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# Glenview News / Les Nouvelles

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IMPORTANT DATES		STAY IN TOUCH
Oct. 16	Cross Country semi-finals @ Earl Bales	Contact the school about absences:
Oct. 17	Touch Football Tournament	416-393-0330 Option "1"
Oct. 24	Photo Re-takes (11 am - 2 pm)	
Oct. 25	Cross Country Finals @ Centennial Park	Contact Principal: Mario Sirois
Oct. 31	Halloween Activities, PM	E-mail: mario.sirois@tdsb.on.ca
Nov. 4	Daylight Savings Ends	Phone: 416-393-9390
Nov. 5	Secondary School Info Night, 6:30 pm	
Nov. 7	Diwali	Contact Vice-Principal: Maryam Hasan
Nov. 9	Remembrance Day Assembly	E-mail: maryam.hasan@tdsb.on.ca
Nov. 11	Remembrance Day	Phone: 416-393-9390
Nov. 12	Progress Reports going home	
Nov. 15	Parent-Teacher Interviews, evening	Contact Superintendent: Vicky Branco
Nov. 16	Parent-Teacher Interviews, (AM), P.A. day (PM)	E-mail: kathleen.garner@tdsb.on.ca
Nov. 20	School Council Meeting, 6:30 pm	
		Contact Trustee: Jennifer Arp
		E-mail jennifer.arp@tdsb.on.ca

# **FROM THE OFFICE**

We hope you all had a fantastic Thanksgiving long weekend. Students and staff at Glenview continue to be engaged in rich learning activities that support our 3 foci around Well Being, Equity, and Achievement. The Global Competencies continue to be weaved through our school goals. Staff is part of learning that will support the fusion of Global Competencies into the Learning Goals established in the classroom. In addition, our staff is working collectively in teams to collaborate and plan with one for the year. Included as part of our teachers' professional learning communities, a focus on instructional practices and assessment and evaluation will continue to be part of Glenview's priorities.

Thank you to all the families who were able to attend our Curriculum Night on September 27<sup>th</sup>. Parent and school partnership is paramount in ensuring that our students are successful. Please do not hesitate to contact your child's teachers should you have any questions. All of our staff can be reached by email. The email addresses are in the form of <a href="mailto:FirstName.LastName@tdsb.on.ca">FirstName.LastName@tdsb.on.ca</a>. Visit our school website <a href="http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/glenview/">http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/glenview/</a> to learn more about current events and access our curriculum outlines by program.

On Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 150 students enjoyed a turkey lunch meal served in the cafeteria. Thank you to our cafeteria workers for providing our students with a savoury meal. Students will have another opportunity to enjoy a holiday meal in December.

### **OISE Students**

Later this month, we will welcome OISE teacher candidates for the upcoming fall practicum. We are proud that Mme Charlesworth, Ms. Chiu, and Ms. Walker will work to mentor these students as assigned Associate Teachers during the month of November.

# **Grade 8 Overnight Field Trips**

We have met with our staff to begin the planning of our annual Grade 8 graduation trips that will take place from June 10 to June 14, 2019. Currently, we have planned trips to Quebec City, Montreal, and St. Andrew's by the Sea (New Brunswick). More information will be shared with you in the near future.

### Halloween Activities

During the afternoon of October 31<sup>st</sup>, students will have a choice to participate in select activities which will be supervised by staff. We encourage students and staff to wear a costume that is school appropriate. During the fun filled afternoon, activities to choose from include: a school dance in the gym, watching a movie, quiet room for activities, swimming in the pool, and a games room. Please note, students are expected to be at school the whole day. Phone calls, emails, faxes and text messages will not be accepted to excuse students. Thank you for your continued support with this.

# <u>Upcoming Speaker at Allenby: Dr. Karyn Gordon</u>

We are delighted to have Dr. Karyn Gordon coming to speak to parents on Wednesday, October 17 from 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. in the Allenby gym. The topic of her talk will be "Raising Healthy Kids and Teens in an Age of Overindulgence." Dr. Karyn is the founder and CEO of DK Leadership and a best-selling author. Many of you may also recognize her from appearances on *CityLine* and *Good Morning America*.

Please RSVP at <a href="https://goo.gl/dAuqhe">https://goo.gl/dAuqhe</a>

### SEPTEMBER – STUDENT RECOGNITION AWARD WINNERS FOR RESPECT

We would like to congratulate the following recipients for demonstrating exemplary respect in their classes: Victoria M., Keiyon H., Dominic R., Marlowe F., Meredith S., Oliver S., Patricia A., Isabel B., Alesia C., Jonah B., Sydney R., Bella M., Alexa E., Kate B., Cyrus O., Chantelle M., David B., Teddy Y., Avery C., Calixto R., Charles F., Chloe B., Ben W., Rebecca H., Mimi M., Sam M., Lily D., Lulia A., Travis M., Timea B., Ema K., Catherine T., Marc H., Camryn B., Hunter H., Emi D G., Charlie C., Lubna M., Luke M.

