



# ÉCOLE GLENAYRE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter #3

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## Upcoming Calendar Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
13 <b>Thanksgiving</b> No school	14 Theatrix 12:00 Fiddle Club 3:00 Spanish Land 3:00	15 Lego Club 12:15 Flag Football 12:15 Fiddle Club 3:00	16 <b>Open House</b> <b>6:00 – 7:30 pm</b> <b>Hot Lunch Day</b> Theatrix 12:00 Spanishland 3:00	17 <b>Informal Reports</b> <b>go home</b> Flag Football 12:15
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### *Principally Speaking ... Stretchy Pants*

It's **Thanksgiving Season** and in my family that means multiple turkey dinners. Last year my nephew, after hearing me sigh over feeling too full, made of point of asking "Is that why you wear those stretchy pants?" After years of experience I have come to learn that wearing pants with a "**flexible**" waistband makes the meals more enjoyable.

**I have a lot to be thankful for.** Both sets of my families Grandparents are able to celebrate another Thanksgiving with us my family is healthy, we live in one of the best cities in the world and I like going to work every day.

I was able to visit classrooms this week and discuss with them why we have such a **good school**. It involved our GRIFS program and the fact that when we are being responsible, respectful, inclusive, focused and safe we are creating a better school atmosphere. All of our ongoing efforts preserve the **positive and inclusive school community** that we all enjoy.

I hope you and your family enjoy a warm and relaxing Thanksgiving weekend and I highly recommend the stretchy pants.

**Perry Muxworthy**  
Principal

**PS: Don't forget to attend our Open House this Thursday from 6:00 – 7:00 pm**

## **School News**

### **Glenayre Wear – Got GRIFS?**

We will be selling shirts for students (\$5) and parents (\$10). The order form is attached to this email if you are interested in ordering a shirt or other Glenayre Wear clothing. Hard copies are also available at the office. Size samples will be available in the foyer.



### **School Start Time**

Please note that school instructional time begins at 8:50 am not 8:55. By being late, arriving after 8:50 am, you disrupt the class, the secretary and set a bad habit for your child. We realize that delays are inevitable however being routinely late you disrupt the class, the secretary and set a bad habit for your child. Please plan ahead and be on time.

## **WOW – Walk On Wednesday**

We are continuing with WOW Program each Wednesday this year. We encourage you and your child to ride, walk or carpool to school. Don't forget to collect your Green GRIF!

## **PAC News**

### **Hot Lunch**

Hot Lunch Order form is this Thursday

### **Lego Club**

The popular Lego Club is back this year and will be running on Monday and Wednesday at lunch. Hard copies are available at the office.

## **Fiddle Club**

The famous Glenayre Fiddle Club will be running again on Tuesday's and Wednesday's at lunch. If you would like your child to participate in the Fiddle Club please sign up at the office and someone will contact you to register.

## **Happy Halloween From The Glenayre PAC**

The Family Halloween Party will take place Friday Oct 24<sup>th</sup> at 6pm and we hope to see you all there for a monster mash of a good time with games, prizes and fun!!

Dance admission is \$3 per person or \$10 family whichever is cheaper.

Calling all 'Pinterest People' and 'Martha Stewarts'... Want to make some Halloween decorations or crafts to be sold or given as prizes? We would appreciate those or your donations of nut free Halloween treats to be sold at the dance – every year they get more creative and spooktacular!! Please drop donations at the tables by the office on the Thursday or day of the dance.

**THANK YOU in advance for your support.**

**\*\*\*New this year – A pumpkin Carving contest!!\*\*\***

Show off your carved creations and skills by bringing in your pumpkin to the dance. Enter as many pumpkins as desired, \$2 per entry. Please include a flameless candle and name, and bring/send your labeled pumpkin(s) on Oct 23 to the tables by the front office.

**\*\*\*Also new this year....Pizza! Please pre order (NOT prepay) your pizza on other side of this form.**

**Please see attachment side for volunteer and pizza form.**

## **Community News**

Please see the attachment regarding Port Moody Rec programs.