



Administration:

Principal: Mike Whisler
Associate Principal (Last Names A-L): Tori Adkins
Associate Principal (Last Names M-Z): Louisa Samples
Manager of Student Engagement: John Polkowski
Athletics & Activities Director: Chris Williams

Attendance:

920-492-2653

Main Office:

920-492-2650

Student Services:

(Counselors/
Student Records):
920-492-2652

Athletics & Activities

920-492-2734

UPCOMING DATES TO KNOW...

SUMMER SCHOOL DATES:

Session 1: June 16 - July 18
**No school June 19 & July 2-4*
Session 2: July 21 - August 15

REGISTRATION DATES:

August 18: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
August 19: 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

WELCOME BACK GBAPS CELEBRATION:

August 21: Joannes Park, 12 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Mental Well-Being Resources



*You are important. You matter.
And so does your mental well-being.*
Please click the linked resources **HERE** from
+ SW Social Workers, which may help you
and/or your student.
In the event of a suicidal crisis or emotional
distress, **call or text 988** to connect with a
trained crisis counselor immediately.

SW SUMMER HOURS 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**If you would like a printed copy of this
newsletter, please contact the SW Main
Office.*



Doughnuts: \$6.00,

Cookies: \$4.00,

Wisdom passed down from Mr. T. Sebranek after 33 years of teaching: *Priceless*

Our Future Educators gleaned many pearls of wisdom from Mr. T. Sebranek, but if you distill it all down, it is about building positive relationships". FEA truly appreciated Mr. T. Sebranek's final presentation - THANK YOU



Environmental Science class and Fox River Monitoring students planted their greenhouse grown wild rice into local wetlands on their field trip to Barkhausen Waterfowl Preserve.



Congratulations to the Class of

2025



Connect with School Staff Over the Summer?



Want to connect with school administration?

Please call the Main Office to see if the principal/associate principal is available or if there's a need to schedule an appointment. A few of the administrators work year round and are available over the summer outside of their scheduled vacations. School administrators can always be contacted via email.

Want to connect with your student's counselor, social worker, or the school psychologist?

Counselors, social workers and the school psychologist are not contracted during the summer months and are set to come back to school the week of August 18, 2025.

Southwest Who's Who?

<u>Administration</u>				<u>Student Services</u>			
Main Office Phone Number: 920-492-2650 Attendance Phone Number: 920-492-2653				Phone Number: 920-492-2652			
	Mr. Mike Whisler Principal Email Mike		Mr. Chris Williams Athletic & Activities Director Email Chris		Ms. Amanda Millan School Counselor Student Support A-E Email Amanda 920-492-2719		Ms. Janine Walch Blohowiak Social Worker Student Support A-L Email Janine 920-492-5582
	Ms. Tori Adkins Associate Principal Student Support A-L Email Tori		Mr. John Polkowski Manager of Student Engagement Email John		Mr. Luke Felchlin School Counselor Student Support F-L Email Luke 920-492-2718		Ms. Anna Van Schyndel Social Worker Student Support M-Z Email Anna 920-492-2709
	Ms. Louisa Samples Associate Principal Student Support M-Z Email Louisa				Ms. Elizabeth Mueller School Counselor Student Support M-R & Z Email Elizabeth 920-492-2717		Ms. Kaitlyn Stollberg School Psychologist Email Kaitlyn 920-481-9474
<u>Career Center</u>					Ms. Ying-Jing Vang *Student Services Department Head School Counselor Student Support S-Y Email Ying-Jing 920-492-2716		Mr. Jon Wiegert *Special Education Lead Teacher Email Jon 920-272-7222
	Ms. Melissa Hovanick-Larson Career Center Coordinator Email Melissa 920-492-2652	Image coming soon	Ms. Lindsay Allen Youth Apprenticeship Coordinator Email Lindsay 920-873-3057		Ms. Bonnie Baranczyk School Nurse Email Bonnie 920-272-7638		
Image coming soon	Mr. Nerf Udoekong Career Coach - NWTC Email Nerf	Image coming soon	Ms. Lisa Kong Career Coach - UWGB Email Lisa 920-518-3767		Ms. Ma Vang Registrar Email Ma		

Farewell to Southwest's Retirees...

Thank you for your years of service & dedication. You have impacted and made a difference in many lives. Southwest is grateful for your kindness and wisdom.



Ms. Jaco



Ms. Stieber



Mr. Sebrancik

A Note From Principal Whisler...

What it means to be a Southwest Trojan...

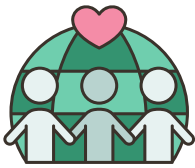
As students and staff continue our work living the [Vision and Mission of Green Bay Southwest High School](#), our students started discussing the following question: *what does it mean to be a Southwest Trojan?*



Southwest High School values the experiences and pride of current students and staff, along with all of those who came before us. We would like to continue that pride and define what it actually means to be a member of this school community. As a result, at the end of this school year, a group of student leaders got together and started defining the essential characteristics of a Southwest Trojan student. Now we need your input!

Our students and staff want to hear from you: our parents, guardians, and other caregivers regarding what characteristics (or Trojan Traits) you would like to see emphasized with our students. Knowing that we need to start small by focusing on a few, it is the school's goal to ensure ALL of our Southwest students exemplify all of the Trojan Traits upon graduation.

The following characteristics have been identified as our Trojan Traits:



- Empathy
- Responsibility
- Integrity
- Leadership
- Critical Thinking
- Problem-Solving
- Perseverance
- Communication
- Collaboration
- Continuous Improvement

Please help us by clicking on the following link to provide your input [Trojan Trait - Parent/Guardian Input Questionnaire](#).

