

# Glencairn Parent-Teacher Organization 1110 Narcissus Drive East Lansing, MI 48823

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# January 11, 2019 Newsletter

## Dear Glencairn Families,

## **Glencairn Talent Show is in Less Than 2 Weeks!**

Our 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Graders have auditioned and have been practicing for a very special event! Our school is full of talent and this showcase will allow families to get a sense of what our amazing students are capable of. The Glencairn Talent Show is on **Thursday**, **January 24<sup>th</sup>!** Due to the amazing number of talented students wishing to perform at our Talent Show, we will be holding two shows, both on the same evening. There will be a 5:00-6:30 show and a 7:00-8:30 show on the 24th. The two shows will be balanced in grade-level representation and type of performances. Siblings will be assigned to the same "show time". We hope to see you there!

# Let's get together! Next PTO Meeting is January 15<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 Glencairn PTO meeting in the Red Cedar Elementary Library. **Our meeting time will be from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 15**<sup>th</sup>. Childcare is available for elementary aged children if you need it. Please email karinpolischuk@hotmail.com if you need care.

### Reminder...

Just a reminder to anyone who has donated to the PTO this year, especially during the Fun Run, that your donations are tax deductible.

### **Mark Your Calendars!**

January 15<sup>th</sup> – PTO Meeting from 6:30-7:30pm (4<sup>th</sup> Grade teachers attending)

January 21st – No School – Martin Luther King Day

January 24<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Field Trip to Hello Hospital

January 24th – Evening Talent Show

February 18th – No School – Presidents Day

February 19<sup>th</sup> – Math Night

February 27<sup>th</sup> – Late Start for Professional Development – School starts at 10:45am

March 8<sup>th</sup> – Book Bingo

April 10<sup>th</sup> – Taste of Glencairn

May 10<sup>th</sup> – Festival of Cultures

### 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.

## 2018-2019 PTO Membership - Please feel free to contact us anytime:

- President Karin Polischuk, karinpolischuk@hotmail.com
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