



24/25 GMS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER #8

Oct. 21, 2024

MESSAGE FROM MRS. JOHNSON -

Students are struggling to turn in assignments. Many students have failing grades. Many students are missing their signed Code of Conduct and Technology agreement. There is a reward trip to Get Air Trampoline park for all students with 70% or better in all classes and passing homeroom. It would be sad if your child missed out on this fun day. Please check your child's grades and contact teachers if you have any questions.

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.

Team GMS!
Mrs. Johnson

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES: Oct. 21-25

- Monday, Oct. 21 - Regular Schedule
 - Away Volleyball vs Colton - Starts at 4:00 pm
 - Tuesday, Oct. 22 - Regular Schedule
 - Cross Country end of season meet at GMS - Starts at 4:00 pm
 - Wednesday, Oct. 23 - Early Release
 - Home Volleyball game vs Mt. Angel - Starts at 3:30 pm
 - Thursday, Oct. 24 - Regular Schedule
 - Home Volleyball game vs Sacred Heart - Starts at 4 pm
 - Friday, Oct. 25 - Regular Schedule
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Wolverine Wednesday:

Every Wednesday, we want all students to show their Wolverine Pride and wear school colors: Black, Green, or Grey.

Monday's Attendance Winners:

Congratulations to the following students who won a \$5.00 gift card to McDonalds, Taco Bell, Jamba Juice, or Dutch Bros “because they were in school and no tardies!” Be Here to Win!

6th Grade - None - Not a full week last week

7th Grade - None - Not a full week last week

8th Grade - None - Not a full week last week

GMS Sports:

Fall sports are wrapping up. This week is the final games for volleyball. Football, soccer, and cross country finished this last Friday. A lot of middle school students were involved in these 4 sports. Starting in November will be girl’s basketball and coed wrestling. As we get closer to the start of the season I will let you know the exact dates practice starts.

GMS Concessions:

During home games, the GMS Leadership class will be running a concession stand. They will be selling small snacks, water and Gatorade. The money they earn will go towards Leadership T-shirts and various incentives for students at the middle school.

Youth-Truth Survey:

Between Oct. 28 and Nov. 22 all students will be asked to take the Youth-Truth Survey. This survey is anonymous and asks questions about school environment, safety, their education, and more. If you do not want your child to participate in this survey, please sign the attached form and return it to the front office prior to Oct. 28th.

Ms. Aloha’s Words of Wisdom: 😊

Poverty has many impacts, among them, unstable housing, costly bills, poor nutrition, and a lack of education. And too often, just one of these issues leads to another. In this cycle, becoming self-sufficient can feel impossible. Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action equips people with the resources they need to get back on their feet. Please explore [Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Website](#) to gain more knowledge of some amazing programs that they offer.