

Glenwood School Newsletter

May 2017

CITIZEN OF THE MONTH

The citizens of the month for February were Colton Troh, Alise Gimlin, Paityn Henderson and Tomei Tomeo. Toni Troh was chosen as the staff member Citizen of the Month. Congratulations to all of you!



LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

The last day of school will be Monday, June 12th with school being dismissed at 11:00AM. Lunch will not be served. The elementary awards assembly for students in grades kindergarten through 7th grade will begin at 9:30AM in the gym. Everyone is welcome to attend this event. Come out and congratulate our younger students on a job well done.

STATE TESTING

Recently testing schedules were sent out to parents. Please take note of the days your child is scheduled to test. It is important that appointments or other reasons for absences are not planned on these days if at all possible. It is important that your child get plenty of rest and a good breakfast for the days they will be testing. If you have, any questions please call Mrs. McLaughlin at the school and she can answer them.

May 9th: 6th grade Math, 7th & 8th grade ELA

May 10th: 6th grade Math, 7th & 8th grade ELA

May 11th: 3rd, 4th & 5th grade Math

May 16th: 3rd, 4th & 5th grade Math

May 17th: 5th & 8th grade Science

May 18th: 3rd, 4th, & 5th grade ELA

May 23rd: 3rd, 4th, & 5th grade ELA

May 24th: 6th grade ELA & 8th grade Math

May 25th: 6th grade ELA, 7th & 8th grade Math

EIGHTH GRADE PROMOTION

Eighth grade promotion will be held on Friday, June 9th at 7:00PM in the multipurpose room. Our eighth grade students this year are: Preston Bartek, Malachi Bren, Derek Gimlin, Kaitlyn Masden, Liam McLaughlin, Emma Odom, Nahaleigh Schuster and Bricin Whitefield. Please come and witness these students' promotion onto high school. The Glenwood Women's Club will serve refreshments afterwards.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

High school graduation will be held on Saturday, June 10th at 2:00PM in the gymnasium. Our high school seniors this year are Andrew Dechand and Colton Troh. The Glenwood Homemakers will sponsor a reception in the multipurpose room immediately following graduation. Andrew is will be enrolling at Clark College in their welding program and Colton has been accepted to Eastern Oregon University majoring in their Natural Resources program. Please join us to celebrate the future of these two young men.



BACCALAUREATE

Senior bacculaureate will be held on Tuesday, June 6th at 7:00PM at the Community Pioneer Memorial Church. Everyone is invited to attend this service to help give our seniors an inspirational send-off.

HONOR ROLL

The term 3 honor roll has been posted and reads as follows: Sixth Grade – Rylene Beeks, Alise Gimlin, Dayna Guzman, Allison McFall and Willa McLaughlin; Seventh Grade – Katelyn Vandeburg; Eighth Grade – Preston Bartek, Kaitlyn Masden, Liam McLaughlin, Emma Odom and Nahaleigh Schuster; Ninth Grade – Kevan Bren, Bella Couch, Carmen Guzman and Andy McFall; Tenth Grade – Kinley Troh; Eleventh Grade – Madi Couch and Twelfth Grade – Andrew Dechand and Colton Troh. Congratulations to all of you!

MOTHER'S DAY TEA

The senior class Mother's Day Tea will be Friday, May 12th at 1:00PM in the gym. All grandmothers and mothers are invited to attend. Honoring their mothers this year are seniors, Andrew and Colton. The program and entertainment is provided by the P.S.E. We would like to thank them for providing this program each year for our senior students and guests. In addition, we would like to wish all of the mothers in our community a happy mother's day.

NO SCHOOL & EARLY RELEASE

School will be dismissed at 12:00PM on Friday, May 12th. In observance of Memorial Day, there will be no school on Monday, May 29th.

SPRING CONCERT

The spring concert will be held on Wednesday, May 31st at 6:00PM in the gym. The entertainment will consist of an accumulation of singing and playing instruments from our preschool through 8th grade students. The students have been working hard on all of their pieces, come out and enjoy their hard work.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

The Honor Society will be hosting a blood drive on Tuesday, May 23rd from 1:00PM – 6:00PM. If you would like to donate blood and have not been contacted by one of the honor society members please call the school office. Colton Troh will be organizing this event. If our goal of 40 pints is donated, Colton will receive a college scholarship from the Red Cross.

SCHOOL BOARD POSITIONS OPEN

We have three school board positions with expiring terms. If you are interested in running for a school board position, you must file a Declaration of Candidacy with the Klickitat County auditor's office. In-person filing at the auditor's office opens at 8:30AM on May 15th and closes at 5:00PM on May 19th. If you choose to file online, filing opens at 9:00AM on May 15th and closes at 4:00PM on May 19th. You may also mail your Declarations of Candidacy forms to the auditor's office beginning May 1st and ending May 19th. The deadline for candidate withdrawal is 5:00PM on May 22nd. For more information, please call the Klickitat County Auditor's office at 509-773-4001.

CERTIFIED TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

The week of May 1st through May 5th has been declared Certified Teacher's Week. Please stop by the school, visit with staff, and show your support for all they do. Our certified teaching staff consists of Claire Alexander, Jay Anderson, Tom Anderson, Paul Crowder, Paul Demchuk, Bridget McLaughlin, Aaron Oldenburg, Lisa Parsons, Charlotte Webb and Heidi Wilson.

