



ANNOUNCEMENTS
Tuesday, October 14, 2025

The October trait of the month is
Observance.

MCT bus passes are NOW available for the Month of October. The cost is \$15.00. Please see Mrs. Wolf in the main office to purchase one.
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Chess Club is BACK! Our first meeting will be right after school on Friday, Oct. 24 in room 156. No chess experience required! Come hang out, learn, and play some Chess!
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Attention Warriors!

The GCHS Dance Team is holding auditions for the 2025/2026 basketball season. Please join us October 20th and October 22nd at 3:30 - 5:00 pm in the rhythm room.

All participants must register on granitecityathletics.com and have a current physical on file by Friday, October 17th . If you have any questions, please contact Coach Kimble at melissa.kimble@gcsd9.net.
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Need help completing the FAFSA? This Wednesday, October 15th, there is a FAFSA Completion Workshop in the GCHS Library for Seniors and graduating Juniors. Come any time between 6 and 7:30 pm. A financial aid expert will be onsite to assist students and families with FAFSA completion. Please bring your charged Chromebook.

Completing the FAFSA is an Illinois high school graduation requirement. See your guidance counselor with any questions!
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Vocational permits are now available to interested Sophomore and Junior students. Classes fill fast so don't wait, see your instructor now!!! For a Vocational Automotive Permit see Mr. Hill. For Vocational Building Trades Permit see Mr. Quick, Mr. Jones or Mr. Laycock. For Vocational Electricity see Mr. Quick. For a Vocational Machine Shop Permit see Mr. Laycock. For a Vocational Welding Permit see Mr. Jones. Students interested in a vocational culinary arts permit see Dr. Warren.
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Today's Hispanic Heritage month highlight is: Julia Alvarez. Dominican American writer Julia Alvarez, 75, has been enchanting readers with her words since the early 1990s. She was born in New York City in 1950 before her family moved to the Dominican Republic when she was a baby. They stayed there throughout Alvarez's childhood until her father's involvement in a failed attempt to overthrow the militant dictator forced the family to flee

to the United States in 1960. This traumatic event inspired her most famous book, "In the Time of Butterflies"
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Attention Foreign Language Club and Warrior Voices members: We will have a mandatory meeting after school in Sr. Smith's room (230) on Thursday, October 16th.
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Would you like to attend and graduate from a college where many of your teachers and administrators attended? McKendree College is the place for you. 97% of the graduates gain employment within 6 months of graduation in all different careers. So...visit with the representative during your lunch period today or better yet, talk with some of the teachers and administrators in the district.
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Or if college is not for you, the Army is still looking for full-time people. Visit the Army representative today during lunch periods to see what they have to offer.
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On Saturday, the GCHS Marching Warriors competed in the Potosi Bi-State Marching Band Festival. They had an outstanding performance in prelims competition, earning First Place in their class along with awards for Best Percussion and Best Visual Performance. Based on that performance, the band made finals and ended up taking First Place again, along with awards for Best Percussion and Best Visual Performance out of 12

other bands. Way to go Marching Warriors!!
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Congratulations to our GCHS Band students on an outstanding performance at the McKendree University Honors Chamber Ensemble Festival held on the campus of McKendree University on Sunday, October 12th. The following GCHS Band members were selected to participate in the festival.

Karlisa Brent
Adrean Brown
Trinity Broyles
Brooklynne Collins
Lucas Cooley
Ricardo Garay
Jacob Guithues
Chloe Hanks
Adrianna Ireland
Audra Jenkins
Aiden Lawson
Isaac Robinson
Morgan Robinson
Isabel Scroggins
Annabelle Stanlick
Alyssa White
Justin Wilson
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Hey, hockey club! Remember to turn in your fundraiser tickets and money TODAY or TOMORROW. Prize drawing at end of school day on Wednesday!
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Attention GCHS students: the library will be closed on Thursday & Friday. NO passes for studyhall. Tech help will still be available during regular hours in the atrium.
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NOW IN SPORTS NEWS

Hey Tribe! This Thursday the boys soccer team will play Collinsville at home for the annual Paz Cup! Wear your RED to support our team and in honor of our alum Alex Paz! Watch for Alex on the sidelines taking photos! JV will start at 6:15 and Varsity at 7:30!
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