



Glenella School

ANNUAL COMMUNITY REPORT
JUNE 2018

In a safe, caring and supportive environment, the staff of Glenella School works in cooperation with the community as a team to empower students to achieve excellence in their educational goals and to assist them to become respectful citizens and responsible, life-long learners.

Academics



Natassia Adams



Lily Beaulieu



Tyson Dumanske



Corben Heudebourck



Hallie Miller



Kaylee Rossnagel



Sierra Wiebe



We are very proud of our graduates of 2018:

Natassia Adams plans to work next year and then would like to go to school for Agriculture, or welding.

Lily Beaulieu plans on working next year.

Tyson Dumanske plans on working next year.

Corben Heudebourck plans on working next year and apply to Manitoba Hydro.

Hallie Miller will be attending Brandon University in the fall working on her Bachelor of Arts Degree and then would like to get her Education degree.

Kaylee Rossnagel plans on working next year and then would like to continue her education working towards her ECE degree.

Sierra Wiebe has applied to Assiniboine Community College and would like to focus on Police Studies.

Glenella School will continue to offer the shops program as well as the automotive program to our high school students. We are pleased to be able to offer our grade 7/8 students the opportunity to take courses in wood working, small engine mechanics and Human Ecology once again next year. Next year the Turtle River School Division will be following a 6-day timetable. Make sure to refer to your monthly calendars so that you know what day it is.

Provincial and Divisional Exam Results

January

ELA 40

Glenella Average: 70%
Divisional Average: 73%
Provincial Average: 68%

Applied Math 40

Glenella Average: 96%
Divisional Average: 72%
Provincial Average: 57%

Essential Math 40

Glenella Average: 62%
Divisional Average: 59%
Provincial Average: 52%

School Priorities

This year Glenella School focussed on the following 4 goals.

1. School Literacy
2. School Numeracy
3. Mental Health
4. ESD

School Spirit

This year, we have continued our tradition of holding school wide assemblies to share our successes and talk about things that were important to the overall wellness of the school.

Glenella school also hosted a Live Different presentation for the division. Students received the message to live their life to the fullest. We were encouraged to change ourselves and the world around us by embracing a lifestyle that cares for people.

School Highlights



- ★ Student council
- ★ Terry Fox Walk
- ★ Gr. 5/6 Tenby School Trip
- ★ Orange Shirt Day
- ★ Remembrance Day Service
- ★ Christmas Concert
- ★ Pink Day
- ★ Pancake Breakfast
- ★ Breakfast Program
- ★ School Dance
- ★ Student Leadership Conference in Neepawa
- ★ Royal Manitoba Theatre Center Trip
- ★ Meet the Teacher Night
- ★ Nursery Program
- ★ Jr. Kindergarten
- ★ Turtle Derby
- ★ Inter Divisional Track Meet
- ★ Spirit Week
- ★ Gr. 11 Agriculture went to Ag. Days
- ★ 5/6 Festival Du Voyageur
- ★ Brandon University Open House Tour
- ★ Ski Valley Skiing
- ★ Tubing in McGregor
- ★ Skating
- ★ Curling
- ★ Cross Country Skiing
- ★ K-6 Robert Munsch Play McCreary
- ★ Benny Mwenda from Tanzania
- ★ Sun Protection and Nutrition Presentation
- ★ HyLife presentation
- ★ Credit Meeting with Parents
- ★ Graduation
- ★ Awards Day
- ★ Kindergarten BBQ

PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE COUNCIL

The Parent Advisory Committee Council has also began meeting on a regular basis at the school approximately every 6 weeks. We look forward to continued growth next year.

This year we have seen the addition of a school Beach Volleyball Court in our playground. We have also installed 2 benches and a picnic table on the school grounds for people to enjoy. This has been accomplished through the efforts of Parents Advisory Committee.

On our school grounds we have also had the addition of garden boxes. They were made possible through the grant that Jessica Klassen applied for from Beautiful Plains Credit Union and from community member donations.

The Parent Advisory Committee also hosted their first dance in June. The students ranged in ages from kindergarten to high school. A great time was had by all.

Athletics

Glenella School was able to field teams in most of the major sports again this year. Special thanks to coaches Mr. Smith, Mr. Unger, Mrs. Pilatic, Miss Smith, Mr. Murray and Mr. Dmytriw. The school prides itself on our athletic accomplishments, and we thank the dedication of the coaches and players.

We had 3 students who qualified for Provincials in Track and Field. Congratulations to Kim Leonard, Jason Abstreiter and Jenna Scott. A huge thank you to Mrs. Abstreiter for chaperoning these students in Winnipeg for the three s at Provincials.

Departures/Arrivals

Ms. Lemoine is leaving us this year after 3 years to work closer to home. We are sad to say goodbye and wish her well in her new endeavors. Mrs. Pilatic and Mrs. Sacharko are both leaving for a one-year maternity leave this year and we look forward to their return and wish them all the best next year. Ron Mitchler is also leaving his bus route this year.

We are very pleased to be welcoming three new teachers for next year. Jade Dillabaugh, Rheanna Jenson-Guenter and Amber McKenzie-Cochrane will be joining us. They are all recent graduates from Brandon University and bring with them an exuberance. Ms. Dillabaugh will be teaching Gr. 3 and 4, Ms. Jenson will be teaching Kindergarten and Ms. McKenzie-Cochrane will be teaching Gr. 8-12 English, Grade 12 Aboriginal Studies and Grade 11 History.

Principal's Final Thoughts

It has been a great first year being Principal in Glenella School. I have enjoyed getting to know the families and the students. Both the Glenella School and community have been extremely welcoming and I have enjoyed being apart of it. I look forward to future years in this community.

