

# GLEN ROCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Happy Monday! We wish you a healthy and prosperous week ahead.

- **Spotlight on School: Byrd School** community has been participating in Virtual Spirit Weeks to help build community. This week students will be showing their school spirit by taking a close look at their school motto. For each day, they may choose any outlet to show what each part of their motto represents to them. They can draw a picture, film a short video, sing a song, act something out, write a poem or short story...the possibilities are ENDLESS!
- **Donations: Hamilton School** // Fifth graders dropped off tote bags with groceries to donate to the Meals on Wheels program. The tote bags were creatively decorated!
- **COVID-19 Resource:** [Mental Health America](#) has captured many resources that may help people cope with the anxiety, stress and fear associated with the pandemic and promotes emotional wellness.
- **Honoring GR Athletes:** Please send photos of your athletes with a blurb to celebrate your athlete during this time that they cannot practice or participate in the sports they enjoy so much. Send photos to [press@glenrocknj.org](mailto:press@glenrocknj.org). We will try to post as many as possible on district social media this week.
- **GR Middle School Talent Show:** Be a rock star! Get your act together for the Glen Rock Middle School Virtual Talent Show to air on Glen Rock Television in late May. Read about [show guidelines and to submit](#) your tryout video for the show. Questions? Contact: Mrs. Zaorski - [zaorskim@glenrocknj.org](mailto:zaorskim@glenrocknj.org); Mrs. Sattler - [sattlerc@glenrocknj.org](mailto:sattlerc@glenrocknj.org); or Mr. King at [kingd@glenrocknj.org](mailto:kingd@glenrocknj.org). We look forward to seeing you on stage later this spring on GRTV!
- **GRCS Summer Camp 2020 Update:** Due to an abundance of caution Glen Rock Community School will be canceling June summer camps. However, the plan is to have July and August camps at this time. The original date for a full refund for all camps was May 15th, and this has now been moved to June 1st for the camps remaining. Please reach out [grcs@glenrocknj.org](mailto:grcs@glenrocknj.org) with any questions.
- **Glen Rock Board of Education Meeting:** April 28, 2020 Public Budget Hearing time change, previously advertised for 8:00 PM is now at 5:00 PM.

On Tuesday, April 28, 2020 at 5:00 PM, the Glen Rock Board of Education will hold a virtual meeting in the Dario Valcarcel, Jr. Media Center, 400 Hamilton Avenue, Glen Rock, N.J. for the purpose of holding a Public Budget Hearing/Regular Board Meeting. The agenda for the meeting will be as follows: Public Budget Hearing, General, Business and Personnel. Action will be taken. It is anticipated that a closed executive session will be convened towards the end of the Regular Board Meeting. In light of the COVID-19 virus, the public will be able to view the meeting on line and participate in the public comment section of the agenda in accordance with the procedures prescribed by Board policy. The [following link](#) will enable the public to access the virtual board meeting.

We are Glen Rock Schools!

Sincerely,

*Allison De Meulder*

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