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Dear Parents,

Last week we had a wonderful Pet day with lots of children either bringing pets or making pets. It was a great day and we thank all the parents who came with pets and supported us during this day.

Today we had Loud Shirt Day and all the money for Sausages and muffi went toward this great cause. We raised \$233 for cochlear research.

Welcome to Avisha Mayor who has joined Glenavy School in Ruma Piwakawaka. She has just arrived from the Philippines. We wish to welcome her and her family too.



Prize Winners from 2024

Now is the time to bring back your trophies from last year as we need to sort these for this year's prize giving. Please bring your trophies back to Lynda in the office.



Strike Day- Thursday 23rd October

As per our Calendar sent out last week, the teachers of NZ will be striking for the day. **The school will be closed.** We do not take this lightly, but we feel it is a very important stance to make. We know this is a busy time for you on the farm and apologise for the inconvenience. We do want teaching to be a profession that people would like to be a part of and at the moment we are struggling to find teachers and principals.

Book Fair

A big thank you to all the parents who bought books from our book fair. We sold over \$3,000 worth of books which gives Hermein in the library over \$1,000 to spend on new books. This has been the best Book fair so far. We do appreciate your support



Working Bee

Apologies as I made a mistake in the notice that came home this week. The **Working Bee starts at 2pm and goes to about 5:30** with a sausage sizzle. We would like as many parents as possible to attend the working Bee as this will get lots done. Please bring your gardening gloves and tools for the working Bee.

HELP NEEDED NOTICES

Thanks to all the families who have brought back the help needed. I would like all parents to bring back the form, if everyone can just do one thing to help that would be amazing. We can not run our amazing program without your support.



Athletics Day

If you can help with the Athletic Day I would like to hear from you. I need about 5 people on the BBQ and more in the kitchen. Thank you to the parents who have already volunteered their time. Let me know if you can help.

I also need some parents for the parent relay. See kate if you are speedy

Have a wonderful Weekend
Kate Mansfield

★★★★ **Glenavy School Value Awards** ★★★★★

Principal's Award - Martha Salcedo-Community Support- For being a wonderful friend to our new student in Room 2.

Kororā - Kees van't Klooster - Self Management - Great independent writing. I love how you are able to write all your ideas in your head into your writing Kees. Well done!

Pīwakawaka - Elizabeth Hamilton - Self Management - For trying your best during structured literacy, sounding out tricky words before writing them and asking for help when you need it. Well done!

Tūi - Sulaim Nijamdeen - Integrity - For always being a super star role model in and outside of the classroom! You are always doing the right thing and willing to always help others!

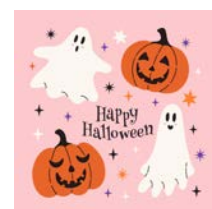
Ruru- Senuk Hembra Waduge - Community Support- For creating a beautiful card with support of his family and friends.

Kea - Sonny Chellew - Self Management - Amazing focus on your work this week, you are really starting to push yourself with your learning.

Maths Award - Casey Henshaw - For taking risks, explaining your thinking and most importantly having fun with Maths! Well done Casey, your hard work pays off.

Upcoming Events - Term 4

<u>Week 3 - Term 4</u>	<u>Week 4 - Term 4</u>
<u>Monday 20th October</u> - BOT Meeting 6.30pm <u>Wednesday 22nd October</u> - Wheelie Day <u>Friday 24th October</u> - Athletics Day @ Glenavy School with Papakaio and Ardgowan Schools 5 and 6 Years olds go to Papakaio School	<u>Monday 27th October-</u> - Labour Day Holiday <u>Tuesday 28th October</u> - Subway Orders <u>Friday 31st October</u> - Halloween Disco 6-7:30pm bring a can to enter



Support Glenavy School's Heaviest Calf Competition

We're calling on our community to donate a calf to our Heaviest Calf Competition. Friesian bulls or beef cross calves are welcome. Your donation will help support our school, and you'll get to enjoy a fun-filled evening at our weigh-in BBQ.

Prizes up for grabs! 🏆

- Heaviest calf wins a prize and our heaviest calf trophy.
- 2nd and 3rd places also take home prizes.
- The family that donates the most calves wins a special prize.

Calves will be sold through the Temuka sale yards in late November.

Email: glenavyschoolpta@gmail.com or call/text Kayla on 0274620600 to get your Glenavy School calf tags.

Your support is much appreciated.

ATHLETICS DAY INFO

JUNIOR ATHLETICS- (5 & 6 year olds) with Rachel McLellan & Twane Dirker

The juniors this year will be going to Papakaio School to participate in the junior athletics with them. They will be leaving the school at 10am and returning for the end of the day. If you would like to come and help at this event please email Rachel in Room 1, as she is organising this. Her email is rachel@glenavy.school.nz

SENIOR ATHLETICS (7-13 year olds) (Age as from the 1st October 2024)

We start at 10am and have 3 stations before lunch. Lunch is at 12:20pm and then 2 stations after lunch. We finish with relays at 1:50-2:20. Again if you are at school you may take your children home then. Make sure you tell the bus teacher.

BBQ LUNCH

- The school is running a BBQ. Can the children please bring the money on Friday morning.
- Parents can buy their burgers and sausages on the day.
- **Sausage sizzle \$2.50, Burgers \$5, Water \$2**

PARENT RELAY

No stress , but we have won the parents relay since we started this. We are after super fast sprinters, if you are a super fast sprinter please let Kate know. Or email her on principal@glenavy.school.nz

ALL CHILDREN NEED SUN HATS AND RUNNING SHOES. ALL PARENTS WELCOME





CALF FUNDRAISER

Donate a calf today!

- Friesian bull or mixed sex beef cross
- Trophy for the winner
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes

HOW TO DONATE:

Confirm Your Donation

- Let us know the number of calves you're donating. Glenavy PTA tags will be assigned accordingly.

Tagging the Calves - Select your chosen calves and tag them with:

- A Glenavy PTA tag (provided)
- A NAIT tag

Feed, Feed, Feed — healthy animals mean great fundraising results!

Sale Details

- Sale date is **Friday 21st November**
- Calves to be delivered to the Waimate Pavilion **Thursday 20th November**
- Collection can be arranged if required

BBQ, CALF WEIGH-IN & PRIZE GIVING:

Thursday 20th November - details TBC



WHO CAN RAISE
THE HEAVIEST CALF
FOR 2025?

Please complete the below information if you would like to donate a calf or calves this season.

This form can be returned to the Glenavy School office or scanned and emailed to
Glenavyschoolpta@gmail.com

Name:

Contact Number:

Email Address:

Number of tags needed (calves to donate):

(Please note you will need to Nait tag your calf prior to weigh in with your own Nait tag) Please indicate type of calf or calves you are donating:

Friesian Bulls ☐ Beef Cross ☐ Other ☐

I can deliver my calf to Waimate Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure ☐

I would like my calf to be picked up for sale Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure ☐ (If yes we will be in touch to make arrangements)

If you would like another copy of this form for friends or family members please ask at the school office or email us at Glenavyschoolpta@gmail.com

Thank you for supporting Glenavy School, it is much appreciated.

Happy Calving!!

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