



Glen Eden Primary School Newsletter

Issue 11
Week 1 | Term 2

Kia Ora GEPS Whānau

Nau mai haere mai Denzel, Ovilani, E'lijah, Hananiah, Mohamed, Shaan, Hazel, Daniella, Kahurere & Aiden

It was great to see all of our tamariki back at school yesterday. We are ready for a fun term of learning.

Thanks to SKIDS for providing a coffee cart this morning to launch their new before school care price offer. Before school care is now \$7 per morning. They are on site from 7:30am. Please follow the link to sign up <https://www.skids.co.nz/locations/glen-eden/>

Each week a kairangi trophy is given to the winning whānau, along with a trophy for attendance and environment. For the next two weeks, points for the kariangi trophy will be given to all of those students who arrive at school on time.

This term we are trialling something new with assembly. We will now be having these on a Monday afternoon at 2:00pm. Our first Monday assembly will be in Week 3. This Friday afternoon, the NZ Police are again running a Blue Light disco at school. This will be from 1:30-2:45ish. There will be lollies for sale and sausages will be free. Please see the flyer below.

Finally, this Thursday we farewell a very special man, our caretaker Grant Kopua. His funeral is at 1pm at Waitemata Rugby Club. Thank you to everyone who is keeping their tamariki home or picking them up early at 11am so that our staff can attend this service.

I would like to thank Grant for all that he has done for our kura over his 6 years as our caretaker. We miss him so much already. Moe mai rā Grant - moe mai rā.

Donna Soljan

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Kairangi



Whanaungatanga



Manaakitanga



Ako

Happenings

T2 WK1/2 2025

DATES	HAPPENINGS
Tuesday 29 April Lunch - Mac n Cheese & Garlic Bread	
Wednesday 30 April Lunch – Butter Chicken, Rice, Roti & Pineapple	
Thursday 01 May Lunch – Lasagne with a Side of Veg	
Friday 02 May Lunch – Chicken Burger with a slice of Brownie	9.15am - Powhiri , Whanau welcome 1.30-3pm – Blue Light Disco
Monday 05 May Lunch -	
Tuesday 06 May Lunch -	Tui classes @ Arataki
Wednesday 07 May Lunch -	Tui classes @ Arataki
Thursday 08 May Lunch -	
Friday 09 May Lunch -	
NOTES	



DISCO



When: Friday 2nd May 2025

Time: 1.30–3.00pm

**** Free Entry ****

**** Free bbq food# ****

**** \$1/\$2 Tuck shop available – coins
or small notes only please ****



unfortunately, no special dietary requirements are able to be catered for at this time



Rise then Shine is operating at Glen Eden from Term 1, 2025!

Join us at sKids from **7:00am - 8:30am** for **Rise then Shine** as part of our Adventure Programme! Children can choose from seven Adventure Categories which offer a holistic approach to play based learning and development.

Breakfast provided!




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Did you know...

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*Free 50 hours apply to eligible families receiving the highest OSCAR Subsidy threshold.



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sKids



Public Health Nurse

Kia Ora Whanau

A school public health nurse is available to discuss any concerns about your child's health, growth and development. This includes health assessments, health promotion, immunisation and home visiting. They are also able to help with skin and ear infections, asthma and eczema, bedwetting and soiling, hearing and vision concerns, linking to health and social services and advice about any other health concerns.

They can be contacted via childandfamilywest.wth@waitematadhb.govt.nz.

Nga Mihi

Public Health Nurse
Child & Family West
Level 1 Snelgar Building
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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).



**Visionwest's
Foodtogether Fruit
& Vegie Pop-Up**

Every Friday, 12pm – 2pm

Visionwest's Food Together Fruit and Vegie Pop-up store is open to anyone. Purchase around \$30 worth of fruit and vegies for \$15.

You must order in advance.

To pre-order go to:
www.foodtogether.co.nz/products/vision-west-pop-up

*Come along to 97 Glendale Road
between noon and 2pm on your
chosen Friday to collect your
fruit and vegies.*



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Pisces Road Playgroup

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

Phone: 09 818 2194
 Email: piscesplaygroup@glenedencommunityhouse.co.nz



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 Phone 09 818 2312
 www.waterholeswimcentre.kiwi

 SPECIALS OFTEN AVAILABLE

 **GLEN EDEN RSA**

www.glenedenrsa.co.nz • Ph: 818 4219 or see our facebook page

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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