COMMUNITY SERVICE RECOGNITION

Recently, our school board approved the Community Service Letter Recognition and Certificate of Merit for our student in grades 9th – 12th. This award has been implemented in school districts statewide with the intent to foster citizenship and service for our communities. Students who earn a varsity letter must complete 150 hours of service learning volunteer hours between May 1st of the current academic year and April 30th of the following year. The 150-hour requirement will include: 1) at least 50 hours of non-school related volunteering in a non-profit or civic service setting and 2) at least one school related requirement. All activities must be verifiable and students will provide a written log upon completion of the 150-hour requirement. A certificate of merit will be awarded for completion of 75 hours of volunteer service. Hours may be accumulated annually or throughout the high school career. Students will keep a written log and hours must be verifiable.

FIELD DAY

The kindergarten through 5th grade field day will be held Thursday, June 8th at 1:00PM, on the grass out by the playground. Ribbons will be awarded to the top three winners of each event and all will enjoy popsicles. Everyone is invited to come and watch the fun!

SENIOR EDUCATIONAL FIELDTRIP

This year the senior class is going to Hawaii for their senior trip. They will be leaving on May 28th and returning on June 5th. Some of the attractions they will visit are the Polynesian Cultural Center, Pearl Harbor Memorial, Hawaii State Zoo and attend a luau. Please wish them a fun and adventurous trip with a safe return.

SWIMMING LESSONS

Swimming lesson will begin on June 12th and run through June 23rd, Monday through Friday from 12:00PM – 1:00PM. The bus will leave each day at 11:00AM and return around 2:15PM. We will be going to the Hood River pool again this year. Students who will be in kindergarten next year and older will be transported by bus. Students who are younger than kindergarten age, but want to attend swimming lessons will need to be transported by their parents. There will be a charge of \$25.00 per student for out-of-district participants. Please include your payment with your signed permission slip. Permission slips may be picked up in the school office.

AWARDS BANQUET

The awards banquet will be held on Wednesday, May 17th at 6:30PM in the gymnasium. This event is hosted by the Glenwood Homemakers. This is an invitation only banquet for students enrolled in grades 5th through 12th, their parents, grandparents, high school coaches and staff. Invitations went out in the mail this past week. This banquet is to honor our students who participate and excel in academics, music and sports at the high school level.

P.S.E. FUNDRAISERS

The P.S.E. will be hosting a Cinco de Mayo dinner on May 5th from 4:00PM – 7:00PM at the school. The dinner plate meal includes three tacos, beans, rice, dessert and beverage for \$9.00. There will also be a child's plate available for \$5.00 and a senior citizen plate for \$7.00.

On May 6th, the P.S.E. along with All That Glitters Photography will be offering photography sessions. For \$100 you will receive a 30 minutes session, 15+ images, a 8x10 favorite, an online gallery and a print release. Contact any member of the P.S.E. to book your session. There is a \$20 non-refundable deposit required at the time of booking. All photo sessions will be located at the Glenwood rodeo grounds. Sunday sessions may be available if all sessions on Saturday are booked. Proceeds from these two fundraisers will help support the P.S.E. scholarship fund for our senior classes.

SUBSTITUTES

We would like to send out a big thank you to all of our substitutes who have worked at the school this year. Without your willingness to step in when needed our school could not operate so efficiently. We have a great list of subs but we are always looking for more. If anyone in the community is interested in subbing in the classroom, kitchen or for custodial work please contact Toni in the school office.

PROM

The high school prom will be held Saturday, May 6th with a Disney theme. The Klickitat High School class of 2018 will be hosting prom this year at the Columbia Gorge Community College Café in Building 1 in The Dalles. The dance will begin at 8:00PM and conclude at 12:00AM. There will be a photographer on site offering picture packets. Tickets are \$20 per person and are on sale now in the school office. There will be no school-sponsored transportation to prom. This year's prom court royalty is Princesses Madi Couch, Kinley Troh, Carmen Guzman and Bella Couch escorted by Princes Colton Troh, Andy McFall, Nolan Ryan and Andrew Dechand.

TRACK

Our track kids have been busy competing in meets and practicing. The middle school track kids have two more meets; one on May 4th and the league meet on May 11th both of these are to be held in Bickleton. We have several middle school athletes that are in the top 10 for their events in our league. It is so good to see these young and upcoming athletes perform so well. Our high school track team is doing quite well also. Kevan Bren is currently leading the 100 and 200-meter sprints and 6th in the long jump and Nolan Ryan is currently setting 8th in the 400 meter in our district. The female competitors are also having a great season this year. Brooklyn Emerson is sitting 7th in the 100m hurdles and 3rd in the 100-meter sprint, triple jump and the pole vault. With a young team mostly made up of freshmen, Kinley Troh is the only returning track athlete representing Glenwood this year. Kinley is sitting 4th in the shot put and the discus and 1st in the triple jump. Bella Couch is sitting 12th in the shot put and the discus and 7th in the long jump. Bella is continually setting new personal records this season. Carmen Guzman is hot on the tail of Kinley with a 5th place in shot put and a 7th place in discus. She is also another athlete that is continually improving and moving up the ranks. They have three more meets before they attend the league meet in Bickleton on May 5th, followed by district to be held in Glenwood on May 12th. We really have some great individual talent in our middle and high school track kids. Good job to these kids and their coaches!

YEARBOOKS

Yearbooks will go on sale May 31st. The cost of a yearbook is \$15.00 each. There are only 45 yearbooks available, so reserve yours in the school office now. They should be arriving June 7th for distribution.