

Glencoe Elementary School

Weekly Newsletter

May 17, 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS - check website for full month

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>
Friday, 05/17/2024	After-School - Baton After-School - Lego Robotics	2:30pm - 3:00pm 2:15pm - 4:00pm
Monday, 05/20/2024	After-School - Imagine This PDX Art After-School - Theater Fun K-2 After-School - Drama Club	2:15pm - 3:15pm 2:15pm - 3:30pm 2:15pm - 4:45pm
Tuesday, 05/21/2024	Book Fair After-School - Yoga Kinder Connect Event - Adults & Children	2:15pm - 3:30pm 2:30pm - 3:15pm 4:30pm - 5:30pm
Wednesday, 05/22/2024	Book Fair After-School - Circus	2:15pm - 3:30pm 2:30pm - 4:00pm
Thursday, 05/23/2024	Book Fair After-School - Basketball 3-5 After-School - Spanish	2:15pm - 3:30pm 2:30pm - 3:30pm 2:20pm - 3:20pm
Friday, 05/24/2024	SPIRIT DAY - "Storybook Parade" After-School - Baton After-School - Lego Robotics	9:00am - 10:00am 2:30pm - 3:00pm 2:15pm - 4:00pm

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Glencoe Families,

It's hard to believe that we are already more than halfway through May! The end of the year seems to fly by so quickly. Last night we had an amazing turnout for STEAM night! A huge appreciation to all the parents and community members that contributed to another successful Glencoe event! It was fun to see students' proud faces as they shared their artwork with their families.

The fun this month continues with our annual Storybook Parade coming up next Friday. This cherished Glencoe tradition is an opportunity for students to dress up as their favorite book character, and for families to gather along the parade route to cheer them on. Please see details below and be on the lookout for more information from Konstella next week. I wish you all a restful and relaxing weekend. We look forward to seeing you on Monday!

In appreciation,
Katie

Storybook Parade

Please see the attached fliers for details: [📄 Storybook Parade Flier](#) [📄 Storybook Parade Map](#)

Bike Bus Survey from PPS and PBOT

Dear Glencoe Families,

Glencoe Elementary, in collaboration with PPS Safe Routes to School, has been selected to participate in a research study on Bike Buses with Portland State University. We would like to invite you to participate in a research study on school transportation and commutes. We are researching the choices parents and students make when deciding how to make the trip to and from school. This online survey is for all parents and caregivers at the school and should take no one more than 10 minutes to complete.

[LINK](#)

This survey is being conducted by the Transportation Research and Education Center (TREC) at Portland State University. Your participation is completely voluntary. We are not asking for any identifying information, and individual responses will not be shared. You can learn more about our research by visiting [our website](#) where we are publishing our findings and research.

Thank you for your time,
Shane Nevius

PTA NEWS

Teachers Levy–Vote by May 21

Please remember to vote in the May 21 election, particularly on the Teachers Levy, Measure 26-246. [Five of the teaching positions funded by the levy are at Glencoe](#). This levy is a renewal of a current tax rate, and **funds 650 critical teaching positions in PPS**. Learn more [here](#).

STEAM Night

Thank you to everyone who attended STEAM Night last night! Special thanks to our volunteers and community partners for your contributions to the event; you made the event a huge success. Extra special gratitude to parents Michelle Jariabka and Leah Plack for sharing your expertise, leadership and time with our community. If you have ideas or would like to be involved in future STEAM Nights, please email leahplack@gmail.com.

Raffle Winners

Congratulations to the STEAM Night raffle winners! If your winning ticket number is below, please contact Mackenzie (mackenzieweintraub@gmail.com) to arrange your prize pick up! **Please keep your tickets, we will pull new numbers next week if no one claims their winnings.**

26058-314 - Sky Zone pass and t-shirt

26058-100 - Sky Zone pass and t-shirt

26058-212 - Sky Zone pass and t-shirt

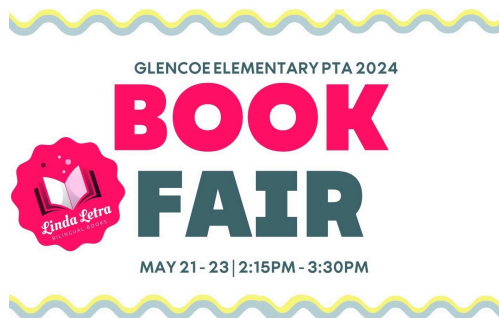
26058-235 - Sky Zone pass and t-shirt

26058-137 - Sky Zone pass and t-shirt

26058-257 - brown hat from Flipside Hats

26058-225 - blue hat from Flipside Hats

26058-042 - 1 week of summer craft camp from Beehive NW



Glencoe's 2024 Book Fair!

