

GREENFIELD-CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
COUGAR NEWS
September 1, 2016



CHARACTER QUALITY OF THE MONTH
RESPONSIBILITY

ATTENTION!

There was a pair of reading glasses left in the library here at school last night at the 3rd session of the Parent College night. They are in the front office with Mrs. Hiller

GREENFIELD CENTRAL SCHOOL FOUNDATION
RED LETTER GALA
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PROCEDURES FOR LEAVING SCHOOL FOR APPOINTMENTS

1. Parents are requested to notify the Attendance Office 24 hours in advance of appointments. Parents, please try to understand that an unscheduled pass could require an interruption and interference in classroom instruction.
2. Students are to obtain the pass from the Attendance Office before school or during passing periods on the day the pass is to be Used. **They are responsible to pick their passes. They will not be delivered to them.**
3. Sign out in the Attendance office when leaving school.
4. Sign in at the Attendance Office when

returning to school, and return a note signed by the doctor, dentist, court official, or probation officer and indicate the time the student completed the appointment.

Failure to provide documentation may result in an Absent Unexcused.

Appointments for driver's license and senior pictures are to be scheduled during a student's Enrichment Block. **No student is to leave or return to Greenfield-Central High School during the school day without signing in and out of the office.**

*******Students crossing the sidewalk along the aquatic center going to or coming from the north parking lot are to use designated crossing at the curb!!**

COUGAR SPIRIT!

The football team is selling shirts during lunch for \$6!

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KICKIN FOR CANCER!

The GC Lady Cougars are hosting the 3rd annual Kickin for Cancer Tournament this Saturday. The Cougars will be in action at 2 pm on Saturday. The consolation game will take place at 6 pm with the championship game taking place at 8 pm. Please join us to help honor those who have lost the battle with cancer, those who are fighting and those who have won! We will have raffle prizes throughout the day and t-shirts for sale. We will have a luminary ceremony between the consolation and championship game around 7:30 pm. All proceeds from the tournament go directly back to the American Cancer Society. Thank you for your support!

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HOMEcoming!

Forms for Parade Entries, Powderpuff Football, and Male Volleyball are at the front desk in main office. Homecoming is only a week away so we need forms by mid-week for practices to be scheduled and t-shirt orders!

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PORK CHOP DINNER

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HOMEcoming PARADE ENTRY

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RESULTS

Greenfield-Central High School Boys Varsity

Cross Country finishes 5th place at Chatard Classic Invitational @ Martin Park

Greenfield-Central High School Girls Varsity

Cross Country finishes 3rd place at BCHS Invite

Greenfield-Central High School Girls Varsity

Soccer falls to Pendleton Heights High School 3-1

Greenfield-Central High School Girls Varsity

Golf finishes 3rd place at Hancock County @ Greenfield-Central High School

Greenfield-Central High School Girls Varsity

Golf falls to Lawrence North High School 190-213

Greenfield-Central High School Girls Varsity Golf finishes 4th place at New Palestine Invitational @ Hawk's Tail

TODAY

Tennis (Boys) @ Morristown Jr-Sr High School

Thu, September 1, 5:30pm – 7:30pm

Volleyball (V + JV) - New Palestine High School

Thu, September 1, 6pm – 8pm

September 2, 2016

Football (Varsity) @ Mt Vernon High School (Fortville)

Fri, September 2, 7:30pm – 9:30pm

YEARBOOK ANNOUNCEMENT

Yearbooks are on sale now until Oct. 31 for \$50. On Nov. 1, the price goes up to \$55. Order yours today! Order online at yearbookordercenter.com

Thanks!

IMPORTANT!

There is a growing trend of students calling for delivery of fast food at lunch. this a closed campus and students are not to be calling for delivery during the school day. Please do not allow students to use their phones in class as is our policy. Parents and family members are not to bring food in for students.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

We are pleased to announce that Greenfield-Central has paired with InsuraTech to provide an insurance policy for our MacBooks. This is an optional policy that parents can choose to purchase on an annual basis.

