



November 19, 2025
Board of Education Meeting



In Lasting Memory

Roy Bencio

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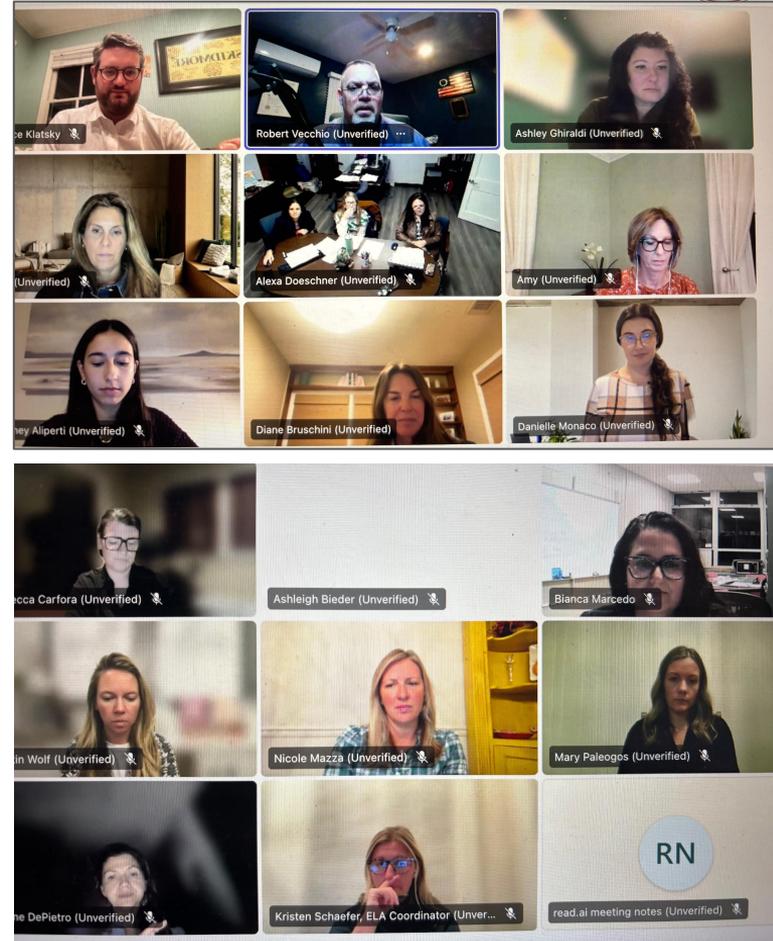


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Superintendent's Report
Dr. Doeschner

Spotlight on LI Schools - Literacy



- District featured in two episodes on Spotlight on Long Island Schools November 22nd & November 29th
- Showcasing the voices of our teachers, coordinators, and students as they discuss the shifts aligned to the Science of Reading and the engaging, responsive literacy practices happening in our classrooms every day.
- It is a privilege for our community, staff, students, and Board to have our work recognized on this platform, and we look forward to sharing these episodes with you when they are available!





HOMECOMING VICTORY FOR THE GLEN COVE KNIGHTS

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Congratulations to Glen Cove's Varsity Football team for their victory over Valley Stream Central at the Homecoming game on Friday, October 10, with a final score of 38-22. The day began with our football players and cheerleaders visiting the elementary schools, where young students cheered them on with handmade signs and pom poms. Later, we held a spirited pep rally on the field, where we announced the Homecoming Court and introduced our football players, along with highlights from all fall sports. The cheerleaders, kickline, and drumline delivered fantastic performances that energized the crowd, and our mascot kept the excitement going! A big thank you to GCTV for live-streaming the pep rally.

The afternoon featured the High School PTSA-sponsored carnival and our traditional parade, showcasing students from all of our schools, PTAs, and the City of Glen Cove Cheer Program. We thank the Glen Cove Education Foundation and Angelina Stanco Stone for their generous donation in support of the PTSA carnival. We also extend our gratitude to the Glen Cove Board of Education and Administration for leading our parade and supporting our Homecoming celebration. It was wonderful to see the entire community come together in support of our students.

Throughout the game, the Glen Cove High School Band kept the energy high with their outstanding performances. A special thank-you to Brittney Frank Rifkind for leading and inspiring our talented student musicians. During halftime, the marching band, kickline, and cheerleaders performed outstanding routines before we proudly announced our 2025 Homecoming Queen, Valentina Canales, and Homecoming King, Joseph Leftwich. Thank you to the Glen Cove community and alumni for your continued support and school spirit.

