

# Glenbow School Newsletter

September 2020



## MESSAGE FROM ADMINISTRATION

Hello – Bonjour Families of Glenbow School,

It has been an awesome start to the school year! Thank-you to our parents for being understanding and patient as this start to the year has been like none other!

The staggered start last week gave staff the opportunity to gently introduce students to new routines and procedures as well as giving them a head start on creating positive, compassionate caring relationships with teachers and support staff. We are very much looking forward to working with your child(ren). I can say without a doubt, a very high degree of passion and keenness exists amongst staff who are clearly here to do right by students.

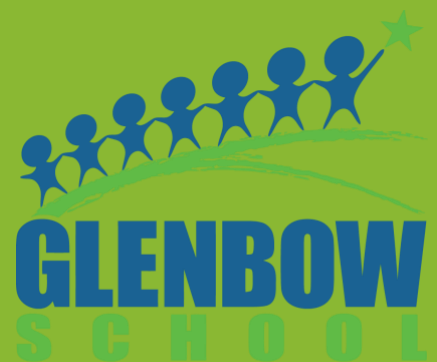
Good communication is a characteristic of a great school, and over the course of the school year you will once again see our monthly newsletters. Our newsletter is full of all sorts of pertinent information. In terms of other forms of communication, please look for our weekly Glenbow School Friday Fan Out which is sent by e-mail every Friday. You are also invited to follow us on our Facebook page and on Twitter. The PowerSchool Parent portal is the way to stay up to date on your child(ren)'s progress. If you require assistance to login to this system, please don't hesitate to contact office staff.

## IMPORTANT DATES

*Oct 9<sup>th</sup> Professional Learning Day –  
No School*

*Oct 12<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Day –  
No school*

*Oct 14<sup>th</sup> – Say Cheese! It's Picture  
Day*



**A Community of Learners Who Care**  
*Une communauté d'apprenants qui a un coeur en or*



## WE CARE at Glenbow!

*We had quite a start to our school week on Monday, January 27<sup>th</sup> we held our unveiling of our new school motto and mission statement. Students and parents in attendance were introduced to our motto*

*“A Community of Learners Who CARE”. It was celebrated by a group of “CAREleaders” doing a cheer, being introduced to a new school chant, as well as a video showing how students and staff “Celebrate”, “Accept”, “Respect” and “Explore” in our school. With our new identity established, it is now time to live our mission about who we are!*

### Glenbow School Mission:

*As a community of learners who CARE we:*

*Celebrate our learning, our creativity, our successes, and our diversity.*

*Accept each other for who we are.*

*Respect ourselves, others, and our environments.*

*Explore our wonders, our ideas, and our world.*

*En tant que communauté d'apprenants qui a un coeur en or, nous :*

*Célébrons nos apprentissages, notre créativité, nos succès et notre diversité.*

*Acceptons les autres tels qu'ils sont.*

*Respectons les autres, l'environnement et nous-même.*

*Explorons nos pensées, nos curiosités et nos idées dans le monde entier.*

All families should have received an e-mail from Rocky View Schools asking you to update your demographic information and along with various authorization forms. It is imperative you update your demographic information, even if you have no changes. If you need assistance with completing this online form, please contact the office staff.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our Head Building Operator, Bev Ireton, along with her team for their tireless work in getting the school ready. Their continuous work sanitizing and re-sanitizing high touch areas and well as ensuring the whole school is clean has made Glenbow School as safe as possible for staff and students. Thank-you, Bev!

Finally, a friendly reminder to parents for making sure you go through the screening questionnaire with your child(ren) each morning before they come to school. [Daily Screening questionnaire](#) If we all do our part, we can minimize the health risks.

Well that is it for now! Please do not ever hesitate to contact Mr. Comba, me or any Glenbow staff member if you have any questions or concerns. We are here with your children's best interests at heart and our goal is to give them every chance at success. Glenbow is a great school and we are looking forward to another year of learning.

Bonne chance!

Mr. Montgomery



## **COMMUNICATIONS from GLENBOW SCHOOL**

**Friday Fanout Email**- sent weekly  
(all information for upcoming week  
and important information from  
the office for parents via email)

**School Newsletters** -Monthly  
(information for upcoming month  
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### **Facebook/Twitter**

**Teacher communications** – emails,  
class calendars, class newsletter

**Google classroom** – child access &  
links for different subjects,  
information, quizzes and projects.

### **Classroom Instagram -**

**Parent Handbook and School  
Website**

## **Parent Reference for Important Links**

All links listed below can also be found on the Glenbow Web  
page: <https://glenbow.rockyview.ab.ca/>  
(No login required - Viewlets above School Logo)

### **Make a payment for Items such as Fun Lunch, Field Trips etc School Cash Net**

<https://rockyview.schoolcashionline.com/>

### **View my child's academic progress, assignments, teacher comments. Register a new student, Register for transportation or make a transportation payment**

**Power School Parent Portal** (your child's progress reports &  
assignments, teacher comments, communication of student learning,  
register a new family member, transportation registration &  
payments)

<https://ps.rockyview.ab.ca/public/home.html>

### **Book a Student Led Conference**

**Glenbow School Conference Manager**

<https://glenbow.schoolsoft.com/login.jsf;jsessionid=C0863AA8DE05BFA79B19B7FF08FD944A>

### **Know about all school events, holidays, and field trips**

**Glenbow School Calendar** (all school events, field trips, holidays)

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Message from School Council

Message from Friends of Glenbow



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### Reflect on your child's learning, view an e-Portfolio for my student

- My Blue Print <https://app.myblueprint.ca/?sdid=rockyview>

Username: Password:

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