Newsletter
<u>Issue 1</u>

Term 4

Thursday 15th October 2020

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





Welcome Back for Term 4 - Free mufti day PINK SHIRT DAY is FRIDAY 16th OCTOBER

Teacher Only Day is on Monday 2nd November

Teachers will be involved in Professional Development during the day.



Glenholme School has been lucky enough to be one of the schools to be part of the "Healthy Lunch in Schools Programme". This started at Glenholme School on day one of Term 4. We want to thank Ka Pai Kai Rotorua for providing our tamariki with the delicious kai! This is a photo of some of our tamariki enjoying their nachos and fruit salad on Monday at lunchtime.

In Term 3, A4 were privileged to have the amazing artist Janet Keen come and teach them some art skills. In week 8 they learnt about how to protect our wetlands and why that is so important. A4 produced poetry, posters and this fantastic large scale art piece with sponsorship from Resene Colour.





Parent Request Forms

Parent Request forms for 2021 class placements will be available for parents to collect from the school office from Friday 16th October. These forms need to be returned to school by Friday 13th November. The information that you provide regarding your child is useful when we are putting the classes together. Please note that the teachers in the different teams may change next year so please do not request a particular staff member.

Greats and Grans Morning

This is one of many exciting events happening this term. On Friday 23rd October Glenholme School classrooms are open in the morning to all our fantastic Grandparents: Nannies, Koros, Kuia, Kaumatua, Omas and Opas. The students will send invitations out to respective family members inviting them into their classrooms in the morning to see them in action and to showcase Glenholme School, and their hard work. The staff and students are looking forward to hosting all of our visitors on the second Friday of next term, before Labour Day weekend



Become a teacher. Study by distance in 2021.

Gain an internationally-recognised qualification without leaving the province.

The Rotorua Principals' Association and Te Kura Whakangungu Kalako | School of Teacher Education deliver an Initial Teacher Education (ITE) haport (community of learning) for the Bachelor of Teaching and Learning (Primary). This partnership enhances your learning experience with workshops and mentoring to help you learn strategies and skills to become an effective and dynamic teacher.

Come along to our information evening to learn about our Primary Teaching degree, fulltime and part-time study and postgraduate options. Find out how the ITE happri will support you on your journey to a rewarding teaching career.

UC Rotorua Open Evening Tuesday 20 October, 4.30pm – 6.30pm Mokoia Intermediate School, Brent Road, Owhata, Rotorua

College of Education, Health and Human Development. Te Rängal Ako me te Hauora Email: educationadyloegicanterbury.ac.nz www.canterbury.ac.nz/education







Healthy School Lunches Programme

Glenholme School will be part of the Healthy School Lunches Programme. Our lunches are being prepared by the Ka Pai Kai Rotorua Charitable Trust.

This term you will need to send your tamariki to school with a healthy snack for morning tea.

You will only need to send lunch if your child has significant food allergies.

Please do not send your tamariki to school with sweets or chocolate in their lunch box.

A reminder to whanau that we are a **water only school**. Our tamariki can bring a named water bottle to school. Please do not send any other drinks to school with your children.

\$100 Pak'nSave Voucher You could be the winner of a \$100 Pak'nSave voucher.

Staff members will be giving out tokens during Term 4 for tamariki (and whanau) who are doing the right things when they arrive and leave school each day at the school gates.

- tamariki using the pedestrian crossing correctly
- tamariki walking their bikes or scooters into or out of the school grounds
- whanau parking in the correct place

There will be a box in the office for the tokens.

Find a safe and considerate place to park while you wait for your tamariki









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

Art Lessons

After school art lessons for children who love being creative. Mondays to Wednesdays 3.30pm to 4.30pm and 4.30pm to 5.30pm. Enrolling now. Limited places, quality materials. Enquiries welcome, Janet Keen - Art Teacher 07 346 3436, 0273513887 email janet@jkeen.net



'PINK SHIRT DAY' FREE MUFTI DAY - This Friday the 16th October 2020

The Young Leaders are organising a FREE Mufti Day this Friday, the 16th of October, to raise awareness about Pink Shirt Day and anti-bullying. Students can come to school in mufti for FREE (wear something pink if possible), to stand together against bullying.

Pink Shirt Day is about working together to stop bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting positive social relationships. It's about creating a community where all people feel safe, valued and respected.

