

# Glenholme School Newsletter

Thursday 18th March 2021

Week 7 2021



## Principal's Message

Kamusta,

Our Year 5 and Year 6 students headed off to camp on Wednesday morning. They will be having an exciting 3 days at Totara Springs Camp near Matamata. We appreciate all of the support from whanau who have gone to camp as helpers. A big **THANK YOU** to Whaea Kylie, Miss Zara, Whaea Jade and Whaea Crystal for the huge amount of additional work they have completed to ensure that our tamariki have a wonderful camp experience.

Pukehangi Team offers Learning Through Play experiences for the tamariki in their team. If you have any of the following items at home that you are able to donate to the school we will be very grateful and will add them to the loose parts collection.

- Old reels
- Steering wheels
- Plastic pipes
- Old carpet
- Blankets and sheets
- Crates
- Planks of wood
- Large tubes

Please drop these off at the spare parts shed by B6.  
Ngā mihi  
Sarah Thompson

### **School Gates**

Ranolf Street driveway gates are locked from  
8.30am – 9.10am/2.45pm - 3.10pm  
Miller Street entrance is available for use:  
Monday to Friday 7.30am – 9.30am  
Monday to Friday 2.30pm – 3.30pm  
**Do not park in the school drive as this is a  
tow away area.**

## Academic Achievement Discussions

Week 9

**Tuesday 30th March and Wednesday 31st  
March**

We ask parents to collect their tamariki from school at 2.00pm  
on both of these days.

Please contact the school office if your child requires  
supervision from 2.00pm to 3.00pm.

Appointments are now open and can be made online  
[www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz)

Our event code is **sa7ep**

If you are unable to book via the website please phone our  
School Administration Assistant, Kylee Kennedy (348 1489)  
to make you bookings.

**Bookings are now open!**

**Absences or Changes of  
Contact Details**

**Office phone number  
07 348-1489**

**or you can text on 0212455214.**

## **FOTS 2021 Annual General Meeting**

**Monday 12th April 3:15**

**We Need You.....**

*We are a friendly and welcoming group of parents who give up a bit of our time to help make the school a better place for our children. FOTS events include school discos, raffles, and sausage sizzles. However, to make these events a success we need your help...*

*Whether you can offer a little or a lot, we'd love to have you involved. Most of us have other work commitments and we all know the time involved in leading busy family lives too, so whatever you can offer, we would really appreciate it.*



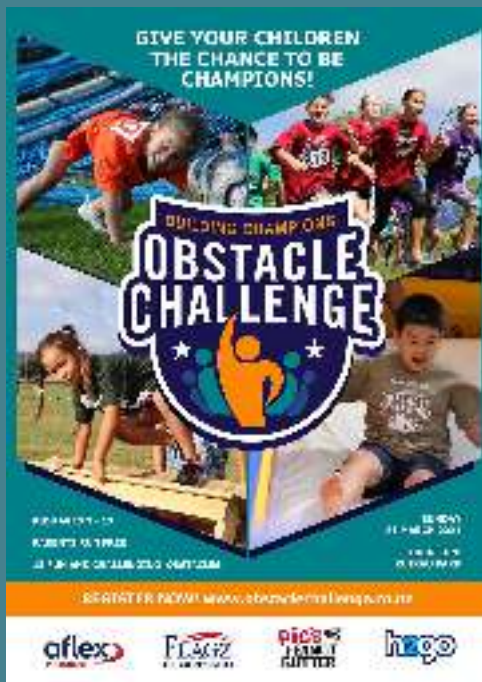
Last Friday we had some special visitors:

**Megan Williams and Dan Butterworth**

Megan and Dan competed in the BMX NZ National Championships at the weekend. They rode in the Junior Elite class, which is for 17 and 18 year olds. Megan gained first place and Dan was third. Megan also won Sportswoman of the Year. Megan and Dan have been friends since Year 1 at Otonga primary and they have been riding together since then. They began racing when they were 8 years old and have competed all over NZ and around the world.

The students enjoyed their presentation and were very enthusiastic.





## **Otonga Road Football Club** **SOCCER OPEN DAY**

Sunday 21 st March

Otonga Primary School fields

Fun games 5 th – 8 th grade 9.30am – 10.15am

Muster and games 9 th grade 10.00am – 10:45am

Muster and games 10 th grade 11.00am – 11.45am

Muster and games 11/12 th grade 12:00pm – 1.00pm

Free sausage sizzle

Opportunity to register for this season  
Club socks and shorts for sale (cash only)

Family fun!

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

email OtongaRoadFC@gmail.com or find us on facebook!

### **Glenholme Reading Together Workshops 2021**

Kia ora,

Thank you to the caregivers who came to the Reading Together workshop on Tuesday afternoon. Whaea Min is looking forward to next week now! Students come straight to the library after school.

Nga mihi

Whaea Min

### **Kahukura Junior Rugby Club registrations.**

We are still registering players, and still have spaces for 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 year olds. To register please go to [www.sporty.co.nz/kahukurarsc/](http://www.sporty.co.nz/kahukurarsc/) and click on Junior Rugby Registrations 2021.

If you have any questions please phone either Julian 021 810 005 or Ricky 021 469 954.

We are giving socks and mouthguards to every player that registers this month.



## **BOOK FAIR**

## **OPEN 29TH - 31ST MARCH** **IN THE SCHOOL LIBRARY**

The Book Fair will be in our school library for three days Week 9 from Monday 29th March - Wednesday 31st March. Teachers and students will view all the wonderful books for sale. Parents, caregivers and whanau can view the Book Fair on Monday 29th March - Wednesday 31st March during the Academic Achievement Discussions times. Payment can be made by Eft-pos or cash, credit facilities are not available. More information will be given to students closer to the time.

# TERM EVENTS

## Term 1

### Week 7

Wednesday 17 March to Friday 19 March

- ❖ Whakapoungakau Totara Springs Camp

Thursday 18 March:

- ❖ Tihiōtonga Blue Lake Trip

### Week 8

Tuesday 23 March:

- ❖ Board of Trustees Meeting

### Week 9

Tuesday 30 March - Wednesday 31 March

- ❖ Academic Discussions - parents collect their tamariki at 2.00pm both days

Thursday 1 April:

- ❖ *Teacher Only Day*

Friday 2 April:

- ❖ Good Friday

### Week 10

Monday 5 April:

- ❖ Easter Monday

Tuesday 6 April:

- ❖ Easter Tuesday

### Week 11

Thursday 16 April:

- ❖ End of Term 1