If you are interested in purchasing the insurance,

1. Have your student go to the Technology office in the high school library. When students are there, they will receive a yellow sheet requesting the insurance.
2. One of Technology Resource Assistants will fill out the top part of the form. The TRA will also inspect the MacBook for any pre-existing defects.
3. After the inspection, students will bring home the yellow form for parent signature.
4. Payment will then be made in the Treasurer's office at the high school. Payment can be made by cash, check, or credit card. The yellow form **MUST** be brought to the Treasurer's office to make payment.

PLEASE NOTE: AVERAGE COST OF REPAIR OF A MACBOOK HAS BEEN \$750

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Athletics

COUGAR VALUE CARDS NOW ON SALE FOR \$10 AT GC ATHLETIC OFFICE OR ANY FALL ATHLETE

THIS WEEK IN SPORTS

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MERCHANT LIST:

- Applebee's (Greenfield Only) - 10% Off up to \$5 Maximum Discount
- Chicago's Pizza (Greenfield & McCordsville) - \$3 off Large Pizza at Regular Price
- Dave's Express Car Wash - Free Ice Cream Cone @Express Cafe with Total Car Wash
- Express Car Wash - \$2 Off Works Car Wash - Monday-Friday only
- Firehouse Subs (Greenfield Only) - Free Medium Drink & Chips with Purchase of Sub
- Lincoln Square Pancake House (Greenfield Only) - Free Dessert with Meal Purchase
- McCleerey's Sporting Goods - 15% Off Regular Prices Shoes/20% Off Regular Priced Clothing
- McDonald's (Greenfield & Mt Comfort - Buy 1 Large Sandwich Get 1 Free (Exc. \$1 Menu)
- Montana Mike's (Greenfield Only) - \$5 Off a \$25 Purchase
- The Mug - \$5 Off a \$35 Purchase
- Orange Leaf - \$2 Off a \$10 Purchase
- Papa John's (Greenfield Only) - 1 Free side item with purchase of 1 regular price Pizza
- Papa Murphy's (Greenfield Only) - \$3 Off any regular price Pizza
- Strike Force - Bowl 2 games - Get one free - shoes not included (Sunday - Thursday only)
- That Fun Place - Up to 2 2-Hour Attraction Wristbands for \$7.95 each (Regularly \$12.95 each)
- Valvoline Express Care - Free tire rotation with full service oil change
- Waffle House (Greenfield Only) - 1 free waffle with any purchase
- White Castle - Buy 3 White Castle - Get 3 free
- Worland Cleaners - 5% off dry-cleaning only (Specialty items not included)
- Ye Olde Head Shoppe Salon & Spa - 10% off any regularly priced products

COUGAR BOOSTER CLUB FLYER

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Attention All Students!

Don't want to spend \$5.00 every time you come to a varsity event?

Don't want to spend \$4.00 every time you come to a JV event?

Don't want to spend \$3.00 every time you come to a 9th grade event?

Buy a Student All-Sport pass for \$70.00 and get admission to all athletic events of any level of any season. This pass is good for everything GC charges admission to except Hancock County events where the gates are split between the 4 county schools and

IHSAA tournaments GC is asked to host. See Mrs. Harris in the Athletic Office to get yours now.

ALL SPORTS PASS/SEASON TICKETS

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INTERNET SERVICE

If you currently do not have internet service at home, you may qualify for a low-cost program through Comcast. The information you need to apply is provided through the following link: <https://apply.internetessentials.com>.

LIBRARY

Young Adult Author Festival

The Hancock County Public Library in Greenfield hosts an afternoon with authors who write for young adults from 1 to 4:45 p.m. Saturday, September 10. This event is for anyone who has ever wondered what it takes to become a published writer or who loves reading young adult literature.

The day includes workshops, panels, and break-out sessions with writers Josh Bellin, Lee Cherolis and Ed Cho, Amalie Howard, Melissa Landers, Mindy McGinnis, Sandra Mitchell, Sarah J. Schmitt and Stephanie K. Strohm.

Kids Ink booksellers will be on hand with a 15 percent discount during book signings. Attendees may also bring copies from home.

Sign up and see the schedule at hcplibrary.org or call (317) 462-5141, ext. 238. Free.

