Glen Morris Central Public School



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Principal

Mrs. Laura Hearn

Office Coordinator Mrs. Katelynn Cornwell

March 2023

NEWSLETTER

School Start Time:

8:45 a.m.

Dismissal Time:

3:05 p.m. (walk/driven)

3:25 p.m. for bus students

EMERGENCY DISMISSAL:

We are Zone 3

From the Grizzly Den

Principal's Message:

Kindergarten registration is still open, if you know of anyone with children born in 2019 and in Glen Morris boundaries, please let them know they can call the school to make arrangements to register their child or, they are able to access the registration online through the Grand Erie District School Board website. Kindergarten orientation will take place in late May or early June. More information to come.

We had outstanding participation on Wed. February 22nd for PINK SHIRT DAY by our students and staff. We recognized Pink Shirt Day as an opportunity to create a kinder, more inclusive world by raising awareness of bullying, and standing up against harmful words and actions encountered in person or on-line.



On March 10^{th,} Glen Morris is going to be celebrating St. Paddy's Day, which always falls during March Break. Students are asked to wear green on the Friday and show some Grizzlies spirit.

March Break is from March 13th-17th. We return to school on Monday, March 20th.



The character attribute for March is:

Honesty-Telling the truth

Valentine's Day

The F.B.I. put together a dance for the school. All the students had a wonderful time throughout the day doing activities.











Inclement Weather Information:

- Information on Student Transportation Services can be found here: http://www.stsbhn.ca/
- For transportation delays, cancellations or school closures,
 visit: www.transinfobhn.ca/Cancellations
- If there are school or board facility closures, Grand Erie will post a notification by 6:30 a.m. on the Board's website here: www.granderie.ca
- Information will be posted on Grand Erie's Twitter (@GEDSB) and Facebook (www.facebook.com/GEDSB) accounts
- Closure information will also be shared with local media (i.e. radio, television)
- Find the Board's Inclement Weather Policy here: https://bit.ly/2HoC1YX
- Learn how Student Transportation Services makes its decision about inclement weather here: <u>bit.ly/2JIVSk9</u>



REMINDER DATES

March 3: Pizza Day

March 9: GlenHyrst Art (McDougall, Keczan, Crawford)

March 10: Pizza Day

March 13-17: MARCH BREAK

March 20: Return to school

March 1-24: Chocolate bar sales every Tuesday and Thursday

(\$2 each 1st Nutrition Break)

*Every Wednesday: Popcorn

for sale \$2

March 28: Pita Day



Chocolate Bar Fundraiser

The grade 7 and 8 students will be selling boxes of full-size Nestle chocolate bars. Each box contains 14 bars. (4 Aero, 4 KitKat, 4 Coffee Crisp and 2 Smarties). The boxes cost \$25.00 each. If you would like to purchase one or more boxes of chocolate bars to help the grade 7 and 8 students, please place your order through School Cash on-line. \$10.00 from each box sold will go towards the total cost of the trip. The fundraiser will run from February 17th until March 24th. The boxes will be available for pick-up on Friday March 30th at 12pm.

Ms. Hirst's grade 7/8 class participated in making toolboxes with Organized Kaos through Skills Canada.

OTAP - Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program

Connecting students to opportunities in the skilled trades.









Congratulations to our January Character Attribute Winners

Teamwork- Sharing ideas and work



Congratulations to our February Character Attribute Winners

Fairness-Taking turns and sharing



Thank you Glenhyrst for coming and showing some of our students different forms of art. We look forward to having you back in March.





Congratulations!

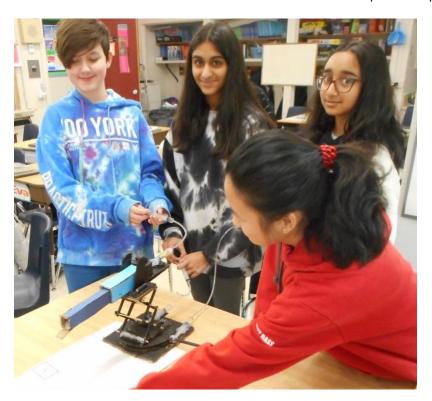
Junk Drawer Races

1st Place Winners

Eva A, Aarna A, Addie S, and Owyn N, from Glen Morris Central Public School achieved 1st place in the Southern Ontario Regional Hydraulic Crane Challenge.

