Newsletter Issue 10 Term 1

Thursday 4th April 2019

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Teacher Only Day

School will be closed for instruction on Friday 12th April (Last day of Term 1). Staff will be undertaking professional development on site.

Mufti Day Friday 29th March

The Young Leaders organised a Mufti Day last Friday the 29th of March, to raise money for the Christchurch Muslim families impacted by the tragic events of Friday the 15th of March. We chose a bright, multi-coloured dress theme to embrace and celebrate the diversity of cultures within Glenholme School and New Zealand. We raised \$1,006.50 so thank you very much.

Assistant Principal Position

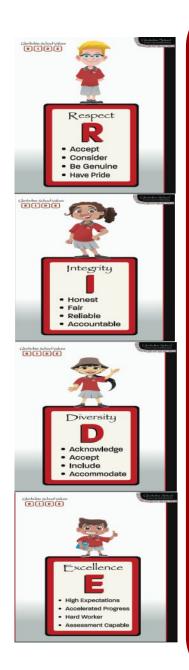
We are pleased to announce the appointment of Assistant Principal at Glenholme School. Susan Swann-Eason has been appointed to the position. Congratulations to Whaea Susan who has been doing a fantastic job as Acting Assistant Principal. This is a well deserved promotion.

F.O.T.S. Fundraising Easter Raffle

We are holding the great Easter Raffle again this year. We would appreciate donations of any Easter themed items such as baskets, Easter eggs, chocolate, chicks, etc to Whaea Donna. Tickets are now on sale in the morning in front of the office. \$5 for 3 tickets or \$2 per ticket. Raffle drawn on Wednesday.

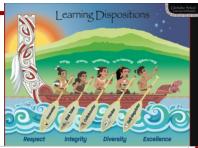
From the FOTS team.

F.O.T.S. Disco has now been postponed until Term 2. We will advise a date as soon as possible.



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Whakapoungakau Team

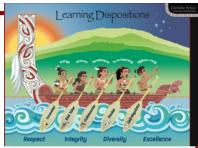
A1: **Ezra Overbye** for being a prime example of what a Young Leader is. He practices all Glenholme School values and Dispositions in everything he does. Ezra is kind and caring towards others and will go out of his way to make sure there is inclusiveness in our classroom and in the playground. Ezra works hard on all his tasks; he is achieving at a very good standard. Ezra is a respected member of A1 and a role model in our school. Well done Ezra

- A2 *Tawhiri Hoani* for demonstrating respect, integrity, diversity and excellence. Tawhiri has settled in well to school life in A2 with a willingness to learn and a positive attitude. Tawhiri is gaining confidence everyday to participate in classroom discussions by sharing his quality ideas and opinions. He demonstrates respect to both his teacher and classmates and is a valued member of the class. Well done Tawhiri, Whaea Kelly, Whaea Sarah and A2 tamariki are super proud of you.
- A3: **Thomas Richel** for working hard towards achieving your learning intention in reading. You are demonstrating your ability to monitor your reading by sharing with others your understanding of what you have read. Each time you head to your reading lesson you lead by example demonstrating the Glenholme values of achievement and responsibility. Keep up your awesome **Go for it** attitude.
- A4: **Puti Palmer** for striving to achieve excellence in all areas of school life. You show a high level of pride in the quality work that you produce. In particular, your writing about camp was excellent. Puti consistently challenges herself to take risks in her learning. She is always eager to attempt challenging work and uses this to extend her learning. Ka mau te wehi Puti, we love having a respectful, hard working student in A4.
- A5: **Stevie Lockwood** for being a positive and enthusiastic member of A5. Nothing is ever too much trouble for you and you often go out of your way to help other people both in the classroom and out, showing that you have integrity and an appreciation for diversity. You are making steady progress with your learning and have strategies in place for when you might be in the learning pit. Stevie, you are a terrific Glenholme Learner and we are very fortunate to have you in A5. Ka Rawe



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Tihi-o-tonga Team

B1: Addison Macdougall for being a focused learner in Maths. She is becoming a Risk Taker who is pushing herself to take on new challenges. Addison can independently collect data, create a dot plot graph and with teacher assistance analyse the data collected. You have also become a self regulator who will always complete a task to the best of your ability. Ka mau te wehi!

