



GMS WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER #19

Feb. 12, 2024

MESSAGE FROM MRS. JOHNSON -

The students and staff have fully moved into 2nd semester. All students have a new homeroom teacher and elective class. It is a fresh start for everyone.

Next week is Valentine's Day. The middle school will not be having any parties or a dance. It will be a regular school day. Please do not have students bring food or candy to hand out. It is too disruptive to the day. If students get any presents they will have to stay in their locker or in the office until the end of the day. Thank You!

Please feel free to contact me at any time if you have a question or concern. Here is my email address: toni_johnsongervais.k12.or.us or phone number at GMS 503-792-3803 ext. 2020.

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Mrs. Johnson

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES: Feb. 12 - 16

- **Monday, Feb. 12- Regular Schedule / Dismissed at 3:00**
 - Home basketball game vs Blanchet at GMS gym 4:00 pm
- **Tuesday, Feb. 13 - Regular Schedule / Dismissed at 3:00**
 - After school clubs and homework help today 3:15 - 4:15
- **Wednesday, Feb. 14 - Early Release Schedule / Dismissed at 1:00**
 - Get Air after school field trip / leave at 1:15 returning at 4:00. Students will need to be picked up or walk home.
- **Thursday, Feb. 15 - Regular Dismissal Schedule / Dismissed at 3:00**
 - After school clubs and homework help today 3:15-4:15
 - Blazer Game Reward Trip - Busses leave at 5:00 pm

- **Friday, Feb. 16 - Regular Schedule / Dismissed at 3:00**
 - **Away basketball game at Salem Academy at 4:30 pm. Bus leaves at 3:15**
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WEEKLY ACTIVITIES/UPDATES for Feb. 12-16

Student of the Month and Academic Ace -

Last Friday, we had an all school assembly and announced the Student of the Month for January. The theme was Perseverance - Doing something even if it is difficult. Not giving up! Congratulations: Lexi Duenas, Estrella Arellano, Miguel Mejia, Leandro Martinez, Hania Vera, Damien Lu, Aubrey de Fabis, Luke Sullivan, Victor Sanchez, Joseph Aerni, and Boston Waite.

We also awarded Academic Ace to students who excel in a subject. Congratulations to: Lili Gomez - Science, John Herrera - Science, Zack Wells - History, Estefany Rosas - History, Luz Ramirez - Science, Rudy Pablo - ELD, Samuel Lopez - Language Arts, Rilack Gage - Language Arts, Jake Castellano - Language Arts, Silas Gruetzman - Math, Sara Lee Morales - Math, Sakae Sagrero - Math, and Milo Diaz - History.

Up-Coming Activities -

Blazer Game -

Thursday, February 15. The bus will leave at 5:00 pm by the middle school. Permission slips must be returned by **Wednesday, Feb. 14** to be allowed to go. The Rose Garden Arena does not allow any food or drink to be brought into the building. If your child wants to get anything to eat/drink they must buy it themselves at the arena.

Ms. Aloha's Words of Wisdom 😊

New Semester New Start

Congratulations on getting through the first semester with your child!! As we roll into second semester, please know that there are many opportunities for students, like after school homework help, after school clubs, after school early release field trips, bookmobile, and track and field for the spring sport season. These opportunities allow your child to stay on top of their studies, make new friends and try new activities. If you need more information, please don't hesitate to email Aloha Yoshinaga (School Counselor) at aloha_yoshinaga@gervais.k12.or.us.

Let's start the second semester on the right foot!!!

