

14 March 2024 Term 1, Week 6

Tenā koutou katoa, malo le soifua, ni sa bula vinaka, fakalofa lahi atu, ni hao, mālo e lelei, kia orana, mālo le soifua, noa'ia, talofa lava, bula vinaka, namaste, marhaban, salam alaykum, and hello everyone.

Ngā mihi nui ki a koutou katoa, talofa lava, fakalofa lahi atu, malo e lelei, bula vinaka, kia orana, namaste, marhaban, salam alaikum, nei hou and greetings to all our Glendene School whānau.

E mihi mahana ki a koutou katoa. Ko tōku tūmanako, kei te pai koe me tōu whanau. My warm greetings to one and all. My hope is that you and your whānau are well.

The Board of Trustees met last night and our biggest concern was the large class numbers across the school due to 17 new students already, this year.

It is exciting for us to be able to start a new class with Shelley Latimer as the teacher. Many of you will remember her. You will get an email if your child is selected for the class which will begin on Monday 18 March.

There are 10 minute learning meetings on Thursday 04 April where you can talk about your child and their goals for learning this year. Please book a space. You can also book a space to meet me at that time if you need to.

I am continuing to encourage everyone to bring just 2 pieces of food for morning tea and to eat our healthy lunch with the rest of the class. The children are drinking water from the tap and from drink bottles which helps them stay calm and get the most from the learning day.

If the children bring items that are not allowed at school we will keep them safe and send them back at the end of the day. This is usually phones, shoes with wheels, sweets and sugary drinks and cash.

Please continue to help us by reporting vandals to the police if you see them here when the school is closed. We would rather spend our money on good things.

Nāku noa, nā AnnMaree Molloy Acting Principal

WELCOME TO GLENDENE SCHOOL

A great big Glendene Gecko welcome to all our new students and their families $\stackrel{\Box}{\circ}$

Room 1: Lui

Room 3: Ma'aola Junior, Zayn, Rick

Room 5: Bowen

Room 8: Vaituutuu, Tatia

SCHOOL NURSE AT GLENDENE SCHOOL - MONDAY 18 MARCH

Our lovely school nurse Marlies Tukia will have a clinic at Glendene School on Monday morning 18 March at 8.30am in our school hall. This is a free service for our school community for our tamariki. If your child has a sore throat she will also take a swab to test for strep throat. You do not have to make an appointment, just turn up. Please phone the school office if you have any questions.

TEACHERS STOP WORK MEETING - 28/03/2024 SCHOOL CLOSES AT 12.30PM

Under instruction from our Glendene School Board of Trustees, Glendene School will finish early on Thursday 28 March at 12.30pm due to a Teachers Stop Work Meeting. Please make arrangements for your tamariki/children for this day as there will be no teachers onsite.

LEARNING MEETINGS - THURSDAY 04 APRIL

Our Glendene School Learning Meetings also known as Parent Interviews will be on Thursday 04 April 2024. School will finish at the normal time of 3.00pm. The learning meetings are 10 minutes only and will start from 3.10pm and the last time will be 6.50pm. A detailed letter will be sent out to families on Monday 18 March with instructions on how to book a time.

NEW ETAP SCHOOL APP

Parents can download the APP from Google Play or the Apple App store.

Just search for @school Mobile. During the deployment process, parents/caregivers will be emailed instructions on how to log in.

If you have not yet installed our school app, please contact Cecilia in the school office if you would like another email sent out to you.

When the email is sent out, click on the link and enter your user name in the email and a password should be sent to you by text.

We encourage all families to download the etap school app for school communication and also to book your learning meeting with your child's teacher.





Glendene School Families

Our facebook page is also another form of communication with our families. This is a closed page. To join you will have to answer one question. Only current families attending Glendene School will be on this page.

STATIONERY

Stationery packs were issued to children at the start of the year so they can begin their learning in class. Thank you to all the families that have already purchased their child's stationery. If you have not yet purchased your child's stationery, you will be sent a reminder. Please let Cecilia know if you need to make a payment arrangement. Stationery packs for all classes are \$50 each.

AUCKLAND REGIONAL DENTAL SERVICE 01.04.2024 - 12.04.2024

The dental van will be at Glendene School from Monday 01 April to Friday 12 April. Please note the change of dates. If you would like your child to be seen by the dental nurse, please email or text the school office with your child's name and room number.

