



UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

March	13	End of 3rd Quarter
	20	Career Day
	25	Chipotle Fundraiser, 4:00 to 8:00 pm
April	6 - 10	SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL
	13	STAFF DEVELOPMENT - NO SCHOOL
	24	Drama Club Performance - Multipurpose Rm, 7pm

Dress Code

Appropriate dress and grooming contribute to a productive learning environment. Students should wear clothes that are suitable for the school activities in which they participate. Students' clothing must not present a health or safety hazard or a distraction which would interfere with the educational process. The administration reserves the right to decide the appropriateness of the student's attire and address any issue deemed inappropriate. Inappropriately dressed students will be expected to change into PE loan clothes.

Please take a moment to discuss the dress code with your student. The following guidelines are intended to define appropriate student attire and personal grooming:

1. All garments must fit and be worn in the manner in which they are designed. Pajama pants are not appropriate. Pants must be worn at or above the hip point and be able to stay up without a belt.
2. Footwear must be worn at all times. Slippers are not allowed.
3. Clothes shall be sufficient to conceal undergarments at all times. See-through or fish-net fabrics that are distracting, halter tops, off-the-shoulder or low-cut tops, tank tops (less than 2 inches), torn off sleeves, and bare midriffs are prohibited. Skirts or shorts worn shorter than mid-thigh are subject to student changing clothes.
4. Inappropriate lettering, printing, message patches, or messages on clothing, hats, backpacks, binders or other personal items, are prohibited. Writing on hands and arms is not appropriate for school.
5. Clothing and jewelry shall be free of writing, pictures, or any other insignia which are crude, vulgar, profane, or sexually suggestive or which advocate racial, ethnic, or religious prejudice or the use of drugs, alcohol, or tobacco.
6. Hair shall be clean and neatly groomed. Hair may not be sprayed by any coloring that would drip when wet.
7. Frayed, holed or torn clothing which is revealing or may be inappropriate for school attire is not acceptable.
8. Any apparel, jewelry, accessory, school materials, or manner of grooming which by virtue of its color, arrangement, or any other attribute denoting membership in a gang is prohibited. No accessories/spikes may be worn.
9. Headgear, (hats, bandanas, headbands, etc.) are not allowed to be worn at school (district-wide) with the exception of classroom curriculum activities. Hoods are to not be worn in the classroom. Sunglasses and wallet chains may not be worn on campus.



No glass bottles are allowed on campus for safety reasons. Parents please do not pack your student's lunch with any glass containers. This includes items such as Starbucks coffee drinks. Thank you in advance.

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CAREER DAY ~ FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2020

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to be a presenter for our Career Day scheduled for Friday, March 20, 2020 at Granite Oaks Middle School.

A quick overview of Career Day follows:

- Continental breakfast provided at 8:00am in the Library
- Presentations from approximately 8:30am to 11:30am:
- Speakers will give their presentations to four consecutive classes
- Each class period will last approximately 30 minutes (20 minutes of prepared presentation with 5 - 10 minutes of Q&A)
- Lunch will be provided at 11:30am for all guests/speakers

Spots fill up quickly; if you'd like to participate, please contact Denise Arger today to reserve your spot.

If you know of anyone else who would be interested in volunteering, please feel free to send this information to them and have them contact Denis Arger directly at darger@rocklinusd.org

Thank you for helping to make this a great event for our students!



PLAY AND VOTE!

The 7th grade C-STEM program has done another outstanding job coding VIDEO GAMES for their latest science project. Play and vote for your favorites!

Voting closes at the end of March. Winners will be announced in April.

Go here to play and vote:

<https://forms.gle/giqGoYy4gvXvMvwP6>

Staff Appreciation

Our next Staff Appreciation Breakfast will be on March 18th. Please take a moment and consider volunteering an item or your time. All our staff and teachers here at GOMS are working hard to help our kids succeed and this is a small way to give back and show them your appreciation.

If you are interested please click here: [March Staff Appreciation Breakfast](#)

Thank you all in advance,
Your PFC Staff Appreciation Team

Important Upcoming Dates for Transitioning to High School

- March 9 - 13** - MS counselors available to assist 8th grade students with HS registration
- March 13** - High School online registration portals close
- March 20** - Career Day at Granite Oaks Middle School
- March 30** - RUSD Counselors present College/Career Fair at Whitney High School 6-8 pm
- April 20** - Incoming 7th Grade Parent Night GOMS
- April 20** - 7th grade Educational Plan Elective Worksheet to be distributed to students
- April 24** - GOMS Counselor presentations at feeder elementary schools



ASB Applications for Whitney High School

Is your student currently in 8th grade? Are they interested in applying for the Associated Student Body (ASB) next year at Whitney High?

