Newsletter Issue 4 Term 3

Thursday 15th August 2019

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Parent Information Evening

Kia tū rangatira ai: Learning, succeeding and thriving in education.

Dr Melinda Webber is an Associate Professor at Auckland University.

She is undertaking a strengths-based research project about how students, learn, succeed and thrive at school. You are invited to attend a whānau hui/information evening where Dr Melinda Webber will have a presentation about her project to you.

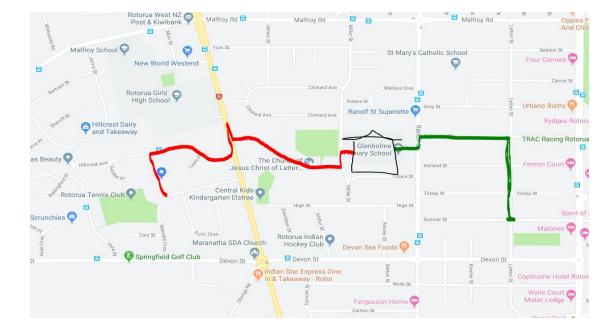
> Monday 26th August 5.30pm

This project will provide us with information which is particular to our school and we will also contribute to the national findings for this study.



Glenholme WSB (Walking School Bus)

- We have 2 Walking School Bus routes running this term (see map below)
- There is an assigned coordinator for each route. Thank you very much to Jo Watton and Heather Dennison who have volunteered to be the co-ordinators. We appreciate you supporting the school with this new initiative.
- Georgie Griffiths from RLC (Rotorua Lakes Council) will liaise with the coordinators during the term.
- The coordinators of the Green and Red routes have a list of children signed up to walk with them and the days they want to walk. For now the buses will run on Mondays for the Green route, and Wednesdays for the Red route.
- The *Glenholme WSB sign up information document* is held at the school office. It has the guidelines, sign –ups, routes and consent forms all within the one document. If you are interested in your child being on one of the walking school buses please make sure you grab one from the school office. The consent part of the form needs to be returned to the office as soon as completed, thank you.
- Any parents, caregivers or whanau <u>interested in volunteering</u> as a coordinator please let Georgie know via her email *Georgie.Griffiths@rotorualc.nz*
- If you have any queries please contact Whaea Susan sswanneason@glenholme.school.nz.





<u>Sports News</u>

<u>NETBALL</u>

The netball season is over for our senior netball team 'Glenholme Tarawera'. The team had a good season playing their final game last Saturday. A HUGE thank you to Justine Hawkins for coaching the team for the after school practices and on Saturday morning at the netball courts. We appreciate you volunteering your time to support our tamariki.

The junior and middle school netball teams have one more game next Monday 19th August at 4pm, good luck for your last games!

Just a reminder that ALL netball uniforms need to be returned to the school office please, thank you.

<u>MINIBALL</u>

The miniball season for the Friday night competition finishes on 30th August. Good luck to our four miniball teams for the last few games including the finals!

FLIPPABALL

Flippaball starts up at the beginning of Term 4. The teachers in charge of this sport will hold meetings towards the end of the term for students interesting in playing flippaball. In order to enter teams we need parents/whanau to coach, *No Coach = No Team*. Thank you to the parents who volunteer their time year after year, you are awesome! A notice will come home with all the information including the Sports Uniform Agreement form which needs to be read and signed by both the student and parent.

TOUCH RUGBY

The touch season starts in the first week of Term 4. This year the Year 1-4 teams play on a Tuesday afternoon and the Year 5-8 teams on a Wednesday afternoon. Again we need parents/whanau to sign up as coaches in order to register teams, **No coach = No Team.** The teachers in charge of touch have either held or will holding meetings In the next couple of weeks for children tamariki interested in playing. A notice will come home with all the information including the Sports Uniform Agreement form which needs to be read and signed by both the student and parent.





Principal Awards

Awarded to students making exceptional effort and or achievement at school, therefore deserving of acknowledgement and recognition. Presented to recipients on Friday 23rd August at Assembly.

Whakapoungakau Team

A1: Joshua Kim for having worked so hard this term. He has been challenged in math and has surprised himself at the level of understanding that he has. Joshua is also working extremely well in Reading by retelling a story as a Book Trailer. Joshua you are showing lots of school values and becoming a role model for your peers. Your confidence is growing and this is wonderful to see. Keep it up.

