

# GLENIFFER HIGH SCHOOL

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**Head Teacher: Lisa Chalmers**

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Dear Parents and Carers

Unfortunately there has been a rise in anti-social behaviour during lunchtimes in the community, particularly around the Gallacher Avenue area, which borders the school.

Young people will regularly use this as a shortcut through to Brediland Road, accessing this area via the school perimeter fence. Local residents have been subject to verbal abuse, threats and in recent days there has been some fire-raising within the wooded area.

I have been made aware of these issues and at times have spent some time during lunches supervising in this area. I will be increasing my presence in the local community at lunchtime again with a view to identifying which of our pupils are letting us down. However, please be aware the Community Safety team and Police Scotland are now also aware of these concerns and will be informed of any further issues. I am also working to secure the perimeter fence so there will be no shortcut access.

Could I ask that parents and carers please support me and local residents by instructing children to avoid this area.

Many thanks

Lisa Chalmers

Head Teacher



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