

Glencoe Elementary School

Weekly Newsletter

April 26, 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS - check website for full month

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>
Friday, 04/26/2024	SPIRIT DAY “Wacky Tacky” After-School - Baton After-School - Lego Robotics	2:30pm - 3:00pm 2:15pm - 4:00pm
Monday, 04/29/2024	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, 04/30/2024	After-School - Yoga	2:30pm - 3:15pm
Wednesday, 05/01/2024	Sibling Storytime Plant Pick Up After-School - Circus	8:10am - 8:30am 1:00pm - 5:00pm 2:30pm - 4:00pm
Thursday, 05/02/2024	After-School - Basketball 3-5 After-School - Spanish	2:30pm - 3:30pm 2:20pm - 3:20pm
Friday, 05/03/2024	After-School - Baton After-School - Lego Robotics	2:30pm - 3:00pm 2:15pm - 4:00pm

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Glencoe Families,

It was such a joy to come to school on Monday morning and see how beautiful our grounds looked! A huge thank you to the parents who organized our Earth Day Community Clean-up last Sunday, and to all the families who came and participated! We are lucky to have such a caring and dedicated community.

Site Council held our much-overdue first meeting this week! We see our focus for the rest of this year and next as increasing family communication and engagement in the community. These areas will be measured by our upcoming Successful Schools Survey. The window to complete the survey will be May 6 - 31. More information will come from the District. Please help us improve our home-school connection by filling it out!

I hope you have a wonderful weekend,
Katie

Bikes Overnight

Sadly we have been having trouble with people vandalizing bikes left overnight at Glencoe. Please be sure to take them home to keep them safe.

PTA NEWS

Gigantic Brewing Restaurant Partnership

When: Thursday, May 2, 3:00pm-9:00pm

Where: Gigantic Brewing Hawthorne

The Gigantic Brewing pub on Hawthorne is ALL AGES and kid-friendly, and on **Thursday, May 2**, Gigantic will host a restaurant partnership to **support Glencoe Elementary**. Gigantic has terrific burgers, tots and more, as well as a kid's menu. Obviously Gigantic has plenty of terrific brews, but it's also got lots of kid-friendly options.

Note: The Glencoe partnership is exclusive to Gigantic's Hawthorne neighborhood pub on Thursday, May 2 from 3pm-9pm.

*Gigantic will generously **donate 20% of sales** that day to the Glencoe PTA. As always, those funds will go toward Glencoe community events and supporting Glencoe students and staff.*

Lost and Found

Can you help us clear the racks? **We have run out of rack space** on our 5 rolling racks and one table! Please remind your student to check the lost and found if they are missing any items. Parents can also come into the building and check the racks. Items not claimed by the end of May will be donated to the PPS Clothing Closet.

Staff Appreciation Week

Staff appreciation is coming up May 6-10. Sign ups on Konstella will be open soon!

Plant Sale Pickup

Plants ordered through the **PTA Plant Sale** will be available for pickup between 1pm and 4:30pm on **Wednesday, May 1st**, on the grassy lot in front of the bike racks on Morrison. You will get an email by Monday with your order information. If you need an alternative pickup schedule, please email rob.galanakis@gmail.com.

Walk+Roll Month Begins Next Week

We'll be kicking off another month of Walk+Roll Activities next week. Similar to October, students and families will earn rewards for choosing sustainable and social transportation options, like walking, biking, bussing, or park+walk. More information on a flier next week!

Bike Fair May 8th

We'll be holding a **Glencoe Bike Fair** after school on **Wednesday May 8th**. Families will be able to donate bikes, take bikes home, get kid and adult bikes fixed, get free bike lessons, and learn more about [the most efficient way to move humans ever invented](#). More information will be in the Walk+Roll flier.

PTA General Meeting and Elections, Wednesday May 8th

Right after the Bike Fair, roll into the PTA meeting, 6:30 to 7:30pm in the cafeteria! **All are welcome, PTA member or not**. Childcare will be provided. Agenda TBD. We'll be electing

board members - if you're interested in joining the board, email glencoeelementarypta@gmail.com or rob.galanakis@gmail.com.

