

## **Glenella School Community Report 2024-2025**

### **Mission Statement**

In a safe, caring, and supportive environment, the staff of Glenella School works in co-operation 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, lifelong learners.

### **School Overview**

Glenella School is a Kindergarten to Grade Twelve School with a school population of approximately 60 students. We have eight teachers on staff and four educational assistants. Glenella school offers programs in Band, Automotive, Resource and a wide range of academic studies. We offer full time Kindergarten, a school social worker clinician, speech language services and student services. Our school social worker is shared by the division and is in our school every Day 5 in the afternoon to work with the students. The speech language pathologist visits the school a couple times a month and a trained educational assistant works with the students on a continual basis. Glenella school has a SMART board or LOFT TV in every classroom, a portable iPad cart, and two portable laptop carts. Glenella school with the support of Turtle River School Division prides itself on its ability to keep up with technological advancements.

### **Our School Year**

This year all the grade 9 students are given laptops to use during their time at Glenella School. The students and staff would like to thank the Turtle River School Board for this gift.

The vocational options (woods, home ec, automotive and electrical) are available to all grade 7-12 students. The grade 7 and 8 students rotate through all four programs each year to gain valuable experiences. Students are very happy with the courses and there is a strong enrollment from our school for the programs next year.

This year Glenella School had three graduates and the graduation ceremony took place on June 20 at 5:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

### **Provincial Testing**

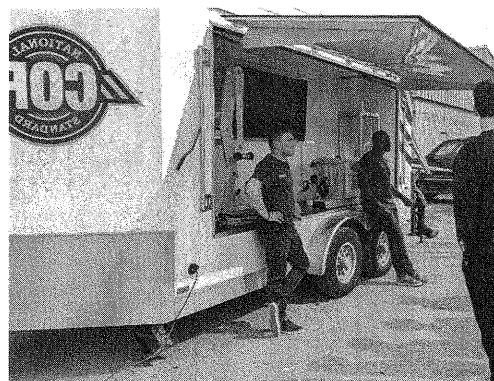
Every year the province collects data through provincial assessments in Grade 3, 7, 8 and 12. This year there were grade 12 provincial exams in English Language Arts and Math. The Grade 3 students are assessed on number sense, algebraic reasoning, reading strategies and reading comprehension. The students in Glenella showed 50% meeting the grade level standards.

The grade 7 students are assessed on number sense and number skills. The students in Glenella show 43% meeting grade level expectations with number sense and number skill. The grade 8 students are assessed on reading comprehension and expository writing. The students in Glenella show 25% meeting grade level expectations.

## School Priorities

This year Glenella School focused on the following goals:

1. Literacy
  - a. We focused on guided reading in class
  - b. Resource intervention for struggling students
2. Numeracy
  - a. Teachers followed the mRLC pacing guide and Grade 4-9 teachers took part in training sessions.
  - b. Jump Math was used in the classrooms
3. Mental Health
  - a. Students talking to the division social worker
  - b. Staff talking with students about issues.
  - c. Promoting healthy choices



## School Highlights

Safe Workers Presentations

Breakfast Program

Metis Beading Presentation and Demonstration

Terry Fox Walk

Parent Teacher Interviews in November

Parent- teacher interviews in March

Spirit Weeks

Orange Shirt Day

100 Day

Remembrance Day Service

Christmas Concert

Christmas Breakfast

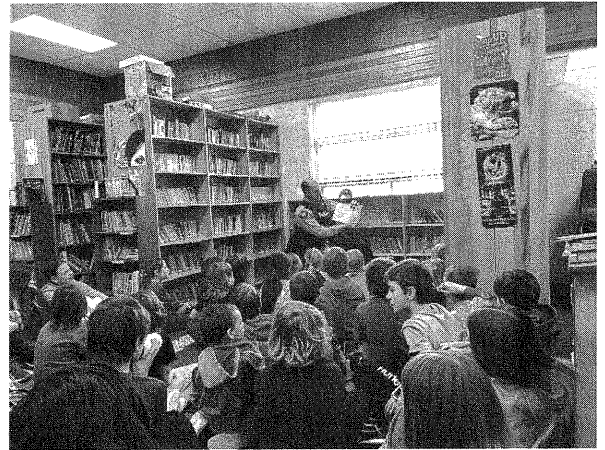
I Love to Read activities

Grade 3- 12 Ski Trip to Minnedosa

Grade 9-12 Career Symposium in Brandon



Grade 9-12 Trip to Fort Whyte  
K-6 Field trip to Splash Island  
Grade 2-6 Field Trip to Mini U  
Grade 7-8 Field Trip to Brandon  
Graduation Ceremony  
K-6 Fields Day  
K-8 Spring Concert  
Awards Day



