



# GIS Newsletter

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### 11 March 2025

## MYP Formal – This Friday!

*This Friday is the MYP Masquerade Ball.*

- **Date & Time:** Friday, March 14, 17:30-21:00.
- **Venue:** Samfundet - Øvre Torvgate 24
- **Dress code:** Formal wear, accompanied by a mask
- **Ticket price:** 50kr

*Each grade is responsible for a food item:*

| Grade | Responsibility |
|-------|----------------|
| 7     | Drinks         |
| 8     | Savory snacks  |
| 9     | Desserts       |
| 10    | Fruits         |

*There will also be pizza. We hope to see you there!*

## Mom's night at Globus café

Would you like to meet other mothers in Gjøvik?

Gjøvik commune is arranging this event for all mothers in Gjøvik at Globus Café on March 19th at 6:00 PM.

There will be tea, coffee and something sweet and simple.

Come alone or bring a friend.

For more information see the attached flyer.

## Scholastic Book Club Order is Now Live – Perfect for Easter Gifting!

We are excited to announce that the [Scholastic Book Club](#) order is now live! Scholastic offers a fantastic selection of books – from cookbooks to adventurous novels – and this is your chance to have brand new titles chosen by our students for the school library. This is a great opportunity to enhance our library, and books make wonderful gifts. With Easter just around the corner, why not fill your little ones' Easter baskets with a book or two? Students will receive flyers after the holidays and can order directly from [Scholastic's webpage](#). As you place your order, please remember to double-check your email for a confirmation message. If you do not receive one, kindly let Mrs. Rasen know so we can sort it out for you. Thank you for your continued support and happy reading!

## PYPX Surveys - G6 Needs YOU!

*Dear GIS Community,*

For the PYPX, G6 have devised some surveys, which you'll find below. In addition, should you be someone/know anyone in any of these fields, who may be available for interview or further conversations, then, please email [james.browning@gjovikis.no](mailto:james.browning@gjovikis.no)

Please, take a moment to fill in as many of the following as you can muster:

**Nature Group:** 

[Animal Issues Survey - PYPX](#)

[Water Pollution Survey - PYPX](#)

**Economy Group:** 

[Space Exploration Survey - PYPX](#)

**Society Group:** 

[Homelessness Survey - PYPX](#)

[Access To Dance Survey - PYPX](#)

[Racism In Sport Survey - PYPX](#)

**Well-Being Group:**  

[Gaming Survey - PYPX](#)

[Conflict Survey - PYPX](#)

[Sporting Equipment Survey - PYPX](#)

[Unhealthy Habits Survey - PYPX](#)

[Bullying Survey - PYPX](#)

Thanks, in advance, for your collaboration!

Grade 6 😊

PS. The links are also on Toddle.

## No mobile phones during school hours

We kindly remind you that MYP students do not have access to their phones during the school day, unless it is on the teacher's demand and in connection with a specific learning activity. MYP students who would like to buy their own lunch at the NTNU café must therefore bring a bank card.

## Community Connections - PYP

Grade teams in PYP are looking for guest speakers/experts in the field, as well as excursions beyond the classroom.

If this might suit you/someone you know, please, get in touch with Mr. Browning: [james.browning@gjovikis.no](mailto:james.browning@gjovikis.no)

Current units are:

Grades 1 & 2 - Product life cycles

Grades 3 & 4 - Explorers

Grade 5 - Digital Media/Digital Citizenship

## Lost and found

Our lost and found station was organized last week so that students and families can more easily find lost clothes and items. Please come by and take a look. Every academic year, approximately 50 000 kroner worth of clothes are not collected by the owners. Clean clothes are donated. Dirty and worn clothes are being disposed of. In addition to this, name tags makes our detective work much easier, even for MYP students.



## Student absences in Toddle

To help streamline communication, please use Toddle to report your child's absences, including sick days or medical appointments (e.g., dentist visits).

◆ **Daily Absence Reporting:** Remember to log your child's absence in Toddle for **each day** they are away (e.g., Day 2, Day 3, etc.).

◆ **Planned Absences & Holidays:** Requests for leave due to holidays or other planned absences must still be submitted using the **Application for Leave** form. Absences submitted through Toddle or email **cannot** be approved for this purpose.

📌 You can find the **leave application form** here: <https://gjovikis.no/school-life/leave-of-absence/>

## Skolelyst

### Interested in the Skolelyst Program?

If you'd like to enroll your child in the **Skolelyst program** for milk and yoghurt, please check out the [attached link](#) for more information and registration details.

You can also visit the **front office** at school for assistance or further information. Don't miss out on this great opportunity! 🥛😊🥛😊

## School Contact Details

### Contact Information for Key Areas

If you have any questions or concerns about the following matters, please contact the relevant person:

- **Taxi (GIS)**  
Dennis Wanda  
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- **Nurse**  
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 [Ingrid-Julie.Stadtler@gjovik.kommune.no](mailto:Ingrid-Julie.Stadtler@gjovik.kommune.no)  
 90365394
- **SFO (After-School Program)**  
Wilycia Rakotomalala  
 [wilycia.rakotomalala@gjovikis.no](mailto:wilycia.rakotomalala@gjovikis.no)