The Young Leaders will be handing out award coupons all week in the playground to children who are playing together nicely and including others in their games, being respectful to others, showing they value others and are looking out for one another. The coupons will go into the pink box in reception and one child from each team will win a prize.

BE AN UPSTANDER, NOT A BYSTANDER!!



SPORTS NEWS

Touch

There have been changes to the grading mini tournament for touch on Saturday <u>17th</u> <u>October</u> at the Westbrook Rugby Fields. A notice was given out earlier in the week with the information we were given on Monday. Another notice will go home today so please make sure you read it. Parent and whanau coaches will be given another booklet which contains the updated draw. Thank you to all the coaches for supporting our tamariki and the school at both the tournament and for the season. Here are the game times for Saturday.

- Yr 3/4 Glenholme Tihiōtonga 9.20am Field 7, 11.00am on Fleld 1 and 12.00pm on Field 2
- Yr 3/4 Glenholme Ngongotaha 9.20am on Field 6, 10.20am on Field 7 and 11.20am on Field 7
- Yr 1/2 Glenholme Ihenga 9.40am on Field 3b, 10.40am on Field 3a and 11.40am on Field 3b
- Yr 1/2 Glenholme Pukeroa 9.40am on Field 5a, 10.40am on Field 5b and 11.40am on Field 5b
- Yr 1/2 Glenholme Pukehangi **9.40am** on Field 6a, **10.40am** on Field 6b and **11.40am** on Field 6b
- Yr 5/6 Glenholme Tikitapu 1.00pm on Field 6, 2.20pm on Field 6 and 3.20pm on Field 5

If you have any questions about the tournament or touch please ask the teacher in charge for your child's level.

Mrs Kiel - Year 1/2 teams Whaea Jodene - Year 3/4 teams Matua Mark - senior team



SPORTS NEWS CONTINUED.....

Whakapoungakau and Tihiōtonga Athletics Day

The Whakapoungakau and Tihiōtonga teams will be having their annual Athletics Day on **Wednesday 4th November** (pp Friday 6th November). All Year 3-6 tamariki will compete in the following track and field events; 60m, 100m and 200m sprint, long jump, high jump, shot put and discus. The day will start at 9.20am and finish just before 3pm. All children are to arrive at school in school uniform and can then change into appropriate clothing (shorts & t/shirts). At the end of the day the expectation is that they will leave school in their school uniform. All tamariki will need their school hat, a water bottle, any medical requirements and morning tea. We encourage applying sunblock in the morning at home. There will be sunblock at school to re-apply throughout the day. The events will get underway at approximately 9.20am and will finish in the afternoon with the final sprint races and class relays (if time permits) towards the end of the day. We look forward to seeing as many parents, caregivers and whanau on the day to support our tamariki.

We require parent helpers for events. If you are able to help please fill in the slip at the bottom of the notice that goes home today and return it to the office as soon as possible, thank you.

Glenholme School Pikopiko Programme 2020

Building Assessment capable parents Deborah Taylor



Pikopiko Programme:

- support programme offered to the parents of students in their first year at school.
- information about what and how your child is learning, the language of learning, at Glenholme School
- Assessments in reading, writing and mathematics are completed for each student at 5, 5 1/2 and 6 years
- learning profile and resource pack is prepared for each student at each of these times
- Mrs Deb Taylor, Co-ordinator of the programme, then invites parents to a meeting to share the learning profile and to share the resource pack for parents to take away with them to support learning at home. 3 meetings are offered in that first year

For more information contact:

Deb Taylor-Glenholme School



Glenholme School Events

Term 4 Monday 12th October

15th October16th OctoberMonarch Show

16th October Pink Shirt Day (Free Mufti Day)
17th October Touch Grading Mini Tournament
20th October Vear 5-8 Touch Season Begins

23rd October Greats and Gran's Day

23rd October Pukehangi Farming Fun Day

26th October Labour Day

27th October B.O.T. Meeting 5.30pm 28th October Pukehangi Te Puia Trip 28th October Tihiōtonga Cultural Day

2nd November TEACHER ONLY DAY 3rd November School Pool Opens

4th November Tihiōtonga and Whakapoungakau Athletics

Day

5th November Guy Fawkes

6th November PP - Tihiōtonga and Whakapoungakau

Athletics Day

November 9-15th Road Safety Week

13th November Parent Request Forms Close

16th November - Tihiōtonga Marae Trip

1st December BOT Meeting

4th December Last normal assembly 9.15