

The Principal's Corner Glover School

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Good Morning Glover School Families:

The building is ready. The floors in the hallways and classrooms are like mirrors. There has been a steady flow of teachers in their rooms carefully creating warm and inviting classrooms.

Everything is ready for the rush of sneakers, flip flops, and backpacks. In two days the doors open and we will be there waiting to welcome everyone back and once again Glover becomes a place of learning and caring.

Glover Gathering: This is just a reminder that tomorrow is our annual Glover Gathering from 1:00-2:30. We are offering Italian Ice at \$3.00 a serving or two for \$5.00.

The teachers will be scooping in the following 15 minute shifts and will not be available in their classrooms:

Glover Gathering	Schedule				
1-1:15	1:15-1:30	1:30-1:45	1:45-2:00	2:00-2:15	2:15-2:30
Ms. Hayes	Ms. Mostyn	Ms. Shapiro	Ms. Bergeron	Ms. Gora	Ms. Weiss
Ms. Frawley	Ms. Barthelmes	Ms. Perroni	Ms. Tully	Ms. Perez	Ms. Rieckelman
Ms. Lockerbie	Ms. Doben	Ms. Kodiak	Ms. Thomas	Ms. Graziano	Ms. Schaufele
Mr. Beechwood	Ms. Shevory	Mr. Hodnett	Ms. Dixon	Ms. Yanow	Ms. Barrell
Ms. Colby	Mr. Fargo	Ms. Fraser	Ms. Miele	Ms. Xiarhos	Ms. Pilsbury

Please remember students must be with parents at all time and no ice in our nice clean building.

Parent Volunteers: We still need two parent volunteers to watch the students under the portico during drop off. It is a very simple but much needed service. Please give me a call if you are interested and I will explain what this entails.

Lunch Help: If you are interested in being a part of the Glover Experience and get paid for it, we need a lunch Aide. The Lunch Aides work 2 hours a day 5 days a week and are vital to making our student's lunches safe and enjoyable. If you are interested, please contact me and I will explain the position in more detail.

There are times when one of our lunch aides is out. If you would like to volunteer to help during those lunches please let Linda in the main office know. She keeps a log of available parents and will call you if you're available.

Pickup Visor Tags: Your students will be bringing home the visor tags for the pick-up line. You will receive two sets; one for the primary driver and a backup set for your alternative drivers. If you need another tag please let Linda in our main office know and she will create additional cards. The visor tags are color coded by grade and have your students last name. Please attach them to the passenger visor so when you flip it down the staff manning the pickup line can see them as you come down the lane. I have big rubber bands if you need them and I will be in the pickup area. The students line up by color (grade) and the staff can quickly locate your student and have them ready when you pull up.

Please do not park your car in the driveways or get out of your car in the drop off lane. Doing so will create a traffic jam. Thank you, with your cooperation the system worked very well last year.

Parking Lot: This is a reminder that the parking lot is reserved for the staff.

Fire Drills/Lockdown Drills: We will begin practicing these very important safety drills in school as soon as school begins. Within first few weeks of school the Marblehead Fire and Police department will be holding these drills separately to ensure our students and staff understand and execute these safety protocols flawlessly. *To make these drills as realistic as possible we will not provide the dates of these drills, only that they will occur in the month of September.*

Important Dates:

- Glover Gathering August 30th 1-2:30
- PTO is holding a Back to School Barbeque on September 9th. More details can be found on the Glover PTO web page <http://www.gloverpto.org/back-to-school-bbq.html>.
- Pre-K-3rd grade open house is September 15th at 6 PM.
- PTO Parent Coffee/PTO Meeting September 16th at 8:30-9:30 in the library

On behalf of our very caring, dedicated, and most excellent staff we hope you had a great summer and we are looking forward to seeing you at the Glover Gathering.

Regards,

Brian