



GLENBROOK

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Ofsted visit

This week, we had some very special visitors on school... Ofsted inspectors. The children and staff were absolutely amazing! They all worked their socks off and really showed what a special place Glenbrook is. The report usually takes at least three weeks to be checked and then published, but we will get it to you as soon as we have it. Thank you to all of you who spoke to inspectors, there is clearly much support for the school.

School Forum

The School Forum will meet for the first time on Friday 24th February at 9.30am at Glenbrook. Please make sure you have returned your slips back to school. If anyone is still interested please see Mrs Smith or Miss Leigh as soon as possible.

Tuck Shop

We are opening our fruity tuck shop after half term. We will be selling fruit on the playground in the mornings. Items will be charged at up to 30 pence.

Impetigo

Some children in school have been suffering with impetigo. Please take a look at our advice below.

Most people are no longer contagious after 48 hours of treatment or once their sores have dried and healed. It's important to stay away from work, school, nursery or playgroup until this point.

The advice below can also help to prevent the spread of the infection:

- don't share flannels, sheets or towels with anyone who has impetigo – wash them at a high temperature after use.
- wash the sores with soap and water and cover them loosely with a gauze bandage or clothing.
- avoid touching or scratching the sores, or letting others touch them – it may help to ensure your nails are kept clean and short.
- avoid contact with newborn babies, preparing food, playing contact sports, or going to the gym – until the risk of infection has passed.
- wash your hands frequently – particularly after touching infected skin.
- washable toys should also be washed – wipe non-washable soft toys thoroughly with a cloth that has been wrung out in detergent and warm water and allowed to dry completely.

If you think that the infection has spread to someone else, make sure they're seen by a GP as soon as possible.

Dodgeball Tournament

On Tuesday 7th Feb Mr Leverton took the Dodgeball team to the final stage of the tournament. The whole team played amazingly well and overall due to the team's fantastic performance came runners up in the final which is a massive achievement for Glenbrook. A huge well done to Kasey Cotterill, Billy Gough, Dhul-Fiqar Babajiya, Aleksandra Vojecka, Alex Lo Storto and Syndel Lancaster.

Robotiks Day

This week pupils from Year 5 and 6 enjoyed an exciting day at Radford Primary School for Robotiks Day. Miss Bilakhia took Amelia Pearson, Lena Pajak, Freya Mee, Sienna Large, Khurram Yaseen, Jake Smeeton, Ethan Kirk and Aaron Richardson to take part in building robots using connective type mechanics complete with electric circuits! They took expert guidance from reputable engineer Iain Botwright who brought in wonderful robots from the BBC's show Robot Wars. They also took part in Robot Wars style competitions with our hand-built robots. These activities helped pupils to promote community cohesion, awesome attitude, team-work respect and love of learning. It was a very enjoyable day!

Boccia Tournament

On Monday a team of Key Stage 2 pupils, went on a trip to Ellis Guilford to take part in the annual Boccia Championships. Team members Joshua Anderssen, Mia Blackwell, Emmanuel Anderssen, Lillie Atkin, Caitlin Richardson-Dunn and Joshua Cooke took part in the tournament and we are delighted to say that we again have made it into the finals for the second year running. Well done, everyone!

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

Sainsbury's are once again giving out vouchers for schools when you shop there. You can collect vouchers up to 2nd May. Through your support we can order a lot of wonderful good quality equipment for our school and nursery so please remember to collect your vouchers! Children should bring the vouchers to their class and hand them in to their teacher at registration time.

Don't forget we break up for half term today. We will return to school on Monday 20th February at 8.50am.

Achievement Assembly

The following children were praised in our achievement assembly today:

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Jaydon Willbye	Year 1 Doves
Savannah Aujla	Year 1 Quails
Kayden Fidock	Year 2 Penguins
Adithya Balollu	Year 2 Flamingos
Phoebe Ward	Year 3 Kingfisher
Sophie Giles-Coxon	Year 4 Falcons
Kiera Varley	Year 4 Merlins
Dylan Tegart	Year 5 Eagles
Katarzyna Gajos	Year 6 Ravens

Attendance Lottery

Last week's attendance lottery for Foundation was Korey Kerry, KS1 was Megan Browne and KS2 was Carleigh Knowles. This week's winners will receive a voucher each.

Best Attendance

I am impressed by the attendance figures for Miss Burgess' and Mr Hill's' classes; they both achieved 97.4% last week. Well done, everyone!

Congratulations to all of those children and to their families for the help and support they give.

Best wishes,

Samantha Eyre
Headteacher

NOTICES

Nottingham Industrial Museum at Wollaton Hall and Deer Park are hosting Stem demonstrations on Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th February 12pm to 3pm. Entry is free for children (Adults £2/Concessions £1). Bath bomb activity £1.50/Thermal selfie printout £1.

For more information please see www.facebook.com/NottinghamIndustrialMuseum/events