GLENDENE SCHOOL BELL TIMES

8.30am - Classrooms open	8.50am - Get ready for learning	9.00am - Classes begin for the day
11.00am - Morning Tea	1.00pm - Lunchtime	3.00pm - School finishes for the day



HEALTH CORNER - Please click on the links below for more information

Sore Throat - https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/sore-throat-detail

Sore throats are common in children. Sometimes children can get 'strep throat'. A rare complication of strep throat is rheumatic fever. Please click on the link above to read more about sore throats.

PLEASE NOTE THAT STUDENTS MUST NOT HAVE MEDICATION IN THEIR SCHOOL BAGS. ALL MEDICATION MUST BE SENT TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY REASONS.

Please note that students must not have medication in their school bags. All medication must be sent to the school office. Please read our 'Medicines Policy' below.

Glendene School Policy - Please see below:

Staying home and exclusion periods

To stop infection from spreading, we expect students and staff to stay at home when they are ill and/or symptomatic. The recommended period of time that someone should stay home depends on the illness. Students must stay home for at least 48 hours if they are ill (e.g. vomiting, diaorrhea, bad coughing). The HealthEd **infectious diseases table** provides recommended exclusion periods for a number of common childhood illnesses. We encourage people to seek advice from their own health providers, and to contact **Healthline** for advice if needed

We follow guidance from HealthEd and the Ministry of Health for how long students, staff, and workers should stay away from the school if they have a more **> serious illness/infection**. If someone at our school shows symptoms of a serious infection/illness, they are separated from others while waiting to be taken home.

With the exception of tetanus, students, staff, or workers with illnesses that have an available vaccine may be required to stay home under a health order issued by the Medical Officer of Health. Anyone who has potentially been exposed to the infection/illness and has not been immunised should also stay away from the school.

For all

school enquiries, please contact the school office as below:

Email: office@alendene.school.nz Phone: (09)8388603 Mobile: 02108475283

Term 1, 2024 Events-Please note that these dates are subject to change

Week 7 - 18/03	School nurse in hall from 8.30am Swimsation swimming lessons
Week 8 - 28/03 29/03	11.30am - School Disco 12.30pm - School closes at 12.30pm (Teacher's stop work hui) Good Friday - School closed
Week 9 - 01/04 - 02/04 - 03/04 - 04/04 - 05/04	Easter Monday - School closed Easter Tuesday - School closed Dental unit at school from 03/04 - 12/04 Learning Meetings from 3.00pm to 7.00pm (Glendene School closes at the normal time 3.00pm) School Olympics & Try-athalon (Families welcome)
Week 10- 08/04 - 12/04	Junior school to the Pumphouse Theatre Dental unit at school all week Pirate Disco (to be confirmed) Last day of School for Term 1

REMINDERS

LAST DAY OF TERM 1, 2024 FRIDAY 12 APRIL School finishes at 3.00pm



FIRST DAY OF TERM 2, 2024 MONDAY 29 APRIL Classrooms will be open from 8.30am SCHOOL NURSE AT GLENDENE SCHOOL

When: Monday 18 March 2024

Where: School Hall

Time: 8.30am

This event is free. Bring your children along and see our awesome nurse Marlies

COMMUNITY NOTICES





WEST AUCKLAND AFC BRAINS PARK. TAMARIKI AVE, KELSTON



Muster dates as follows

Monday 26th February 6-7pm Girls U 13-16 Thursday 29th February 5-30-7pm Youth boys U13-17 Monday 4th March 5-30pm -6.30pm Girls 9-12 years Wednesday 6th March 5-6.30pm Juniors u9-12 years Wednesday 13th March 5-6pm First kicks Fun football 4-8-year-olds

Clubrooms open from then on Monday -Thursday 5-30-8pm during March For further registrations

First Kicks/Fun football 4-8 Yr olds \$75 for the season (First year players \$50)
Juniors 9-12 yr olds \$145,00 for the season Youth 13-17 yr olds \$165.00 for the season

Teams for boys/mixed and girls available (all ages)

Need to buy own socks shorts and boots. Shirt supplied.

Senior Men and Women's training has started.

Contact members below for further details

Debbie McLarin 0277645502 Victoria McEwing 0274287658 Junior Perry 02108209611 andydebbiehome@amail.com





Bring your under 5's and join in the fun

9.30am - 12.30pm Tue, Wed, Thu Free of charge Stay and play Refreshments

JOIN NOW

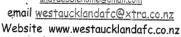
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Visit Glendene School Reception to find out more information

Email info@playgroups.org.nz Call 09 373 1992











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Glandana School Values