Glencoe PTA's 2024 Book Fair will be **May 21, May 22, May 23** from 2:15pm - 3:30pm on the Glencoe stage. The book fair this year will be hosted by neighborhood bookstore Linda Letra and will include: bilingual books in multiple languages, OBOB titles, early readers, chapter books, non-fiction titles, award winning picture books, local authors and more!

- **10% of all sales will be returned to Glencoe for book purchases for the library.** Note that the fair is not able to accept cash payments.
- **Questions?** Email PTA volunteer coordinator sarah.nelson4941@gmail.com
- Want to **volunteer** to support the book fair? [Visit Konstella to sign up!](#)
- Want to **SHOP ONLINE** using a limited selection preview and still benefit Glencoe? Follow these instructions:
 - Go to the [Linda Letra](#) website.
 - Shop from the titles available online and add to your cart. There will be **more** titles at the book fair!
 - **Be sure to add the [Support Glencoe Elementary](#) item to your cart by clicking this link or the banner at the top of the website!**
 - Select shipping or pick up at this local bookstore (7101 NE Glisan) for free!

Bike Celebrations

Our 2nd Annual Glencoe Bike Fair was a huge success! Thank you *so much* to all the people who adopted, donated, and helped fix up bikes. We love seeing all the new riders! Some #BikeSummer events coming up include: another Donut Bus on May 29th, an after-school Ice Cream Bike Bus on June 12th, and a Bike Training in the next couple weeks. Plus the Bike Bus every Wednesday. And don't forget your Walk+Roll Raffle tickets each day you walk/roll/bus to school!

Glencoe Community Summer Camps!

Did you know that several of our Glencoe families run summer camps that still have space available? This week, we're highlighting [Vitalidad Movement Arts Dance Camps](#), owned by Glencoe first grade parents Carolina Mundaraín-Rahima and Jamal Rahima! Do you know of another Glencoe family-run summer program with space? Email reese.susannah@gmail.com to add it to the newsletter next week!

Quick Links: [PTA Website](#), [Facebook](#), [MemberHub](#)

FOUNDATION NEWS

JOG-A-THON

Our recent Jog-a-Thon was a fantastic event, bringing together students from all grades to support critical staffing needs at Glencoe Elementary. The event raised an impressive \$35,097 with the participation of 367 students. Collectively, the students completed 3,365 laps around our .21-mile track, averaging 10 laps per student. The average funds raised per student amounted to \$93.

We had some standout performances in both laps completed and funds raised. The most laps completed by an individual was an impressive 18 laps, which is equivalent to 3.78 miles. The highest amount of funds raised by an individual was \$726.

At the grade level, First Grade led the way in total laps completed with 667 laps, while Second Grade topped the charts in total funds raised, bringing in \$7,774.

A big thank you goes out to all the students, parents, and supporters who made this event a resounding success. Your contributions directly support the staffing and enrichment programs that make Glencoe Elementary a wonderful place to learn and grow!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHOW YOUR PRIDE AND SUPPORT FOR GLENCOE GSA!

LIMITED EDITION GLENCOE GSA TEES ON SALE NOW THROUGH MAY 17TH! [Order here.](#)

Open to all 4th & 5th graders, Glencoe GSA (gender and sexuality alliance) is an inclusive student awareness and advocacy group centered on the empowerment and education of the LGBTQ+ community and its passionate allies.

Sale proceeds will support our school's GSA by providing financial support towards GSA sponsored/related events, t-shirts for the kids, and supplies for activities both this year and next! If you want to know more about what our Glencoe GSA has done in the past, check out [this sheet!](#)



PHYSICAL EDUCATION FUND RAISER!

Hello Families!

The PE department is having a mini fund raising event. We are selling Speed Stacking cups and equipment. All you need to do is follow the attached link to make the purchase and have your student pick it up during the day. The proceeds go directly to PE. This is a time sensitive fundraiser. We must send back all equipment not sold on May 29. Thank you for your support!

Amy and Cheryl

[Purchase Speed Stacks](#)

FRANKLIN YOUTH FOOTBALL

Franklin Youth Football season begins on August 5th. They offer 3/4 grade flag football and 5/6 tackle football. For more information see [flier](#). To register use the link below:

<https://franklinyouthfb.sportngin.com/register/form/662460230>

THIRD ANNUAL BEST OF PPS FILM FESTIVAL

You are invited to the [Third Annual Best of PPS Film Festival](#) on **May 30th at 7:00pm** at [The Hollywood Theatre](#). Young filmmakers from across PPS will screen their work at this historic venue and industry insiders and professionals will cast their votes. Don't miss this amazing opportunity to support emerging creatives and enjoy their work. Plus, it's free!

