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Newsletter



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Week 7 Term 4 2026

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Dear Parents,

Swimming Pool Keys available-
Buy your swimming pool key from the school office over the next few weeks. **$50 per key.** If you do not know how to use the cover please ask for a lesson.

Christmas Parade -Sunday 6th December
As per other years we will be participating in the Christmas Parade in Waimate, The theme this year is recycle and Jennifer Rivera and her team are preparing a wonderful float on our bus driver Alastair's flat deck truck.
If you would like to come along and be a part of the parade, please put your child's name down at the office. Either email office@glenavy.school.nz or tell Rebecca when you're in school.
A place to meet will be organised closer to the 6th.

Wee Reminder:
It is a very busy time of the year with lots happening around the school as we head towards the end of the term. Because there are so many upcoming events, activities, and important updates, notices are regularly being sent home. Please remember to check your child's school bag each afternoon for paper notices and permission slips, and keep an eye on your emails, the school app, and our social media pages so you don't miss anything important.

Glenavy School Secret Santa
It has been a tradition at Glenavy School to play the Secret Santa game for Christmas. Your child has been given a name of a student who they will need to buy a gift around the price $10 for your secret Santa and have it at school by **Tuesday 8th December. We will be sharing gifts on Thursday 10th December**
Wrap your present but **DO NOT** put who it is from on the card, only write the person who the present is for.
Remember that everyone needs to participate so that everyone gets a present.
This is a fun way to finish the school year. Remember not to tell anyone who your secret santa is!
PLEASE NO FOOD OR CHOCOLATES AS THE MAIN PRESENT- (be creative)



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 drop them to the office



Christmas Presents: Your child has been given a flyer with their code for ordering on
Students at Glenavy School have recently completed artwork that can be featured on custom diaries, calendars, mouse pads, notebooks, and greeting cards. The artwork has been submitted to the printers. A unique ordering code will be provided for each student, allowing families to place orders directly online. Proceeds from this fundraiser will directly support school programs and resources for our students. Access codes will be distributed as soon as they become available.

Kind regards,
Kate Mansfield

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⭐⭐⭐ Glenavy School Value Awards ⭐⭐⭐

Principal's Award- Shania Bermio - Self Management- For your tremendous perseverance on your bike this week. Never giving up even when you toppled over.

Kororā - Mason Smith-Brown - Self Management - For great reading. Mason I am so proud of you. You have worked really hard. You are a STAR!

Pīwakawaka - Kees Van't Klooster - Self Management - For always being curious and eager to learn new things. You are amazing just the way you are!

Tūī - Lilly Lewis - Integrity - This term, you have always been doing the right thing, you have been an amazing class mate and a very helpful student. Well done Lilly!

Ruru - Senuk Hemba Waduge - Self Management - For being an amazing captain at the Cricket Festival, you were great at organising your team!

Kea - Bailey Harper - Integrity - For consistently showing up, doing your best, and always being focused on improving.

Karearea - Kian Perez - Integrity - you constantly show and uphold the school values. You are amazing!

Term Upcoming Events

Week 8

Monday 30th November

- Yr 8 Leavers Camp to Ohau Lodge overnight
- Subway Orders In

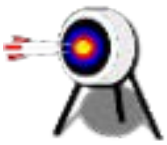


Wednesday 2nd December

- EOTC Yr 7 & 8 12.30 - 3.00pm
- PTA Meeting 2.15pm

Thursday 3rd December

- EOTC Yr 7 & 8 Archery all day



Friday 4th December

- Yr 8 Water Day @ Glenavy
- Sausage Sizzle $3.00
- Assembly 2.30pm



Sunday 6th December

- Santa Parade in Waimate

Week 9

Monday 7th December

- BOT Meeting 6pm in the staffroom

Tuesday 8th December

- Year 8 Leavers Dinner & Speeches Glenavy School 5.00pm



Wednesday 9th December

- Prizegiving Assembly 6.30pm Glenavy Hall
- Reports go home

Thursday 10th December

- Secret Santa Morning
- Glenavy School water Afternoon



Friday 11th December

- Fun day at school and clean up!!!

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Waimate Regent Theatre
Movies December 2026



Coyote vs Acme
After years of using failed ACME products to catch the Roadrunner, Wile E. Coyote finally takes the dodgy company to court in this Looney Tunes legal comedy.

Saturday 28 November – 2.30 pm

Rated (PG) Violence & Course Language
Running Time – 1 hour 38 mins

All Tickets $10



De Gaulle Part Two – *Liberte*
Second entry of a two-part biopic, Charles De Gaulle's journey as a French army officer from 1940 to 1945, tracking his evolution toward a political career.

Sunday 29 November – 6.00 pm

Rated (R13) Bloody Violence & animal cruelty
Running Time – 2 hour 40 mins



Heart of the Beast
A former Navy SEAL (Brad Pitt) and his retired combat dog are lost in the frozen backcountry after a catastrophic crash.

Friday 4 December – 7.30 pm

Rated (M) Violence & Injury detail
Running Time – 1 hour 40 mins



Ebenezer
Johnny Depp is Ebenezer Scrooge in this alternative take on A Christmas Carol. The story sees Scrooge embark on a supernatural journey to face his past, present and future and fight for a second chance at happiness.

Sunday 6 December – 6.00 pm

Rated (M) Violence & scary scenes
Running Time – 1 hour 55 mins



Sense and Sensibility
Daisy Edgar-Jones (Twisters) and Esmé Creed-Miles (*The Chronology of Water*) are Elinor and Marianne Dashwood in this adaptation of Jane Austen's classic novel about desire and sisterhood.

Sunday 13 December – 6.00 pm

Rated (G)
Running Time – 2 hour 12 mins



Wicker
The almighty Olivia Colman leads this raunchy romantacy as a smelly, single and perpetually ridiculed fisherwomen on the outskirts of a village by the sea. Fed up with her stuffy, small-minded neighboors, she commissions herself a husband to be made from wicker. In an otherwise conservative town, this unconventional romance sparks outrage, jealousy and chaos.

Saturday 19 December – 7.30 pm
Sunday 20 December – 6.00 pm

Rated (R16) Sex scenes, offensive language & content that may disturb
Running Time – 1 hour 45 mins

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Movie Ratings – *What they mean*

G	PG	M	R13	R16
Suitable for general audiences.	Parental Guidance recommended for younger viewers.	Suitable for mature audiences (16+).	Restricted to people 13 years and over.	Restricted to people 16 years and over.

TICKET PRICES
- Adults: $15
- Students & Superannuitants: $12
- Children: $12

SORRY NO EFTPOS

Follow us on Facebook **Waimate Regent Theatre** for movie updates, trailers and special events.

We will be taking a break over Christmas and New Year and look forward to welcoming you back to the movies later in January.

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