B2: Charli Curtis for being a motivated and hardworking learner in B2! She understands her learning intentions and works hard at achieving her success criteria, producing work at an exceptional standard. Charli involves herself in all aspects of the class whilst demonstrating many Glenholme school values and learner dispositions. She is a fantastic self-regulator who perseveres to stay on task until it is completed. Tino pai Charli, keep up the fantastic work!

B3: *Kahu Wineera-Ryder* for her outstanding commitment to her reading. Kahu shows perseverance and determination to complete her home reading every night and independently changes her books every day. She consistently strives to improve her reading by focusing on her expression, fluency and comprehension. Ka pai Kahu, keep up the amazing effort!!

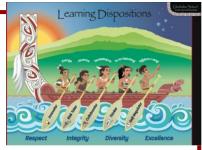
B4: Zian Gelvosa is a respectful, polite, well mannered and trust worthy young man who interacts well with all his classmates. He understands the importance of staying focused during lessons and displays a great attitude towards learning. Zian occupies his time constructively and works cooperatively with other students in large or small groups, readily sharing his thinking and ideas. Zian consistently strives for excellence and is beginning to take more risks and challenge himself. Keep up the great work Zian.

B5: Leon Litten for being a pleasure to have in B5. Leon displays the Glenholme School Values at all times and he manages himself responsibly in and out of the classroom. Leon listens carefully to instructions and he completes his work to a very high standard. He is a caring and thoughtful friend and I can always count on him to be in the right place at the right time. Keep up the excellent effort Leon, well done.



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Pukeroa Team

A6: Baishe Dalley-Wood for being a curious and confident learner. He displays the qualities of a great collaborator and thinker through carefully articulating his Science predictions, observations and explanations to Mrs Kiel and his peers. He has absolutely thrived during our science units this term and learning through science has complimented his prior knowledge of the world around him. Thanks for your wonderful insight and contribution to exploring science this term in A6. Keep up the enthusiasm Scientist Baishe!

C6: Sophia Baine for being a scientific superstar in C6. During our Science learning, Sophia has been using her thinking skills to make predictions, make connections, and talk about her understanding using amazing vocabulary. Keep up the hard work Sophia, we are proud of you!

C7: Oliver Long for trying hard and showing persistence with Writing. Oliver is growing in confidence, and has started to write his ideas more independently. He is learning to leave a space between the words, which means we can read his work. Well done Oliver, keep working hard.

Pukehangi Team

B6: Kruz Schwass-Adlam for being a wonderful learner in our class because he works hard, and doesn't give up, especially with Maths challenges. He reads and orders numbers confidently up to 100 and counts accurately forwards and backwards. He is a great thinker and a risk-taker with his learning. He is also a friendly, cheerful and helpful class member. Keep up the great work, Kruz. We love having you in B6.

C8: Aalylah Nooana for her wonderful attitude towards learning. Aalylah, right from your first day of school this year, you have been keen to learn. You enjoy taking on all new learning experiences and give everything a try, even if you find it a bit difficult at first. This enthusiasm has began to move you up the learning progressions in your Reading, Writing and Mathematics. Well done Aalylah. Keep striving for excellence!

C9: Gwynneth Napa'a for displaying all the Glenholme school values. Gwynneth is **R**espectful to all her classmates and teachers. She shows **I**ntegrity through her honest and fair behaviour. Gwynneth accepts **D**iversity within the classroom and includes everyone in her play. She exhibits **E**xcellence through her hard work, neat presentation and commitment to achieving her learning goals. Tino pai Gwynneth.

Hikoi 2 School Day

What a successful event the 'Hikoi 2 School Day' was last Thursday! Thank you to all the tamariki that jumped on a 'walking school bus' and thank you to the parents and whanau who supported this Rotorua Lakes Council initiative. We had a wonderful morning walking to school together despite a little bit of rain. A special thank you to the four walking bus drivers; Whaea Kylee, Whaea Blossom, Whaea Emma and Whaea Susan. Thank you also to Georgie from the council for providing lots of goodies which the tamariki received when they arrived at school and for the spot prizes they were given out in assembly the next day.

"Walk With Us - Hikoi Ngātahi Mai"



Sports Notices

Swimming

Kai Jung Ishida competed in the Waikato Junior Swimming Championships held at the weekend over at St Peter's College in Cambridge. Kai and his Rotorua Swim team of athletes came away with an impressive 45 individual medals with Kai winning a silver medal in the 50m breaststroke event. Congratulations to Kai for his achievements in the pool.

