

# GLENVIEW GRAPEVINE

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## Calendar Notes

LatinX Heritage Month Celebration:  
Monday, September 30th

Walk and Roll To School Day:  
Wednesday, October 2nd

**PTA Executive Board Meeting:**  
Wednesday, October 2nd 6:30 -  
8:00

**Parent Coffee:** Friday, October 4th

Equity Committee Meeting:  
Tuesday, October 8th

**School Site Council:** Thursday,  
October 10th

**No School:** Monday, October 14

**Shoo The Flu:** Friday, November  
1st

## Walk and Roll To School Weds., Oct. 2

This is an annual event before school at Glenview where we celebrate green transit and have bike blenders and smoothies going inside the schoolyard! It's fun! Join us! Interested in biking to school Wednesday? Join Ben Yee, kinder parent, who will be leading a bike train to school. Meet at 1278 Excelsior Ave (at 13th Ave.) at 7:30 am! Please contact Cyrus at [cfarivar@cfarivar.org](mailto:cfarivar@cfarivar.org) if you can help or if you have any questions.

## Griffin Fund: The Final Stretch

We are three quarters of the way to our Griffin Fund goal to raise \$128,000. We need to raise about \$34,00 more in ten days! We CAN do this. As a community, we have decided on many things we value as a school. The money we are raising is needed to fulfill those values. Of course our teachers need supplies! And of course we need math and reading programs, and support for teachers to best prepare for their students - our children. As a community, it is also up to us to build our children's character, so we need the events and programming to support that as well.

The PTA funds in-part, and in-full: Family STEAM Night (a night of hands-on science and engineering activities), the Science Fair; Black History Month events and celebrations; Glenview Family Pride Day; Enrichment Program Scholarships, and several more!

Please donate today: <http://www.glenviewelementary.org/giving/donate-now/>

## *Eat at Park Burger!*

On October 1st and 15th, Park Burger will donate 15% of sales to the Griffin Fund! Please either bring your flyer or tell the cashier that you're there to support Glenview. Thank you Tic and Tipu! Bring some friends, eat out and support Glenview!

## Principal Quinn's Corner

Hard to believe it is the 8th week of school! Last Friday Glenview teachers were able to take an in-depth look at student work, reflect on their practice, and plan for instruction based on their findings. A general trend we see is that our students are thoughtful and analytical, but do not always take the time to explain their thinking. The difference between "proficient" and "approaching" work is exactly that-- being able to explain their reasoning. Families can help grow this important skill by always asking questions like "How do you know?" or "Why do you think that?"

## News Bites

### **Announcing Edna Brewer's first YARD SALE, BAKE SALE & CAR WASH!**

Date: Saturday, October 5!

Time: 9am-2pm

The funds raised will go towards the 8th Graders Washington DC trip in March 2020.

### **Parking Reminders**

Please do not park in the disabled parking space across the street from school unless you have a valid placard or license plate. We have disabled students, staff, and families; please be considerate and park legally when dropping your kids at school.

### **Wear Red on Wednesdays!**

A reminder that students are encouraged to wear red on Wednesdays to show our ongoing support of our teachers' union!

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

## Considering Edna Brewer?

The Edna Brewer Middle School Tours and Outreach Committee welcomes all interested parents and guardians to come learn about our middle school.

**2019-2020 Prospective Parent Tours:** Visit our website to access the link to RSVP

Tuesday, October 1, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

Thursday, October 24, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

Tuesday, November 5, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

Thursday, November 21, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

Tuesday, December 3, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

Thursday, December 12, 2019 - 8:30 to 10:30 am

**2019 Evening Informational:** Visit our website to access the link to RSVP

November 13, 2019 - 6:00 to 8:00 pm

Questions? visit <http://ednabrewer.net/prospective-parent-tours-info-night/> Or email: [tours@ednabrewer.net](mailto:tours@ednabrewer.net)

## Konstella Korner: The Best Thing About Konstella

What's the best thing about Konstella? Every single parent at Glenview can choose what messages they get and how they get them. There are so many ways to configure your notification settings that we encourage you to repeatedly visit your settings to improve how Konstella works for you.

*Overall settings:* In a web browser, click your name at the top left, then Account Settings, then the Notifications tab. (In the app, click the Setting cogwheel icon, and tap Notifications.) Make your changes and save.

*Room settings:* When you are in a specific room such as a classroom or social group, you can set a different chat setting for that room only. In a browser, click the cogwheel at the top and then set chat messages on or off. (In the app, tap the calendar/bell icon, tap Members and Settings, and then set chat messages on or off.)

If you use both a computer and the app, visit both settings in both places.