



# Glencairn Parent-Teacher Organization

939 Harrison Avenue  
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Nurturing Each Child  
Educating All Students  
Building World Citizens

## May 4, 2018 Newsletter

Dear Glencairn Families,

### Teacher Appreciation Week

Next week is Teacher/ Staff Appreciation week! The PTO plans to recognize our hardworking staff with a breakfast, lunch, coffee, cookies, and trail mix assortment. All week students will have the opportunity to write notes to staff at the Appreciation Station. It would be a great time to send a letter from you or your kids to classroom teachers, specials teachers, librarians, para pros, and other staff! Or, if you have a bit of time to spare, show your appreciation by offering to pack a box in preparation for the upcoming move.



### May 10<sup>th</sup> is Festival of Cultures!

The Festival of Cultures is a wonderful evening event that showcases the diversity and talent of our Glencairn students. They will parade into the auditorium at the High School. Students will walk with a group under a banner that represents their native country or state and perform music and dance selections from all over the world. Students may wear traditional costumes that showcase their native country or heritage. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn and share in the diversity of our students. The Festival of Cultures is planned for Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. Buses from Spartan Village and 1855 Place will be provided. More information is coming soon!

### Let's get together! Next PTO Meeting is May 8<sup>th</sup>.

We always want to hear from you and we want you to hear what's going on in our school community. All parents are invited to the next PTO meeting in the Glencairn Elementary Library. **We will have social time from 6:30-7:00 p.m. with our meeting time from 7:00-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>.** Childcare is available for elementary aged children if you need it. Transportation can also be arranged from Spartan Village or 1855 Place. Please email [karinpolischuk@hotmail.com](mailto:karinpolischuk@hotmail.com) if you need either care or transportation.

## Who We Are

The Glencairn Parent Teacher Organization exists to support the school and teachers, raising money through fundraisers such as the Fun Run, Popcorn Fridays and more. We want to share your ideas and energy to help make the school better.

### Wrapping it up...Mark Your Calendars!

**May 8<sup>th</sup>** – PTO Meeting in Glencairn Library

**6:30 p.m.** Social Time

**7:00-8:00 p.m.** Meeting

**May 10<sup>th</sup>** – Festival of Cultures (7:00 pm at the High School)

**May 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>** - 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Track and Field Days

**June 1<sup>st</sup>** – Jump Rope Show

**June 5<sup>th</sup>** – All School Field Day

**June 6<sup>th</sup>** – Hoop Troupe Show

**June 7<sup>th</sup>** – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip

**June 8<sup>th</sup>** – All School 5K

**June 13<sup>th</sup>** – 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Water Day

**June 13<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade East Lansing Aquatic Center Field Trip

**June 15<sup>th</sup>** – Last Day of School and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation – ½ day