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

FOUNDATION NEWS

JOG-A-THON, MAY 9TH!

The Glencoe Foundation team is excited to announce our 2024 "Jog-a-Thon!" to support staffing at Glencoe. Our aim is to ensure that everyone feels comfortable and included in the event, so feel free to run, jog, or simply walk at your own pace.

Each grade level will have the opportunity to spend 30 minutes on the field outside, enjoying the event together. And to top it all off, there will be popsicles for everyone at the end!

We will also need volunteers for the event, so please keep an eye on Konstella for sign-up opportunities starting early next week.

Visit <https://tinyurl.com/glencoe-jog-a-thon-2024> to sponsor a student!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GLENCOE GSA EVENT FOR LGBTQ+ GLENCOE FAMILIES 🏳️‍🌈

Are you looking to make connections with peers in the LGBTQ+ community? Are you a caregiver who wants to learn more about how to support LGBTQ+ youth? Do you want to learn more about how ODE supports and affirms LGBTQ+ identity in our state? You've come to the right place! Come be in joyful community to celebrate and affirm everything under the rainbow. [Y'ALL Flier.](#)

The event is **Saturday, April 27th 9:15-2p**. This day is for students 3rd-12th grade, their caregivers, and PPS staff alike. We'll bring breakfast, lunch, snacks, and entertainment, you bring the joy! For more information or to register, please contact Miss Madi, Glencoe's GSA leader at mbourdon@pps.net



Y'ALL
Youth Advocacy Liberation Leadership Summit

Get ready to make a difference! Join us on April 27 for an empowering event for students and families: the Youth Advocacy Liberation Leadership Summit!

Discover resources within your community and gain knowledge in workshops tailored to both students and families. There will be a DJ, live performances, food, community, and fun!

- ATTEND WORKSHOPS FOR STUDENTS AND FAMILIES
- LEARN ABOUT RESOURCES IN THE COMMUNITY
- BUILD COMMUNITY ACROSS MULTNOMAH COUNTY
- VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS
- JOY AND CELEBRATION
- ENTERTAINMENT

Doors	
Registration	9:00 - 10:00
Breakfast	
Workshops	10:00 - 2:00

APRIL 27th
9 am - 2 pm

FREE TO ATTEND!
Email Miss Madi to get the registration link at:
mbourdon@pps.net

Multnomah County
Office of Diversity and Equity

Y'ALL

FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS "ARTS ALIVE"

Arts Alive is a spectacular collaboration from all four performing arts departments at Franklin High School (choir, band, theater, and dance.) We invite you to come see a performance and take it all in: April 19, 20, 26, 27 @ 7:00. Tickets can be purchased here:

<https://app.arts-people.com/index.php?show=232924> and more info can be found here:
<https://www.danceatfranklin.org>.

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.

WALK & ROLL EVENTS

May is Walk & Roll Challenge Month where students can enjoy the return to warmer weather by walking or rolling to school, and **May 8th** is National Bike & Roll to School Day.

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

[April Safe Routes to Schools Newsletter](#)

HEALTHY CHOICES BULLETIN

[April Healthy Choices Bulletin](#)

LET'S STAY HEALTHY

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

TAG



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

MUSIC



A BIG CONGRATULATIONS to our 5th Honor Choir members who performed downtown at the HeArt of Portland this last week. They gave up their lunch recess 2-3 times/week for the past month to prepare four songs for this special event PLUS a Saturday and a Tuesday night! Great JOB - Bella, Elena, Kylee & Louisa! We are PROUD OF YOU! [Video](#)



Also to London Ms. Davis' kindergarten class who stood on stage in front of hundreds of people to celebrate our 10th Anniversary of the ARTS TAX.



PROGRAM FLYERS

Contests:

[US Congressional Art Competition](#) (entries due 5:30pm, Mon. Apr. 29)
([Rules](#)) ([Student Release Form](#))

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

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](#) (July 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:

Portland Parks [Preschool 2024-25](#)

Multnomah Early Childhood Program [Free Preschool Classes](#) ([Spanish](#)) ([Vietnamese](#))

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](#)