Kai is one of 26 senior students selected to compete in the CBOP Swimming Sports event next week at the Rotorua Aquatic Centre. We have not participated in this particular sports event for many years so it is an exciting opportunity for these tamariki and for our school to be represented. There are two categories; novice and competitive. Events include freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly, relays and the medley. Our students are entered in all the events and are looking forward to displaying their skills in the pool and competing against their peers from other Primary schools in Rotorua.



Year 3 & 4 Teams

The term one touch season ended last Wednesday with the finals. We had two very talented Tihi-o-Tonga teams compete. The Year 3/4 boys team Glenholme Pukaki, had a super successful time and were runners up in their grade. What a fantastic final result, congratulations boys. A big thank you to Vernei Mullen for coaching the team and Whaea Jade and Whaea Jodene for managing the team at school and on competition days.





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The Year 3/4 mixed team Glenholme Tunohopu, played every game with great enthusiasm and improved in every single game. They did not make the finals however they are all keen to play again in Term 4. A big thank you to their coach Teejay Samuel. Whaea Jodene was very impressed with the skills and passion that every player showed either on the field or on the sideline cheering for their teammates. How wonderful to see great sportsmanship being displayed by our tamariki. A final thank you to all parents who supported the tamariki every



Wednesday. We look forward to the teams playing again in term 4 as well as any other students keen to play.

Year 5 & 6 Teams

Senior touch had a great start to the season with lots of tamariki signing up for the Wednesday afternoon competition. We entered four teams with every team improving each week while also having fun on the field.

Rangiiwaho Team

The Rangiiwaho team was made up of mainly girls who wanted to give touch a go this season. They made vast improvements throughout the competition, working on their defensive lines and set plays. They won their last two games so a great end to the season. Ka pai Rangiiwaho team, we hope you all give touch another go in Term 4.

Te Roro-o-te-rangi Team

The Te-Roro-o-te-rangi team played in the top boys grade and showed lots of resilience throughout the season. They were narrowly beaten to a place in the final. This is a team to watch out for in the future. They showed glimpses of brilliance and also improved throughout the competition winning their final game 12-0. Their aim is to work on their set plays and defence in term 4. This team has a good chance of winning the term 4 competition.



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Taeotu Team

Well where to begin! I had the pleasure of coaching a very talented bunch of kids who had some great games.

Due to my own time restraints we had to have trainings at lunchtime which at times was a struggle to get the numbers there. We often had other students asking to join in (I must've been doing something right!).

We had some very close games in which the players gave it their all and finished with only 2 losses for the season, both of which were by a single try. The season seemed to stop just when the players were hitting their straps and culminated in what had to have to be the' try of the season' with a fantastic draw and pass from Shari Hayward to Nikora Ngahere who caught and placed the ball mid dive for a try! We had several players who were playing in other teams as well so I could not fault their commitment to the sport. Once again, it was a pleasure to help out the kids by coaching and hopefully they had as much fun as I did. (Write up by Taeotu Team Coach, Adrian Crothers).

Hurungaterangi Team

student in Year 6, 2016).

Wow what an exciting finish to our Term 1 touch season winning a drop off game in the final against Ruamata to win our division! We had a fantastic team that had the most amazing defence and a team that played together and for each other every game. Our awesome foursome in the center positions Peader Mullen, Daniel Baume, Nikora Ngahere and Wayne Whata-Leef made excellent yards and set up the plays. Linking up with our links Josh Roach and Malachi Edmonds-Kameta drawing in the defence and passing to our flying girls on the wings Kaiarihi Puku, Hineringa Falwasser and Tahlia-Rose Murphy. Every team member worked so hard on defence and put pressure on the opposing teams to come up with great wins, especially in the final. Thank you to all the parents and whanau that supported the team. I look forward to next season and would love to see all these great kids again in term 4 to finish the year! (Write up by Hurungaterangi Team Coach, Kyra Burns; ex Glenholme student and 'Principal's Award' trophy recipient for top

A huge thank you to Matua Erik for his commitment each week and for coaching and supporting our tamariki.

A big thank you also to Adrian Crothers and Kyra Burns for their time and efforts each week and Matua Mark for managing the teams at school. Finally thank you to the parents, caregivers and whanau for supporting and encouraging our tamariki every week at touch, we look forward to doing it all again in term 4.

