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# Newsletter

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# Week 9 Term 4 2025

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Dear Parents,
Well we are certainly coming to the end of the year and I am feeling excited about the upcoming holidays and I hope you all are also. This week we held two amazing events. On Monday we had our official opening of our new classrooms. The weather held off and it was lovely to have the opportunity-unity to chat with our community.

**Opening of Our Classrooms**

**Year 8 Dinner**
On Wednesday Night we held our first year 8 Dinner and speeches. We have 14 year 8 and 27 parents attend this dinner. We held it on our new deck area and it was a wonderful time to listen to the students final thoughts about Glenavy School. A huge congratulations on their success and I wish them all the best for 2026.

**Christmas Parade Sunday 7th December**

**This year we will be entering a float and 2 trucks into the Waimate Christmas Parade. If your child would like to be a part of this float we will be meeting at the Events Centre at 12:15pm on Sunday 7th December. Students need to wear anything white and red. Santa hats or Christmas accessories.**

**Flames Bus**
**Robyn Ayers will be driving the Flames Bus until the end of the year, her phone number is 0275219070.** We are on the hunt for another Bus driver, which we will advertise before Christmas.

**Pool Keys**

**We are selling Swimming Pool keys. They are $50 a key. Please make sure you know how to take the pool cover on and off. If you do not know please ask and someone will give you a demonstration**

**PTA Christmas Raffle**
It's that time of the year again and the PTA would like to have a Christmas Raffle. We are asking for ONE Christmas based item to add into our hamper boxes. Items could be food, candles, books or anything to do with Christmas. Please send these along to school and give them to Lynda in the office. **All families have been given 1 sheet of raffle tickets to sell. If you could sell these and return these to the office ASAP please.**

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**Donation of a sheep or part of a cattle beast for sausages**
Does anyone have a sheep or part of a cattle beast they would like to donate so we could get some sausages made. We would pay for the processing. If this is something you could do we would be very thankful. Sausages are just not the same as they used to be.

Have a wonderful weekend
Kate Mansfield

## ⭐⭐⭐ Glenavy School Value Awards ⭐⭐

**Principal's Award -Adahlia Tohiariki-Self Management-** Being brave and jumping off the wharf during EOTC.

**Kororā - Sawyer Davies - Self Management** - Sawyer you are working hard in all areas of the school. Well done. Keep up the great work.

**Pīwakawaka - Ruby Malcolm - Integrity -** For showing wonderful morals—always doing the right thing, helping others, and completing your work proudly with a big smile! You are a Star!

**Tūī - Zoey Malcolm - Integrity -** For always including others and doing the right thing, you show great sportsmanship in our class games. Keep being awesome!

**Ruru- Dominique Descallar-Integrity-** Always being happy and helpful and awesome

**Kea - Aiden Gemmell** - **Self Management** - You have been working super hard in your group getting everything sorted for the school fair.

**Kārearea -** Kian Perez- Integrit**y -** you always uphold the Glenavy School values and are such a superstar student.

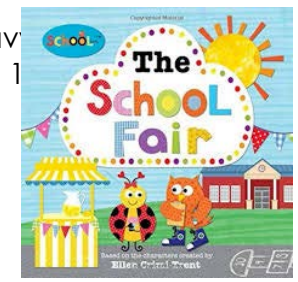
## Upcoming Events - Term 4

### Week 10 - Term 4

**Monday 8th December**
- Year 5 to Mount Cook- Monday to Wednesday

**Thursday 11th December**
- School Prize Giving at Glenav
- EOTC- year 7 and 8 students 1

**Friday12th December**
- School Fair 12-2:30pm




### Week 11 Term 4

**Monday 13th December**

- Secret Santa Morning
- **FREE BURGERS FOR ALL THE SCHOOL**
- Fun Day and Water Afternoon

**Thursday 14th December**
- Last Day - School Finishes at 12pm
- Please if your children are tired , they can stay at home

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## NOTES FOR THE END OF THE YEAR

- Can we please have all **Library books and reading books** returned ASAP. We will be doing a stock take and notes will go home with children who have overdue books.

- Santa Parade- this Sunday at 1pm. If your child would like to be in the parade please be at the Event Centre at 12:15.
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- See you at the **School Fair** on Friday 12th December 12:00-2:30 pm- Bring some money to spend! We will have lots to sell. Pine Cones, Sauces, Devonshire tea, Christmas Decoration, Soaps, Sausages, Money boxes and much much more

- **Children's Secret Santa** presents must be in on Friday 12th December, we will share them on Monday 15th.

- **Raffle tickets** need to be back at school by **Wednesday 10th December**- Please sell all of the tickets.

- Please bring a **Christmas Food item or gift for the raffle-** This needs to be back by **Wednesday 10th December.**

- **School Water Day-** Children need to bring their togs and Towel- Monday 15th 1-3 All parents welcome to come and join in.

- **BURGER DAY-** Monday 15th- FREE for all children at school no lunch needed that day

- **School Prize Giving-Thursday 11th- starting at 6:30pm all children need to be in full school uniform and arrive at 6:15pm. We will have supper after the prize giving, please bring a small plate of food to share with everyone.**

- Tuesday 16th- **Last Day of school.** School closes at 12pm and all buses will run then. **If your child is tired please feel free to keep them at home.**

- **Pool Keys are for sale** from the office now $50 for the season

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