OPPORTUNITIES

FUSE

FUSE is now accepting volunteer applications from students who would like to assist with their adaptive swim program for children with special needs. Volunteers help students one-on-one in the water to learn basic water safety and swimming skills. The program runs on Friday nights from 6:30 to 7:30 from September 23 to November 18. If interested, pick up a volunteer application in the office, or download from the fuse website, www.fuseinc.org.

Hello,

Do your kids like to mess around in the kitchen? Does he/she like to cook or bake but maybe everything doesn't always turn out as planned? Does he/she often wonder why things work? If so, sign up now for Cooking Up Science: The Clover Cookie Factory! This workshop will be broken into two 3 hour sessions and will be on Saturday, September 10 and Saturday, September 24, 9 to noon.

During this 6 hour workshop, youth will get a chance to examine some cookie “flops”. Participants will try to answer what went wrong at the cookie factory by discovering how different ingredients work through fun and exciting hands-on experiments.

For more information or to register, please contact Purdue Extension at 317-462-1113. A \$15 fee will be charged to offset the cost of program materials. This program is sponsored by Purdue Extension Hancock County.

Sincerely,

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PARKING AT GCHS

You are receiving this information as a result of some recent issues concerning parking in restricted areas at Greenfield-Central High School. All visitors to the high school are to park in a marked parking spot on our campus. There are almost 900 parking spaces available for use at any one time. There are also more than 20 handicapped accessible spots.

The concern that has been raised is that some of our patrons are parking in restricted areas. Those restricted areas include:

1. Any grassy area on our property.
2. Along the edge of any lot or drive on our property. Parking along the bollards is also restricted.
3. The area around the buildings on the practice football fields, softball, baseball and the soccer fields.
4. The asphalt walking paths are NOT to be used as vehicle access to specific areas on our campus.
5. The concrete sidewalks on the north side of the pavilion.
6. Any area marked with a ‘NO PARKING’ sign.

Parking in any of the restricted areas may prevent emergency vehicles for access an area in the event of an emergency. We have also had some near-miss accidents where cars are trying to exit and/or enter school property. We reserve the right to tow any vehicle left in a restricted area if the owner cannot be located.

Rank One

Rank One - are you driving to school, planning to participate in an ECA? You must complete the paperwork required on Rank One. Registration information is available on the school website, under the Registration Tab.

Learning Lab

Please encourage students to come to Learning Lab for homework help, any subject! We will begin today after school in the Cougar Cafe. We will be there every Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30-4:30.

This is a great resource that not enough students take advantage of. So the students that are there get a lot of one on one help. Michelle Marler Thanks!

GUIDANCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Good afternoon!

Wanted to let you know that Indiana Tech is hosting an open house, called Warrior Preview Day, on Saturday, September 10. The day will include a student-led tour, relevant campus information and a free lunch! Please spread the word! Students can RSVP at indianatech.edu/events.

Thanks

Ashley Barnholt

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<mailto:opt-outadmissions@indianatech.edu>

To opt-out of emails, please type "Email" in the message, or to opt-out of all communication, type "All" in the message.

PSAT SAT SEMINARS

[Click on flyers](#)

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0BzkQDdza9UMrX0VXa3pOakRuS3NEREJjSjNCN0MzSVZjenQ4>

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0BzkQDdza9UMrdIFCMGJCQ1dwbHZQREJuNGFlam5Zd2g1eV9z>

COLLEGE OPPORTUNITIES

Juniors and Seniors: The National College Fair will be held at the Indiana Convention Center on Friday, 9/16 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. If you attend, this will count as one of your college visits. Students who plan to attend must register beforehand at:

<http://www.nacacnet.org/college-fairs/students-parents/Pages/default.aspx>

Don't forget to contact your counselor to get approval!

Indianapolis - Central Preview

Tuesday, September 13, 2016

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Indiana State Museum

650 W. Washington Street

Indianapolis, IN 46204

Indianapolis - Northside Preview

Sunday, September 18, 2016

3 – 4 p.m.