# STAYING SAFE ONLINE AND USING TECHNOLOGY RESPONSIBILITY

Technology provides new forms of communication and social networking, and has become a part of every-day student life today. Our school allows for the use of electronic devices, such as Chromebooks and ipads, to support learning in the classroom. We encourage the use of these and other devices, where appropriate, as important tools to help navigate and succeed in today's increasingly connected world. Our focus is on providing learning environments and opportunities that engage students effectively. This includes a focus on improving global competencies (critical thinking, creativity, communication, collaboration and character/citizenship).

As a school it is our responsibility to ensure that when our students are using technology at Glenview, educators are modelling proper use keeping safety, responsibility, and respect in mind. Students are expected to use online resources in ways that are consistent with that policy as well as

the school's own code of conduct. This is why we speak to students regularly about using the internet and social media safely and constructively.

Some of our students at Glenview have their own social media accounts. Platforms include, but are not limited to, YouTube, Snapchat, Instagram, Twitter and Facebook. While there are benefits for students having these accounts and access to technology, it is important to stress how to be safe in an online environment, and ensure that students use these social media platforms in responsible and respectful ways. Recently, we have learned of a few instances where students have encountered inappropriate use.

At home, we encourage our parents to continue to have conversations with their children about online safety and using social media responsibly. It is also important that parents reinforce school messages about responsible and safe use of technology and to be aware of the tools that their children are using as well. Please take some time to speak to your child about this. The tips in the links below may provide some guidance for you in those discussions and in monitoring your child's use of technology.

https://kidshealth.org/en/parents/social-media-smarts.html

## **TERRY FOX**

# **Glenview Supports the Fight Against Cancer**

With thoughtful reflection, students and staff ran or walked to support the fight against cancer. Before heading outside, students were asked to write the name of a person they wanted to remember and support on a large sticker during our fundraiser. Leading up to this school-wide initiative, students worked with Language teachers to discuss and learn more about the international influence and iconic role of Terry Fox. This is Glenview's twelfth year supporting the Terry Fox Foundation. On a beautiful and sunny Friday afternoon in September our students made an important monetary contribution to the continuing research for cancer research. This year, class 8D maintained their place throughout the week of morning donations to be the highest fundraising class with Madame Mancuso. Congratulations Glenview upon raising \$2035!

# **NEWS AND CUES FROM THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

#### **Student Council**

Congratulations to all students who took the step forward, and nominated themselves for a position of leadership. Our new student council will be announced on Tuesday, October 16. Grade 8 students who were elected as their class rep can run for I of 6 executive positions. Interested Grade 8 Class Reps are to pick up an application from Ms. Meghji on Tuesday, October 16. These applications should be handed in on Friday, October 19. Students who apply to the executive will be invited to an interview by a Teacher Committee (to take place between October 22-26).

### Food Drive (October 10-October 17)

Glenview is working with North York Harvest Food Bank, which is the local food bank for our community. Here are some shocking facts:

- In Canada...there were 14,000,000 food bank visits over the last year
- Over 300,000 children and are serviced through food banks each year in Canada

- Food banks provide a 2-3 day supply of food, up to four times a month. While it only meant to supplement what people can purchase themselves, for many respondents it is their main source of food.
- 1 in 3 food bank users are children
- Forty per cent of food bank users have graduated from college or university
- 15,000 men, women and children access a food bank every month

The 5 most needed items are Canned Tomatoes, Canned Beans, Canned Fish, Rice and Cooking Oil.

Please send one or more of these food items by October 17.

This is a great opportunity to speak to your children about the meaning of community and taking care of each other.

### **Grade 8-9 Transitions**

Choices for 9 Parent Evening at Glenview

NOVEMBER 5 @ 6:30pm

Student Choices for 9 Information Assembly NOVEMBER 6 @ 10:15 AM (WILLIAM LYON MACKENZIE & JOHN POLYANI TO PRESENT THEIR SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS)

### **High School Open Houses**

Open houses will take place throughout the 1st term. Please visit the following site for a list of dates: <a href="http://www.tdsb.on.ca/HighSchool/GoingtoHighSchool/OpenHousesandInformationNights.aspx">http://www.tdsb.on.ca/HighSchool/GoingtoHighSchool/OpenHousesandInformationNights.aspx</a>
Students and parents are encouraged to attend open houses at **all** schools your child is interested in. TDSB students have access to specialized programs that offer unique opportunities and focus on a variety of interests. Each specialized program has specific requirements as well as unique admission criteria. Application to Specialized Programs is made directly to each program. It is critical that you attend the open house for these programs to learn about the admission criteria and deadlines.



By the end of October, all Grade 8 students will have had the opportunity to register on myBlueprint which is an online tool to help students with education and career planning. If your child has not done so, they can create an account by following these steps:

- 1. Log on to <a href="www.myblueprint.ca/tdsb">www.myblueprint.ca/tdsb</a>
- 2. Select Sign Up. Under School, select TDSB Elementary (K-8)
- 3. Complete all the information required. <u>Students will need to use their student email address</u> as well as their OEN (this can be found on your child's report card).
- 4. Your child is now ready to explore the variety of activities to help them plan their education and career pathways. There will be opportunities in class to work on Goal Setting, Discovery and to create a variety of High School plans.

