

# GLENVIEW GRAPEVINE

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## Calendar Notes

### **PTA Executive Board Meeting:**

Wednesday, March 6 6:30 - 8:00

### **Griffin Block Party:**

Friday, March 8th 1:15 - 2:45 pm

### **Equity Team Meeting:**

Monday, March 11th 6:00

### **Day of Literacy:**

Wednesday, March 13th

### **Read-a-Thon:**

Extended to March 13 - please continue to ask for donations!

### **PTA Meeting and Community**

**Dinner:** Wednesday, March 20 6:00 - 8:00

### **Spring Break:**

March 23 - April 1.

School resumes Tuesday, April 2

### **Science Fair:**

Friday, May 3

## Equity Team Meeting

### **Monday, March 11th at 6:00 pm**

All are welcome to gather and discuss the upcoming presentation to the SSC, as well as ways that Glenview can participate in strike aftermath advocacy.

## Celebrate Our Amazing Glenview Community!

As a show of appreciation, the Glenview teachers want to invite all parents, families, and community members to a Griffin Block Party, this Friday, March 8th, from 1:15 - 2:45 pm. We will hold it on the basketball courts and field. Come ready to dance, eat, hug, and celebrate our incredible community.

## Read-A-Thon

Welcome back!! As we are all transitioning back to our normal lives - the Fundraising Committee is working towards wrapping up our Read-a-Thon fundraiser!

The **new deadline for the Read-a-thon will be Wednesday, March 13th (10 days away)**. We wanted to give everyone time to settle back in to the norm and for families to make those last asks. As of today, we are only about 25% to our goal.

Additionally, the Day of Literacy will be held on Wednesday, March 13th from 9am - Noon. We need readers!! The time slots are 30 minutes long. If you have any contacts or would like to be a reader, please email [glenviewfundraising@gmail.com](mailto:glenviewfundraising@gmail.com).

## Good Eggs Fundraiser

We're one week into the Good Eggs spring fundraiser! Join our fundraiser at [schools.goodeggs.com](http://schools.goodeggs.com) and enter our code GRIFFINS19 to help us earn money for our school. And this week, if 25 families place an order over \$100, our school will win bagels for our hardworking teachers! You can order groceries and easy dinner kits, to be delivered same-day. No subscription required, and delivery is free any time you spend \$60.

## Share Your Glenview News

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**If you have news or events that you would like to share with the Glenview community via Facebook, Konstella, the website or the Grapevine, please contact Karen Baughman, Vice-President of Communications.**  
**[glenviewcommunications@gmail.com](mailto:glenviewcommunications@gmail.com)**

## Glenview Science Fair

The 2019 Glenview Science Fair will be held on Friday, May 3 with a celebration and fundraiser dinner from 6:00-7:30. Family workshops to help your student get started will be held at Glenview on Saturday, March 9, 10:00-11:00 a.m. and Tuesday, March 12, 5:00-6:00 p.m. Science Fair boards will be given out to all who attend one of the two workshops. Workshops will be in Mr. Witte's room (Room #1).

## Konstella Korner: Q&A

**How do I turn off text notifications for certain rooms/groups only?** If you have the app, you can turn off notifications on a room-by-room basis. Go into the room, tap the icon at the top right, and use the notification slider to set your preference.

**What's the difference between typing in a chat window and creating an announcement?** Posting in the chat window is a quick, easy way to post a message in a group. Creating an announcement gives you more options, such as the ability to format the text, add an attachment, and receive responses via the "Comment" field (supported in a web browser only). The comments for an announcement do not trigger an a notification to the whole room, like replying in the chat window would. Creating an announcement also means you can go back to My Creations, open it, and edit or republish it.

## Principal Quinn's Corner

The past few weeks have been a true test of our community here at Glenview and across Oakland. While it is not what one would wish for as a first year principal, I am so honored to be at the helm of this amazing school community, and I appreciate the intentions of all the people involved. There is no playbook for a strike, so I am grateful for the grace the community provided me as I felt my way through this disruption. I invite our whole community to continue its active participation in setting priorities for education and the overall well-being of California's people. Be gentle with your kids this week -- they are probably exhausted. Thank you, Glenview.