



Glengowan Primary School Newsletter - March 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

The Parent Group

We continue to be supported by the Glengowan Parent Group. The recent social night raised £560 and the February clothing recycling raised £417.95. The next date for clothing recycling is Friday 26th April.

The Beetle Drive on Thursday 14th March was very well attended. My thanks to all the families who were able to attend this annual event.



Please continue to support this valuable work through your attendance at special events, clothing donations and the many other initiatives this group organises.

Spring Break
SOCCER CAMP
OPEN TO Primary 6 & 7's

April 3rd & 10th
11AM-2PM
@Hareleeshill Sports Barn Pitch

£2.50 Per day
To book your child a place please
call: 01698 452210

Fun with
soccer
& more!

soccer
worX

Limited Spaces

Sportworx Entertainment

Spring Break Soccer Camp

SoccerWorx will be hosting a soccer camp for P6 and P7 pupils during the Spring Break. Please phone 01698 452210 to book a place for your child.

Goodbye

One of our Janitors, Mr Aubrey will be leaving us very soon. He has been successful in gaining a full-time post in another school. We wish him well, but will miss him at Glengowan. Thank you, Ralph!

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Science) Week

During our annual STEM Week this year, the children had the opportunity to experience a range of hands-on workshops, carried out by experienced industry professionals and STEM Ambassadors. The workshops covered various concepts from the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Class teachers also be planned lots of exciting activities





A busy assembly

On Friday 22nd March we had a very busy assembly at Glengowan. Andy and Neil Malone came to give a Judo demonstration to all of our pupils. This caused much excitement as Andy was thrown to the mat a number of times. He also shared photographs from his successful European Championship appearance, where he won a gold medal. Information about his Judo club has been made available to the children.

Following this, we were treated to a performance from the Stonehouse Pipe Band. Information about this band is on display at the school office.

We appreciated the visit from our friends in the local community.

Harriers

At Glengowan, we are very fortunate that the local Harriers running club offers a Friday after-school session for our P5-7 pupils. Around 60 pupils attend this club every week. Tom and Angela give up their time to coach a group from our school and our pupils are given many opportunities to participate in events.

Three of our pupils qualified for the cross country final at Chatelherault Park recently and there will be an opportunity for more to participate in the South Lanarkshire Track and Field Championships.

New members are always welcome to join. The next after-school session takes place on Friday 26th April at 3pm.





School uniform

Various companies are able to supply school uniforms for Glengowan pupils. However, it should be noted that TESCO will no longer be a supplier. www.myclothing.com has now replaced TESCO.

GPS App

Please continue to check the GPS App for updates. Information about downloading the App is available from the school office. Many thanks to the Parent Group for contributing to the next year's subscription.

P5 Swimming

Our P5 children go to swimming lessons on a Tuesday afternoon. The bus must have clear access to the car park in order to drop off the children safely. Please inform anyone who uses the car park, to collect a child, that bus access is a priority.

Dates for your diary

Friday 29th March— Dress Down for £1

Friday 29th March— School Closes at 2.30pm for Spring Break

Monday 15th April—Pupils return to school

Thursday 18th April—P5 and P6 Easter Assembly at 9.30

Friday 19th April—School Closed

Monday 22nd April—School Closed

Tuesday 23rd— Friday 26th April—P7 at Lochgoilhead

Friday 26th April—Clothes Recycling

Yours faithfully

G Murray

Head Teacher



Uniforms/Clothing

The majority of the clothing that is handed in as lost property does not have a child's name on the label. Due to the high number of items we collect, please make sure your child's name is written on the inside label of all items of uniform. Many thanks for your support.