## **Athletics**

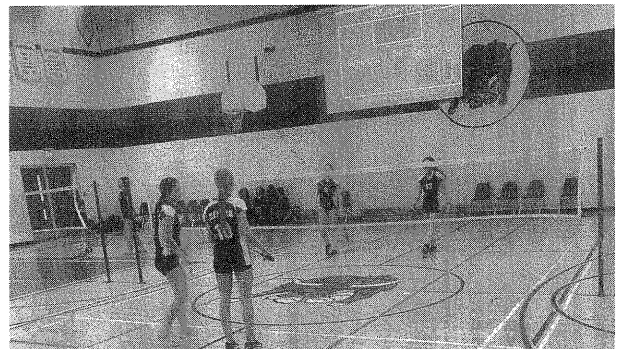
Cross Country MVP- Emma Tait  
Girls Volleyball MVP- Riley Ray  
Badminton MVP- Emma Tait  
Provincial Track recognition for Tory Beck & Emma Tait  
Senior Male Athlete of the Year- Tory BEck  
Senior Female Athlete of the Year- Emma Tait

## **Junior High Athletics**

Cross Country MVP- Ryder Muir  
Soccer MVP- Huck Brown  
Volleyball MVP- Natalie Henton  
Basketball MVP- Huck Brown  
Badminton MVP- Huck Brown & Nikah Petrowski  
Track & Field Athlete of the Year- Kayley Beaulieu  
Junior Female Athlete of the Year- Natalie Henton  
Junior Male Athlete of the Year- Huck Brown

## **Turtle Derby**

Grade 5/6 May 27



Grade 7/8- May 28

Grade 7/8 Regional Track Meet in Neepawa

### **Slo-Pitch**

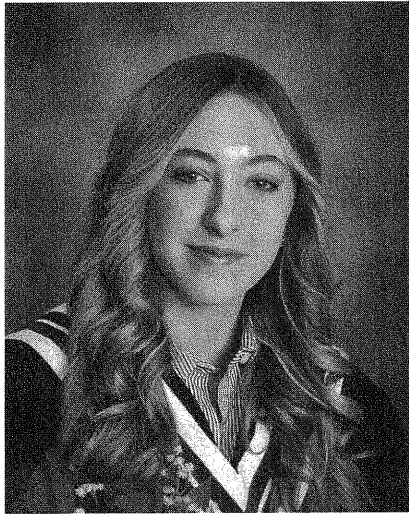
4 schools competed, fun had by all

## **Graduation**

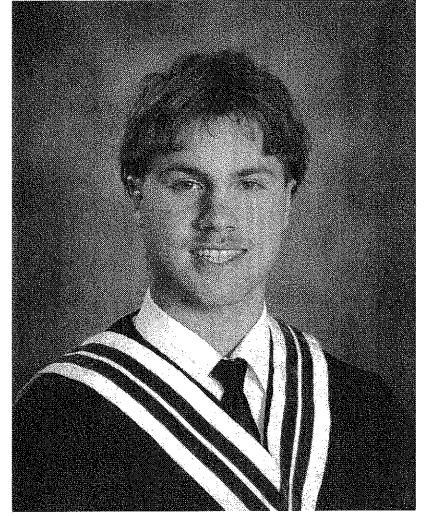
### **Class of 2025**



**Morgan Mayuk**



**Maizy Scott**



**Josh Tait**

### **Graduation Awards**

#### **Top Academic Achievement**

Biology 40S- Maizy Scott

Chemistry 40S- Maizy Scott

Pyschology 40- Maizy Scott

Parent Council Awards for the top three achieving students presented by Branden Howe

1. Maizy Scott
2. Josh Tait
3. Morgan Mayuk

Governor General Award presented by Amber Petrowski- Maizy Scott

Valedictorian- Maizy Scott

## **Departures**

In January, Mr. Leonard Wutzke retired as the head custodian. We wish Mr. Wutzke all the best in his retirement. Mr. Craig Pearson joined the staff as the head custodian in January. We would like to send our well wishes to Ms. Pilatic who will be going on maternity leave. We welcome Ms. Jessica Wither to the Grade 2/3 classroom in September.

## **Principal's Final Thoughts**

This year has been both challenging and rewarding. It is amazing to watch the students' progress in their education from September to June. It has been wonderful to support our student throughout the year with activities and ceremonies. Thank you to all the parents, family members, and community members that took part in the school activities to support our students. Congratulations to all the students for their hard work! Congratulations to our graduates we wish you all the best in your future endeavors. We hope everyone has a safe and relaxing summer vacation, and look forward to seeing everyone back in the fall on September 4, 2025.