

## Woody's Turtle Times

Glen Lake School

A Great Place to Start!

603-497-3550

May 13, 2024

### Principal's Corner

Hello! It's that time of year when the special activities come one after the other!

Woody's Walk and Wellness Day will be held on Wednesday, May 15th, with a rain date of Thursday the 16th. This day will be focused on wellness with a variety of fun physical activities and healthy snacks. This event will include walking, jogging, information about good nutrition, healthy snacks (e.g. fruit, yogurt, water bottles), a dance station, and a stretching station to enhance our healthy lifestyle offerings! You do not need to send a snack that day, unless your child has allergies that prevent them from eating the provided snack; in that case, please contact the school nurse. As always, if you want your child to wear sunscreen and/or insect repellent, you must apply it at home; we cannot apply it at school.

On Wednesday, May 22nd, you are invited to come as Glen Lake School Partnership (GLSP), Glen Lake's Parent Teacher Organization will meet at 6:00 pm at the school to plan for next year.

Thursday May 23rd will be our Incoming Kindergarten Parent Information Night. Information was sent in an email to parents of next year's kindergartners. If you know of a child in Goffstown who will/did turn 5 between October 1, 2023 and September 30, 2024, who isn't registered for next year's kindergarten (our 4-year-old class students are automatically registered), please let their parent/guardian know that the sooner they register the better!

**Field Day**, another active outside day, will be held on **Wednesday**, **June 5th**, with a rain date of Thursday, June 6th. This day will include a wide variety of games and outdoor activities with students moving from station to station. Snack will include popsicles, frozen yogurt pops, and water bottles. You do not need to send a snack that day, unless your child has allergies that prevent them from eating the provided snack; in that case, please contact the school nurse. As always, **if you want your child to wear sunscreen and/or insect repellent, you must apply it at home**; we cannot apply it at school.

On Monday, June 10th, next year's Principal of Bartlett Elementary School, Mrs. Pyszka, and next year's Principal at Maple Avenue, Mr. Demers, will visit to read to kindergarten students and tell them about first grade!

Thursday, June 13th is the date for our Preschool End of Year Celebration. This will be held in your student's classroom at 9:30 for the morning class and at 1:30 for the afternoon class. Please bring your child to school at the regular time! This is the last day for Preschool.

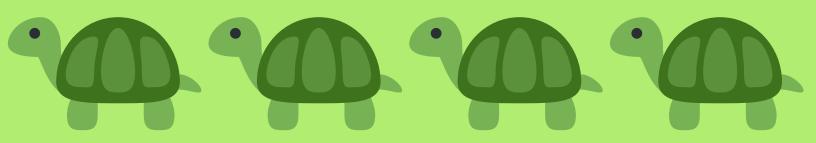
Friday, June 14th is the date for our Kindergarten End of Year Celebration. Weather permitting, this will be held on our playfield at 9:30 for the morning class and at 1:30 for the afternoon class. (If it rains we'll be indoors.) Please bring your child to school at the regular time!

Monday, June 17th is the last day for PM Kindergarten. Tuesday, June 18th is an Early Release Day and is the last day for AM Kindergarten.

We look forward to ending this year with fun, learning, and friendship!

Enjoy the spring with your little one!

All the best, Kathy Stoyle, Principal



### Nurse's Corner

We are nearing the end of the school year and getting excited about Woody's Walk next Wednesday, the 15th. This is a time when we celebrate moving our bodies for health and wellness. We will have a yoga station, a dance station, and a walking/running station. This is always a fun event, and we look forward to it each year. If you would like your child to have sunscreen or bug spray, please apply at home. We are not able to apply here at school.



The benefits of outdoor activity include:

- Increases mood and self-esteem.
- Improves focus for learning.
- Encourages group community and inclusion.
- It enhances sleep habits by increasing a deeper sleep cycle.
- It improves emotional health and gives us confidence in what we can do and enjoy.

