

01/08/22

Kia orana, tenā koutou, mālo le soifua, noa'ia, mālo e lelei, fakalofa lahi atu, talofa lava, bula vinaka,, namaste, marhaban, salam alaykum, nei hou and hello everyone.

We have a busy week this week with a lot of exciting events happening.



**'Epetoma ō te reo Māori Kūki 'Āirani - Cook Islands Language Week** celebrates the languages spoken by the people of the Cook Islands; Cook Islands Māori, the Western Polynesian language Pukapuka, and the distinctive mixture of Cook Islands Māori and English spoken by the people of Palmerston Island. Cook Islands Māori has a number of distinct dialects, the most widely used of which is Rarotongan. *'Ātuitui'ia au ki te Oneone o tōku 'Ui Tupuna. Connect me to the soil of my ancestors* is the theme this year.

**Vaccination Event-Wednesday 3rd August 3.00-4.30 Glendene School Hall**

Come along to our school hall if you need Covid Vaccinations catch up and booster doses, MMR Vaccinations, Flu Vaccinations for those eligible, Supervised



RAT and Hep C Testing.

Public Health Nurses will also be available for [Boostrix](#) and HPV vaccine and complete NIR checks for [tamariki/children](#).



**Blue Light Disco 2.00-3.00 Friday 5th August in the school hall**

Thank you to the New Zealand Police for hosting this free disco for our tamariki/students.

Entry is free. Sausage sizzle is free. You can bring gold coins to buy treats. The disco finishes at 3.00pm. More information at the end of this newsletter.

### Gecko Way for Term 3

Use kind words, kind hands, kind feet, kind face. 'Kia ngāwari.'



Take care with others' personal space. People are sacred and can only be touched with their own permission. 'He tapu te tinana o te tangata.'

If kindness is what you show, kindness is what you will receive. 'He aroha whakatō, he aroha puta mai.'

Do things the Gecko Way even when adults are not watching. 'Tauratia te mahi tika kia mataara.'

### Muffi Day-Dazzle Day Friday 5th August or Bring Your Bling-Gold coin donation

Funds raised from our Muffi Day will go towards our school bike track and our end of year Fun Day.

Aere rā,  
Sepora Mauigoa

Week	Dates	Events for Term 3, 2022-Please note these are subject to change
Week 2	02/08/22 03/08/22  05/08/22	<p>Te Reo Māori Kūki Airani-Cook Island Language Week</p> <p>Save Day Ultimate Frisbee-Te Atatu Cluster</p> <p>Vaccination Event at the School Hall</p> <p>Cook Island Language celebration</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Dazzle and Bling Mufti Day-gold coin donation for bike track and end of year Fun Day</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>Blue Light Disco 2.00-3.00 in the school hall</p>
Week 3	10/08/22 11/08/22 12/08/22	<p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Brick Pit-Lego in the hall</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>Kapa Haka</p>
Week 4	16/08/22  17/08/22 18/08/22 19/08/22	<p>Rippa Rugby-Te Atatu Cluster</p> <p>Board of Trustees hui/meeting</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Save Day-Rippa Rugby</p> <p>Mufti Day-Pyjama Day-gold coin donation</p> <p>Board of Trustees Nominations close at 12.00pm</p>
Week 5	24/06/22 26/08/22	<p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Rippa Rugby-Te Atatu Cluster</p> <p>Kapa Haka</p>
Week 6	30/08/22 31/08/22 01/09/22 02/09/22	<p>Netball-Te Atatu Cluster</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Māhuru Māori</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p>
Week 7	05/09/22 07/09/22 09/09/22	<p>Lea Faka-Tonga, Tongan Language Week</p> <p>Puberty Programme for Rooms 5 and 7</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Tongan Language Celebration Day</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>Kapa Haka</p>
Week 8	12/09/22 13/09/22 14/09/22 16/09/22	<p>Te Wiki o te Reo Māori</p> <p>Board of Trustees hui/meeting</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Whakanui/Fiafia Day</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>Kapa Haka</p>
Week 9	21/09/22 23/09/22	<p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>Kapa Haka</p> <p>Board of Trustees Election Day</p>
Week 10	26/09/22 28/09/22  30/09/22 30/09/22	<p>NZ Chinese Language Week and Te Gana Tuvalu/Tuvalu Language Week</p> <p>Life Education Caravan in school</p> <p>Launch Pad</p> <p>Life Education Caravan in school</p> <p>Kiwi Can in School</p> <p>NZ Chinese and Tuvalu Language celebrations</p>

## **BOT CORNER:**

**Our Glendene School Board of Trustees elections will be held this year on Friday 23 September.**

**We have 5 positions on our Glendene School Board of Trustees.** If you work well in a team and have great communication skills and loves to ask challenging questions and most importantly can make yourself available two evenings a term, why not nominate yourself or nominate someone you feel will do a great job at governing our school. An email was sent out on Friday 29 July regarding the elections and a nomination form was attached. If you would like a nomination form printed out for you, please contact the school office.

