

# Newsletter Issue 2 Term 4

Thursday  
18th  
October  
2018

Absences or  
Changes of  
Contact Details  
Office phone  
number:  
348-1489  
or you can text  
on 0212455214.



## F.O.T.S. Spelling Bee

A huge thank you to all our whanau for the incredible support of our tamariki for the Spelling Bee. This raised an amazing **\$10,499** and this all goes back into the school for trips and resources to support our learners. Also a huge shout out to our sponsors for providing such great prizes to help motivate our tamariki! We couldn't have done it without the support from our very generous sponsors. A special mention to Pita Pit who offered their great fundraiser to tie in with the Spelling Bee.

Congratulations to all our tamariki for working so hard to learn all of their words.

Our winners were: Lovelyan Tafuna, Willow Bryers and Thomas Kaio, Ma'ata, Mosese and Christopher Po'afa, Rylen Edwards, Kyahs Morris-Ngatai, Kaia Earl, Kiana Henderson, Ashtyn Hunia, Tahei Heta-Morris, Keira Lazaro, Harriette Davies, Avish Chand, Peryn Watson, Carter Gavin, Rachel Lothead, Finn Brierley, David Walker, Troy Kelly, Darren Vercoe, Oleya Brons, Toakase Napa'a, Georgia Davies, Zach Jeffries, Wiremu Te Kiri, Kiara de Bruyn, Jessicah Ironside, Khloe Grant, Kahu Wineera-Ryder, Shepherd Edwards, Mereana Tawhai, Blake Tapsell-Singh, Beylie Tiopira-Amohau, Brodie McMillan, Paige Mossong, Kruz Schwass, Manmeet Singh, Mehreen Kaur, Loralie Packham, Conor Mullen and Oceana Winkelmann

Pizza Lunch was won by B4 joined by the 100% students.



# Grandparents Day 2018

Glendaloe School Values  
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**Respect**  
**R**

- Accept
- Consider
- Be Genuine
- Have Pride

Glendaloe School Values  
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**Integrity**  
**I**

- Honest
- Fair
- Reliable
- Accountable

Glendaloe School Values  
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**Diversity**  
**D**

- Acknowledge
- Accept
- Include
- Accommodate

Glendaloe School Values  
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**Excellence**  
**E**

- High Expectations
- Accelerated Progress
- Hard Worker
- Assessment Capable





# Notices To Parents



## Parental Request Forms

Glenholme School invites parents to have input regarding your child/rens 2019 education needs.

### **Parental Request Forms for 2019**

**Placements** are available from the school office.

- We invite parents to comment on the child's learning needs, special interests or abilities and other aspects regarding their placement for 2019.
- If you have any additional information regarding your child's 2019 placement that you would like Glenholme School to consider, please provide additional information in a letter addressed to Molly Norton, Acting Deputy Principal, Glenholme School.
- These forms are available as of Friday 19th October. They are due back to the school office by Friday 16th of November.
- Please note that requesting a specific staff member is not always advantageous for your child, as staff changes are expected.

## Term Four - Compulsory Sun Hats

Students must wear a sun hat in Term Four when they are outside. Restricted play will be enforced for students without a sunhat. Reminder that all parents and whanau signed an agreement on enrolment regarding the Glenholme School Uniform Policy. This policy clearly states that the official School Sun Hat must be worn as the brim provides cover for the neck, ears, nose and face. The School Sun Hat can be purchased at NZ Uniforms retail shop or online.

## CHANGE OF STUDENT DETAILS

Please notify the school office as soon as possible if your address/phone number/medical situation or guardianship for your child/ren has changed. It is important to keep these details updated in case of a school emergency/medical emergency or any correspondence from the school.

