



Glenbrook School

Newsletter



Tuesday 12 August 2008

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The two beautiful days on Sunday and Monday gave us all hope that Spring was on the way BUT here we go again when we have Cross Country and Trees For Survival planned, the rain returns. This is very frustrating. Cross Country is going ahead today but the Trees for Survival Tree Planting has been re-scheduled for Wednesday 24 September.

Welcome to Glenbrook School

Welcome to the following new student to Glenbrook School

Kodi Robinson

I do hope you are making friends and enjoying school life at Glenbrook School.

Principal Awards

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded a Principal's Award.

Room 1: Jenna Matthews

Room 3: Noah Bradley

Room 4: Faith Jepson

Room 7: James Mitchell

Room 8: Liam Simnor

Room 9: Giana Shilcock

Room 10: Shannon Seel

Room 11: William Drelaud



The Wild Olive Award goes to Liam Simnor

Indulgence Evening

What a great night we all had on Saturday. Thank you to all the ladies who supported our hard working PTA and thank you to the ladies of the PTA who pulled it all together – especially Denyse. Wonderful effort.

Teacher Only day

Just a **BIG** reminder that our teacher only day for working on the new Curriculum Document is happening **Monday 18 August** and we ask that you keep your children home. The buses will not be running. All schools in the Waiuku Area are taking part in this Teacher Only Day on Monday.

Mathex

This is the week for Mathex!

Wednesday 13 August our Year 6 and under team will be competing.

Thursday 14 August our Year 7 and Year 8 teams will be competing

The Venue: Pukekohe Town Hall

The start time: 7pm

It would be great to have lots of people there to support our teams!

APPA Speech Competition

This is the first year we have entered our students in the APPA Speech Competition for some time.

Jessica Thompson will be competing in the Year 7/8 Competition at Aka Aka School on Thursday 14 August. The start time is 7.30pm

Micheal Nepia is competing in the Year 5/6 section at Ardmore School on Wednesday 3 September at 11am.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to compete with other students from the wider Auckland area.

Good luck to the Mathex Students
and the Speech Students

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<i>Dates to diary</i>	
Friday 17 October	Calf Club Day
Wednesday 10 December	Year 8 Dinner
Wednesday 17 December	Year 8 Social
Thursday 18 December	Prize-giving
Friday 19 December	Last day of term

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Wed 13 August	Mathex: Year 6 and under
Thurs 14 August	Mathex: Year 7 and 8 APPA Speech Competition Y7/8 @ Aka Aka ALSO Year 7 Immunisation talk will be held at school today
Friday 15 August	Manual
Mon 18 August	Teacher Only day
Tues 19 August	BoT meeting in the staffroom 7pm
Wed 20 August	Zone Cross Country
Thurs 21 August	Author visit to Glenbrook
Fri 22 August	Zone Cross Country S.D. Ronald McDonald Road-show visit – for the juniors

Have a good week.

Kind regards

Janice Mackay
Principal

The following poem probably reflects how we are all feeling.

Still Coming.....

The windows are dripping,
The grass is soaking, we're all inside,
Still as statues,
Bored as a tethered dog.

Winter months are bleak,
There's nothing to do but wait,
Wait till Spring,
But don't worry it's
Just around the corner and still coming.

Written by: Callum McSorley

Please remember – if you have any queries re your child at school do not hesitate to contact the school to make an appointment to see the class teacher or myself – we are here to work in partnership with you.



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NACHO DAY, THIS THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST 2008

Fundraiser for Year 7/8 Camp

Nachos: \$3.00 each

Golden Circle Fruit Drinks: \$1.50 each

Orders taken in the Multi Purpose Shed before school. The correct money in named envelopes is also accepted, but please note that it is very important to include your classroom number.

Thank you to all the helpers for these Year 7/8 Camp Fundraising Lunches. If you wish to add your name to the roster it is on the hall kitchen wall.

Please note that there will be **no** PTA Lunches on Thursday 14th August 2008.

INDULGENCE EVENING

A **BIG** thank you to all the PTA of Glenbrook School, local businesses and the community who supported our night. It was great!!!

CALF CLUB NEWS

Information Booklets and Registration Forms

Information Booklets together with registration forms are now available from the school office. If you intend entering a chicken for Calf Club Day you also need to complete a registration form which needs to be collected from the school office; (the return order chicken slip was not a registration form). If you have any queries or are keen to help with Calf Club this year please contact Katrina Shilcock on 235 8405 or Jo Brightwell on 235 0030.

Check out this website: www.calfclub.co.nz

Pet and Potato Poster Paper

The poster paper is now available from the school office if you are entering a pet or potato for Calf Club Day.

Steel Mill Art Poster Competition

The cardboard for this Poster is now available at the school office. Please see notice attached to this newsletter with details relating to this Art Competition.

Calf Club Trophies

Can those students who have trophies from last year's Calf Club please return them to the school office. If you know of someone who has left Glenbrook School and has a Calf Club trophy from last year, can you please let them know it needs to be returned to the office asap. If you have any queries with regard to the Calf Club Trophies please contact Jackie Parker on 235 3346.

Orphan Lambs for Sale

A large selection of strong and healthy orphan lambs.

\$40.00 each

Please phone Toni on 238 7071 or 027 253 4024

SOCCER REPORT

7th Grade Soccer - Glenbrook Rockets

A great game against Sandspit with the final score being 2-2. Jayden Innes Davies was our Captain for the Day, and the Goalies were Keelan Schnell and Sarah Fisher. Our first goal was a fabulous effort from Cheyenne Beaver with Keelan Schnell scoring our second goal. Player of the Day went to Faith Jepson. A fabulous effort by **ALL** players!!

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6th Grade Soccer – Glenbrook Steelers

The Glenbrook Steelers played Waipipi Wonders on Saturday 9th August at Waipipi. The full time score was 7-0 to Waipipi. The team had a blast getting out there and playing in the rain and mud. Player of the Day went to Ashleigh Kroef for awesome goal keeping in the first half. The Great Play Certificate went to Jack Morrison for a great game and also trying really hard at practise. A great effort team, and good luck for the next game.

NETBALL REPORT

Glenbrook Gazelles

More fun and action for the Glenbrook Gazelles. We drew 10-10 against Waiuku Pa. Once again our players were on top form. Goals were scored by Gabrielle (4), Louise (3), Talia (2) and Megan (1). Our defence of Laura, Hannah, Kyla, and Brooke put in a tremendous effort to keep the opposition at bay.

The second game was against Awhitu. Thank you Talia for scoring a goal for the team. It was a tough game; the rain came down, we soldiered on – good on you girls for giving it your best! Our Player of the Day was Laura McGregor who threw awesome direct passes while playing in her favourite position of Centre.

PHOTOLIFE CLASS PHOTOS

Your child/ren should have brought home last week a class photo envelope. If you wish your child/ren to purchase a class photo please fill in your details on the outside of the envelope provided and return to the school office together with payment no later than Friday 22nd August. Please make cheques payable to Photo Life Studios Ltd.

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KAT – KIDZ AFTA 3: QUALITY BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

All programmes are CYFS and OSCAR approved

Before School Care operates from 6.30am, and Breakfast is provided for the children (at no extra charge) – we will then drop your kids off at school in the morning.

After School Care operates until 6.00pm – we do pick-ups from Glenbrook School.

Limited spaces are still available for Glenbrook School.

For more information contact Sue on 027 222 6943 or 021 864 116 or email kidzafta3@gmail.com or visit our website www.kat.net.nz

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