If you would like more information on how to become a Board of Trustee member, please contact Cecilia in the school office as below and she will be happy to provide the information you need.

Nominations close at 12.00pm on Friday 19 August 2022. All communications going out to families for the Board of Trustees elections will be by email. **Nominations must be dropped off to the school office or posted to Glendene School before Friday 19 August 2022.**



**Get on board!**

Nominate yourself or someone you know to be a school board member

Glendene School Returning Officer:  
**Cecilia Vincent-Apiata**

Contact Details:  
Email: [office@glendene.school.nz](mailto:office@glendene.school.nz)  
Phone: (09)8388603  
Mobile: 02108475283



## Upcoming Reminders:

### HOW TO SUBSCRIBE TO NOTICE GROUPS



**TO JOIN YOUR SKOOL LOOP APP NOTICE GROUPS, SIMPLY FOLLOW THE STEPS BELOW:**

- Go to the 'Settings' tile in the bottom right hand corner of the Home Screen
- Go to 'Subscribe to groups'
- Tap to select the group/s you would like to receive notifications from
- You're good to go - you will now receive all notices sent to the groups you have subscribed to

#### NEED MORE INFO?

Call Skool Loop Aus on 1800 203 493  
Call Skool Loop NZ on 0800 238 379



### Winter illnesses

Thank you for sending your tamariki/children to school. As it is winter please bear with us if we call you to take children home if they are sneezing or coughing. Even though tamariki/children may be Covid free we still want to limit the spread of colds, flu and other winter bugs.



### School Protocols for Covid-19

Wearing Face Masks indoors is strongly encouraged for adults and Pohutukawa students

Visitors strongly encouraged to wear Face

Masks on school grounds

Handwashing and using hand sanitizer is part of school routines

Cough or sneeze into your elbow

Stay home if you are sick

Windows are opened indoors for ventilation

Drinking fountains have been re-opened for children who do not bring their own drink bottles to school.

### MUFTI DAY - DAZZLE DAY

Glendene School will have a Mufti Day fundraiser on Friday 05 August 2022.

**Theme: "Bring your bling"**

**Gold Coin Donation** 😊

(Thank you in advance for your kind generosity in supporting our Glendene School fundraiser)

### UNIFORM

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform everyday.

**All uniform should be labelled**

Please remind your child to look after their belongings at school

Only wear school hats or plain black hats to school.  
Beanies should be plain too.

### STATIONERY

Thank you to our families who have purchased stationery for their children.

All students were issued a stationery pack at the beginning of the year and upon enrolment so they can start their learning.

If you have not paid your child's stationery, please contact the school office for bank account details or you can pay by cash or eftpos in the school office.

### ATTENDANCE FOR TERM 3,2022

Please remember to contact the school office if your child is going to be absent for the day. Your child will be noted as Truant if we do not receive a message from you. Please submit your child's absence via the following:

### ENROLMENTS

For all enrolment enquiries please contact the school office.

### LAUNCHPAD

Launchpad Champions (formerly Bible in School) is an opt-in Christian Values Education programme. This programme is for **year 3-6 only**. The Launchpad Champions programme runs weekly in the school hall every Wednesday at 11.00am (morning tea time).

If you would like your child to attend this programme, please click on the link below and submit your permission.

[Launchpad at Glendene School](#)

### GLENDENE SCHOOL CONTACT DETAILS

Phone: (09)8388603

Mobile: 02108475283

Email: [office@glendene.school.nz](mailto:office@glendene.school.nz)

Skool Loop: Submit absence through app  
(Instructions for Skool Loop on page 3)

**Kia Ora** **Glendene SCHOOL** **Afio Mai**  
"OUR BEST ALWAYS"

**Bula Vinaka** **Welcome** **Namaste**

## COVID-19 VACCINATION EVENT

**When: Wednesday 03 August 2022**

**Time: 3.00pm to 4.30pm**

**Who for: Children from 5 years accompanied by parents and adults**

**Where: Glendene School  
60 Barrys Road  
Glendene**

*We have the Vaccination van returning to Glendene School for children 5 years and older accompanied by parents to get their Covid-19 vaccinations.*

*The van will be parked in the car park by the school hall.  
The Health Team will also do Supervised Rapid Antigen Testing, HepC Testing and Flu Vaccinations for those eligible for the Free Flu Vaccination.*

*People eligible for the Free Flu Vaccination are all people aged 65 and over, 55+ for Maori and Pacific, pregnant women, people with long term medical conditions like asthma, diabetes, and heart conditions.  
The flu vaccine is approved and safe to get at the same time as your COVID-19 vaccine/booster.*

**Look after yourself**  
**Look after others**  
**Look after our place**

**Do it for your family**  
BookMyVaccines.nz

**Unite against COVID-19**



# DISCO



**Where: Glendene Primary School**  
**When: Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2022**  
**Time: 2 – 3pm**

**\*\* Free Entry \*\***  
**\*\* Free sausage on bread # \*\***  
**\*\* \$1 Tuck shop available – coins or small notes only \*\***



# Unfortunately no special dietary requirements are able to be catered for at this time



