



# Glenview School

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Term 1 Week 1 Wednesday 01 February

## *Welcome parents / caregivers to Week 1 at Glenview this year!*

A huge welcome to you all, with a special welcome to the new families who started children today. I hope you all enjoy your association with Glenview Primary.

We have started the year fully staffed and welcome new staff Mrs Emma Baker, Mrs Tammy Thompson, Miss Melanie Ryan, Mrs Jamie Mc Morran and Miss Wes Mau. The full list of staff appears later in the newsletter.

This term is going to be very busy with Years 5 - 6 camps during weeks 5 and 6. Parents of children in years 5/6 please look out for camp notices coming home. We also have planned other special events this term.

### **Brimmed Hats**

I would like to remind parents that in accordance with our 'Sunsafe' policy, the wearing of a brimmed hat is compulsory during terms 1 and 4 when outside. Please check your child has an appropriate hat at school with them.

### **Bell times;**

This year we have changed bell times to optimise learning, and allow children to take part in extra curricula activities. To do this we have evened the breaks out at 40minutes for each break.

School still starts at 8.55am (as usual)

1st break 10.45- 11.25

2nd break 1.20-2.00

School finish 3.00pm

We are suggesting to parents that when making their children's lunch they pack it as two lunches, so they eat some at the first break and some at the second break. All children will be supervised in their classrooms whilst eating.

### **Open Door Policy**

As teachers, we value and encourage parent involvement in our school and classroom programmes. Parents are allowed to visit classrooms at anytime of the day (except the last 20 minutes) to see the programme in action. Please introduce yourself to the teacher and respect common courtesies when in the classroom.

If you wish to assist the teacher or become more involved in your child's/ren's learning, please see their teacher to see how you can help. If you want a formal interview with the teacher or myself, please make an appointment through the school secretary.

Principal

Tony Mangan

### **Every day Counts**

If your child is absent please phone 843 5598 and follow the options then leave a clear message with your child's name, room number and **reason for absence**.

You can now text 0278945659

If you can't phone can you please send a note to school when your child returns

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## **SCHOOL DONATION:**

You will have found attached to your children's stationery order, a request for the school donation. Even though we are funded from the Ministry, many of the extras we offer children, (e.g. computers etc, library books, supporting class events, sports equipment and uniforms etc.) come from locally raised funds from P.T.A. fundraising, Community Grants and School donations. At \$60 for 1 child and \$110 for a family, our donation is at the lower end. However it is an important part of our local fundraising.

## **ANNUAL CONSENT FORM:**

All children will be bringing home the annual consent form which covers a range of activities and programmes that children may be involved in throughout the year. When the agreement comes home, please sign and return promptly so that your children can begin being involved with these activities.

## **STATIONERY:**

Your children should have brought home a stationery order which lists their requirements for this year. As we use a particular brand of stationery that has different sizes from regular brands, it is important that children buy their stationery from the school. We have sourced stationery that we consider good quality that stands up to constant daily use. The school will be selling stationery during this week. As the children will come to the library in class groups, we won't be selling stationery before school until the following week.

## **SCHOOL LUNCHES:**

A full menu and price list will be sent home later.

## **CYCLISTS:**

Only children in **Years 5 and 6** are to ride a bike to school. This is a ruling based on research by Police who found that younger children had poor road sense! All cyclists must wear a helmet and park and lock their bike in the stands behind the boiler room.

**SWIMMING:** Goal; Every child to meet the 200m swim challenge by end of Year 6  
Classes will start swimming this week. Your child will let you know when they are swimming.  
It is important they have their togs at school to go swimming during their allocated time.

## **ADVENTURE PLAYGROUNDS:**

I would like to inform parents and caregivers that due to safety reasons these are closed to all children before and after school. This also applies to pre-school children.

*Website of the week...*

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## STAFFING FOR 2012.

**PRINCIPAL:** Tony Mangan

**Assistant Principal:** Jan Allott

**Years 5/6 Syndicate:**

<b>Room 1</b>	Michael Fawcett	<b>Room 2</b>	Nicole Teotia <b>Team Leader</b>
<b>Room 3</b>	Wes Mau	<b>Room 4</b>	Jamie McMorran
<b>Room 5</b>	Melanie Ryan		

**Years 3/4 Syndicate:**

<b>Room 7</b>	Dianne Hpcroft		
<b>Room 8</b>	Janene Braithwaite	<b>Team Leader</b>	
<b>Room 9</b>	Carol McHardy		
<b>Room 10</b>	Alesha Pope		
<b>Room 11</b>	Emma McKee		

**Yr 2 Syndicate**

<b>Room 13</b>	Debra Gray;Bird		
<b>Room 14</b>	Leanna Carthew		
<b>Room 15</b>	Julie Peden		
<b>Room 20</b>	Nikki Donnell	<b>Team Leader</b>	

**New Entrant /Year 1 Syndicate:**

<b>Room 16</b>	Barbara Ware	<b>Team Leader</b>	<b>Room 17</b>	Emma Baker
<b>Room 18</b>	Chris Thorburn		<b>Room 19</b>	Alle McGill/Tammy Thompson

<b>Reading Recovery Tutor:</b>	Alle McGill
<b>Literacy Unit Tutors</b>	Karen Hunwick

**Tikanga Maori** Jeanne Davidson—Kaiako

Release teacher: Justine Keenan

**Support Staff:**

<b>Secretaries</b>	Kay Sullivan Cheryl Mace
<b>Librarian</b>	Trish Barker
<b>ESOL tutor</b>	Runu Simpson
<b>Teacher Aides</b>	June Sullivan Sandra Jennings Bronwyn Atkinson
<b>Caretaker</b>	John Hazlitt

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## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**LOCAL MUSIC LESSONS** 30 minute guitar, piano, recorder, flute or theory lessons.

5—12 years \$15 each 13—Adults \$20. each.

Group lessons 2-3 people \$15 each (excluding piano)

4-5 people \$10 each.

Enquiries call/text Sarah Pen 027 373 6152 email [janola\\_bleach@hotmail.com](mailto:janola_bleach@hotmail.com)

**School starts at 8.55am**

**We would like to see all children here by 8.40am—ready for learning!**

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