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Glen Oroua School



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5 February 2020

Dear Parents / Caregivers / Friends of the School

School Policies and Procedures go to:
<http://glenoroua.schooldocs.co.nz/>
Username: glenoroua
Password: policies

Ko tatau
This is us.

A HUGE welcome to everyone - its great to see our students looking well and rested and ready for a new year of learning.

A big welcome to Harrison Sharpe - parents Jess and Chris Sharpe, Sophie Baylis, Grace and Kate Pedley, William Love - parents Philippa and Grant.

Also - A big hello to Nathan Jones who has just had his tonsils out - Get well soon buddy.

2020 - Term dates are as follows:

- Term 1 - Monday 3 February - Thursday 9 April
- Waitangi Day - Thursday 6 February
- (Easter and Anzac are in the holiday break)
- Term 2 - Tuesday 28 April - Friday 3 July
- Queen's Birthday - Monday 1 June
- Term 3 - Monday 20 July - Friday 25 September
- Term 4 - Monday 12 October - Friday 18 December
- Labour Day - Monday 26 October

Bell Times for 2019

9 - 11.00 -	first session
11 - 11.20 -	Break
11.20 - 12.30 -	second session
12.30 - 1.20 -	Lunch
1.20 - 1.30 -	Cleanup
1.30 - 3.00 -	third session

Student Absence/Bus etc
Please ring 329 7859
before 9.15am.

Please do not text the
school cellphone as often
the texts are received too
late or the next day.

2020 - our starting roll is 60. There are 6 more New Entrants that we know of. We are back to 3 classrooms and these have all made an excellent start to the new year!

2020 Term 1 Calendar - attached

CRT - Classroom release time for teachers - I will be releasing the teachers this year.

Swimming - everyday weather permitting

Class times are: Rm 1 - Yr 5 - 8 - 11.45 - 12.30
Rm 2 - Yr 2 - 4 - 1.30 - 2.10
Rm 3 - Yr 0 - 2 - 2.10 - 2.45

Please ensure togs, towels, goggles are named.

Hats - Everyone had a hat on Monday - excellent start!!!

Also - No singlets (boys and girls) or spaghetti strap tops - shoulders and stomachs covered.

Clothes - Please name everything.

Lunches - Hotdogs, Pizzas available - \$2.50 each
Juices - \$1.00 each

These are available every day. Orders and money to Mrs Taylor **before** school.

Rubbish - Students are expected to take home all rubbish (wrappers, gladwrap, scraps etc) from their morning tea and lunch.

BoT Members

Marcel Holtslag 324 8518 Andy Davis 021 645 138
Cassandra Archer 022 034 1664 Andrew Pedley 329 7977
Dion Fleming 027 450 2711
Raylene Franks - Principal Kate Saunders - Staff Rep

Top School Competition 2020

As every year, we will be competing in the Top School Competition at the Waitangi Day Gala on Feb 6 from 1.30pm. We can only enter 10 students within set age ranges, but as usual would love lots of support on the day from children other than those competing.
Our team is: Sean S, Max, Casey, Hine, Eva, Nathan, Zoe, Lydie, Tom and Charlotte.

Glen Oroua BBQ - Tuesday 18 February

This is a good chance for a social evening to get to know our new families. Teachers will talk briefly about their classrooms and answer any questions you might have.
More details closer to the day.

THANK YOU to Daniel Archer for his work over the break - upgrading the flying fox and installing fitness stations. Excellent job!!

THANK YOU also to Jason Dermer and Cassandra Archer for looking after the pool - appreciated. ☺

Term Events

- Monday 3 February - First Day of School
- Thursday 6 February - Waitangi Day
- Friday 14 February - Assembly
- Tuesday 18 February - GO BBQ
- Thursday 20 February - Manual
- Friday 28 February - Assembly
- Thursday 5 March - Manual
- Friday 13 March - GO Swimming Sports
- Tuesday 17 March - Wednesday 1 March - GO Conferences
- Thursday 19 March - Manual
- Friday 20 March - Te Kawanu Swimming Sports
- Monday 23 March - Teacher Only Day
- Friday 27 March - Te Kawanu Triathlon - Sanson
- Friday 27 March - Assembly
- Thursday 2 April - Manual
- Friday 3 April - Te Kawanu Tabloids - Oroua Downs
- Thursday 9 April - Assembly
- Thursday 9 April - Last Day of Term 1

Friends of the School

A reminder of our Bake stall at the Waitangi Gala tomorrow (Thursday). Two items of baking please per family. Loaves, cakes, biscuits and items for individual sale including slices, brownies and cupcakes will be greatly appreciated. Fudge, fresh produce, jams and preserves also would be great to sell on our stall. Please contribute two items for our grocery raffle, not cans or expired or near expired items. (Yes we do get them from time to time and we don't put them into the raffle). Grocery items to school this afternoon please to be wrapped up and ready to go. Baking to either school or bring to our stall at the gala on Thursday. We still need help on the stall too. Contact Nicole 0212552656 for a roster time or more info.

Also.. our first Friends of the School meeting is next Thursday 13th, 7pm at school staff room. We will have a debrief of the gala and begin planning our annual trail ride. Anyone is welcome and encouraged to attend and contribute towards raising funds for our great school!!

Many thanks,
Nicole.