



# Glenbrook School Newsletter

Wednesday 29th August 2018



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## **Message from the Principal**

Nau mai, haere mai Parents and Whanau and welcome to week 6. We are now entering the build up to Calf Club. Classes are preparing their class items and information will be sent home shortly about what you need to send into school, rosters for stalls and the timetable for the day. This will be our 79th Calf Club and although we are calf, lamb and goat free this year, it will still a great community day.

## **Glenbrook Steel Mill Visit**

Yesterday our Senior Leadership team visited the Glenbrook Steel Mill. We were very lucky to be shown the process at every stage and walked through how unique our Steel Mill is. It was great seeing familiar faces yesterday and speaking with various leaders within the operation. We were very excited by the Science, Technology and Mathematics being used. A huge thank you to Mark Weaver who organised our visit and thank you to everyone at the Glenbrook Steel Mill. We look forward to strengthening our partnerships and cross sector collaboration with the Steel Mill as the Glenbrook community.

## **Welcome Miss Shuker**

We are pleased to announce that Miss Monique Shuker has joined Glenbrook School. She will be working across the school on Mondays and Fridays for the remainder of Term 3 and begin full time in Term 4. Miss Shuker had a very successful practicum as a student teacher and we welcome her to our profession.

## **Glenbrook SENCO**

Mrs McKenna is now our Glenbrook Special Needs Co-ordinator. She spent the last term transitioning into the role from Mrs Thompson. Thank you Mrs McKenna for your leadership in this area.

## **Uniform Check**

Please make sure your child's clothing items (including shoes) are named. If they have brought the wrong jumper or clothing home, please can you return to school.

## **Mathathon**

There are still students who have not returned Mathathon money and sponsors forms. These are now due back. Please return immediately.

## **2019 Enrolments**

If you have a child or know of a child or children who are looking to enrol in Glenbrook School for 2019, we ask that parents please come in and complete an enrollment form. This gives us an indication of class sizes for 2019 and also for event planning such as camp. For families who are out of zone, they will be placed on the waiting list and decisions regarding 2019 placement will be made in October. We would like an idea of numbers for staffing, transition and camp bookings, so early enrolment is helpful. (2019 Snow Camp information for Y 7 & 8 is already being sent out). Please email Miss Stuart if you have any queries.

## **Book Fair**

Our annual Book Fair is from Wednesday 12th September to Tuesday 18th September in the Glenbrook School library. It is open at lunchtimes and after school until 3.30pm. Students can purchase books and other bits and bobs.

## **Photolife Photos**

Class / sports / cultural photos will be taken on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September. These are purchased by pre pay only so please pick up your photo envelope at the office if you would like to order one.

## **Parent Portal**

It is essential that all parents and caregivers have access to our Parent Portal. If you have not done so, please email Miss Stuart your email so this can be set up. You then need to download the @schoolmobile app to your phone. Every Monday our teachers post what is happening and up and coming events.

We note that many parents have signed up to the portal but have not downloaded the @schoolmobile app and signed into it. Please remember to do this to receive valuable information about Glenbrook School.

## **Attendance**

Just a reminder in the interest of your child's safety you are required to phone or email the school or reply to the absence text message. We are having a lot of unexplained absences at present. Unexplained absences are marked as truant. If you are going on holiday you are required to seek permission from the Principal in writing, via email or send a letter to the office.



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## CALF CLUB - SATURDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2018

**Trophies:** Please can all trophies awarded at Calf Club last year be cleaned and returned to the Office.

It is that time of term that our children tend to start to get over-tired, especially if they are just finishing winter sport. Please, if you can, ensure your child is getting a good night's sleep. Turn off the digital devices and let the mind and body rest and relax. Thank you everyone and have a lovely week.

Your Principal,

Ms Lysandra Stuart

[stuartl@glenbrook.school.nz](mailto:stuartl@glenbrook.school.nz)

## Term 3 Events

Assembly: Te Rangi	Friday 31st August
7&8 Technology	Wednesday 5th September
Auckland Cross Country Champs	Thursday 6th September
Photolife Class and Sports photos	Thursday 6th September
Assembly: Uenuku	Friday 7th September
Mufti Day:	Friday 7th September
AIMS Games starts	Sunday 9th September
Piwakawaka Cross Country	Tuesday 11th September
Book Fair	Wed 12th ~ Tues 18th Sept
Assembly: Te Whenua	Friday 14th September
7&8 Technology	Wed 19th September
Pie Day	Thursday 20th September
Pie Day	Friday 21st September
Assembly: Parekereke	Friday 21st September
Franklin Duathlon	Tuesday 25th September
NO ASSEMBLY ON FRIDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER	
Last Day of Term	Friday 28th September
Calf Club Day	Saturday 29th September
First Day of Term 4	Monday 15th October

## Glenbrook Netball

Glenbrook Netball Club Prizegiving is on next Friday the 7th of September at 6pm in the Glenbrook School hall.

All players are to come in their netball uniform with jackets for a whole club photo.

Refreshments will be provided and everyone is welcome.

Any inquiries please contact Dania on 0220477462 or your manager or coach.

## PUKEKOHE LOCAL PHONE BOOK DELIVERIES 2018 – We

### **need your help!**

We have been asked to deliver the local phone books by Yellow Pages to the Pukekohe area for which we will get approx. \$4000. We need lots of people and vehicles to load up the shrink wrapped books.

**Sat 15th September: 9am to finish - Delivering phone books to the Pukekohe residential area**

We will also be looking for people Friday 14<sup>th</sup> & during the week 17th to 21<sup>st</sup> Sept to deliver before 5pm to business. Please call/ text/email Kathy 02102554311, [PTA@glenbrook.school.nz](mailto:PTA@glenbrook.school.nz), Stacey 0275679747 [stacelb@orcon.net.nz](mailto:stacelb@orcon.net.nz) if you can help.

## Fun with Art in the School Holiday!!!

**Where:** at Wilma's studio at 44 b Victoria Ave Waiuku Time: 9 am till 3 pm

**When:** 1 October till 12 October 2018 Cost: \$40 a day, (price is gone up for the reason that we do trips away) half day \$20 (10% discount for 2 children in one family) Ring : Wilma Suppers 021-1692561. E-mail: [wapa@orcon.net.nz](mailto:wapa@orcon.net.nz).

Bookings essential, there is only limited space for 6 children (pay deposit please). Fruit and drink will be supplied, please bring lunch.



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