



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday, February 27, 2026

The February trait of the month is Compassion.

We would like to wish Ms. Sarah Thompson a very Happy Birthday!

- 2/27

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

- 3/15

As we close the celebration of Black History Month, we recognize Jackie Robinson.

Jackie Robinson broke Major League Baseball's color barrier on April 15, 1947, playing for the Brooklyn Dodgers and ending 60 years of segregation. A champion of civil rights, he was the first Black MLB Rookie of the Year, MVP, and Hall of Fame inductee, later becoming the first Black VP of a major US corporation.

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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.

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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.**

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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 out of 5.0 scale or a 2.75 out of 4.0 scale .

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!

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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

Yesterday and today's announcements include Congratulations on an incredible achievement! Finishing the entire first semester without missing a single day of school shows dedication, responsibility, and a strong commitment to your goals. Your consistency sets a great example for others, and it's something to be truly proud of. Keep up the amazing work—we're cheering you on for an even stronger second semester! Today we recognize:

Amarri Nettles
Marik Pickerell
Eli Prange
Noah Sotolar
Katelynn Strubelt
William Taylor
Isaiah Thomas
Elizabeth Weaver
Austin Wilson
Madilynn Wineburner
Morgan Yehling

- 2/27

GCHS, We asked and you answered!! The Grounds City Cafe will have SOUR BLUE RASPBERRY Boba for a limited time!!! Get it before it's gone!!!

- 3/3

The **FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)** is meeting on **Tuesday, March 3rd at 7:30 PM in the small gym** — and yes... there will be **PIZZA**. 🍕

Everyone is welcome!!!

That's right. Come for the fellowship, stay for the slices. Or come for the slices and stay for the fellowship. We don't judge.

Bring a friend, bring your appetite, and we'll see you Tuesday night at 7:30 in the small gym. Don't miss it! 🍕🔥

- 3/2

If you like to tailgate before games, check out the University of Mississippi, also known as Ole Miss. It is ranked 169th among National Universities and 92nd Top Public Schools.

The school has great Southern Traditions. They believe "You have to see it to believe it." If this sounds like a university you'd like to attend, stop and visit the representative during your lunch period!

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NOW IN SPORTS NEWS:

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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