



26 September 2024

Term 3, Week 10

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 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.

Our special assembly for Te Wiki o te Reo Māori and the hangi meal we had to follow was the highlight of term 3.

Ko te reo Māori ma tātou o te motu.

Ahakoā iti, ākona, kōrerotia te reo Maori ia rā, ia rā.

Me whakanui me ako me whakamahia to tātou reo.

Kia kaha te kōrero i te reo Māori.

Māori language is a part of who we are as a nation.

Learn a little, use a little, today and every day.

Let's celebrate, learn and use our language.

We have **3 special events** in the first two weeks of term 4. Please see the calendar at the end of this newsletter.

Whānau at School Day is for all families to find out about some of the ways we teach maths and literacy. This will be from 8.50am until 1.00 with **morning tea** in the staff room.

Kelifest for students from rooms Rima, Ono, Whitu and Waru who will all be travelling by bus to perform on Friday 18 October. We are on stage outdoors at 11.00 exactly. **You will need a gold coin to enter.**

A farewell for Sepora, our Principal for the last Ten years, is on 25 October. Please join us on this special occasion. If you would like to contribute to this, please consider saying a few words of gratitude or bringing a plate of food to share.

***Nāku noa, nā
AnnMaree Molloy
Acting Principal***

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

The last day for Term 3, 2024 is Friday 27 September. The first day back for Term 4, 2024 is Monday 14 October. The school office will be open on Friday 11 October 2024 for uniform or enrolment enquiries from 10am to 1pm. We hope you all stay safe and kind to each other throughout the school holidays and we will see all our tamariki refreshed after the school holidays.

GLENDENE SCHOOL POWHIRI 14.10.2024

Our Glendene School Powhiri is Term 4, Week 1 - Monday 14 October 2024 at 9.00am in our school hall. The Powhiri is to welcome our new students and their whanau to Glendene School.

SEPORA'S FAREWELL ASSEMBLY

Sepora's farewell Assembly is on Friday 25 October 2024. If you would like to make a koha or donation towards her farewell, our bank account details are below. You can also make a donation towards her Samoan Siva at her farewell assembly.

Name of Account: Glendene School

Bank Account Number: 12-3039-0170748-00

Please use Farewell as the reference. We thank you kindly in advance for your kind generosity.

Ou te muai faatulou atu i ou Paia sausaugata Samoa, tulou, tulouna lava,

Ae ua laga se leo vaivai e faatagisia la outou fesoasoani e ala ile faamoemoe o alo ma fanau o le Aoga i Glendene nei.

Ua matou lima vaivai, ole ala Lea o le matou tatalo atu ia te outou matua ma aiga, matou manaomia lo outou aao Foai e ala i se seleni aua le faamavaega ma le Susuga ile Pule aoga ia Sepora Mauigoa. O lea lava se seleni e te tauaaoina o Lea taliaina ma le agaga faafetai. O Le upu a le atunuu o au o matua fanau, faafetai tele ia viia le Atua i la outou lagolago, manuia toega o lenei tausaga.

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations Braxton, Joe, Noewel, Tai, Jap and Yashika for 100% attendance in Term 3.

It's wonderful to see so many kids recovering from illnesses and coming back to school. This will definitely benefit their learning. If your child is going to be absent from school, please remember to phone, text or email the school office.

WHANAU to SCHOOL DAY 15.10.2024

Whanau Day to learn about LEARNING is on Tuesday 15 October from 9.00am to 1.00pm at Glendene School. Families are invited to this Whanau Day. More information will be sent home with your tamariki.

GLENDENE SCHOOL UNIFORMS

Children must be in the correct school uniform every day. Students will be asked to remove items of clothing that are not uniform. Please remind your children at home about looking after their school jumpers when they are at school. We will monitor this closely in Term 4, 2024.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Some of our students were selected to represent Glendene School in the Te Atatu Cluster Basketball tournament that was held at the Trust Stadium in Henderson on Tuesday 24 September 2024. Our students came 4th in the B grade. Our students showed outstanding skills, followed the GECKO way and most importantly had fun. A great big thank you to Ms Schicker, Whaea Crystal and Mr Middleton for coaching and training our students at lunchtime for this event.

