



Glenview School

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Term 3 Week 5 Monday 29 August

Welcome parents / caregivers to Week 5 at Glenview!

Our gardens at the front of the school are now completed and ready for spring planting. A special thank you to the parents who assisted John Hazlitt.

A special thankyou must also go the PTA whom have provided the funds for the gardens project. Without the support of the PTA we would not be able to provide these extra learning activities for the children of Glenview.

The funds they donate for these projects come from their fundraising activities which they organize each term, but they are reliant on the community getting behind their initiatives.

Tomorrow we have the photographers in to take the sport team photos from approximately 12 noon. Children involved in photos will need to bring their sport uniforms.

Congratulations to the Netball and Rugby teams at the 7 aside tournament last week. The Netball girls made the semi finals and the Rugby boys the finals.

This week we will be publishing further results and comments we received relating to our survey last term.

Another area we wanted feedback on was concerning "Learning"

Questions.

4. Do you feel informed about your child's progress and achievement?
5. Are you using the "Next Steps" at home to support your child's learning?
6. Have you found "Next Steps" useful?
7. Would you attend information evenings about Writing and Mathematics later in the year?

The results and some of the comments to these questions appear later in the newsletter.

As you are aware we want to improve the punctuality of children arriving late to school. Last week there was a slight improvement. **Monday** appears to be the worst day for children arriving late. We ask you to assist us to get every child to school on time.

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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Term 3

Coming Events this Week:

- 30 Sports Photos
September
2 Year 1 Assembly
- Wk 6
9 Year 4 Assembly
Marimba Festival 4pm at St Paul's Collegiate Chapel
- Wk 7
13 HERE We Go Mtg 1
15 Parent Mtg (Writing)
16 Assembly celebrating KC
- Wk 8
19 PTA Mtg
20 HERE We Go Mtg 2
21 BOT Mtg
23 Sport & Cultural assembly
23 Sport and Cultural festival
Quiz Night (PTA)
- Wk 9
30 Academic Assembly
- Wk 10
7 Whole school Assembly
Last Day of Term

PTA Events

QUIZ NIGHT

Have you got your team ready?

This term the PTA are hosting a Quiz night for parents and friends of the school. So if you would like to enjoy a good night out keep Friday the 23rd of September free. As we draw closer to the event we will give you more information concerning this event. **Tickets at \$10 each are now on sale at the school office**

PTA Fundraising

This term the school will run a Spellathon. The Spellathon will run from weeks 5-8. The children will bring home all information and sponsorship forms this week.

Website of the week...

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“Learning”

Questions

1. Do you feel informed about your child’s progress and achievement?

	Yes %	No	No Answer
Whole School	94	3	3

Parents, child and teacher interview very helpful especially being able to take home and read my child’s portfolio.

We feel more informed after this interview process than I have for the last few years at Glenview. I love seeing the portfolios.

2. Are you using “Next Steps” at home to support your child’s learning?

	Yes %	No	No Answer
Whole School	72	17	11

What is “Next Steps”? Just found out about “Next Steps” today. They sound great. Have not used it in the past but will definitely use it in the future.

3. Have you found the “Next Steps” useful?

	Yes %	No	N/A	No Answer
Whole School	71	2	14	13

All help is useful to us as caring parents who are here for our children.

We will continue “Next Steps” at home.

Any thing that is individually tailored to my child is helpful.

4. Would you attend information evenings about writing and mathematics later in the year?

	Yes %	No	No Answer
Whole School	79	15	6

The information evening is a very good idea.

Very keen to attend the above meetings.

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ABACUS CALENDAR, GREETING CARDS & DIARY FUNDRAISING 2011

Our annual calendar etc., fundraising will take place this term. All profits made from this will be used to purchase books and resources for our school library. New this year are personal diaries. This week your child will bring home the order forms. Please complete the order slip and return with required money, to your child's classroom teacher. Orders close on Friday 23 September. The price list is as follows.

Art calendar \$11.00 each. Photo calendar \$12 each

Greeting cards \$12.00 per pack Diaries \$15.00 each

SPORTS RESULTS:

HOCKEY:

Glenview Stars a bye.

Glenview Breakers 5 v SPC Mighty Saints 1 POD Daniel Scott

NETBALL:

Glenview Gold 12 v Frankton Magic 7 P'sOD The Whole Team

Glenview Emerald 8 v Aberdeen 22 P'sOD The Whole Team

Glenview Silver 2 v Gordonton 12 POD Caitlin Mumby

Community Notices

If you have a community notice you would like us to put in the newsletter please contact the office by the preceding Friday.

WIND IN THE WILLOWS — OUT OF SCHOOL CARE

Providing before school, after school care and HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES for Glenview children from the Chinese Community Centre, Lewis St. Please phone Jane Saunders 027 322 6872 or 8431944 for further information.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE \$70 per standard 6 x 4 trailer (ex shelterbelt). Free delivery in Glenview, Melville, Deanwell & Fitzroy area. Phone Graeme 027 6239425. Be in quick to avoid disappointment—sold out very quickly last year.

MARIMBA & TUNED PERCUSSION FESTIVAL featuring bands from Glenview, Hillcrest Primary, Otorohanga, Forest Lake, Ohinewai, Ngatea, St Paul's Collegiate & Cambridge Middle School on **Friday 9 September at 4 p.m. at St Paul's Collegiate.**

BRASS RAZOO 7 pm Friday & Saturday 2 & 3 September non stop 24 hours of live music with a huge array of talents from bands, symphonic orchestra, learner groups, pianists, singers etc to raise funds. Gold coin collection. All welcome at the Hamilton City Brass Band room, Clyde Street, Hamilton East (next to Police Station). More information from Marilyn Edgecombe phone 027 4632603.

SCHOOL DENTAL SERVICE

The Dental Service is now permanently based at Frankton School Ph 847 1283.

School starts at 8.55am

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

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