Ritz Charles

12156 N. Meridian Street

Carmel, IN 46032

To register for these events, go to admissions.indiana.edu/previews

Thank you for your support of Indiana University! We look forward to continuing to work with you and your students during the next school year and beyond. If you have any questions, please contact me at wharalov@indiana.edu or (812) 856-2087.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM GUIDANCE

“Don’t Fear the Future Day” - Wednesday, October 19

Exploring college and career opportunities will be the focus of the day at G-CHS on Wednesday, October 19 as we look forward to another “Don’t Fear the Future Day.” Below is a list of the activities our students will be participating in that day.

Freshman (Class of 2020)

Most freshmen will be participating in our “Manufacturing Day” activities. Thanks to the generosity of local places of business, our students will tour up to three factories, agricultural sites, or other types of businesses in our community in order to learning what types of careers are available within Greenfield and Hancock County. G-CHS teachers chaperone the field trip and are available to answer questions about what they are seeing and how students can follow a career path they may be interested in pursuing. If you or your place of work is interested in hosting groups of G-CHS students, please contact Mrs. Kile in the counseling office (kkile@gcsc.k12.in.us).

Students in either High Ability English 9 or Honors English 9 may opt to take the PSAT which is also given that day. Mrs. Kile will be visiting these classrooms in September to share more information and to hand out a registration form for students who are interested in taking the PSAT.

Sophomores and Junior (Classes of 2018 and 2019)

All sophomores and juniors will be taking the PSAT; the preliminary SAT exam. The State of Indiana pays for this exam for these grade levels so it is at no cost to the student. Once students receive their results back, they are able to link their results directly to the Khan Academy tutoring site for FREE

help and they can begin work strengthening any areas of weakness as shown on the PSAT. It's a great way to prepare for the SAT and to know how close your student is to being college and career ready. Juniors taking the exam can be eligible for the National Merit Scholarship program based on their junior year PSAT score.

Seniors (Class of 2017)

Seniors have a variety of options to choose from this day. We will be sending out a Google form to all members of the class asking what they intend to do that day. They may select from the following:

- ***College or university visit (We strongly encourage this activity and we recommend that students make their appointment NOW. Most Indiana colleges will be flooded with visits this day so schedule early! Most schools in Indiana are testing that day!)**
- **Take the ASVAB exam (If you are interested in joining the military or would like career information, sign up to take the ASVAB.)**
- ***Job Shadow (If you currently have a job or would like to know more about a particular career path, you may job shadow or work that day.)**
- **Mentor-Protege work (If you in the Mentor-Protege program, you may spend the entire day working with your mentor.)**
- **Twenty-first Century Scholar "Scholar Success" program (If you're a Twenty-first Century Scholar and need help completing your Scholar Success program, stay at G-CHS and work that day. Non-scholars may also stay and work on college applications, the financial aid form, or scholarship applications.)**

***These activities require documentation from either the college or university or the place of work stating the student participated and this paperwork must be returned to Mrs. Coffin in attendance by Friday, October 21, 2016.**

As you can see, we have a lot planned for "Don't Fear the Future Day" at G-CHS and are looking forward to helping our students move forward with their college and career goals!

SAT/ACT Prep Workshop at G-CHS

Taking a fall SAT or ACT exam? Would you like some help raising your score? Then register for the ZAPS test prep course hosted by G-CHS on Tuesday, September 6. Below is a link to the flyer we mailed home and e-mailed to all junior and seniors. Register soon!

Study Skills Help Available for Freshmen and Sophomores

Is your freshman or sophomore beginning to feel overwhelmed by homework? Do you think he or she could use some help with study skills? G-CHS is hosting an after-school study skills workshop, Study Smart!, on Tuesday, September 6 from 3:30 - 6:00 PM and would love for more students to participate. The cost is \$49.99. Please see the attached flyer for more information and a link for registering your student.

[Click on link click on link](#)

Lunch

September 2, 2016

Ham and Cheese Ripper

Baked Beans

Baby Carrots

Italian Grill

Nacho Grande

Refried Beans

Chocolate Chip Cookie

Chicken Biscuit

Diced Pears

