



Glencairn Parent-Teacher Organization

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May 21, 2019 Newsletter

Dear Glencairn Families,

Glencairn Field Day

Glencairn Field Day will be May 31st in the afternoon. This outdoor school wide event includes games such as soccer, water balloon tosses, relay races, and volleyball and is a favorite of all ages. Parent volunteers will be needed in the afternoon and the sign-up can be found here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CAEAF29A4FF2-glencairn>. Please see the flyer attached to this newsletter.

Year End Picnic

We hope your family will join us for our annual year-end Glencairn family picnic at school on **Thursday, June 6th from 6:00-8:00 PM**. Beef hot dogs will be provided by our PTO, and families are invited to bring a “pot luck” dish to share.

Last names beginning with A-M please bring a side dish
Last names beginning with N-Z please bring a dessert

Entertainment will be provided by our very own 4th grade teacher, Mr. Finger and lunchroom supervisor, Mr. Tim! We hope to see you there!

2019-2020 PTO Membership

2019-2020 PTO Board Members were voted on and approved at the May 14th PTO meeting:

- Karin Polischuk – President
- Josh Vincent – Vice President
- Kim Roland – Secretary
- Jason Weller – Treasurer

Special thanks to Kristin Bellar for her service as Vice President during the 2018-2019 school year!

Glencairn Parking Lot

Please be aware that as we near the end of the school year, a couple more pods will be coming to our parking lot so that we can continue packing the school. The parking may start to get tight, but please be patient and remember that the church across the street has plenty of parking spots for our parents to use.

May 14th Meeting Minutes

Minutes from the May 14th 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/>.

Thank you!

Thanks to those that helped to make Teacher Appreciation Week successful: the Student Leadership Team, Chair Elizabeth Lyons, and the parents who contributed baked goods and breakfast items!

Mark Your Calendars!

May 22nd – 5th Grade Track and Field Day at High School from 9:00-11:30am

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4da4ab28a3ff2-5thgrade1>

May 23rd – 4th Grade Track and Field Day at High School from 9:00-11:30am

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4da4ab28a3ff2-4thgrade1>

May 23rd – 2nd Grade Field Trip to MSU Children's Gardens

May 24th – Kindergarten's Year End Field Trip to Patriarche Park

May 27th – No School – Memorial Day

May 28th – 2nd Grade Field Trip to Impression 5 Science Center

May 29th – 5th Grade Field Trip to Henry Ford and Greenfield Village

May 29th – Kindergarten Writer's Celebration at 9:00am – Mrs. Sell's Class

May 30th – Kindergarten Writer's Celebration at 9:00am – Mrs. Swales' Class

May 31st – Kindergarten Writer's Celebration at 9:00am – Mrs. Nordquist's Class

May 31st – Glencairn Field Day

June 4th – 1st Grade Year-End Activity Day

June 4th – 4th Grade Field Trip to Frederik Meijer Gardens and Hoffmaster State Park

June 4th – 5th Grade Year-End Picnic

June 4th – Mrs. Olance's Class Trip to Binder Park Zoo

June 5th – 3rd, 4th, & 5th Grade to East Lansing Aquatic Center (3rd, 4th, & 5th only – All other grades and classes doing alternative activities)

June 6th – Mrs. Ware & Student Leadership Team to City Limits Bowling Year-End Party

June 6th – Year End Picnic

June 7th – Last Day of School & 5th Grade Graduation – ½ Day

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.