A2: Adalia Gemmell for being a fantastic student in A2 this term. Adalia has been engaged and motivated to do her best in her learning. Adalia communicates well with her peers, and will share her knowledge and expertise with others in her Math, Reading and Writing groups. Whaea Kelly is very proud of the attitude you have towards doing your best in all areas of your learning and school life. Well done Adalia, A2 are very proud of your efforts!

A3: Kayla Williams for being a good learner at Glenholme School. Kayla, you lead by example in A3 through your motivation to take charge of your own learning. You show an eagerness to complete more than is required to extend your learning. You regularly provide support for other classmates and you continuously show your role model attitude by leading many classroom activities. Ka pai Kayla, you are amazing.

A4: Maia AI Chakif for your enthusiasm to take charge of your own learning and for striving to achieve excellence in all areas of school life. Maia continually demonstrates a positive attitude towards learning and asks great thought provoking questions. Maia you show a high level of pride in the quality work that you produce. Ka rawe Maia, keep up the amazing mahi we love having a respectful, hard working student in A4.

A5: Cruze Conroy for your contributions to Glenholme School and A5. You are a risk taker on the sports field and consistently demonstrate all of the Glenholme School values when representing our school at events. In the classroom you are starting to take responsibility for your own learning, showing greater self regulation and focus in reading and maths. Cruze you are kind, thoughtful and well liked, thank you for being so awesome.



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Tihiotonga Team

B1: Parehe Andersen for being a risk taker in Maths. You are able to use a variety of strategies in your kete to solve addition or subtraction word stories. You also understand the importance of the learning pit and will persevere when you get stuck. Ka mau te wehi!

B2: Nate Gotz for being an excellent self-regulator by being organised and motivated towards his learning. He is very focused while working on a task and puts a lot of thought and effort into it. Nate has wonderful ideas that he loves to share with the class and we enjoy his contribution. He is always respectful and just a pleasure to have in our class. Ka mau te wehi Nate!

B3: Jessicah Ironside for displaying the School's Values and Dispositions. Jessicah is a great role model in B3 and is a Collaborator like Tamatekapua. She is always eager to help others and encourages them to do their best. Jessicah is a motivated learner who challenges herself and shows perseverance to complete her learning tasks. Well done Jessicah, keep striving for Excellence!!

B4: Novayah Tawhara for showing confidence and challenging herself during reading. She consistently reads every day and is making a great effort to finish all her reading tasks. Novayah has a positive attitude towards her learning and is gaining confidence to ask for help when she is stuck in the Learning Pit. Kia kaha Novayah.

B5: Thomas Kaio for beginning to make more and more positive choices both in and out of the classroom. He displays his beautiful manners most of the time and can be an enthusiastic member of the class, producing excellent work as a result. Thomas will often resist being distracted by others which shows that he is becoming a responsible and reliable young man. Keep up the great effort Thomas and remember to always strive to be the best you can be!



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Pukeroa Team

A6: Jordan Harris for displaying the traits of a brilliant author. Jordan is creative, he rereads and consistently checks his stories make sense. Your self checking helps you to articulate your ideas clearly and your illustrations ooze creativity, which makes Mrs Kiel smile. Jordan's enthusiasm and confidence also extends to leading the school haka in the mornings which is really neat to see! Keep up this role model attitude Jordan.

C6: Jayde Te Whau-Meelker for being a respectful and hardworking C6 superstar. Jayde tries her best in all of her learning, completing her work to a high standard. She has been learning to skip count in 5s and use that knowledge to solve problems. You are amazing Jayde, ka mau te wehi!

C7: Dhanush Kaki for having made great progress in Maths. Dhanush has been trying hard, and thinking about his work, and now he can join two sets of numbers together in his head. Dhanush has been doing his best work in C7, and Mrs Caudwell is very proud of him.

Pukehangi Team

B6: Jaden Rudolph-Niania for being a great learner in B6 because she consistently makes a great effort with her Reading, Writing and Maths. She thinks carefully about her Learning intention and works hard to achieve her next learning steps. She is a kind, helpful friend to other, younger students with their learning too. We love having you in B6, Jaden!

C8: Tanishka Mudaliar for her great attitude towards learning. Tanishka, since your first day at school you have been keen to learn. You enjoy giving new learning experiences a try and are often seen helping those around you with their work too. Your enthusiasm to learn has meant you are already taking on feedback and moving up the Learning Progressions for your Reading, Writing and Maths. Keep up the great work Tanishka, we can't wait to see where this determination will take you next.

