



# Eagle Edition

Glenn Elementary

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## Fall has Arrived!

We have had a great start to the new school year. Students have settled into the routines and are working hard in the classroom.

Remember to check your child(ren)s backpacks each evening. Most students will have homework and/or important notes for you to review. The staff at Glenn values and encourages parent involvement. As a result, this fall brings many exciting activities for Glenn families. Please see the calendar on p. 2 of this newsletter for a complete list of upcoming events.

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on November 16 and 17. **Please contact your child's teacher if you have not scheduled a conference time.**

I have enjoyed meeting all of our new Glenn families. I look forward to meeting more of you at the upcoming events this fall. In the meantime, please feel free to contact me whenever you have a question or concern.

Happy Fall!

*Mrs. Schoonover*

557.4418 School Office  
557.4467 Attendance Line

The Scholastic Book Fair is  
November 14-18 in the IMC.

## Glenn Elementary PTO

The next PTO meeting is **October 17 @ 6:00 in the IMC.**



### 2016-17 PTO Officers

President	Angie Steider
Treasurer	Dawn Watson
Recording Secretary	Stacey Tutt
Hospitality Chair	Jill Zayas
Party Coordinator	Madai Martinez

Are you unable to attend the meetings, but want to stay informed?

Minutes from PTO meetings are posted on the Glenn website.

### PTO FUN-draising!

#### Box Tops for Education

Glenn Elementary receives 10 cents for each Box Top and 30 cents for each Bonus Box Top. For more information visit [www.boxtops4education.com](http://www.boxtops4education.com)

#### Mornings with Moms- Coming in November!

Come to school in the morning and enjoy a breakfast treat with your child. Time and date will be announced soon. Check your child's backpack for more information.

### PTO Carnival—October 28

5:00—7:00 @ KJHS

See p. 4 for all the details!

# The Halloween Parade and Party are October 31 @ 1:30!

On Monday, October 31 @ 1:30, students will participate in a Halloween Parade followed by a popcorn party. Students may bring a costume to school in a bag labeled with his/her name and room code. Students will be given time to change into their costumes before the parade. **Students should not come to school in their costume and/or make-up.**

**Costumes must be appropriate for school.** Costumes should be non-violent. Costumes of characters from horror movies (Scream, Freddy Krueger, Chucky, etc.) are not allowed. Scary masks, blood and weapons will be con-

fiscated by school personnel. Alternate activities will be provided for students who do not celebrate Halloween. Parents can pick up students early from school as well.

Please inform your child's teacher and the school office in advance if you do not want your child to participate in the Halloween Parade and Party .

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.



**School Phone Number**  
**557.4418**  
**Attendance Line**  
**557.4467**

## Attendance Policies

In an effort to keep everyone as healthy as possible this school year, please remember to keep your child home if he/she has had a fever, diarrhea or has vomited in the last 24 hours.

If your child is going to be absent from school, please call the Attendance Line @ 557-4467. The attendance line has an answering machine so that you can call at

any time. When calling, please include your child's name, teacher, and reason for absence. Also indicate if you would like make-up work sent home. We must have all make-up requests by 8:00 a.m. so that our teachers have time to prepare the work.

We ask that you make every effort to call before 7:30 a.m. even if you are not requesting make-up work,

because we will begin making calls home for any students who are absent without notification at that time.

If you will be taking your child out of school early, it is helpful for you to send a note that day so that the teacher can help your child prepare to leave.

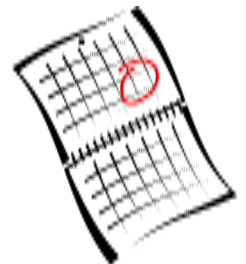
## Mark your calendars!

### October

- Oct. 10—No School *Columbus Day*
- Oct. 17—PTO Meeting @ 6:00 in the IMC
- Oct. 21—Picture Retakes
- Oct. 26—Late Start Day
- Oct. 28—PTO Carnival 5:00-7:00
- Oct. 31—Halloween Party @ 1:30

### November

- Nov. 1—Music Concert (3,4,5) 6:15 @KJHS
- Nov. 7—Monday Munchies @ Windy City Wieners 5-9pm
- Nov. 10—Reading Night
- Nov. 11—End of Trimester 1
- Nov. 14—PTO Meeting @ 6:00 in the IMC
- Nov. 16&17— Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Nov. 23-25 No School *Thanksgiving Break*
- Nov. 30 Late Start Day



## Other Rules and Procedures

### Cell Phones

If a student brings a cell phone to school, it must be off and in his/her backpack. If it is out of the backpack or makes noise during the day, the teacher will take it and a parent will need to pick it up.