Felicitaciones al equipo de Fútbol Americano Varsity de Glen Cove por su victoria sobre Valley Stream Central en el partido de Homecoming el viernes 10 de octubre, con un marcador final de 38-22. El día comenzó con nuestros jugadores y porristas visitando las escuelas primarias, donde los estudiantes más jóvenes los animaron con carteles hechos a mano y pompones. Más tarde, celebramos un animado pep rally en el campo, donde se anunció la Corte de Homecoming y se presentaron a los jugadores, junto con los logros de todos los deportes de otoño. Las porristas, el grupo de kickline y la línea de tambores ofrecieron actuaciones fantásticas que entusiasmaron al público, y nuestra mascota mantuvo la emoción en alto! Un agradecimiento especial a GCTV por transmitir el pep rally en vivo.

Por la tarde, se llevó a cabo el carnaval patrocinado por el PTSA de la escuela secundaria y nuestro tradicional desfile, que contó con la participación de estudiantes de todas nuestras escuelas, las asociaciones de padres y maestros (PTAs) y el programa de porristas de la Ciudad de Glen Cove. Agradecemos a la Fundación Educativa de Glen Cove y a Angelina Stanco Stone por su generosa donación en apoyo al carnaval del PTSA. También extendemos nuestro agradecimiento a la Junta de Educación y a la Administración de Glen Cove por encabezar el desfile y apoyar nuestra celebración de Homecoming. Fue maravilloso ver a toda la comunidad unida en apoyo a nuestros estudiantes.

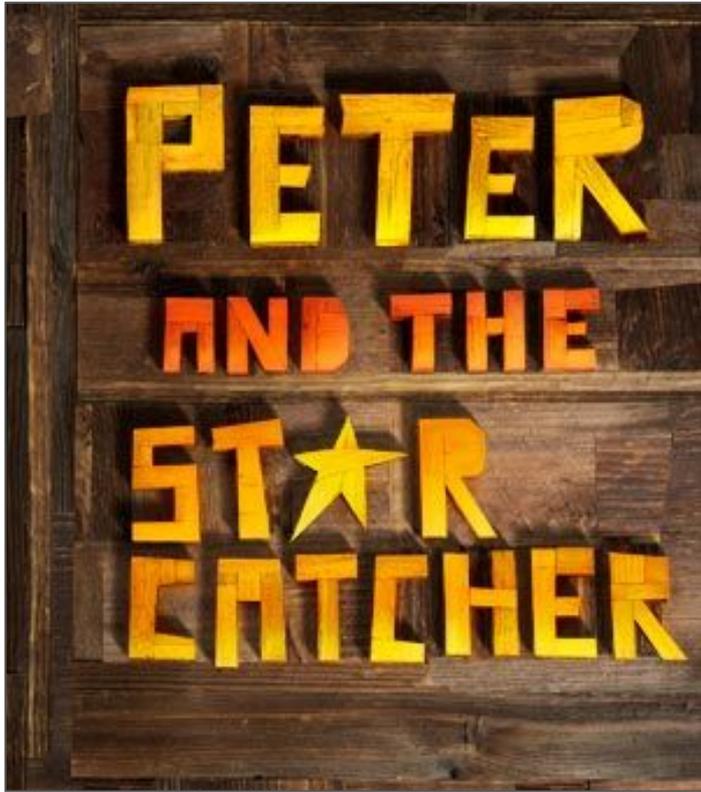
Durante el partido, la Banda de la Escuela Secundaria de Glen Cove mantuvo la energía al máximo con sus destacadas presentaciones. Un agradecimiento especial a Brittney Frank Rifkind por liderar e inspirar a nuestros talentosos músicos estudiantiles. Durante el intermedio, la banda, el grupo de kickline y las porristas realizaron presentaciones extraordinarias antes de anunciar con orgullo a nuestra Reina de Homecoming 2025, Valentina Canales, y al Rey de Homecoming, Joseph Leftwich. Gracias a la comunidad y exalumnos de Glen Cove por su continuo apoyo y espíritu escolar.



Fall 2025 Knightline

- Community celebration
- Student achievement highlights
- Spotlight on instructional excellence
- Athletics highlights
- New staff introductions
- Community partnerships and service

