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# GLEN BRAE NEWSLETTER

## Summer 2020



### From the Desk of Mrs. Constable

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and well-deserved summer vacation. It has been a year like no other and we all need to take some time to rest and enjoy the break.

On June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> report cards will be emailed to the parent's email address we have in our School Computer system. Please ensure that we have the correct email on file. If you need to update your email address please email [glenbrae@hwdsb.on.ca](mailto:glenbrae@hwdsb.on.ca) or call the school and leave a message at 905 560 6732

As one school year ends, we find ourselves having to say goodbye to certain staff members who take on different positions at various locations or retire. This year we also say goodbye to our French Immersion students and staff. Our French Immersion students are headed off to W.H. Ballard or Eastdale Schools. I am happy to share that the following teachers will be going with our students:

Mlle Uhrig – W.H. Ballard – Grade 6

Madame Kelly – W.H. Ballard – Grade 6/7

Miss Field – W.H. Ballard – Grade 7

Madame Kirk – W.H. Ballard – Grade 8

Madame Moon – W.H. Ballard – Grade 8

M. Romero – Eastdale – Grade 7/8

Congratulations to all our French Immersion staff on their new positions and locations. Glen Brae will not be the same without you or the F.I. program. We will miss you so much!

This year we also say goodbye and best wishes to:

Mr. Smith – Gatestone School

Mr. Lane – Mount Albion School

Mr. Berrafati – Hess Street School

We will miss you greatly.

We will also have to say to goodbye to two wonderful educational assistants who we have had the pleasure of working with this year. Best wishes to Miss Smythe and Ms. Ivanovics.

### SAD GOODBYE





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Another big change for Glen Brae in September is that we will be moving from a Traditional School Day to the Balanced School Day. **As a result, our bell times have changed.** Our daily schedule is as follows

Playground opens – 8:35 a.m.

Period 1- 8:50 – 9:50

Period 2 – 9:50 – 10:30

Nutrition Break 1 – Indoor Eating Portion – 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.

Outdoor Play Portion – 10:50 – 11:10 a.m.

**Students are not allowed to leave the property during Nutrition Break 1**

Period 3 – 11:10 – 12:00

Period 4 – 12:00 – 12:50

Nutrition Break 2 – Indoor Eating Portion – 12:50 – 1:10

Outdoor Play Portion – 1:10 – 1:30

**Students are only allowed out for lunch on Nutrition Break 2**

Period 5 – 1:30 – 2:30

Period 6 – 2:30 – 3:10

Dismissal – 3:10

Playground Closes – 3:25



### Grade 8 Ottawa Refunds.

All parents who paid the deposit for the Grade 8 trip to Ottawa will receive a refund either through travel guard insurance or HWDSB. If you purchased insurance, your refund will come to directly through travel guard. If you did not purchase insurance you will receive a cheque to your home address that the school has processed through the board.

### Grade 8 Graduation

For the first time in Glen Brae's History, we will be having a virtual graduation ceremony. We hope to have the ceremony available to parents on June 24<sup>th</sup>.

HWDSB is mailing Grade 8 graduation certificates to all home addresses. All other awards, graduation folders, composites etc. should be available for pick up at Glen Brae when the school re-opens. We will provide you with more information on this when the time comes.



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## Report Cards

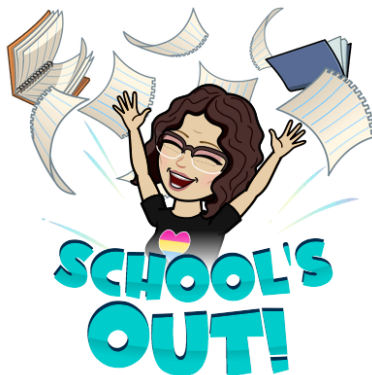
June report cards will be emailed to parents via the IIT department and School Messenger. Reports are to be emailed on June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. Please ensure you have a working email set up with the school. To access your child's report card, you will need to know the OEN number. You can find this number on any report card for your child. If you cannot find the OEN number, please email your child's teacher and they will email it to you. Teacher information will be shared to students in the fall.



## Welcome Grade 5 students!

All of us at Glen Brae school welcome our incoming students from Glen Echo and Sir Isaac Brock. We are so very sad that we could not hold our traditional annual Grade 5 orientation for you but please know that your teachers will be ready to welcome you when the school re-opens. They will make sure that you will learn the layout of the school and before you know it, you'll feel like you've been at Glen Brae forever! None of us can be sure what September will look like at this point. However, you can be sure that you will have everyone at Glen Brae looking out for you, helping you and welcoming you to our wonderful school. For updated information as we receive it, be sure to check out the Glen Brae website.

## Have a wonderful and safe summer!



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