C9: Dominick Thomas for showing the Glenholme School Learning dispositions. Dominick is a risk taker like Hinemoa. He is always challenging himself to do the very best he can, continuing until his work is finished. Dominick is a thinker like Te Ao-kapurangi. He is curious to learn more about things happening around him by asking questions and thinking about ways to solve problems. What a motivated learner Dominick!



<u>More FM Rotorua</u>

Spelling Bee 2019



Community News

 We have a team representing Glenholme School

on 15th August 4pm-7pm at John Paul College (Gymnasium).

- All Supporters welcome
- Team members please bring back your parental consent forms.
- Team from Glenholme School Junior Category
 - Year 6 Judd Dublin
 - Year 6 Tyler Paul
 - Year 5 Hineringa Falwasser
 - Year 4 Te Tai Savage

Individual Category

- Year 6 Anna Kokiri Tarei
- Year 5 Lexi Brierley
 - Year 4 Niksham Sen

Rotorua Intermediate School

Open Evening

Thursday 15th August 4.00pm to 6.00pm

Parents and whanau of prospective year 7 students for 2020 are invited to attend our open evening. We will have staff available to talk to you about:

- BYOC (bring your own chromebook)
 presentations at 4.30pm and 5.30pm
- Rumaki and bilingual
- Pathways programme
- Manaakitanga
- Student leadership
- Any general enquiries

No appointment necessary - call in to the school foyer between 4pm and 6pm to find out more about the exciting opportunities we can offer your child.



Five Year Old New Entrant

Pre-Enrolments

Glenholme School welcomes new arrivals to the school.

Parents of students who live within the home zone and intend enrolling their child at any time during the year should notify the school to assist the school to plan appropriately for the next terms.

We would like to encourage parents to contact Mrs Molly Norton (Deputy Principal) to confirm future student enrolments. To help determine future classroom placements, it is vital that the school has as much information as possible about future students. Enrolment forms are available at the school office or you can contact

Mrs Norton Deputy Principal 348-1489 ext 203 or email

Glenholme School F.O.T.S. Maths A Thon 2019

Each child will receive a pack which contains the following items:

Maths list for your child's team.

Sponsorship Card including information on the Maths A Thon.

Plastic Bag for the named sponsor card and money to be returned in.

THIS IS A SCHOOL WIDE MATHS A THON.

Help your child while supporting your schools fundraising. It is a great opportunity for the children to gain more confidence in maths, number recognition and numeracy. Encourage your child to learn and practice, practice, practice!

Prizes:

Every child who returns their named sponsorship card and money (from sponsors or from donations) will be entered into the draw.

Prizes will be drawn for each team plus several other draws!

Prizes include:

- Major Prizes include speakers, headphones and a tablet!!

- Family passes to Rotorua attractions

- Movie Vouchers

- And MANY MORE!!

There are businesses we are still waiting on so more prizes are in the offering.

Glenholme School would like to thank **Te Puia**, **Rotorua Duck Tours**, **Redwoods Treewalk**, **Escape Masters and Zorb** for your generous support.



AWHI EDUCARE

A Fun place to Learn & Grow

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

Awhi Educare

Awhi Educare is now offering

- 30 hours free service
- New Under 2's

2019 Board of Trustees

Board Chairperson - Kapie Tawhai Principal - Sarah Thompson Staff Representative - Donna Burns Parent Representatives: Jenny Packham Darryn Onekawa Marc 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

<u>Glenholme School Events</u>

Week 4

15th August 15th August

Week 5

21st August 22nd August 23rd August

Week 6

26th August 26th August

30th August Week 7 3rd September

3rd September

Week 8

13th September

Week 9

16th September 18th September 19th September 20th September

Week 10

24th September 27th September School Term Dates - 2019

Term Three: Term Four :

Spelling Bee JPC Gymnasium PP BOP Rugby Sevens Tournament

Orientation visits to Rotorua Intermediate School Pukehangi Team and Pukeroa Team Marae Trip School Assembly 9.15am

PP Pukehangi Team and Pukeroa Team Marae Trip Whanau information meeting - Dr Melinda Webber 5.30pm in the staffroom Daffodil Day Fundraiser

Rotomaths at Rotorua Girls High School Arena BOT Meeting 6.00pm

Art Week starts

Art Week continues

Rotorua Speech Competition Classrooms open to view artwork 2.00pm to 3.00pm School Assembly 9.15 am

CBOP Winter Sports Field Day End of Term 3

22nd July - 27th September 14th October – 13th December