The students were required to design and build a Hydraulic Crane. The crane was to be made from paper products, either toothpicks or wood skewers, fluids, syringes, and plastic tubes/pipes. Once the cranes were built, the teams were to test them out. Students were required to test their cranes to see if they could lift a load of up to 25 grams from Pickup Point 1, drop it at Drop Point 1/Pickup Point 2, lift it again, and finally drop it at Drop Point 2 in the shortest possible time. The gold winners were able to do this working together in 1.85 seconds.

These dedicated students were competing against elementary students across ten school boards in the Southern Ontario regional division. This group of students now moves on to the Provincial Championship.



Intermediate Boys Basketball

On Friday, February 24, the intermediate boys basketball team played in the BCESAA Paris Family of Schools Basketball Tournament.

The team faced excellent competition from Cobblestone, Burford, and St. George Schools. The boys worked hard and improved their level of play with each game. Great job Grizzlies!

Players on the team were as follows: Leland, Eshaan, Tyson, Jackson, Nolan, Henry, Ethan, Konnrad and Marryck.

Intermediate Girls

The intermediate girls' basketball team competed in the Paris family of school's tournament on Friday. The girls played hard against both Burford and St. George but were defeated in both games.

Congratulations to the girls for great sportsmanship and playing hard.

Thank you, Mrs. Crawley and Mrs. Tone, for driving.

Team members: Logan, Maddie, Jessica, Meishka, Addie, Tianna, Tybee, Faith and Aibhlin.





Junior Basketball

Congratulations to the junior basketball team who played so well at their tournament on Monday February 27th, winning two games against J.C Hill with baskets by Ariana, Maheen and Nicolas. All team members put in an amazing effort and worked so well together. A big thank you goes out to the parent drivers, and supporters, Bailey for the delicious timbits, Mr. Heeg for his guidance, and Miss. MacKinnon for cheering us on at the bench.

Team members: Ariana, Olivia, Taylin, Elsa, Maheen, Bella, Vidhan, Johnathan, Bailey, Josh, Charlie S. and Nicolas.

What a great day!

Pink Shirt Day



























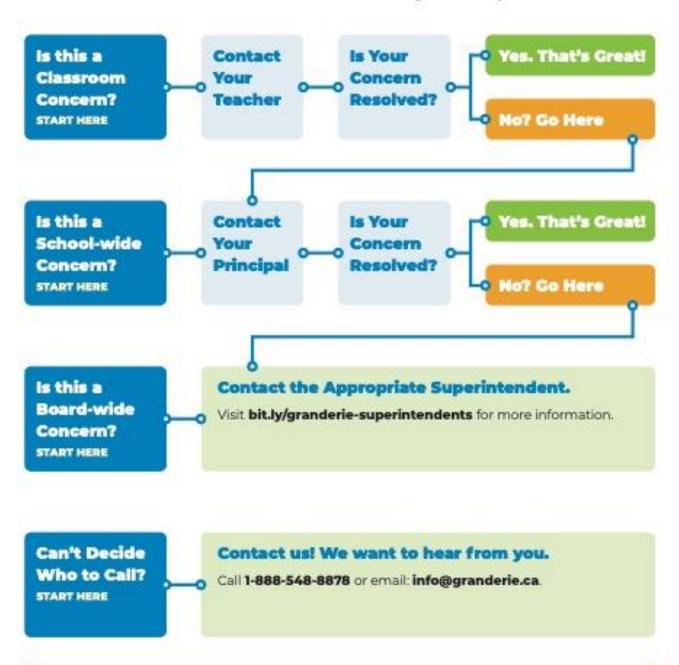


Parent/Caregiver/ Community Member Concern Chart



We're Here to Help

Find out who to contact at Grand Erie using this helpful resource.



Your Trustee can guide you through this process.

Find your Superintendent and Trustee Representative at granderie.ca/board/about/trustees