



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tuesday, February 24, 2026

The February trait of the month is Compassion.

Please join us in wishing Mr. Bruce Frank a very Happy Birthday. Hope you have a great day Mr. Frank!

- 2/24

March MCT bus passes are now available for purchase from Mrs. Wolf in the main office.

- 3/15

As we continue our celebration of Black History Month, today we are recognizing Jane Bolin.

A pioneer in law, Jane Bolin was the first Black woman to attend Yale Law School in 1931. In 1939, she became the first Black female judge in the United States. One of her significant contributions throughout her career was working with private employers to hire people based on their skills, as opposed to discriminating against them because of their race. She served on the boards of the NAACP, Child Welfare League of America, and the Neighborhood Children's Center.

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The St. Louis Cardinals have provided ticket vouchers to students that earned an "A" average or better in the first semester of this school year. Please stop by Ms. Bush's office

to pick up your voucher if you qualify. These vouchers can be redeemed for 2 (two) tickets to any Monday - Thursday St. Louis Cardinals home game with the exception of Opening Day and Chicago Cubs games.

- 2/27

ATTENTION SENIORS & ELIGIBLE JUNIOR GRADS PARTICIPATING IN GRADUATION:

If you have not ordered your cap and gown for Jostens, please do so IMMEDIATELY to guarantee delivery in time for graduation. The cap and gown are a requirement for participation in the graduation ceremony and must be ordered from JOSTENS. You can order by calling 1-618-654-1001 or online at www.jostens.com. **Cap and gown distribution day will be Wednesday, April 8th in the cafeteria during lunch periods.**

- 2/27

Applications for the Granite City Federation of Educational Professionals - Local 743 scholarships are currently available.

Four - \$500 scholarships will be awarded this year to graduating seniors of Local 743 members.

Six - \$500 scholarships will be awarded to GCHS graduating seniors.

To be eligible, applicants must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.5/5.0 or a 2.75/4.0.

Email Mrs. Bell, sara.bell@gcsd9.net, for the scholarship application or stop by room 217.

Any questions, email Mrs. Bell or Dr. Baileygaines.

The deadline for submitting completed applications is Friday, March 27, 2026.

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ASVAB testing is scheduled for Tuesday, March 10th at 7:50am in room 353. If you are interested, please see Mrs. Voss in the Guidance Office to sign up for the test.

- 3/9

ASL Club is now an hour a week! We will meet in room 053 (Mrs. Rushing's room in the basement) from 2:30 - 3:30 every Thursday.

Beginners welcome! See you there and bring a friend!

- 5/22

The next Chess Club meeting will be on March 2nd in room 156 from 2:30 to 3:30 PM. Come learn, practice, and hang out playing the exciting game of Chess!

- 3/2

Respect Week is next week, March 2nd - March 6th. This is a special opportunity for schools and communities across Illinois to celebrate inclusion, acceptance, and respect for people of all abilities.

Our school will be hosting a dress-up week to promote awareness, and we hope everyone will join in the fun! Each day will feature a different color theme representing various abilities, along with activities during lunch periods.

Don't forget to buy your Wild Wild Warrior shirt to wear on Friday, March 6th.

Shirts are red and only cost \$12.00. Orders will be accepted until **February 25th** to allow enough time for students to create and deliver them. Stop by room 129 or 123 during your lunch to purchase.

Let's come together, show our support, and celebrate what makes us unique! TOGETHER WE WARRIOR!!

- 2/27

Debaters! We will have practice next Wednesday directly after school. Please email your cases to Coach Pennell-Davis. Let's make an IMPACT!

- 2/24

NOW IN SPORTS NEWS:

All boys interested in trying out for baseball must attend the informational meeting after school this Thursday right outside the annex gym. Tryouts begin Monday March 2nd after school.

- 2/26

Attention Lady Warriors:

The Warrior Softball Team Needs You!

Tryouts have started and will continue this week. We meet in the small gym right after school from 2:40 to 4:30. See Coach Wilson, Coach Puhse or Coach Connolly for more information.

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Any freshmen, sophomore, and junior girls who are athletes in fall or winter sports should consider coming out for soccer this Spring. Being a multisport athlete only makes you better for your core sport. Soccer begins this Monday at 3pm on the main field. See Coach Hayes in the guidance office if you have questions.

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