

Glenbrook School Newsletter



Tuesday 7 April 2009

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The last week of term and I am sure you are hoping that the fine weather will last for the term break.

Welcome to Glenbrook School

Welcome to the following new student to Glenbrook School

Jahvarna Butler

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

There will be an ANZAC Day Service in the Waiuku War Memorial Hall at 11.15am after the parade to the Cenotaph. This service will be of special interest to children. Entry is free and the service will last approximately 45 minutes.

The children are also invited to enter a competition to appear in the Waiuku Post newspaper. Write a short story telling why we wear the poppy on ANZAC day. It could be about your feelings about Anzac day or about someone you know who went to a war. Entries can be emailed to waiuku.news@xtra.co.nz dropped off to the Post, 18 Bowen Street, Waiuku or posted to PO Box 374, Waiuku

Principal Awards

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



- Room 1: Jazmine Aicken
- Room 3: Noah Bradley
- Room 4: Breanna Lieder
- Room 7: Ben Passau
- Room 8: Justin Davies
- Room 9: Bob Irving
- Room 10: Liam Clarke
- Room 11: Astarlii Taokia

Assembly

We will hold our weekly assembly on Thursday 9th April at 2.15pm

Staffing

We have just received wonderful news from the Ministry of Education. As our roll has grown we have been given the provision to the end of the year to employ another TEACHER!! We are now busily trying to determine exactly how we will organise this. We will be issuing a Board Newsletter at the end of the week and we will have details for you then. Clearly we will be searching for a quality professional to fill this role.

Pool

The pool will close on Wednesday 8 April and just a reminder that you need to return your pool key to Linda in the office and claim your \$10 bond.

ANZAC Parade

Just a reminder of the ANZAC Parade on Saturday 25th April. I have 5 students who have agreed to march with me and of course, if on the day you decide to come and join us, you will be more than welcome. Please wear your school uniform if you want to march under the school banner. We need to assemble by the War Memorial Hall by 10.00am.

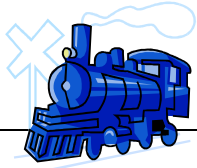
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Dates for 2009

Term 1	Wed 4 February - Thursday 9 April
Term 2	Monday 27 April / Friday 3 July
Term 3	Monday 20 July / Friday 25 September
Term 4	Mon 12 October / Thurs 17 December

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Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Thursday 9 April	Last day of term
Monday 27 April	First day of Term and ANZAC Ceremony
Tuesday 5 May	Year 7 / 8 students go to Dance with Mythology
Friday 8 May	Visiting performers for senior school students – ‘Speech Snatcher’ show
Friday 29 May Please diary this date!	Advance notice for a Teacher Only Day for staff to work on the New Curriculum

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.

Have a restful term break with your children.

Kind regards

Janice Mackay
Principal

SCHOOL LUNCHES

This Thursday 9th April 2009 – Lemonade Popsicles For Sale

\$1.00 each. Please note only one popsicle per child. No orders taken – bring your \$1.00 to the hall at 12.45pm.

SCHOOL SOCCER

Please remember soccer practise tomorrow, Wednesday 8th April, after school if you are available. If anyone has still not paid their soccer fees of \$25.00 per child, could you please ensure you hand it in to the Glenbrook School Office by this Thursday 9th April. (Cheques made payable to Waiuku Junior Football Club.)

There is a limited amount of black rugby knit shorts in size 6 only available for purchase at the Glenbrook School Office at a cost of \$5.00 each. These shorts would be ideal for soccer.

CONGRATULATIONS

Liana Smith and Joshua Lieder recently competed in the Year 7/8 Champion of Champions swimming event held at the Mt Roskill Aquatic Centre. The Senior Girls Freestyle Relay Team comprising of Liana Smith, Shae Miller, Erin Evans and Amber Hedley took out third place; and the Senior Girls Medley Relay Team made up of Liana Smith, Shae Millier, Phoebe Kempton and Delilah Gasson came 5th. Way to go Liana.

Josh Lieder competed in the 50m backstroke event coming 4th in his heat, and was in the Senior Boys Freestyle Relay Team who came 5th in their heat. Well done Josh.

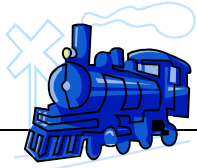
Great swimming, and congratulations to both Liana and Josh for representing Glenbrook School at this event.

SCHOOL GALA DAY

The final figures are now available and we raised an amazing \$19,170.67 after taking out expenses. Well done everyone, this is fantastic!

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LOST NAMED SCHOOL UNIFORM

Talia Mowbray, Room 10, has lost her school jacket – clearly named.

Please check that your children are wearing their own named school uniform.

SCHOOL UNIFORM FOR SALE

Size 12 – Glenbrook Vest (never worn): \$15.00

My apologies to the lady who rang me about the polo shirts. I promised to ring her back but I lost the phone number.

Please phone Christine Gerbich on 235 0055.

KAT – KIDZ AFTA THREE – HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

We are running our holiday programme from Tuesday 14th April through until Friday 24th April (inclusive).

Hours: 6.30am to 6.00pm with the Holiday Programme running between 9.00am and 3.00pm.

Venue: Sandspit Road School Hall

Pick up a Holiday Programme Brochure from the Glenbrook School Office or visit our website www.kat.net.nz.

Completed School Holiday Programme Registrations can be dropped off at the Glenbrook School Office by Wednesday 8th April. For more information please contact Sue or Anne on 027 222 6943 or email kidzafta3@gmail.com

GLENBROOK KINDERGARTEN QUIZ NIGHT

At the Glenbrook Hall on Thursday 21st May 2009 commencing at 7.30pm

Cost \$10.00 per person with a maximum of eight people per team

Grab your friends, family and neighbours and get a team together

BYO drinks and nibbles

Spot prizes and raffles

Phone Cheryl on 235 6380 for details and tickets

TRIVIAL PURSUITS EVENING

Hosted by The Otua Village Preservation Society Inc

Friday 24th April at 7.30pm in the Otua Community Hall

We are challenging our neighbouring communities to pit their wits against ours. Supper is provided, BYO, soft drinks for sale, raffles, lucky number door prizes.

Maximum of eight people per team (as many teams as you like).

Tickets \$10.00 per person

For tickets please phone:

Lynne McDonald 235 2781

Glen Lee 235 2731

Ronnie Wright 235 2646

Waste Petroleum Combustion Ltd (WPC Ltd) a waste oil processing business has appealed against the Commissioner's findings to refuse consent to relocate to Otua village. The next step is the Environment Court, an expensive exercise. Please support our Trivial Pursuits fundraising evening. If Resource Consent is granted and WPC Ltd moved to Otua, their tankers carrying waste oil, reprocessed oil and trade waste will be passing Glenbrook School on a regular basis.

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