Note: this same questionnaire was sent to all families of 2025-2026 Southwest High School students via email prior to the publication of this newsletter. Check your inbox!

As always, thank you for your continued support.

Together We Will....

Southwest High School Athletics

Athletic registration for the 25-26 school year opens
July 1, 2025.

Registration and valid physical must be completed
prior to participating in any sport, including
practice, games, or meets.

Visit southwest.gbaps.org/athletics to register.

CLICK
HERE!

for coach
contact
information
& important
dates



SAVE
THE
DATE

The annual **Back to School Registration Event** for all students will be on the following dates:
August 18 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
August 19 from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Be sure to attend one of the dates!

Show off your Southwest Pride
& purchase apparel,
backpacks, hats, accessories
and so much more! Orders
can be placed at any time and
are shipped directly to you!

[Click here to order your merch!](#)



Order Southwest Merch!



SOUTHWEST HIGH SCHOOL BOOSTER CLUB

JOIN IN THE FUN!
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Meat Raffle / Live Auctions

**SUNDAY
AUGUST 17TH
1PM - 4PM**

LOCATION

**Tic Harbor Lights
2824 Harbor Lights Ln
Suamico, WI 54173**

EVENT INCLUDES:

- ✓ 20+ Rounds of Meat
- ✓ 5 Large Auctions
- ✓ Raffle Baskets
- ✓ 50/50 Raffle

TICKET PRICES

Meat Tickets - CASH ONLY:
\$20 for card of 20 tickets
Raffles & 50/50 - Cash or Card
Pay At The Door

ALL PROCEEDS
SUPPORT
SOUTHWEST
ATHLETICS



Join us for the 2nd Annual One Stop School Shop Event!

We're joining forces again so families can make ONE STOP and SHOP to get their kids ready for school this fall! One Stop School Shop aims to provide school supplies, backpacks, shoes, socks and underwear for up to 2,000 elementary children and backpacks with supplies for up to 2,000 middle and high school children. Tentative date for the distribution event at UWGB is August 7 with final event confirmation to be determined after registration deadline.



Details:

- Event is for registered children only
- Children must be in 5-year old kindergarten (age 5 by September 1) through 12th grade
- Must be a Brown County student
- Registration will end earlier than posted deadline if event capacity is reached
- Questions? Call (920)497-7053



2025 Online Registration Dates:
May 19 - June 27

Register today by scanning
this QR code or visiting:

<https://bit.ly/OneStopSchoolShop2025>



Brown County Library's

Summer Reading Program

Read. Earn Prizes.
Sign up starts June 7

Plus FREE teen events throughout the summer!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

HELP WITH SIGN UP AND HAND OUT
PRIZES OR ASSIST WITH KIDS PROGRAMS.

APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE NOW ON OUR WEBSITE, OR AT
ANY BROWN COUNTY LIBRARY LOCATION!

browncountylibrary.org

BROWN COUNTY LIBRARY ▶ browncountylibrary.org ▶ 920.448.4400



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Scan this QR code to find a summer site near you!

Website: foodservice.gbaps.org/summermeals



**Green Bay Area
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ALL children (not only GBAPS students) ages 18 years or younger can receive **free** summer meals from the Green Bay Area Public School District. Families do not have to qualify for free/reduced meals to participate.

**Meals at Community Sites
Beginning June 11, 2025**

**Meals at Summer School Sites
Beginning June 16 & 23, 2025**

Visit foodservice.gbaps.org/summermeals to view the list of participating locations, serving times, program start and end dates, and days when meals will not be served.

Federal Guidelines for Serving

All children must be present for their meal service, and all meals must be eaten at the serving site. Meals cannot be taken off-site. This summer Meal Program follows all USDA regulations.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



District Interim Assessments and Mastery Connect

To Parents/Guardians: Winter 2025 Interim Result Message

HS Interim Assessment Results: ELA 9, 10, 11/12; Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2 (& Algebra 2 for Precalculus), Physical Science, Biology, Human Geography/AP Human Geography, US and World Affairs, US Government & Economic Studies

If your child is taking a course listed above, interim assessment results will be viewable in your [observer account](#) for Canvas and Mastery Connect.

Interim assessments help answer the question, “Are students making progress toward proficiency?”

- They help identify areas where students are excelling and where support may be needed.
- Interim assessments are not graded and will not affect your child’s report card. By nature of the platform, a percentage is calculated, but this is used to measure progress, not a grade.
- The scores are not shared back to the Infinite Campus gradebook as a course grade.

Interim Schedule and Growth Expectations

- In the September baseline, students would be expected to score in the range of 0 - 49%; this shows that students are in a Developing stage of understanding grade level standards.
- In January, students would be expected to score in the range of 50 - 79%; this shows that students are in an Approaching stage of understanding grade level standards.
- In May, students would be expected to score in the range of 80 - 100%; this shows that students are Meeting expectations for understanding grade level standards.
- Even if students do not score in the expected range, we review the progress they have made over each assessment to inform the larger picture of their growth over the year.

How is the interim data used?

- From a teacher’s lens, interims provide a snapshot of students’ understanding of the course’s power standards at this specific time versus looking only at a few standards covered on a lesson quiz/unit test. It helps teams find areas of the curriculum they may need to plan for differently.
- From a student’s lens, reviewing their performance can help them identify strengths and weaknesses, allowing them to take ownership of their education and make adjustments to study strategies, if needed.
- From a district’s lens, interim assessments offer the opportunity to capture data over time to evaluate the effectiveness of our curricular resources and highlight professional development needs.