and charges for 2025. The charges schedule is divided into sections allowing you to calculate all costs that may be incurred throughout the school year for your child/children. Voluntary Contributions for 2025 can be paid with your child's Personal Items List (PIL) – Booklist. See below for other payment options.

1. **Voluntary Contributions 2025**

In 2025 our Voluntary Contribution will be \$50.00 per child.

Money collected will be used to supplement school expenditure in the areas listed below. The actual costs per child are shown in the table beneath. While contributions are voluntary the quality of our teaching and learning programs will be maximised when each family makes their contribution. Your Voluntary Contribution supplements funding from other sources, including grants from the State and Commonwealth Governments. In 2025 the Voluntary Contribution can be made at the same time you pay your booklist through Officeworks. **Officeworks** will re-direct voluntary contributions to GHPS.

| K – Year 6 | |
|-----------------------------------|------|
| Photocopying Supplementary | \$15 |
| Mathematics resource materials | \$5 |
| Literacy resource materials | \$10 |
| The Arts resource materials | \$5 |
| Library cross curricula materials | \$15 |
| Total contribution per student | \$50 |

Payment Options:

Payment for Voluntary Contribution 2025 is required at the commencement of Term 1, 2025 Credit Card and EFTPOS facilities are available at our Administration for your convenience or can be made via EFT. Please ensure you include Student Name as Reference.

> **Account Name:** Glen Huon Primary School Ref: Student Name Account Number: 19900014 **BSB**: 066-040

2. **Student Booklists**

The charge for personal items used in the Education Program will vary from student to student and includes requirements for all students used in lessons e.g. stationery items, calculator, etc. For 2025, our preferred student booklist supplier is Officeworks. To assist families with the purchasing of stationery items we have arranged for Officeworks to provide the following:

1. Parents / Guardians can opt to pay the one off, bulk purchase fee so that all consumable items (pens, pencils, scrapbooks etc.) are packaged and delivered / available to pick up prior to the new school year commencing;

Or alternatively,

- 2. Purchase items on the booklist at a location of choice

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3. **Optional Charges for Extra Curricular Activities in 2025**

A breakdown of estimated charges for your child/children's participation in excursions, incursions and activities for 2025 has been included in the Charges Schedule below. Students will only incur costs if you choose to involve your child in a particular activity. The amounts indicated on the schedule represent the maximum projected charge for scheduled activities in 2025. Parents are advised in writing of the exact cost prior to the activity, which cannot exceed the amount specified in this Schedule.

The Table of Charges below includes costs for:

- Learning activities available to **all** students. e.g. incursions, excursions, in-term swimming etc. Payment is required prior to the event for your child/children to participate in excursions, incursions, events, activities etc. Your class teacher will advise you of activities by letter.
- Learning activities available to **selected** students. e.g. Instrumental Guitar, Primary Extension and Challenge Program (PEAC): Children who have accepted a place in PEAC are required to pay for course charges. Students selected to participate in the year 5 and 6 Guitar Program are required to purchase a guitar (approx. \$150), guitar lesson books (approx. \$40.00). There is no charge for Instrumental Guitar, tuition is paid by the Department of Education.

CHARGES SCHEDULE - 2025 Amounts shown in dollars

| Description | K | PP | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Inter-School Sports Excursions | | | | | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| Class Excursions | 30 | 30 | 60 | 60 | 60 | 60 | 60 | 60 |
| Incursions (visiting programs) | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 |
| In-term Swimming | | 90 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 90 |
| Year 6 School Camp | | | | | | | | 350 |
| Leaver's Activities | | | | | | | | 60 |
| Leaver's Shirt – year 5 or 6 | | | | | | | 60 | 60 |
| PEAC Course Charge | | | | | | 20 | 80 | 80 |

4. Parents & Citizens (P&C) Voluntary Contribution 2025

Other voluntary approved funds at Glen Huon Primary School include a P&C Contribution which has been set at \$10 per child or \$20 per family for 2025. The P&C Contribution will be used to support with identified School Projects which are decided at P&C Meetings.

Payment Options for the \$10 P&C Contribution for 2025 are:

- Paid via your booklist through Officeworks
- Cash payment envelope in P&C box in the School Administration please ensure you print your family name on your envelope.

• Direct Deposit to: Glen Huon Primary School P & C bank account

BSB: 016-515 **Account Number: 216856641**

Ref: Family Name

5. **Optional Costs 2025**

Student photographs are an annual activity managed by a nominated photography company. Charges will apply and are paid directly to the company.

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