ASB application packets were available after Thursday's high school counseling presentation; more copies are available in Student Services. Please see below for deadline information:

	<p>All ASB applications for Whitney High School are due to GOMS Student Services by the <u>end of the day on Thursday, March 26th</u>. Your student's application can also be turned in directly to Whitney High School by 3pm sharp on Friday, March 27th.</p>
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JOIN GRANITE OAKS STUDENTS, STAFF AND FAMILIES IN A MORNING OF EXERCISE AND FUN

Granite Oaks Physical Education has another big "TEAM" participating in the annual RUN ROCKLIN. This event takes place **Sunday, April 19th, 2020**. Proceeds benefit the Matt Redding Memorial Scholarship - serving Rocklin students.

ANYONE can join our "Team" – students, staff, parents, siblings... anyone! There are no meetings or practices, but you do get a shirt with our team name printed on the back.



Click on the following link and **Search for Granite Oaks PE:**
<https://raceroster.com/events/2020/28301/run-rocklin-2020>

RUNNERS AND WALKERS OF ALL SPEEDS WELCOME!

SPORTS

A huge Congratulations to the 7th and 8th grade girls basketball teams on a great season. Both teams came in second place in league and both teams made it to the Championship games of the end of the season tournament to come up a little short. Great job girls!!

BOYS VOLLEYBALL TRY-OUTS

7TH & 8TH GRADE
AT GRANITE OAKS M.S.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11TH

8th GRADE = 3:30-4:30

7th GRADE = 4:45-5:45

THURSDAY, MARCH 12th

7th GRADE = 3:30 – 4:30

8th GRADE = 4:45 – 5:45

*** PRACTICE BEGINS FOR 7TH & 8TH GRADE**
FRIDAY MARCH 13TH 3:30-5:00 *

- MEET IN THE GRANITE OAKS GYMNASIUM
- WEAR COMFORTABLE ATHLETIC CLOTHES
- MUST BE AT ALL TRYOUT DATES
- MUST HAVE A GRADE CHECK SIGNED BY YOUR PARENTS IN ORDER TO TRY OUT**



TRACK & FIELD

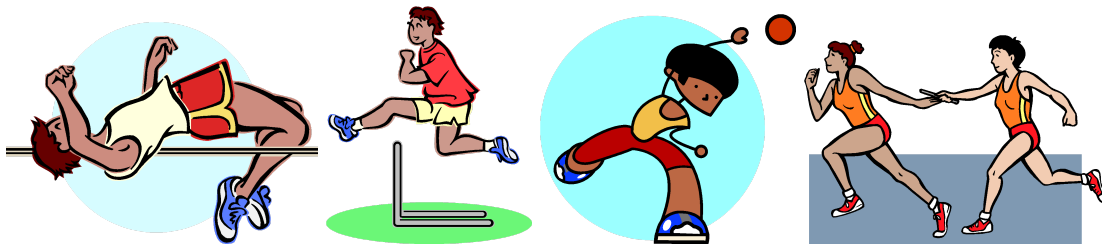
**PRACTICE STARTS
TUESDAY, MARCH 10TH
3:30 – 5:00P.M.**

MEET AT THE GRANITE OAKS TRACK

-A COMPLETED GRADE CHECK WITH PARENTS' SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED TO PRACTICE

-WEAR COMFORTABLE WORKOUT CLOTHES.

-TENNIS SHOES. DO NOT NEED SPIKES TO PRACTICE



Track & Field Events:

LONG JUMP	400M
HIGH JUMP	800M
SHOT PUT	4x100 RELAY
HURDLES	4x400 RELAY
100M	MILE
200M	

PFC Fundraiser

Who's ready for burritoful day? Be sure to mark your calendars for the March Dining out fundraiser!

When: **March 25 from 4-8 pm**

Where: **Chipotle Mexican Grill, 781 Pleasant Grove Blvd. #140, Roseville, CA 95678
(In the nugget shopping center)**

For more information, visit us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/events/480396346219019/>

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Granite Oaks Middle School. Come in to the Chipotle at **781 Pleasant Grove Blvd. #140** in Roseville on **Wednesday, March 25th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Granite Oaks Middle School.



Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

Whitney Jr. Wildcats 2020 Cheer

**Free Clinic:
March 9th & 10th
6:00-8:00
Whitney High**

**Parent Info Night:
March 18th
6:00pm
Whitney High Library**

Ages 5-14



**Register at
www.whitneyjrwildcats.org**