Newsletter
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Term 3
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2020

### Glenholme School Gates For the safety of our

children:
The Ranolf Street
gates are now in
working order and
will be auto locked
during the times of
8.30am - 9.10am and
2.45pm - 3.10pm.
Parents are required
to park outside the
school grounds when
dropping off or
picking up children.

The car park is for STAFF only.

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



#### Welcome back to school for Term 3

This term we have many exciting events planned across the school. These include the students who are in Year 6 visiting Rotorua Intermediate, Team Cultural days and some of our winter sports codes starting up.

We have made the difficult decision to cancel our whole school Production this year as a result of COVID-19. Due to the time that we were not at school during Lockdown we are still trying to catch up with work we had planned for Term 2. We are currently planning to have production at the end of Term 3 next year.

On Monday 7th September we will be having a **TEACHER ONLY DAY**. Teachers will be involved in Professional Development during the day. All students will need to stay at home for the day.

The presentation of Principal Awards will be at School Assembly next week on the 31st July. There is no School Assembly tomorrow.

# Glenholme School 2020

**Board of Trustees** 

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

Marc Brierley





#### **100% Attendance Term Two**

- A1: Joshua Kim, Superior Rikihana, Egypt Roberts, Kaye Virganio
- A2: Hineringa Falwasser, Grace Fraser, Naomi Rapana, Joshua Roach, Alyana Tejero
- A3: Jack Abbott, Luca Allely, Elly Baldwin, Zelda Isaac, Harry Lane, Toakase Napa'a, Jesiah Peka-Haturini, Lucas Pemberton, Verah Villanueva
- A4: Brayden Bangs, Te Rawhiti Beets, Vinaina Bilivalu, Te Manawanui Christie, Zach Jeffries, Sophy Kang, Ruby Parton
- A5: Ravreet Kang, Cruze Conroy, Koshin Dutt, Thomas Kaio, Acacia Simiona Moke-Pouwhare, Lucas Stevenson-Schofield, Aesha Suryavanshi, Samuel Walker
- A6: Devyaansh Kumar, Czarina Laturnas, Kruz Schwass
- B1: Clare Bantolio, Traye Conroy, Baishe Dalley-Wood, Jordan Harris, Jaydah Heke, Loralie Packham, Katie Smith
- B2: Ashley Crengle, Amy Feng, Paige Mossong, Micah Overby, Luke Robson, C J Tuhakaraina
- B3: Dranrhym Basilio, Nikau Beets, Lucas Jensen, Maxamillion Jensen, Hauzay Murphy, Aaliyah Onekawa, Maddie Stroud, Steffany Tined, Oliver Watton
- B4: Shannon Gourlay, Trisha Malik, Himanshi Mudaliar, Noah Parton, Kimi Tanacio, Layla Thompson
- B5: Ashmeet Kang, Willow Bryers, Abigail Caba, Robbie Dennison, Aleah Haturini, Maddison Page, Darshil Patel, Carlos Tejero
- B6: Michaela Bangs, Te-Tohu Roberts, Dominick Thomas, Madison Walker
- C6: Paige Bedford, Reegan-Jayde Conroy, Yashvi Gounder, Ryan Henderson, Gwynneth Napa'a, Addisyn Paget, Keira Pemberton, Lucy Thompson
- C8: Carter Bangs, Olive Wiseman, Hunter Bedford, Hawea Daniel-Newton, Japneet Kaur, Thomas Rakulu
- C9: Aurora Pomare-Rikihana, Kyra Baldwin, Carter van der Vlugt



## **Intervention Programmes at Glenholme School**

Glenholme School provides a number of Intervention Programmes across the school catering to a selected group of students requiring extra support in Numeracy and Literacy.

We have five programmes this year all of which are funded by the Ngati Whakaue Education Endowment Trust Board and The Rotorua Energy Charitable Trust. We are extremely grateful for the financial contribution they make towards these programmes.

The Ngati Whakaue Education Endowment Trust Board have been supporting our Intervention Programmes for a number of years which has enabled the programmes to run year after year. The five Intervention Programmes running this year are; The Pikopiko Programme, The Year Old Literacy Programme, The Year 3 and 4 Maths Programme, The Toe by Toe Programme and the PPP (Pause, Prompt, Praise) Programme. An explanation about each of these programmes is on the next page.



## **Intervention Programmes at Glenholme School**

The Pikopiko Programme is a home-school learning based partnership that accelerates the learning progress and achievement of 5 year old tamariki from the time they start school. Deb Taylor an experienced teacher coordinates this programme. Parents and whanau work with the Deb to develop the knowledge necessary for them to support the development of core skills in their children. They are provided with tools, tips and strategies to support their children with their learning.