**Phone 07 3481489 or txt details to 0212455214.**



# Notices To Parents

## Buddy Bench

The Young Leaders have started a new initiative at Glenholme School called the Buddy Bench. We have identified the hexagon shaped bench seat, straight opposite the staff room, as our Buddy Bench. The idea around the Buddy Bench is to foster friendships and eliminate loneliness. A child who is new to Glenholme School, or who is lonely, or who just wants someone to talk to or play with can sit on the bench. The idea is that students from around the school who see children sitting there, can approach that child and ask them if they want to join in with their game or just hang out. The Young Leaders will be there to encourage and support the start of this initiative. They also have games planned for those children who are keen to participate. We would like to acknowledge Easton Jacomb for sharing this great idea with the Young Leaders.



## F.O.T.S. Friends of the School

The Friends of the School are a very active group who have been involved in a number of fundraising schemes and other activities which directly benefit the children. This is an important part of our school but we are currently very short of members. We have had to cancel our F.O.T.S. Disco this term due to lack of FOTS members and helpers.

Parents and whanau are welcome to attend any meeting, currently FOTS meet twice a term.

Phone the school office for further information.

Ph 3481489.



## Sports Notices

### Whakapoungakau and Tihi-o-Tonga Athletics Day

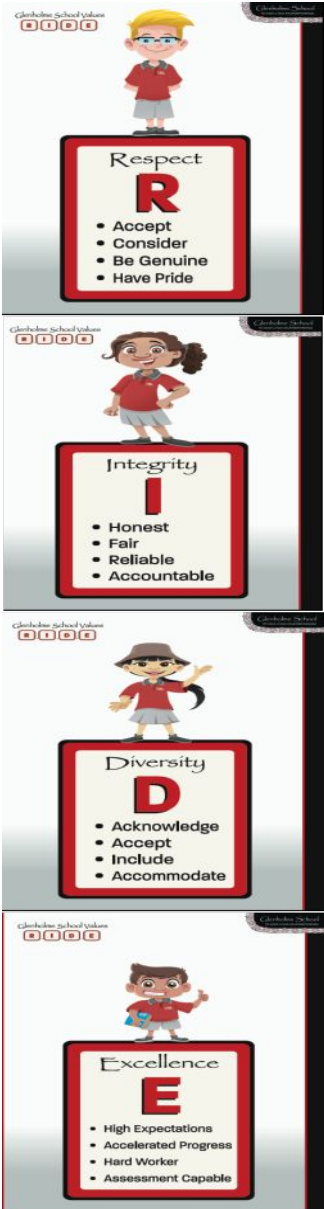
Our tamariki are well into their training for our Year 3-6 Athletics Day. This exciting sports event will be on Monday 5th November starting at 9.30am. The postponement date for this event is Friday 9th November. The students will rotate around 5 track and field disciplines; long jump, high jump, shot put, discus and sprints (60m, 100m and 200m). Students 9 years and older (as of 15th Oct) that place in the finals, will go through to the Rural/Central Athletics Competition in mid November at the International Stadium. If tamariki are successful at this event, they will compete in the EBOP/CBOP Championships on the 4th December over in Whakatane. We encourage all parents, caregivers and whanau to come and watch and support our tamariki on the day. We do require parent helpers for both Monday and Friday (the postponement day). If you are able to help please fill out the portion at the bottom of the notice that the Year 3-6 students will receive today, thanks

### Flippa Ball

Flippa ball games are played every Tuesday at the Aquatic Centre with the first games starting at 3.45pm and the last round ending at approximately 6.05pm. We have four teams this term; Glenholme Tamatekapua (Yr 5/6), Glenholme Ngatoro-i-rangi (Yr 5/6), Glenholme Te Ao-kapurangi (Yr 3/4) and Glenholme Hinemoa (Yr 3/4). The teachers in charge are Whaea Allyson for the year 3/4 teams and Matua Mark for the senior teams. The tamariki know that the flippa ball draw will be displayed outside A5 on the window and that it will also be posted on our school facebook page every week

