

GLENVIEW GRAPEVINE

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Calendar Notes

Equity Committee Meeting:

Tuesday, February 11th 6:30 - 8:00

Park Burger Event: Wednesday, February 12th 4:00 - 9:00 15% of sales are donated to the school to support our Read-a-Thon!!!!

Black History Month Morning

Assembly: Oratorical Winners and Living Jazz performance (2nd and 3rd grade) Thursday, Feb 13th

Cafe con la directora (reunion para padres que hablan español):
Wednesday, February 19th 8:30

Student Site Council: Thursday, February 20 6:00 - 7:30

Black History STEM Night: Friday, February 21: 5:30-8 pm
Fundraising, Dinner and Science Fair Awards Celebration: Friday, March 6th 6:00 p.m - 7:30

Book Fair: Glenview's Annual Scholastic Book Fair is Feb. -15. We will have two Saturday events on February 8 & 15 from 10-12. Join us for refreshments, connect with other Glenview families, and buy some great books for your kids. Your students can shop during their regular library time, or you can shop online (link will follow when live). All proceeds support libraries. If you have any questions, email glenviewbookfair@gmail.com.

Use Your Reading Superpower!!

Join the 2020 Glenview Read-A-Thon!

The Read-a-Thon is one of Glenview's primary fundraising events and this year's theme is Superheros! Each child pledges to read (or be read to) for 30 minutes each night and then solicits donations from friends, family, and neighbors to support their reading habits. In addition to inspiring our students to read more and practice their math and writing skills in the reading log, we hope to read 300,000 minutes and raise \$115,000 for essential literacy programs like Reading Intervention and Raz Kids, classroom supplies, and much, much more. This week your child should bring home Read-A-Thon information including: a reading log to be filled out with book titles and reading minutes, talking points to use when soliciting donations, and detailed information on where your fundraising dollars go. In addition, this Wednesday, February 12, Park Burger will be donating 15% of their sales to Glenview Elementary School! So get out there, read a book, raise some funds and reward yourself with some burgers!

Please remember that all parents and visitors must sign in to the main office and receive a visitor's name tag, even if you are only popping into the classroom for a couple minutes. This keeps all students and staff safe by letting school officials know who is on campus. Also, please be mindful of wearing heavily scented lotions and perfumes on campus. We have many students with allergies, asthma, and other medical conditions that are triggered by strong scents. Thanks for your consideration.

Walk For Your Heart!

On February 14th, each grade will have their own time to walk or run around the field. Students will have their own card and receive

News Bites

Science Fair News - Project due

March 6th! There is a lot of buzz among the kids about the science fair! Does your student have their board? Are they thinking about their project? Please visit our resources to help your child. See recent posts on Konstella and www.glenviewelementary.org for all things science fair! The next board pick up is at the Book Fair on Saturday, February 15th from 10:30 - 11:00 or 11:30 12:00.

Questions - please contact Dave Shivak at dshivak@gmail.com

Black History Month Events at Glenview!

Wednesday, February 5th:
African-American Read In in the morning

Thursday, Feb 13: Black History Month Morning Assembly with Oratorical Winners and Living Jazz performance (2nd and 3rd grade) TK - 2nd Assembly 9:00 - 9:30 and 3rd - 5th assembly 9:35 - 10:15

Friday, February 21: Black History STEM Night! 5:30-8 pm in cafeteria (free dinner, kids activities, and music)

Wear Red on Wednesdays!

Students are encouraged to wear red on Wednesdays to show our ongoing support of our teachers' union!

a stamp for each lap they complete. The students who walk the most from each grade will receive a special recognition at Friday morning meeting.

1st Grade- 9:00 to 9:30

4th 9:45- to 10:15

3rd Grade- 10:30 to 11:00

2nd 11:00 to 11:30

TK & Kinder- 1:00 to 1:30

5th Grade- 2:00 to 2:30

PTA Board Announcements

Wouldn't you like to get more involved at Glenview? Joining the PTA Executive Board is a way to give back to our wonderful school community and staff. The PTA Executive Board meets monthly with the principal to identify school needs, organize events, and manage the budget. The PTA budget at Glenview is approximately \$300,000, and the Executive Board is instrumental in deciding how to spend it at Glenview.

Positions are two-year terms, and elections will take place 3/18. Open positions include: Executive Vice President, Vice President of Communications, Secretary, Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Parliamentarian, and Membership Coordinator. Please contact glenviewelementarypta@gmail.com for more information.

Principal Quinn's Corner

Due to safety concerns at Edna Brewer, we are instituting a policy of no scooters. The primary concern of our bus supervisors is student safety and the scooters have been a distraction. We have just 4 more months of busing-- I know that taking the bus has been one of the hardest impacts of the temporary location during construction. The commute adds at least an hour to the amount of time our students need to self-regulate, follow instructions, and hold it together. Our kids are amazing and resilient and manage to make the best of it, but I do not think anyone will miss the bus when we move back to the La Cresta site. Thank you for your understanding about not bringing scooters to Edna Brewer.

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.