“OUR BEST ALWAYS 😊”

KELIFEST 2024

Our Senior students have been practising their kapa haka and pasifika items for Kelifest at Kelston Intermediate next term. Kelifest is Term 4 - Week 1, Friday 18 October 2024. Glendene School will be performing on stage at 11.00am. Please see the Kelifest Flyer at the end of this newsletter. GOID COIN TO ENTER KELIFEST

CAR PARK PICK-UP AND DROP OFF HALL SIDE ONLY

Just a friendly reminder that all children should be picked up and dropped off from the hall side car park only. The office side car park is for service vehicles, staff and Arohanui vehicles only.

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

**Please note that all children who arrive late to school after 9.00am
should be sent to the school office to sign in.**

This will avoid you receiving an absence text from the school office.

ENROLMENTS

If you have a child turning 5 years old, please remember to contact the school office for an enrolment interview a month before they turn 5, so they can transition into school. You can also click on this link [Glendene School Pre-enrolment Form](#) and submit. You will be contacted when the school office receives your submission.

GLENDENE SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

All communication is always sent out via email or etap. If you have changed your email address or contact number, please contact the school office so we can update your details. Newsletters will also be available on our website.

ETAP @SCHOOLS CAREGIVER APP

We encourage all families to sign up to the Etap @schools caregiver app. This is a great way to report your child's attendance or book times for the upcoming learning meetings. The app will also give you the percentage of your child's absence from school. If you are having trouble with the app, please phone or email the school office to book a time to come in and Cecilia will help you with the app. If you would like the login email to be sent to you, please let the school office know.

Term 4 , 2024 Events-Please note that these dates are subject to change

Week 1 - 14/10 15/10 18/10	First day back at school for Term 4 Whanau Day at Glendene School from 9am to 1pm Kelifest at Kelston Intermediate for Senior School
Week 2 - 18/10	Sepora's farewell assembly 11.40am
Week 3 - 28/10 29/10 30/10 01/11	LABOUR DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED Shakeout Earthquake Drill Board of Trustees Hui Kiwican
Week 4 - 08/11	Kiwican Rangeview Cultural Market Evening
Week 5 - 12/11 14/11 15/11	Cluster Cricket Tournament Cricket Tournament Save Day Kiwican
Week 6 - 22/11	Kiwican
Week 7 - 26/11 29/11	Cluster Cross Country Competition Rangeview Sevens Kiwican
Week 8 - 04/12 06/12	Board of Trustees Hui Kiwican
Week 9 - 13/12	Kiwican Major Prizegiving Assembly 12pm to 1pm
Week 10 - 16/12 17/12	Glendene School Funday Last day for 2024 - SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 1PM

REMINDERS

SCHOOL DOCS- <http://glendene.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
Please click on the link above to access the Glendene School Policies

Here are the instructions on what you have to do for the policies.

1. Visit the website
<http://glendene.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm>
2. Enter the username ([glendene](#)) and password ([gecko](#)).
3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
4. Read the policy.
5. Click the Policy Review button at the top right-hand corner of the page.
6. Select the reviewer type "Parent", "Staff" or "Board"
7. Enter your name.
8. Submit your ratings and comments.

GLENDENE SCHOOL CONTACT DETAILS

For all enquiries please contact the Glendene School office via the following:

Email: office@glendene.school.nz

Phone: (09)8388603

Mobile: 021 027 55827

Website: www.glendene.school.nz

SURVEY - SCHOOL COMMUNITY FEEDBACK

Please remember to submit your feedback

[Survey - School Community Feedback](#)

Last day to submit your feedback is
Monday 09 September 2024.

Children whose families have completed the
survey will receive a prize
from the school office.

SCHOOL GROUNDS AFTER HOURS

If you are on school grounds after hours, please
remember to leave it clean and tidy.

If you see anyone damaging or defacing
school property please call 105

"LOOK AFTER OUR PLACE"

KELIFEST
2024
FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER
KELSTON INTERMEDIATE
SCHOOL

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF CULTURAL
PERFORMANCES AND FOOD SOLD ON
THE ASTROTURF

www.kelstonint.school.nz

**GOLD COIN AT
THE FRONT
ENTRANCE**

**GATES OPEN AT
8AM - 4PM**

RANGEVIEW INTERMEDIATE PRESENTS
NIGHT MARKET

8 NOVEMBER 2024 | 5:00 - 7:00 PM
RANGEVIEW INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

FOOD TRUCKS / GAMES / MUSIC /
FACE PAINTING / CLASSROOM STALLS

Join us for a night of food, fun and laughter at the first RIS Night Market.
Enjoy delicious cuisine from our food trucks, explore our classroom
stalls and play exciting games.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU. WHAKAU!