### Touch Games

Touch games are played at the Westbrook fields this term. We have six teams in this seasons competition; Glenholme Rotoiti (Yr 1/2), Glenholme Pikihaia (Yr 1/2), Glenholme Rotoma (Yr 3/4), Glenholme Rerewhakaaitu (Yr 3/4), Glenholme Okataina (Yr 3/4) and Glenholme Ihenga (Yr 5/6). Games start at 4.00pm with the last round at 7pm (note: later times are for Intermediate teams). The teachers in charge are Mrs Kiel for the junior teams, Mr Jansen for the middle school teams and Mr Picken for the senior team. The touch draw is always displayed outside A5 on the window and will also be posted on our school facebook page every week. For more information visit the website [www.sporty.co.nz/rotoruatouch](http://www.sporty.co.nz/rotoruatouch)



## Sports Notices

Date: Morning of Sunday 2nd December

Location: Kuirau Park, Rotorua

Entry Age: Entry is open to all 7 to 15 olds (based on age on event day)

Event Distances: Individual - 7 years; Swim 50m; Cycle 4km; Run 1.5km

8-10 years; Swim 100m; Cycle 4km; Run 1.5km

11-15 years; Swim 200m; Cycle 8km; Run 1.5km

Teams - Junior Teams; Swim 100m; Cycle 4km; Run 1.5km

Senior Teams; Swim 200m; Cycle 8km; Run 1.5km (NB: One team member

*completes the swim, one team member completes the cycle and both complete the run).*

The TRYathlon will begin with the swim leg in the heated outdoor pool at the Rotorua Aquatic Centre where the pool is 50m in length. The transition area is located on the field beside the Aquatic Centre. The bike leg is around the streets surrounding Kuirau Park, and the leg run is around Kuirau Park itself. You can download the course map from the Event Day info tab to see the full routes.

Follow the Weet-Bix TRYathlon facebook page for updates! Join the [Rotorua Weet-Bix Kids TRYathlon](#) event facebook page. Please use the link below to register as part of the Glenholme School Group.

### Swimming

Our swimming pool will open on Tuesday 6th November. Children will swim every day for the week they are rostered on for swimming. All tamariki are expected to swim unless they have open sores and are wearing plasters or after having a bout of diarrhoea. All children will need a named swimming bag or plastic bag, named swimming gear and towel and goggles if they have them. We also encourage that all items of school uniform including undergarments, be named as well to avoid clothing being mixed up, thank you

### Life Education

Berni, Harold and the Life Education caravan will be onsite for 2 weeks starting on Monday 29th October. Individualised lessons have been planned that cover one of the five major strands; food and nutrition, human biology, relationships & communities, identity & resilience and substances. Each team has identified a strand based on the needs and age of their students. We look forward to seeing Harold and Berni in weeks 3 and 4.





# Coming Glenholme School Events



149 Ranolf Street,  
Glenholme

- Open 8.30—3.30pm
- School terms only
- Meals provided
- 2—5 years old
- Transition to school.

eBabies Manager:

Ann Brell

Ph/Txt

021 023 683 24

## 2018 Board of Trustees

Board Chairperson - Chris Allibone

Principal - Sarah Thompson

Staff Representative - Molly Norton

Parent Representatives:

Julie Avery

Amy Chung

Kapi Tawhai

Angie Brierley

31st October	BOT Meeting 6pm
1st November	F.O.T.S. Disco cancelled due to lack of Parent Helpers
5th November	School Pool Opens
5th November	Year 3-6 Athletics Day
29th Oct - 9th Nov	Life Education Caravan
15th November	BOT Meeting 6pm
16th November	Parent Request 2019 Forms Closes
22nd November	Pukehangi Team Fire Station Trip
27th November	Kapa Haka Performance at Ahurei
30th November	Young Leaders End of Year Reward Day
6th December	Whakapoungakau End of Year Excursion
7th December	Road Patrol Reward Day
12th December	Pukeroa Fun Day at school
13th December	Pukeroa and Pukehangi Awards Ceremony
14th December	Achievement Card Reward Day
17th December	Year 6 Leavers Ceremony
18th December	Tihi-o-tonga and Whakapoungakau Awards Ceremony
19th December	Last Day of 2018
	School Closes at 12.30pm