The 5 Year Old Literacy Intervention Programme targets 5 year old children. Through testing in the first weeks of school we are able to identify children who require extra assistance with either oral language and early reading skills. For the past two terms we have had children on the Booster Group Reading Programme. Mrs Cooney an experienced teacher aide has been delivering this programme for a number of years at Glenholme School.

The Year 3 and 4 Maths Programme is a Numeracy Peer-Tutoring Programme which aims to consolidate and accelerate number knowledge. The aim of the programme is to target students identified in the middle school who have yet to acquire the basic number knowledge skills. This is the third year the programme has been running in the school. It is delivered by June Paretoa an experienced teacher aide..

The PPP (Pause, Prompt, Praise) Reading Programme has been operating at Glenholme School for 19 years. This programme gives additional support to children in Year 5 and 6 who are reading at a level which is below the expected level for their age. We are very fortunate to have volunteer tutors from the community work with our tamariki.

The Toe by Toe Programme supports students that have difficulty decoding text and are reading well below their expected level for their age due to gaps in their knowledge and acquisition of phonics. We have a small group of Year 5 and 6 tamariki who work daily on the Toe by Toe Reading Programme with June Paretoa.



#### ROTORUA LAKES COUNCIL

We would like to let you know about a survey we are running to help Council better understand what our community values about local parks and reserves.

We acknowledge that the past couple of months has been a stressful time for many households in Rotorua, but it has also provided a unique opportunity for people to spend more time in their own neighbourhoods. COVID-19 Alert Levels meant people were using spaces close to home for recreation more than ever.

As we reflect back on that time, we want our community to share with us what they noticed about their local parks and reserves. Did you use them for exercise and leisure? Do you use them more now? What did you miss about having a local playground available?

Understanding how our community uses local parks and reserves, and what value people place on them, enables Council to effectively plan for future projects and work programmes.

We want to hear from you! Please take a few minutes to complete the survey and tell us what you value most about your local park or reserve.

Survey link - <a href="https://letstalk.rotorualakescouncil.nz/neighbourhood-parks-and-reserves-survey">https://letstalk.rotorualakescouncil.nz/neighbourhood-parks-and-reserves-survey</a> Please share this with your friends, whānau and wider networks.

#### Get the tamariki involved and win!

We want to hear from young people too! Get your tamariki to create a picture of the park or reserve that they like to use, and what they like most about it and send it in to Council for a chance to win a family pass for the Redwoods Treewalk and Family Aquatic Centre passes.

Click here to find out more about the competition, prizes and how to enter.

Due Date: Friday 7 August.

Nga mihi nui,

Sport, Recreation and Environment Team

Rotorua Lakes Council



### **SPORTS**

The **miniball** season started last term. The Year 5/6 Glenholme Eruera team made a great start to the season and are at the top of the table for the grade they are competing in. We wish our Year 5/6 team and their coach Eliana Maxwell all the best for the reminder of the season this term.

The **netball** season starts in week 2 (next week). The Primary School competition is a shorter season this year due to Covid-19. The Year 1-4 teams will play on Monday afternoon starting on the 27th July and the Year 5/6 teams will play on Tuesday afternoon starting on the 28th July. All draws are posted on our daily notices, facebook page and are also displayed on the notice board area outside A5 on the window.

The **Hockey** competition starts this Saturday 25th July for the Year 3-6 teams and on 8th August for Year 1 & 2 students (Fun Sticks). The season is also shorter this year due to Covid-19. Like miniball and netball, all hockey draws are posted on our daily notices, facebook page and are also displayed on the notice board area outside A5 on the window.

### **KAPA HAKA**

Kapa Haka starts up this term on Thursday afternoon which is very exciting! Whaea Tania and Whaea Lorraine are the teachers in charge of Kapa Haka this year and will be teaching the tamariki. Practices will be held on Thursday afternoons and there may be another practice afternoon later in the term. Tamariki that signed up for Kapa Haka last term will be released from class for the practice time. The annual Kapa Haka Ahurei Festival will be held in Week 8 of Term 4 in November. We have not been given a date that we perform but will let you know once this information is made available. Kapa Haka is open to all students from juniors to seniors.

## 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

#### 20th July - Term 3 Starts

Dental Mobile Van Onsite for Term 3

29th July - Academic Achievement Discussions (School Finishes at 2pm)

30th July - Academic Achievement Discussions (School Finishes at 2pm) 14th August - Individual/Class Photos

15th August - Lake Okareka Care Group plant trees on Saturday 15 August. **7th September - TEACHER ONLY DAY** 

#### **School Term Dates - 2020**

Term 1:

3rd February - 27th March

Term 2:

28th April - 3rd July

Term 3:

20th July - 25th September

Term 4:

12th October - 15th December



# Walk or bike to school

Using an active mode of transport to get to school puts your tamariki in the right mindset for learning



ROTORUA LAKES COUNCIL



