



# Glencairn Parent-Teacher Organization

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Educating All Students  
Building World Citizens

## **February 1, 2019 Newsletter**

**Dear Glencairn Families,**

### **Math Night is Coming!**

Math is not about answers, it is about how you find them, and it is a process. At Glencairn's Math Night we will discover fun ways to find the answers to new problems. Come have a great time with these new problems and the processes that solve them. Math Night will be held on Tuesday, February 19 from 6:30-8pm.

### **Looking for 2019-2020 PTO Officers**

We are beginning to think about the 2019-2020 school year and our PTO membership. If you have any interest in filling a PTO Officer or Chair position, please reach out to any current member. We'd be happy to answer any questions you may have. There is no experience necessary and the time commitment is based on your availability. We're always looking for fresh new ideas and new faces. Please feel free to email any of the following current board members:

- President - Karin Polischuk, [karinpolischuk@hotmail.com](mailto:karinpolischuk@hotmail.com)
- Vice President/Social Media and Engagement Coordinator - Kristin Bellar, [kbealsbellar@gmail.com](mailto:kbealsbellar@gmail.com)
- Treasurer - Jason Weller, [jason.weller.007@gmail.com](mailto:jason.weller.007@gmail.com)
- Secretary - Kim Roland, [rolanddave@hotmail.com](mailto:rolanddave@hotmail.com)

### **January 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting Minutes**

Minutes from the January 15<sup>th</sup> PTO meeting have been posted on the PTO Facebook page and also on our Website: <http://elps.k12.mi.us/our-schools/glencairn-elementary-school/parentsstudents/glencairn-school-association/meeting-minutes/>.

### **Let's get together! Next PTO Meeting is February 12<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, February 12<sup>th</sup>.** Childcare is available for elementary aged children if you need it. Please email [karinpolischuk@hotmail.com](mailto: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.

## Follow us on Facebook



Our school's **PTO has a Facebook page** to help share the latest news involving our PTO and school community:

<https://www.facebook.com/glencairnpto>

We also encourage you to join **Glencairn Elementary Families**. This is an informal Facebook page for parents and members of the school community to ask questions and share information about the school --

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1143041979071281/>. Ask to join, and you'll be gladly accepted!

## Many Thanks!

Thank you to the wonderfully talented students who entertained at the Talent Show on January 24<sup>th</sup>. What a nice evening!

## Mark Your Calendars!

**February 12<sup>th</sup>** – PTO Meeting from 6:30-7:30pm (5<sup>th</sup> Grade teachers attending)

**February 18<sup>th</sup>** – No School – Presidents Day

**February 19<sup>th</sup>** – Math Night from 6:30-8:00pm

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

**March 4<sup>th</sup>** – Kindergarten Information Night – For Fall 2019 Incoming Kindergarten Families

**March 8<sup>th</sup>** – Book Bingo

**March 12<sup>th</sup>** – ½ Day – School ends at 12:10pm

**March 14<sup>th</sup>** – ½ Day – School ends at 12:10pm

**March 19<sup>th</sup>** – ½ Day – School ends at 12:10pm

**March 20<sup>th</sup>** – Late Start for Professional Development – School starts at 10:45am

**March 29<sup>th</sup> – April 5<sup>th</sup>** – No School – Spring Break

**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.