### Electronics/MP3 players

Electronics/MP3 players are not allowed at school unless a classroom is having a special event. We are not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged equipment.

## Important Notes From the Office

- Staff are not on duty until 7:25, no kids should be dropped off at school before that time. Contact the Town of Normal Before/After School Program if you need to drop off your student at school before 7:25 a.m.
- Adult lunches – let your child's teacher know by 7:30, bring \$2.55 to the office and pick up a card at lunch
- Contact changes – please call, email, or send a note to Mrs. Segobiano in the office. If you call the office and there is no answer, leave a message. There is only one office line. Voicemails are checked often and before 2:15. **If your student is late to school (after 7:45 a.m.), a parent or an adult must accompany the student into the building to sign them in at the office.**

Guess who paid Pride Points to have his name appear in the school newsletter?

PHIL BRANDON

Thanks for being a respectful, responsible and safe Glenn Eagle, Phil!

**Be Respectful**  
**Be Responsible**  
**Be Safe**



In this section each month, you will be able to read about our PBIS program. We use PBIS as a positive way to help students make the best choices about their behavior each day. I will provide a brief overview of the program so that you are familiar with the terminology and process and can talk with your child about it:

### Expectations

When Glenn implemented PBIS 11 years ago, the staff worked to develop expectations for each area of the school. At the beginning of the year, staff members review each of the expectations with the students. We want the students to know what the expectations look like, sound like, and feel like. This year, teachers reviewed expectations with the children the first full week of school.

### Eagle Pride Points

Students receive Eagle Pride Points as a reward for positive behaviors. Eagle Pride Points can be awarded by any staff member when they see a student working especially hard to follow the expectations. Eagle Pride Points will be used to "buy" items in the school store or special opportunities in the classroom or around the school. The students absolutely love this Pride Point system. Thank you for all your donations to the school store.

### Referral Forms

A referral form is completed when a student is not making positive behavior choices. Depending on the severity of the issue, the referral is considered a **major** or a **minor**. If a student has a **major** referral, he/she will come to the office to talk with Mrs. Schoonover and a copy of the referral is sent home. If a student has a **minor** referral, the form is sent to the office and kept on file.

### We need your donations!

The PBIS program is in need of supplies for the school store. If/when you are able, please send in any of the following items: pencils, crayons, pens, markers, colored pencils, glue sticks, erasers, pocket folders, notebooks, etc.

# GLENN CARNIVAL

**Who:** Come one! Come All!

**When:** Friday, October 28  
5:00—7:00

**Where:** Kingsley Junior High School

**What:**

Unlimited games and inflatables (\$8 per child)

Food and drinks will be available for purchase

**Why:**

PTO Fundraiser to enrich the educational experience of students at Glenn Elementary

**More information to come-  
Watch your child's backpack!**



**Please Support**  
**Glenn Elementary**  
**Yankee Candle Fundraising**

GLENN GROUP Number: 990019311

[www.yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com)

**Sale Starts: 9/30/16**

**Sale Ends: 10/14/16**

- All orders and money must be turned in no later than 10/14/16
- Be sure the SELLER NAME AND ORGANIZATION NAME is printed on the top of your order form
- Please, NO DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES—Just relatives, friends, neighbors and parents' co-workers
- Items ordered will be delivered 2-4 weeks from receipt of orders
- Parents will be notified via Skyward email when items are ready for pick-up

The following items were purchased using Yankee Candle fundraising dollars:

Chart Tablets

Sticky Notes

Electric Pencil Sharpeners

Laminating Film

Incentives/supplies for students: pencils, erasers, stickers, crayons, markers, composition books, spiral notebooks, etc.

Online subscriptions: Reading A-Z, Tumblebooks, SmArTy K-12

Math Manipulatives: base ten blocks, dice, fraction tiles, cubes, pattern block templates, calculators, counters, etc.

Computer headphones and mice