[RSVP and claim your FREE tickets here!](#)

Do you know a young person who dreams of pursuing a life in film, digital media, or art? Then be sure to invite them to come early to attend the [Film Pathways Fair](#) from 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM. Professors from cinema and art departments across Oregon will share information about their exciting programs. Participants include Pacific University, George Fox University, PNCA, Mt Hood Community College, Portland Community College, Lane Community College, Portland State University, and the University of Oregon.

LOST AND FOUND

Just a reminder that **small lost and found items like jewelry, small toys, watches, etc. are located in the office**. If your student is missing something, have them check in the office to see if it was turned in. Our bigger lost and found items like jackets, sweaters, water bottles, lunch bags, etc. are located in the southeast corner of the main hall and it is at maximum capacity. Please stop by to check and see if anything belongs to your student(s).

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

If you are intrigued by the prospect of hosting an exchange student and wish to learn more about this enriching experience, click the link for more info: [Student Exchange Program](#).

EVERGREEN AVIATION & SPACE MUSEUM

As a local school with proximity to the Museum, this is an excellent opportunity for students to participate in an educational summer activity based on STEAM fundamentals. This summer, the Museum is hosting two camps from July 8 - 19. To learn more about [Aviation Camp](#) and [Galaxy Camp](#), please click the corresponding links for more info.

VARSITY TUTORS Offers Free Personalized Support

Portland Public Schools has partnered with Varsity Tutors to provide unlimited, 24 hour live support from highly qualified tutors, self-study resources, and engaging extracurricular classes. Please see flier for details. [More Information](#)

FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

Hello Glencoe Families! Below are two resources to support families in navigating and supporting their kid's mental health and behavior. [NAMI Programs](#)

- **Parent Support Group:** For parents and caregivers of children/adolescents experiencing symptoms of a mental health condition and/or behavioral challenges.
Schedule: First & third Wednesdays of every month **Time:** 4:00 PM - 5:15 PM **Format:** Online via Zoom. Join our notification list [here](#) to receive group reminders and meeting links.

PPS ART EVENT CALENDAR LINK

[PIL SPORTING EVENT CALENDAR LINK](#)

[PPS DISTRICT NEWS & EVENTS LINK](#)

[SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS](#)

[May Safe Routes to Schools Newsletter](#)

[LET'S STAY HEALTHY](#)

See this helpful info from: [Managing Illness](#)

[TAG](#)



TAG Information can be found [HERE](#).

[PROGRAM FLYERS](#)

Camps, Classes, After School: (New items highlighted)

PSU [Jase Coburn Basketball Camps](#) (Aug 5-8)

VIBE of Portland [S.H.I.N.E. for Young Artists Summer Camps](#) (Jun 24-28, Jul 1-3, Jul 8-12, Aug 12-16)

[Portland Art Intensive at Buckman](#) (Jun 17 - Jul 12)

Rec Tennis Maplewood [Tennis Afterschool Zone \(Apr. 9 - May 28\)](#)

[Portland Metro Fire Camp for Women](#) (Portland Jun 21-23, Sherwood Jul 12-14)

VIBE of Portland [East Winds Band Camp \(July 22-26\)](#) ([Spanish](#)) ([Russian](#))

VIBE of Portland [Music & Digital Art Classes for Kids](#)

Cognizart [360 Arts Camp](#) (Jul 8-12, 15-19, & 22-26)

OSU [Summer Reading Program](#)

AFS-USA Student Exchange Programs ([Flier 1](#)) ([Flier 2](#))

U of P Summer Learning Program [Summer Learning Program 2024.pdf](#)

Preschool Programs:

Multnomah Early Childhood Program [Peer Preschool Classes](#)

([Spanish](#)) ([Vietnamese](#)) ([Chinese](#)) ([Russian](#)) ([Somali](#)) ([Korean](#)) ([Arabic](#)) ([Persian](#))

Portland Parks [Preschool 2024-25](#)

Community Events & Information:

Oregon State University Summer [Dog-training Research Program for Children with Developmental Differences](#)

City of Portland [311 Non-Emergency Hotline](#) ([Spanish](#)) ([Vietnamese](#)) ([Somali](#))

Vaccinations, Health & Wellness:

Multnomah County Free Community Vaccination Clinic (Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays)
([English](#)) ([Spanish](#)) ([Vietnamese](#)) ([Chinese](#)) ([Russian](#)) ([Somali](#))

Multnomah County Student Health Centers

[Cleveland HS](#)

[Franklin HS](#)

[Jefferson HS](#)

[McDaniel HS](#)

[Roosevelt HS](#)