

GLEN ROCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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We hope you are having a healthy and enjoyable summer.

Each week we will be providing updates from the three committees planning the reopening of Glen Rock Schools for the fall. The three committees are Scheduling, Instruction and PPE. Each committee includes over 20 members from various areas of the district including teachers, nurses, the school physician, administrators, assistants and more.

• **Scheduling Committee Led by Mrs. Tina Bacolas, Assistant Principal of Glen Rock High School and Instruction Committee Led by Mr. Paul Cusack, District Coordinator of Special Projects:**

The Instructional and Scheduling Committees for school reopening are in the process of finalizing their plans. The committees have worked intimately together over the past few weeks with the goal of maximizing student learning in a safe environment. The final drafts of the committee plans are in compliance with the NJDOE guidelines and in consideration of the CDC guidelines for safe reopening.

• **PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) Committee Led by Mr. Michael Rinderknecht, Business Administrator/Board Secretary:**

The PPE committee has a meeting scheduled for Thursday at 2 PM and two additional meetings have been scheduled for next Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30 AM. In preparation for the PPE committee's Thursday, July 9th committee meeting and discussions, the committee was provided with the CDC Facility Cleaning Guidelines document and the draft document that will be utilized for the district's Facilities Cleaning Practices and Procedures manual. Once the Scheduling committee finalizes the High School/Middle School and Elementary School proposed schedules each building will have a specific Facilities Cleaning Practices and Procedures manual developed for the start of school.

Based on the initial PPE committee meeting held on Monday, June 22nd administration continues to finalize and order agreed upon PPE related supplies that were agreed upon by the committee for the start of school.

• **High School Athletics:** Athletic forms Collection and Information, High School Summer Workouts and High School Fall Sports Only. [Collection dates and information.](#)

• **Facilities Update:** Glen Rock Elementary School playgrounds are open as of Wednesday, July 8. The Glen Rock High School/Middle School Tennis Courts and Track will be available for general public use beginning Tuesday, July 7. District fields will be open for organized Glen Rock Rec practices as of Monday, July 13. Organized sports must follow the same NJISIAA Guidelines that Glen Rock High School students athletes and coaches must adhere to. [See guidelines.](#) Any questions should be directed to the

Athletic Director or Director of Buildings and Grounds. All use of fields must follow the normal scheduling process and have district approval prior to use. No exceptions.

- **Graduation:** Seniors, Please RSVP to the July 30th in-person graduation ceremony. Please respond even if you do not plan to come. You can only access the [form](#) with your Glen Rock Google account. RSVP by July 10th.

- **Summer Opportunities:**

[Summer Kids & Teens Program at Bergen Community College](#) and [Glen Rock Community School Camps](#) and [100 Things to do this Summer](#).

Have a wonderful and healthy summer. We are Glen Rock Schools!

Sincerely,

Allison De Meulder

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