Be well,

Mrs. Winkfield, Glen Lake School Nurse

### **Upcoming Events**

#### May

Wednesday 5/15: Woody's Walk & Wellness Day (rain date 5/16)

Wednesday 5/22: Glen Lake School Partnership (GLSP) meeting 6:00 pm

Thursday 5/23: Incoming Kindergarten Parent Info Night 6:00 and 7:00 pm

Monday, May 27: Memorial Day (no school for students)



Wednesday 6/5: Field Day (rain date June 6) (more details to come!)

Monday 6/10: Principals Pyszka and Demers read to K

Thursday 6/13: Preschool End of Year Celebrations & last day of school for preschool

students

Friday 6/14: Kindergarten End of Year Celebrations

Monday 6/17: Last day for afternoon kindergarten students
Tuesday 6/18: Last day for morning kindergarten students



Join us for our last meeting of the year!

Wednesday, May 22 at 6:00 PM at Glen Lake School

We will review the year and start planning for 2024/2025.

-Kate Russ, GLSP President

### GLSP Financial Update



\$62.20 raised from Box Tops donations



\$275.80 raised from the EcoSmith Clothing donations



\$2,601.50 raised at the Bike Rodeo

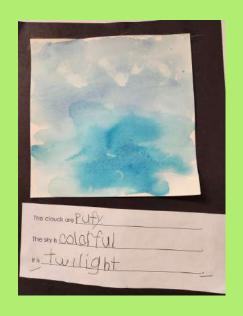


# Around the Collon























Over 200 students and family members joined us for this great annual event!

Many thanks to our organizers, staff and volunteers!









## 2024 Tri-Town Youth Soccer League Fall registration opens May 1st, 2024!

Please visit our website for more information: www.tritownsoccer.com

Tri-Town Youth Soccer League is an initiative of Goffstown, Dunbarton, and New Boston to provide residents community-based recreational soccer.

Discounts (1 per household) will be provided to head (\$20) and assistant coach (\$10) volunteers.

Sign up now before late fees begin July 18<sup>th</sup> (\$10 per registrant)

Registration closes August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024

Accepting registrants in the following age groups (see website for DOB ranges):



U6 U8 U10 U12 U14 U19





"Thanks to generous donations, we are pleased to renew your organization's complimentary passes to Seacoast Science Center courtesy of the Wendy Tefft Social Service Fund.

The Wendy Tefft Social Service Fund was founded in 2017 to honor Goffstown teacher, Wendy A. Tefft, whose life was tragically lost at the age of 38. The fund was created in her memory to allow families and students from schools and social service agencies in NH to come and explore. The Seacoast Science Center is a place Wendy and her son enjoyed together.

Wendy Tefft Fund Pass Holders receive complimentary free admission to the Seacoast Science Center."

Please contact the Glen Lake School Main Office for more details on how to access this wonderful NH resource.



**REGISTER HERE** 

Fall

2024

Registration



### EARLY BIRD

\$100 W/CAMP\*- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED \$185- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED

## Register by 5/15/24

### Registered after 5/15/24

\$140 W/CAMP\* - SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED \$225- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED

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  - D12 11-12
  - D14 13-14
  - D16 15-16

\*w/camp=UCA overnight camp payment \$285 or commuter \$220



#### **Parents and Guardians**

### You can take advantage of our Text Messaging Service

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.

You can participate in this free service\* just by sending a text message of "Y" or "Yes" to our school's short code number, **67587**.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "Stop".

We recommend saving this short code and Caller ID to the contacts on your phone. This will help prevent any 3rd party call blocking systems from interfering with your receipt of important messages sent by the school or district.



SchoolMessenger is compliant with the Student Privacy Pledge<sup>™</sup>, so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.

## Opt-In from your mobile now!



Just send "Y" or "Yes" to 67587.

Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes: SMS stands for Short Message Service and is commonly referred to as a "text message". Most cell phones support this type of text messaging. Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as "short code" texting. This method is fast, secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approved providers.

If you've ever sent a text vote for a TV show to a number like 46999, you have used short code texting.

\*Terms and Conditions – Message frequency varies. Standard message and data rates may apply. Reply HELP for help. Text STOP to cancel. Mobile carriers are not liable for delayed or undelivered messages. See schoolmessenger.com/tm for more info.