Glen Cove High School Masquers



Join us for the Glen Cove High
School Masquers Society

Peter and the Starcatcher

- Friday, Nov. 21 at 7 PM
- Saturday, Nov. 22 at 7 PM

Questions & Comments from BOE Meeting 11.5.25



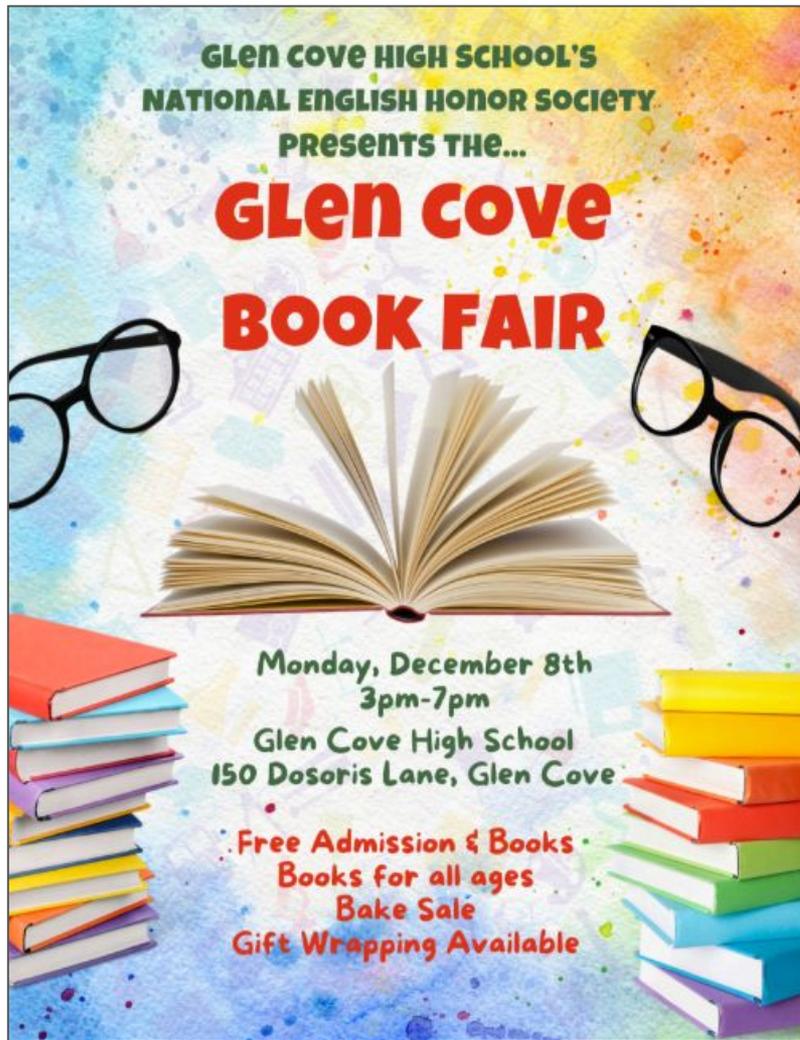
1. If a student has a score of 3 on the elementary report card, does that mean they are not entitled to receive interventions?

A score of “3” on an elementary report card indicates that a student demonstrates consistent understanding of grade-level skills. However, it is possible for a student to have partial or insufficient understanding of some skills within the same subject area.

Report cards are just one piece of the overall picture. A “3” alone neither automatically qualifies nor disqualifies a student for intervention services. When determining whether a student may benefit from additional support, we consider multiple data points, such as internal benchmark assessments, state test results, and teacher observations and recommendations. This helps us ensure decisions are based on a comprehensive view of the child’s learning.

2. If the top twenty GCHS students were honored, what would the average for this group of students be?

The top ten students have an average GPA of 103.9147. The top twenty students have an average GPA of 102.29875.



Glen Cove 4th Annual Book Fair

Glen Cove High School

Monday December 8th 3pm - 7pm

- Free Admission
- Free books for all ages
- Gift wrapping available
- Bake sale

PTA Links

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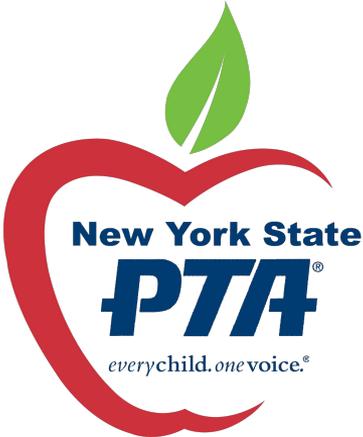
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Connolly



High School



SEPTA
Coming soon

Public Comment Protocol - Agenda & Non-Agenda Items



Thank you for attending and signing in to speak. We value community input on matters related to our school district.

Speaking Expectations

- Public comment - **Glen Cove community members.**
- Each speaker has **3 minutes.**
- All comments delivered in a **respectful manner** as we model respect for our students
- Naming **individuals** (staff, students, or community members) is **strictly prohibited.**
- Concerns regarding **individual** students or staff should be **directed to building or central administration.**

- The Board is here to **listen** to your input and concerns.
- The public comment period is **not a discussion or Q&A session.**
- Questions and concerns may require **research and consideration.**
- The Board or appropriate staff member will follow up at a future meeting or at the appropriate time.

Additional Communication: supplemental materials or further comments can be emailed to the Board at: GCBOE_SUPT@glencoveschools.org

Thank You for Your Public Comments!



- We appreciate your time, presence, and engagement in tonight's meeting.
- Your input helps inform our decision-making and strengthens our school community.
- Thank you for sharing your thoughts, concerns, and suggestions respectfully.
- We are committed to listening, reflecting, and following up as appropriate.
- Your voice plays an important role in supporting the success of our students and schools.
- Please continue to stay involved and connected with our district.

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