



Glenwood Middle School

Greetings from the Principal

Welcome Glenwood Parents, Students, and Community

I am looking forward to an exciting year of learning and growing with our students and working with our professional staff and you, our parents and community members. The middle school years are an important and critical time of transition for our students. What happens during these few short years will have a lasting impression on their development, growth, and success during the remainder of their educational journey. I am passionate about ensuring these pivotal years are a success for our students.

Middle School offers many opportunities for students to be involved. I challenge students to put themselves out there—try out for a sport, an academic team, or other extracurricular program. All students should consider joining at least one activity, because the key to success is getting involved. Remember the **4 A's to Success**: Attitude, Academics, Activities, and Attendance. If you need help, reach out to your family members, teachers, counselors, or me. Take care of yourself every day by making healthy choices and remember to be kind to yourself and kind to each other.

The first day of school is Wednesday, August 16, 2017, please note that school doors will open at 7:20 a.m. and the student school day will begin at 7:30 a.m. and will conclude at 2:30 p.m.

I wish everyone a great 2017-2018 school year, and I look forward to seeing everyone on the first day of school.

Sincerely,


Janice Panuto, Glenwood Principal

Welcome back!

Administration

- > Ms. Janice Panuto, Principal
- > Mr. Anthony Nugeness, Assistant Principal
- > Mrs. Bethany Barnhart, Counselor (A-M)
- > Miss. Megan Kirian, Counselor (N-Z)
- > Mrs. Lisa Fish, Secretary
- > Mrs. Andrea Spiceland, Secretary

7 Habits of Highly Effective People

#1	Be Proactive
#2	Begin with the End in Mind
#3	Put First Things
#4	Think Win/Win
#5	Seek First to Understand, then to be Understood
#6	Synergize
#7	Sharpen the Saw

Grade Cards and Progress Reports

If your student did not receive his/her grade card, and have all fees and lost book fines paid for, please call the office at (419) 425-8373.

Orientation/Open House at Glenwood MS

Please come and join us for Student Orientation /Open House!

Wednesday, August 9th - 6th grade students only —3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Parents and Students—4:30 p.m. -5:30 p.m.

Thursday, August 10th—7th grade parents and students—4:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 10th—8th grade parents and students—5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

The following information will be presented during the orientation:

- ◆ Student schedules
- ◆ Washington DC Information for the May 2018 trip (8th graders)
- ◆ PTO Fundraisers
- ◆ Payment of School Fees

Harrison our School Counseling Therapy Dog has a lot of news for all of you...

Harrison will be helping students with reading during Harrison's Tales throughout the school year in the Library. Harrison will also be helping students through Harrison Cares Program. This program will help students who are in need of clothing, book bags, school supplies and other resources.

Box Tops....

Please remember to cut out your Box Tops and bring them into the school office anytime now until the end of June or once school reconvenes in August. You can also go online at www.thebigclip.com and sign up for big bonus giveaways of Box Tops. The money received will go toward Harrison's Tales, Harrison's Care Program and taking care of Harrison's daily needs. Any support through Box Tops is very much appreciated. Thank you in advance for helping out our school therapy dog



Harrison Appreciates all you do for our students

Aluminum Cansonce again this year, Glenwood will be participating in the Recycling challenge sponsored by Ball Metal. Our first "pick-up" will be in September. All proceeds will go to the Harrison Cares Program and Harrison's Tales.

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

The Glenwood PTO is always in need of extra help! The profit from the fundraisers that are held each year by the PTO goes to help with equipment, student needs and awards for students. The funds raised go to benefit students and your help is always appreciated!

The PTO meetings are on the second Monday of every month at 5:00 p.m. starting September 11th and are posted on the school calendar. Please plan to attend!



School Fees and Lunch Prices

Secondary/Middle	\$2.85
Milk	\$.50
Breakfast	\$1.75
Adult Lunch	\$3.20
Adult Breakfast	\$1.75
Reduced Lunch	\$.40
Reduced Breakfast	\$.30

Students will not be able to charge for school lunches. Please make sure your child has money for his/her lunch before they leave home. Cheese sandwiches will be served for those students who do not have any money.

School Fees are once again \$60 for the year or \$30 per half. If you cannot pay the entire \$60 at once, please consider paying \$30 the first semester and \$30 the second semester.

Great Scot Community Market Receipts

Please save your Great Scot Community Market receipts and turn them in to the office once school reconvenes. The money received will be used for rewards for students.



COMING SOON—FinalForms

Glenwood will soon be going digital. All necessary school forms, including all medical forms and athletic packets, will be online. Once the program is launched, you will be sent information on registering and filling out your student's necessary paperwork. Please provide us a working email address as soon as possible so you can stay informed.

School Attire

To prepare your child for school, while shopping for clothing please remember there is a dress code. Refer to your student's handbook, available online and at orientation.



Bus Schedules will be online

Bus schedules will be posted on the Findlay City School web site one week prior to the first day of school. You may access the site at www.findlaycityschools.org

From the Nurse's Desk

The Ohio department of Health requires that all students entering into the seventh grade receive a Tdap booster immunization and one dose of the Meningococcal vaccine. This immunization includes coverage for the following diseases: Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis (Whooping Cough). Immunizations are given by appointment only. Please call the Findlay City Health Department at 419-424-7441 for an appointment. They are located at 7748 Co. Rd. 140, Findlay, OH 45840



Please understand that appointment times fill up quickly due to start of the school year. Please do not wait until the last minute to make your child's appointment. It is suggested that you obtain your immunizations prior to August 17 start date. Also keep in mind the 7th graders will be attending a camp at Camp Berry in October and will need to have the Tdap and Meningococcal vaccine in order to go.

When you call for an appointment, if your child has insurance or Medicaid please have the card information available. Most insurances cover immunizations and we will call and verify what your policy coverage is. If you do not have insurance, each immunization will need to be paid by you either with cash or local check.

Sports

**** All athletes must have a completed physical to attend workouts. ****

7th—8th grade Volleyball

Open Gyms are at Glenwood 9:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m. 7/3, 7/5, 7/10, 7/12, 7/17, 7/19, 7/24, 7/26 and try-outs will be August 1st - 4th (Time TBA). Contact Coach Rob Wohl at rwohl@fcs.org

Cross Country

Workouts are 8:30 a.m.—9:30 a.m. at FHS Tennis Courts 7/10, 7/12, 7/13, 7/24, 7/26, 7/27. First practice begins August 1st at FHS Tennis Courts 8:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m. Please bring your running attire, watch, and water bottle. Contact Jackie Gleason at jgleason@fcs.org

Glenwood Football Workouts

The Glenwood football program is working hard this summer in preparation for a successful 2017 season. Our goal is to help increase the athletes strength, agility, and flexibility. Our students are already preparing for a winning fall sports season.

Workouts are from 4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m. 7/17—7/28.

Official practice starts July 31st from 3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. at Glenwood MS.

Contact Head Coach Bill Barberree at bbarberree@fcs.org

Please see the athletic calendar for upcoming game dates at www.findlaycityschools.org under **Schools/Online Calendar**.

Remember to visit the Student and Community Opportunities tab on our website www.findlaycityschools.org to see the opportunities that are available in the community for you and your students.