*Just a reminder that all touch uniforms need to be returned asap, thank you.



Becoming a School Trustee

What do trustees do?

School trustees have a very important role in making sure every child at the school can reach their highest possible standard in educational achievement.

Here are some of the things they do:

- Work with the principal and consult with staff, students and the community
- Set the educational goals and strategic direction of the school
- Monitor progress and inform parents on how the school is progressing against its annual targets and on the development of the students
- Decide how the school's funding will be spent
- Select the school's principal and support the development of all staff
- Ensure the school is a physically and emotionally safe place for all students and staff,
 and is inclusive of and caters for students with differing needs
- Oversee the management of staff, property, finances, curriculum and administration.

What sort of skills do trustees need?

Trustees are active leaders in their schools and need a balance of skills and experiences. They need to work well in a team, be able to put plans in place for the school's future, ask challenging questions and have good communication skills. It helps to have strong links to one or several of the school's communities, as well as an understanding of financial matters and the education sector, and experience in managing people.

How do I become a trustee?

There should be information about who is on the board and how to make contact on your school's website. You can also ask your school about going along to a board meeting to see how it works. The board chair or any other board member can also answer questions about what the board does. Contact your school if you want to find out about standing for election, nominating someone else or voting in the election - they will be happy to help.







Children's Health Week 15 to 18 April 2019

At Te Aka Mauri (Rotorua Library)



Drop-in Health Services for kids!!

- ✓ Dental check-ups
- √ Nursing services
- ✓ Ear health check-ups
- √ Immunisations
- √ Vision checks
- √ Hearing checks
- ✓ Kia Wana Lakes Baby for breastfeeding & pregnancy services
- ... And much, much more

Drop-in between 8.30am and 4pm, Monday to Thursday, 15 to 18 April 2019
Or phone 0800 Lakes Kids (0800 525 375) for more information



Community Notices

#FullPukuFullPotential

It is OUR GOAL to REDUCE the number of tamariki going to kura hungry.

So if you're needing a hand with lunches for your child.
We will make sandwiches for your child and drop off to their.
Kura the following day.

Parents, caregivers and teachers Need to text

Kahira,

With NAME of child & kura they attend the NIGHT BEFORE the kai is needed. We will drop off sandwiches to the kura office by 12pm. If you would like to koha to #FullPukuFull Potential Please contact Kahira.

Kahira 0277393959





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Lost Property

We have an ongoing problem with our lost property. Lost property is kept in the Caretakers Shed. Any named property is given back to the owner. Students are responsible for their clothing, please check that children bring items home each day. Please ensure that the school uniform is clearly named.

Kia ora whanau, can you please have a look around at home for any PM readers

and School Journal books. These are not the books the tamariki are currently

reading for homework but books that have gone home since the beginning of

the term. We have done a stock take and there are a few missing. Teachers

look forward to getting these back before the end of term and appreciate your

support with sending these back to school, thank you.

<u>Glenholme School Events</u>



Based in the Glenholme School grounds

For 2-6 year olds

Open 8.30 - 3.30pm Monday - Friday School Terms Only

07 348 1489 or 021 023 68324

We provide meals and nappies

2019 Board of Trustees

Board Chairperson - Chris Allibone Principal - Sarah Thompson Staff Representative - Molly Norton Parent Representatives:

Julie Avery Amy Chung Kapie Tawhai Angie Brierley

School donations are greatly appreciated. Donations from parents and whanau are wisely allocated toward student special programmes. Please consider supporting the school and making provisions for our students that they may miss out on if donations are not made.

EASY PAY YOUR FEES.....

Pay your child's donations, sport fees and school trips the easy way directly via internet.

Bank account 03 1552 0169773 00 Reference - your child's full name

10th April CBOP Swimming Sports

11th April School Assembly (Thursday)

12th April Last Day of Term 1

12th April TEACHER ONLY DAY

19th April Good Friday

22nd April Easter Monday Observed

25th April Anzac Day

29th April Term 2 Starts

To Be Advised F.O.T.S. Disco

Happy Easter!

School Term Dates - 2019

Term One: Tuesday 29th January - 12th April

Term Two: 29th April – 5th July

Term Three: 22nd July – 27th September Term Four: 14th October – 13th December