



Education today for tomorrow...

Glen Hills Primary School

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Glen Hills Newsletter – May 2018

Dear Parents,

OUR GH APP!

As you will hopefully know (maybe by reading this newsletter!), we have developed our own GH app. Our plan is to gradually move away from sending whole-school letters via paper and to use the app for these. This will include newsletters, information letters etc. Individual letters relating to sports fixtures, certain trips etc will still be sent out in paper form as we need signatures for reply slips.

The app will also be used for alerts so please remember to 'turn on notifications' when you have downloaded the GH app.



MANY THANKS AND GOODBYE...

Many thanks to Mrs Coyle who will be leaving our Breakfast Club this month. Thank you for your hard work in supporting the children, you will be greatly missed! ☺ Mrs Coyle has worked in many roles at Glen Hills over the years, she will be very missed.

WELCOME TO...

Miss Whitham who will be working as a class teacher at Glen Hills next year as Mrs Patel will be leaving us to go on maternity leave at the end of the term. We welcome Miss Whitham and look forward to working with her!

GOOD OLD SATS...

Well done to our super Year 6 and Year 2 children and staff who have their SATs soon. You are working so hard! ☺

SPORTING SUCCESS!

Glen Hills Foxes played Glenmere and beat them 4-1 with some fantastic work from Izaak Johnson to provide assists and goals in this game. The Foxes have also made it through to the semi-finals of the Oadby and Wigston cup beating Water Leys 3-0.

Our year 5/6 footballers are also in the Rice Bowl semi-final this Friday away at Richmond Primary in Hinckley! One game away from the Leicestershire cup final at the King Power! Good luck lads!

A big well done to the sporting leaders this term that have continued to create games and competitions for other pupils to enjoy during their lunch time. Well done for keeping the pupils active.

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wish for childcare at a bargain price then please phone the school to discuss availability.

THE CAR PARK OPPOSITE THE SCHOOL!

We have regular complaints from local residents regarding the car park opposite the school. This is a private car park and can we respectfully ask that parents do not use this to drop off or pick up. Thanks!

YEAR 5 CAYTHORPE RESIDENTIAL

Our first residential to Caythorpe in Lincolnshire was a great success again this year, many thanks to all those that helped organise the week. A big thank you to our wonderful staff who accompanied the children, without which it wouldn't have been possible!

The children were fantastic and had a brilliant time. **Year 6 and London next!**

PSA NEWS...

The 'big' one is always our Summer Fete which this year will be on **Saturday 30th June 1-4pm**. There is a 'Reading and Books' theme this year and lots of activities to be involved in, along with competitions, entertainment and stalls. We hope to see lots of you there! If anyone would like to volunteer to help out on the day we would be very grateful (you don't have to be on the PSA).

Free Style Friday is coming up on May 25th – more information to follow and the next PSA meeting is on the 7th June 2018 at 7pm at the school.

GARDENING

If there are any volunteers who would like to help out with our large school garden then we'd love to hear from you. Many thanks.

SUN CREAM

Now that warmer weather is hopefully (possibly) around the corner, we encourage children to bring their own sun cream on days that are particularly hot. **Please label the sun cream** and ensure your child does not lend it to anyone else due to possible allergic reactions. Staff cannot apply sun cream to any child – it is the child's own responsibility to use it. Obviously, it is essential that your child has correct clothing on to protect them from the sun so a cap or hat (with name in) would be good for lunchtimes. Names in fleeces / jumpers would also be great (please check – many names have faded from the label), especially because we always have a number left on the field after a warm lunchtime!

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Our after school club is proving to be very popular but there are some places still available, if you

WELL DONE TO...

Alex, who represented Glen Hills at the Memorial Service for The Fallen of the Parish in World War 1 that took place on Sunday 29th April at the Glen Parva Memorial Hall. The service included unveiling of a commemoration for the 100th anniversary of Private Robert Cruickshank of Glen Parva receiving the Victoria Cross.



HOUSE POINT UPDATE



Glenville 11,364

Howard 12,273



Cork 11,051

West View 11,324

HALF-TERM

Half-term is from Monday 28th may until Friday 1st June.

Thanks for your continued support!

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