

Important Dates

13/9 Roald Dahl's Birthday
15/9 Parent Forum Meeting
at 9am
13/10 Harvest Festival
Assembly 9.30am Yr 3 and
Yr 4
17/10 Parents Evening
3.30pm-5.30pm
18/10 Parents Evening
3.30pm-4.45pm
19/10 Last Day of Term for
children
20/10 **INSET Day - staff only**
6/11 First Day of Term
13/11 Anti-Bullying Week
20/11 School Photographer in
School
5/12 Flu Vaccines Reception-
Year 4
6/12 EYFS Christmas
Performance
15/12 KSI Carol Concert
18/12 Foundation and Year 1
Christmas Parties
20/12 Year 2 Christmas
Parties
20/12 Christmas Dinner
21/12 Christmas Jumper Day
21/12 Year 5/6 Christmas
Parties
21/12 Last Day of Term for
children
22/12 **INSET Day - staff only**
8/1 First Day of Term
16/2 Last Day of Term for
children
26/2 **INSET DAY - staff only**
27/2 First Day of Term
29/3 Last Day of Term
16/4 First Day of Term
14/5 KS2 SATS Week
25/5 Last Day of Term
4/6 First Day of Term
4/6-6/6 Whitemoor Lakes
Yr 6
8/6 School Photographer
11/6 KSI Phonics Week
25/6 **INSET Day - staff only**
26/7 Last Day of Term

Clubs:

Monday:- Yoga, Reading Eggs,
Art, Film Club

Wednesday:- Science,
Climbing/Dodgeball

Thursday:- Drawing, Music,
Performance, Purple Mash,
Board Games

Friday:- Girls in Sport

All clubs finish at 4.15pm
except Film which is 4.50pm



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Newsletter— Friday 8th September 2017

A new year and new adventures ahead...

The start of a new academic year brings so much promise and potential for all our children, staff, and indeed you as parents. The year ahead will be packed with new, exciting learning for everyone so that we can have happy children achieving their personal best! We will be working together as a school to make sure every day counts for your child at Glenbrook, helping them to become independent, resilient and curious learners. Next week they will be thinking about who inspires them to achieve and be successful, so please take some time out over the weekend to talk to your child, or children, about the people in our world who have achieved something amazing through hard work, determination, and the desire to succeed.

IF YOU WANT TO BE *inspired*,
SURROUND YOURSELF WITH
inspiring
PEOPLE.

Thank you to everyone for making me feel so welcome at Glenbrook. It really is a great 'PLACE to succeed,' and I am already enjoying the journey. Please feel free to come to say hello to me, I look forward to getting to know you all over this half term.

Pupil Power at Glenbrook!

We believe that everyone at Glenbrook is a leader - children as much as adults. We know that this ethos can empower and motivate children, and help to create confident individuals who can have successful lives. We have been busy designing pupil leadership groups, which include Reader Leaders, Wellbeing Wizards, Challenge Champions and Community Co-ordinators. They will be meeting every Friday afternoon to create their own action plans, and discuss and debate key issues. Working together, possibilities are endless and we can achieve so much. Watch this space to find out more!



Living and learning.

Our school has the most wonderful amount of outdoor space available to us. We have been thinking and talking about how we can make it a unique and even more of a special place, such as by creating our own pupil allotment area, and each class having their own gardens to nurture.

If you have any innovative ideas about how we can develop our school grounds, please let us know. It will be great to hear from you!



Glenbrook Glitters Stars

For the first two days of the new school year, we all focussed on showing each other that Glenbrook is the 'PLACE to succeed.'

Class	Name	Class	Name
Swans	The whole class!	Flamingos	The whole class!
Robins	The whole class!	Kingfishers	The whole class!
Puffins	The whole class!	Starlings	The whole class!
Owls	The whole class!	Falcons	The whole class! (Shaye Shooter-Reid)
Doves	The whole class! (Deaconchase Maguire)	Merlins	The whole class!
Quails	The whole class!	Eagles	The whole class!
Penguins	The whole class!	Ravens	The whole class!

For the week beginning 4th September, we focussed on 'P' - Pushing Potential, working with purpose and confidence to achieve goals.

Class	Name	Class	Name
Doves	Ella Pacey	Starlings	Noah Mee
Quails	Tansai Singh	Falcons	Katie Spink
Penguins	Daisy Ezard	Eagles	Simran jeet Kaur
Flamingos	Mya Brailsford	Merlins	Pa Samba Jeng
Kingfishers	Kajus Urbonas	Ravens	Anais Allahi-Doar

Attendance

Here at Glenbrook we are very proud of our pupils attendance and are constantly working closely with you and your children to increase attendance by providing excellent education and enriching experiences. On our return to school we held an attendance information sharing assembly. Attendance is tracked daily, Individual pupils and whole class rewards will be given each week during our Monday morning assembly. More information about this will appear in the Newsletter, Class Dojo and Twitter.

The start of this term has been wonderful! We have a school full of happy children enjoying being in their new classes, experiencing new learning. Ask your child how many green dojos they earned this week for showing that Glenbrook is the PLACE to succeed—you will be impressed!

Kirsty Ryan
Head of School.