# My Schedule

I am at Glenview 4 days a week: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

#### Contact

Nishi.Meghji@tdsb.on.ca



# Get Connected

Glenview School Council



Congratulations to all our students who have participated in our very successful fundraising campaign. We have extended our campaign and it will now officially end on

#### Monday, October 15, 2018 at 9am.

Many great prizes have been donated from our local community: A&W, Bruno's, Mastermind, Glenview, Pusateri's, QSP, Starbuck's Avenue & Roe, Toy Town, Spokes &

Sport, Cozy Nails, Party Rock, DeVenezia Pizza and more to come!

Winners will be announced, and prizes handed out on Wednesday, October 17.

# Congratulations!!

We have had three **participation draws** with 13 winners receiving a Glenview 50<sup>th</sup> t-shirt and a \$10 A+W Card/ or a Sky Zone Pass. The winners: Andrew Z, Russell L, Caitlin C, Jack C, Adeline L, Carter G, Claire W, Michelle C, Brooke D, Evan L, Mya H, Katelyn S and Brody H.

Keep up the great work Glenview! 1<sup>st</sup> Place Prize: Samsung S6 Phone

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Whip Kaos MADD Gear Scooter

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: 2, 60 min Sky Zone Passes 4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Prizes will be handed out!

# Save the dates!

# **Council Meetings**

November 20, February 20,

April 16, May 21

All at 6:30pm

# Conference

Nov 17, 9am -3pm
PIAC, Parent Conference
@ Earl Haig SS. All
parents welcome.
Register on the TDSB
website.

# News

TDSB TRUSTEE CANDIDATE Q&A EVENING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18<sup>th</sup> 7-9PM AT LAWRENCE PARK C.I. 125 Chatsworth Drive

All Glenview parents/gaurdians are welcome to attend the upcoming TDSB trustee candidate meeting on Thursday October 18, 2018 in the library of Lawrence Park CI. The evening is organized by the Parents Involvement Advisory Committee (PIAC) for former wards 8 and 11 to provide an opportunity for candidates to share their views and to answer questions on topics of importance to our schools across the two Wards.

There will be seating for approximately 100 people.

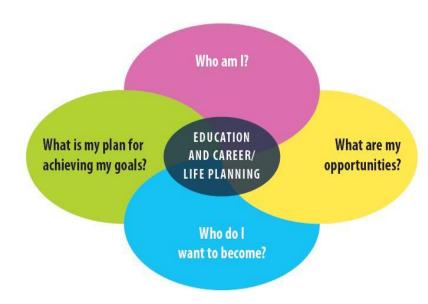
# **Glenview Senior Public School**

# **Transitioning to Grade 9 Parent Information Evening**

Monday November 6, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Parents of Grade 8 students are invited to attend a very important presentation on the grade 8 to 9 transition process. Learn about:

- Pathways for Success
- Secondary Programs
- Specific School Information
- Course Selection Process



# **Glenview Fundraising Magazine Drive (QSP)**

# Has Been Extended to October 15<sup>th</sup>!!!

Monday October 15<sup>th</sup> 9am LAST chance for Glenview Students to win AWESOME prizes. All QSP Magazine/Gift orders must be in online by 9am Monday or hardcopy handed in 8:30-9am Monday at the front of Glenview to count.

Plus, for each sale until the end of the campaign, students will get an emoji key chain or highlighter in ADDITION to the following PRIZES. The Glenview School Council have received many donations from the neighbourhood and have had 3 participation draws with 13 winners! The parent school council has done an awesome job to make it fun for the students. EVERY Order they get at least 2 prizes!! Plus 1 entry in the draw per person with 1 order.

**Congratulations** to the 90 Glenview families that have participated in our fundraising campaign and have raised over \$4,000.00 which will support and enhance all our students and school. We are aiming to have 200 students participate, a 35% increase from last year. \*\*

There are many great **prizes to be awarded for our top sellers**: Samsung S6 phone, Whip Kaos MADD Gear Scooter donated by Spokes & Sports, a Mastermind gift basket, a Swell water bottle from Toytown, Sky Zone 60-minute passes, a gift bag and charger from Party Rock, drink containers filled with Halloween candy donated by Starbucks and Loblaw and much more

#### **Prize Chart:**

**1st** Sale- Insulated Water Bottle Holder

**2nd** Sale - 1 LED flashing light for backpack

**3rd** Sale- 1 LED flashing light for backpack

**4th** Sale- Scented pencil

**5th** Sale- iRing Phone Holder

**6th** Sale- Highlighter

**7th** Sale- Scented pencil

8th Sale- Thumbs up phone holder

9th Sale- 2 LED flashing lights

10th Sale- Emoji Power Bank!!

Prizes rotate back to the top of the list for 11<sup>th</sup> sale onwards plus..

15 Sales- Add 2 PASSES for 1 HOUR AT SKY ZONE

Thanks for you support, Glenview School Parent Council

\*\*Our campaign for awards/incentives runs from September 24-October 15 however, if any magazines/gifts are purchased from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 a percentage of each sale goes to Glenview.\*\*