

Glenbrook School Newsletter



Tuesday 5 May 2009

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The colder weather has certainly arrived and it is time for students to be wearing their warmer uniform. Please make sure all uniform pieces are named. Thank you.

Welcome to Glenbrook School

Welcome to the following new students to Glenbrook School

Grayson and Findlay Carter

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: Sam Bulwer

Room 3: Brooklyn Panchia

Room 4: Max Byrne

Room 7: Robert Simmons

Room 8: Abby Saddleton

Room 9: Michael Hapeta

Room 10: Reyne Evaroa

Room 11: Mackenzie Roberts-Craig

PTA

The PTA had their meeting last night and have organised some amazing events for fundraising and just to bring some fun into our lives. Watch this space for an evening of magic and hypnosis, and a school disco this term. For term 3 a 'Fashion A & E' show has been booked also.

Start collecting your favourite recipes because Bronwyn Bulwer is the coordinator for the PTA for putting together a Glenbrook School Recipe Book. More information on all these wonderful events will be in next week's newsletter!

Amazing Success

We would like to congratulate Mackenzie Roberts-Craig for her amazing feat in winning her age group at the National BMX Championships – she now goes on to compete in the World BMX Championships in Australia. As you can imagine this will be quite an expense for the family so the school is going to swing behind Mackenzie and hold a sausage sizzle and a mufti day in the near future to assist with their fundraising.

Conor Crompton and Leon Adams also competed at the Nationals and although they took no major prizes we would like to congratulate them for getting to compete in the Nationals.

Dates for your diary

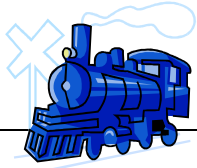
Date	Event
Friday 8 May	Visiting performers for senior school students – 'Speech Snatcher' show
Tuesday 12 May	Y8 Girls 2 nd Immunisation dose BoT meeting in staffroom 7pm
Friday 22 May	'Minibeasts' show coming to school
Monday 25 May	PTA Meeting
Friday 29 May	Advance notice for a Teacher Only Day for staff to work on the New Curriculum
Monday 1 June	Queen's Birthday
Wednesday 10 June	Individual photos – Photolife Also Australasian Science Test
Monday 22 June	PTA Meeting

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Dates for 2009

Term 2	Monday 27 April / Friday 3 July
Term 3	Monday 20 July / Friday 25 September
Term 4	Mon 12 October / Thurs 17 December

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 good week.

Kind regards

Janice Mackay
Principal

School Lunches

Fantastic Noodles (Chicken or Beef), this Friday
8th May 2009: \$2.50

Netball Report

Dolphins

Congratulations to the Dolphins Netball team on their awesome play on opening day (Saturday 2nd May). They played View Road Red and won 4-0, and they also won against Awhitu 4 with the final score being 15-1. Yay!

Makaia Brown-Ikitule was awarded Player of the Day for his outstanding skills. Well done the Dolphins!

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Year 7 and 8 Netball Rep Teams

Last week we had five girls trial for the Year 7 and 8 Rep teams. Well done to Abby Saddleton who made it through to the call back for Year 8 trials, and congratulations to Nicola Simmons who was selected as a Reserve for the Year 7 Rep Team.

Tennis Results

Waiuku Tennis Club had their prizegiving on Friday night, and the following two Glenbrook School students received trophies:

Megan Muir won the Most Improved Player for Grade 6 Interclub, and the Plate for the Under 12 Girls.

Nicola Simmons won the Under 12 Girls Singles and Doubles Club Champs, as well as the Most Improved Junior Girls.

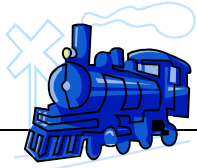
Congratulations to both Megan and Nicola.

Kidz Afta Three Before and After School Care

Is there a parent who would be interested in waiting with the Glenbrook School Kidz Afta Three students in the Glenbrook School grounds for approximately 15 minutes at the end of each school day, until the Kidz Afta Three Caregiver arrives to collect these students (for a small monthly payment). If you are interested please phone Sue on 235 5239 or 027 222 6943.

Please note that Kidz Afta Three are available to care for students on our Teacher Only Day – Friday 29th May. Please phone Sue if you require childcare for our Teacher Only Day.

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FOR SALE

Five gorgeous little baby Lop Bunnies – two are white, two are black and one is chocolate brown. Are all very friendly and cuddly, and were born on Easter Sunday and will be ready to go to a new home in three to four weeks. If you are interested or you would like more details please phone Jasmine on 235 7000 or text 027 380 7033.

PUKEKOHE YOUTH CHOIR

An opportunity for girls and boys aged 11 to 21 years

Monday nights at Franklin: The Centre from 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Excellent choral training by local vocal tutor Sharon Tuapawa

\$50.00 per term

We are working towards competitions and a concert in July

Come and join us

Phone Nicki Turner on 236 4266 for details

BOXES OF TISSUES WANTED

The PTA is once again asking if each family could donate one box of tissues. Please send to the school office. These are much appreciated, especially during the coming winter months, and are used in the classrooms.

TRIVIAL PURSUITS NIGHT

Fundraiser for the Waiuku Tennis Club to assist with repairs to their clubroom deck.

Date: Friday 15th May 2009 at 7.15pm

Venue: St John's Ambulance Hall, Constable Road, Waiuku

Tickets: \$10.00 per head

Members a plate

We would also be very grateful for any donations of prizes

Contact Jacqui Brady 235 8802 or 021 658 466 for table bookings and enquiries

HEALTHY EATING COURSE

The River of Life Centre Trust is running a "Healthy Eating on a Budget" course at Valley School, Pukekohe on Saturday 16th May from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. This course includes a wide range of healthy eating tips, healthy eating information and ideas and advice on healthy eating. Participants will be undertaking hands-on preparation and cooking of two to three different sample dishes.

A donation/koha of \$5.00 is requested to help cover food costs.

Registrations are essential on info@hcc.net.nz or phone 09 299 9394.

SCHOLASTIC BOOKS

All orders and payment need to be in at the Glenbrook School office by this Friday 8th May. Please note that cheques need to be made out to Scholastic New Zealand.

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