



Superintendent's Report

Submitted by Nick Verhoff

March 21, 2024

Reminder: No School Tomorrow

Remember there is no school tomorrow for the third quarter break. Only 42 days left of school for the 2023-2024 school year!

CG Schools Celebrates Wellness Week

The Putnam County Task Force is sponsoring a Wellness Week in which CG Schools is participating. Each day of the week had a goal for staff and students, along with various other fun activities and events to celebrate physical and social-emotional wellness. This week's activities and goals include:

- Get Moving Monday- Goal: Be active at least 30 minutes today! (Wear your favorite sports/team shirt)
- TACObout Wellness Tuesday- Goal: Talking to someone we trust is a great coping skill when we are feeling down. Find a trusted adult at school you can talk to if you feel upset, worried, or even happy! (Wear your favorite tie-dye shirt)
- Walk & Talk Wednesday- Goal: You don't have to wait for a big problem to talk about your feelings. You can say how you feel any time. It's a good thing to practice. (Wear your favorite workout clothes)
- Thoughtful Thursday- Goal: Do something nice for others! (Wear your favorite shirt with words)

Many thanks go to our Guidance Department for helping coordinate this week of celebration at our school.

CG Students Attend Challenged Champions Sessions

Students from Mrs. Geise's classroom just completed a six-week session at Challenged Champions in Ottawa. Challenged Champions Equestrian Center was established in 1997 as a non-profit charitable organization. Using the horse and its environment, they provide equine assisted activities for individuals with a variety of special needs. Students in Mrs. Geise's classroom had a wonderful experience during their equine therapy, with many of them making great strides over the course of the last six weeks! Many thanks go to our Mrs. Geise and her aides Mrs. Bolitho and Mrs. Unverferth for organizing this activity.



Band Calendar Sale Underway

The CG Band Boosters are now taking orders for the 62nd edition of the Community Birthday Calendar from now through the end of May. You can place your order with any band member, or use the order form here <https://bit.ly/CGBand2425> to mail your order. The Band Boosters would like to thank the Community and Businesses for helping to continue this successful fundraiser.

CGHS Musical this Weekend!

On Friday March 22 and Saturday March 23, Columbus Grove High School will be presenting its 57th annual High School Musical. This year's production will be *Seussical, the Musical*. The cast will feature Hailey Vogt, Logan Mershman, Ella Escamilla, Laney Auchmuty, Daisy Stechschulte, Holden Hartzog, Addy Butcher and Evan Verhoff, as well as a fantastic cast and crew of talented CGHS students. Tickets can be purchased in the Columbus Grove High School Office. Tickets are \$12.00 for reserved seating and \$8.00 for general seating. The performances will be held in the Columbus Grove Auditorium and the curtain will open both nights at 7:00 pm. Please come out and support the talented students of Columbus Grove! We can't wait to see you at the show!

2024-2025 Kindergarten Registration Now Open

Kindergarten registration for the 2024-2025 school year is now open. If your child will turn 5 years old prior to September 30, 2024, they are eligible for kindergarten. You can register on our website (cg.noacsc.org) by clicking the link in the Parents/Student/Community tab or you may contact the school at 419-695-2631 and we will walk you through the registration process. At the beginning of March, a letter will be sent informing you of your date and time for screening. The dates for screening will be in April 11 and 12. Documents needed are a birth certificate, immunization records and/or Kindergarten boosters, parent ID, proof of residency (if new to the district and no other siblings attend CG schools) and custody papers if applicable.

Upcoming Events:

Friday, March 22nd

No School – Quarter Break

57th Annual High School Musical – “Seussical” - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 23rd

57th Annual High School Musical – “Seussical” - 7:00 p.m.

Monday, March 25th

JH Baseball vs. Spencerville – 5:00 p.m.

JH Track @ Tri Meet – Waynesfield Goshen – 5:00 p.m.

Varsity Baseball vs. Arlington – 5:00 p.m.

Varsity Baseball vs. Arlington – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 26th

Varsity Track vs. Grove Quad – 4:30 p.m.

Varsity Baseball vs. Pandora Gilboa – 5:00 p.m.

Varsity Softball vs. Pandora Gilboa – 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 27th

JH Softball vs. Bluffton – 5:00 p.m.

Varsity Baseball @ Elida – 5:00 p.m.