



Glen Eden Primary School Newsletter

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Week 7 | Term 1

Kia ora GEPS whānau

Nau mai haere mai Amani & Saadi

Kia Ora e te whānau

Thanks to everyone who came to watch our swimming sports last Friday. It was wonderful to see our tamariki having fun while trying their best and supporting each other. Ngā mihi to all the whānau who came to cheer them on.

As the weather starts turning colder we will monitor swimming numbers. We are close to closing the pool for the season.

We have been inundated with enrolments recently, with a lot of out of zone interest. At this stage our classes are full. If you know of any in zone tamariki who will turn 5 this year please remind them to enrol. If there are children in your whānau who are also turning 5 soon, please enrol them either online via our website or get an enrolment pack from the office. Knowing who we have coming helps us with our planning.

We are lucky to have the services of Soccer4Life in our kura again. Classes get an opportunity to cycle through this fabulous programme and learn lots of new skills. Our tamariki are also enjoying regular physical education with weekly sessions with Mr Shouaib.

Mr Shouaib and Whaea Monica have been busy coaching our boys and girls cricket team who are competing today at the inter school event. We wish them all the best for an excellent day.

Each week our tamariki also get music lessons with Mrs Chettiar. Our senior choir is also run by Mrs Chettiar and they are already sounding amazing. We are so very lucky to have such talented kaiako who can give our students lots of quality experiences.

A reminder that breakfast is available every morning in the wharekai. We have weetbix, yoghurt and fruit each day and we will be doing some hot breakfasts as we move into autumn. You are more than welcome to bring the whole family in to enjoy a kai together. We also have kai baskets in every class that students can help themselves to. They have fruit pottles, scroggin mixes and muesli bars. Lunch with Crunch continues to provide daily lunches for our tamariki. Please email dianner@geps.school.nz if your child does not wish to receive a school lunch.

Thanks to all the whānau who make an effort to get tamariki to school before 8:45. Giving children time to settle in properly makes a real difference to how they start the school day. If a student arrives late they can miss important set up information and disrupt the class when they come in late. We understand that from time to time there are things that happen that can't be avoided. However, in the main, getting students to school before the bell rings is really important.

Nāku noa nā

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Kairangi



Whanaungatanga



Manaakitanga



Ako

Calendar of Events for Term 1 2024

Week 1: 01-02 February	Week 2: 05-09 February	Week 3: 12-16 February	Week 4: 19-23 February
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fri 02 Feb – First day of school 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tue 06 Feb – Waitangi Day holiday Wed 07 Feb – Powhiri at 9.15am - Whanau welcome Fri 09 Feb -Ice block fundraiser Assembly DS/KA at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fri 16 Feb – Ice block fundraiser Assembly R7 at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wed 21 Feb – Whanau bbq from 5.30 – 7pm Fri 23 Feb – Ice block fundraiser Assembly R11 at 2.15pm
Week 5: 26 February-01 March	Week 6: 04-08 March	Week 7: 11-15 March	Week 8: 18-22 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mon 26 Feb – xxld Takahe trip to Arataki R5 & 11 Tue 27 Feb – xxld Takahe trip to Arataki R1 & 15 R10 & 13 trip to Wero Whitewater Park BOT Hui 6pm Thu 29 Feb – R2 & 7 trip to Wero Whitewater Park Fri 01 Mar - Ice block fundraiser Tui class at Whau day Assembly R6 at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fri 08 Mar – Swimming Sports – Tui Block 1 & Takahe Block 2 Ice block fundraiser Assembly R10 at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tue 12 Mar – Interschool cricket Thu 14 Mar – Interschool cricket save day Fri 15 Mar - Ice block fundraiser Assembly R1 at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mon 18 Mar – Kiwi R3, R4 & R14 trip to Corbans Tue 19 Mar – Kiwi R6 & R9 trip to Corbans Thu 21 Mar – Tui team @ Tough Kids Challenge Fri 22 Mar - Ice block fundraiser Assembly R14 at 2.15pm
Week 9: 25-29 March	Week 10: 01-05 April	Week 11: 08-12 April	Special Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tue 26 Mar – Interschool Cross Country BOT Hui 6pm Wed 27 Mar – Takahe trip to Arataki R1 & 15 Thu 28 Mar – Takahe trip to Arataki R5 & 11 OOZ Enrolment ballot at 2pm Fri 29 Mar – Good Friday Easter Holiday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mon 01 Apr – Easter Monday Holiday Tue 02 Apr – Easter Tuesday Holiday Fri 05 Apr – Ice block fundraiser Assembly R13 at 2.15pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thu 11 Apr – R13 Yr6's to Kahui Ako Wananga Fri 12 Apr – Ice block fundraiser Singing Assembly at 2.15pm Last day of Term 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last day of Term 1 is Friday 12 April First day of Term 2 is Monday 29 April



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Kia Ora Whanau

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Nga Mihi

Public Health Nurse
Child & Family West
Level 1 Snelgar Building
55-77 Lincoln road, Private bag 93-115
M. 021572059
childandfamilywest.wth@waitematadhb.govt.nz

Dear parents and caregivers

The Auckland Regional Dental Service (ARDS) is a Te Whatu Ora-operated service, which provides FREE dental care to children across greater Auckland. In order to prevent any eligible children missing out on receiving free dental care, ARDS is cross-checking their own records with school rolls. For our children's better oral health and wellbeing, our school roll will be shared with the service as required. To find out more information about ARDS, please visit ards.co.nz or call 0800 TALK TEETH (0800 825 583).

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GLEN EDEN MICRO MOBILITY HUB

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

Free Learn to Ride bike skills workshop,
free bike safety check, and a
sausage sizzle.

WHEN:

Thursday, 21 March 2024 3:30pm - 5:30pm

WHERE:

Harry Moody Reserve - Glendale Road, Glen Eden

Bring your own bike for a free safety check from Bike Auckland to get your ride rolling more smoothly.

BigFoot Adventures together with Auckland Transport will support tamariki to learn safe bicycle riding techniques.

During the event there will be a supply of bicycles, helmets, and on-site experts for whanau. Look out for Locky Docks and Beam scooters to give it a go with new tools to "Mix Your Go."





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Soccer Registrations Now Open!

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(Juniors Football section)



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Training dates as follows

*Mondays 6-7pm Girls U 13-16
Thursdays 5-30-7pm Youth boys U13-17
Monday s 5-30pm -6.30pm Girls 9-12 years
Wednesday s 5-6.30pm Juniors u9-12 years
Wednesdays 5-6pm First kicks Fun football 4-8-year-olds
All welcome*

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

COSTS

**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@gmail.com

email westaucklandafc@xtra.co.nz

Website www.westaucklandafc.co.nz



OUR COMMUNITY CONTACTS

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Carmel Sepuloni

MP for Kelston



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 /CarmelSepuloniLabour



Authorised by Carmel Sepuloni MP,
Parliament Buildings, Wellington



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Thursday Night Club Night - Jokers Wild, Monster Meat Raffles, Quiz Night & more

Friday Nights - Karaoke • Sky Sports on our big screen TVs • Meat Pack Raffles

Saturday Nights - Bands/Shows Sunday Sessions - Music 4pm to 7pm • Restaurant opens 5.30pm



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When: Monday, Wednesday & Friday
9.15 to 11.30am during school terms

Where: Glen Eden Community House
13 Pisces Road, Glen Eden

Costs: \$2 per family per session. Concession Cards Available

- We are a local group who meet so our children can interact and the parents/caregivers can socialise
- We have a paid supervisor who plans our activities and leads each session



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Email: piscesplaygroup@glenedencommunityhouse.co.nz

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