

# 08 August 2024 Term 3, Week 3

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.

Your Board of Trustees met on Wednesday evening 07 August 2024.

# Sadly we have accepted the resignation of our principal Sepora Mauigoa.

We have huge gratitude for her service to us and wish her every success in her work with TAUTAI o le MOANA. In her work she supports other schools to plan for the success of pasifika students. Sepora will continue to support Glendene School in this way.

The staff will begin planning for a special occasion to celebrate Sepora, where you can all join us. Our next step as a Board of Trustees is to ask the community, teachers and students what qualities they would like to have in a new principal. A survey will be sent to you before the end of this term. I will continue leading the school throughout 2024 and into the start of 2025.

You are invited to join the closed FACEBOOK group called **Glendene School Families**. There is also a Glendene School page for the wider community to view school messages and occasional events.

Nāku noa, nā AnnMaree Molloy Acting Principal

## **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. Please name your child's uniform if you have not done so yet. We encourage children to put their school jumpers in their bags if they take them off.

#### PHOTOLIFE (Individual, Class and Sibling Photos) - Update

All families were sent an email to order their children's photos. If you would like to order your children's photos, please contact the school office to have your access code emailed to you so you can order the photos online through Photolife. Please note there will be a delivery fee as the free delivery date has already expired.

### **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.

# **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.

#### **GLENDENE SCHOOL FAMILIES FACEBOOK PAGE**



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.

#### **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

- Eczema <a href="https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/tags/eczema">https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/tags/eczema</a>
- Colds in Children <a href="https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/colds-children">https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/colds-children</a>
- Sore Throat https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/sore-throat
- Headaches https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/headaches-children-young-people
- Flu in Children https://www.kidshealth.org.nz/flu-children

# 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.

All <u>MEDICINE AUTHORITY FORMS</u> will expire in October of every year. We will contact you if your child's inhalers have expired so you can organise replacements. <u>Glendene School Policy - Please see below:</u>

#### 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.

Term 3, 2024 Events-Please note that these dates are subject to change

Week 3 - 07/08 09/08	Board of Trustees Hui Kiwi Can Kapa Haka with Justin
Week 4 - 12/08 16/08	Te Wiki o Pangarau (Maths week) Kiwi Can Kapa Haka with Justin
Week 5 - 21/08 22/08 23/08	Netball Cluster Sports Save day for Netball Kiwi Can
Week 6 - 30/08	Kiwi Can Kapa Haka with Justin
Week 7 - 06/09	Kiwi Can
Week 8 - 09/09 11/09 13/09	Life Education in school until Wednesday 11/09 Board of Trustees Hui Kiwi Can Kapa Haka with Justin
Week 9 - 16/09 20/09	Te Wiki o Te Reo Maori (Maori Language Week) Kiwi Can
Week 10 - 24/09 27/09	Cluster Basketball Sports Kiwi Can Last day of Term 3 - School finishes at the normal time of 3pm

# **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.

- Visit the website
   <a href="http://glendene.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm">http://glendene.schooldocs.co.nz/1893.htm</a>
- Enter the username (glendene) and password (gecko).
- 3. Follow the link to the relevant policy as listed.
- 4. Read the policy.
- Click the Policy Review button at the top righthand corner of the page.
- 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:

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