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Come join our GOMS TEAM in the upcoming RUN ROCKLIN April 3, 2022 at Johnson-Springview Regional Park.

GOMS TEAM SIGN UP HERE

Dear GOMS Staff and Families,

The third quarter is well underway. The end of the third quarter is on March 11th. Students have worked tremendously hard and have been extremely resilient this quarter. Please encourage students to continue doing their best on their assignments, asking for help when needed, and studying for assessments. We are so proud of the academic achievements our students have reached over this school year.

ASB is working hard to plan a dance to celebrate all of these efforts and academic achievements. The dance will be on March 18th from 7 to 9pm. Please remember that only Granite Oaks Middle School students may attend the dance. Students need to be present on the school day to attend. Students may not leave the dance before the 9:00 P.M. dismissal unless picked up by a parent at the door. In order to attend dances, students must meet the criteria for participation in extracurricular activities (2.0 GPA with no more than one NM, 80 merits/quarter). School dress code applies to all dances.

We are looking forward to the end of the third quarter, the start of our fourth quarter, and the upcoming dance.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Honegger and Mr. Holmes

Free Chromebooks! Free Chromebooks!

Yes, RUSD is giving away free chromebooks through the ECF program for anyone who takes 5 minutes to fill out the application below. These chromebooks can be used by students as long as they stay within RUSD. Anyone who now has a chromebook handed out by RUSD should be filling out our ECF form to receive a brand new chromebook. Every RUSD student can qualify for a chromebook by filling out our ECF form. Don't forget that you can have a free Chromebook for your student to use in their educational pursuits while in the Rocklin Unified School District. Please see these links for more information about ordering a free Chromebook for your student.



Granite Oaks Middle School Parent Falcon Club

See's + Music@GOMS

The Granite Oaks Music Program needs your sweet support! We're selling yummy See's Candies to fund new sheet music and software for classes, repair instruments and purchase maintenance supplies.

Save a trip to the store and shop at: bit.ly/3sDOKht. Our prices are the same as in-store prices and come with discounted shipping! Don't forget your Easter treats! Please share our link with your family and friends. Happy shopping and thank you for your support!



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Yearbook News - Updates

Granite Oaks Yearbook

Dear GOMS Families - Thank you so much for all the photos you have submitted to help make our 2022 yearbook!

Currently, the yearbook staff is hard at work creating memories. However, there is one final page that needs photos - FAMILIES ON THE FRONT LINES. If you have any photos of your student WITH their family member who is a first responder, please submit them to me at the email address below - thank you!

cwillson@rocklinusd.org

Buy Your Yearbook, before it's too late!!

Please click on the link below to purchase your 2021-22 yearbook!

ORDER YOUR 2021-22 YEARBOOK HERE

Did you buy a yearbook last year?

If you did but were unable to pick it up, please email Mrs. Willson to arrange for pick up.

cwillson@rocklinusd.org or 916.315.9009 ext 4028

Sports

Congratulations to the 7th and 8th grade girls basketball teams on their very successful season. The 7th grade team had an overall record of 8 wins and 3 losses. The players on the team were Lylah Allen, Cat Alston, Kylee Barrett, Keerit Basra, Allyson Kuan, Miranda Loreto, Gisele Negueloua, Ava Olympiada, Elsa Pimentel, Alana Thornsberry, Addison Titlow, and Brook Wells.

The 8th grade team beat Spring View in the Division Championship on Wednesday night. They finished with an overall record of 11 wins and 2 losses. The players on the team were Ava Erickson, Jane Landon, Savannah Lorenzini, Robynn Nguyen, Ashton Ogden, Sydney Overton, Micah Redding, Sadie Rice, Bianca Slone, Brooke Steele, and Ashley Strinden.

Great job girls on an amazing Season!



BOYS VOLLEYBALL TRY-OUTS

MEET IN THE GRANITE OAKS GYMNASIUM

MUST HAVE A GRADE CHECK SIGNED BY YOUR PARENTS IN ORDER TO

TRY OUT

MONDAY MARCH 7th

8th GRADE = 3:00-4:00 PM 7th GRADE = 4:15-5:15 PM

TUESDAY MARCH 8th

7th GRADE = 3:30 - 4:30 PM 8th GRADE = 4:45 - 5:45 PM

WEDNESDAY MARCH 9th
7th & 8th GRADE=3:30-5:00 PM

* PRACTICE BEGINS ON THURSDAY MARCH 10th...TIMES TO BE

DETERMINED

-WEAR COMFORTABLE ATHLETIC CLOTHES

-MUST BE AT ALL TRYOUT DATES

TRACK & FIELD

MEET AT THE GRANITE OAKS TRACK

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

PRACTICE STARTS
TUESDAY, MARCH 8TH
3:30 – 5:00P.M.

-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



GOMS MS Counseling Department

Important Upcoming Registration Dates for Incoming 7th Grade Spring Semester, 2022

Attention Incoming 7th grade parents and parents of students NEW to GOMS:

Please read the following important dates coming up...

March 14, 2022 (6:00p.m.) Parent Orientation Night - held at Granite Oaks MS

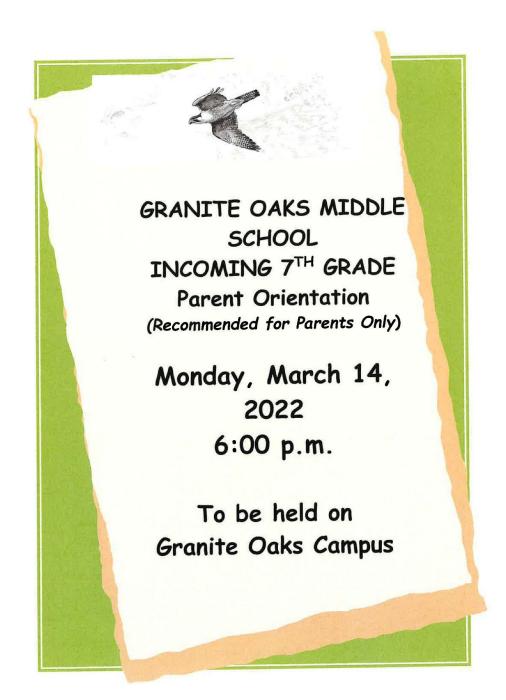
(Recommended for parents only)

March 1, 17, 18 & 24, 2022 Counselor Presentations to Feeder Elementary School Sites

March 25, 2022 Elective Course Request (ECR) forms to be distributed to

Incoming 7th grade students via parent email address

April 1, 2022 All Elective forms are due for incoming 7th grade students



COVID-19 GUIDANCE

Dear RUSD Families,

Both the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Guidance and California Division of Occupational Safety and Health (Cal-OSHA) guidance related to COVID-19 have been updated. As with previous updates, the Rocklin Unified School District (RUSD) continues to evolve its practices and protocols as it relates to the guidance legally required by the State of California.

Rocklin Unified has also updated its RUSD Guidance. Here is a summary of the major changes:

- The quarantine period for persons exposed to a positive COVID-19 case has been reduced to five days. Asymptomatic persons with a negative test result on day five may return to school/work on day six.
- The isolation period for persons positive for COVID-19 has been reduced to five days.
 Asymptomatic persons with a negative test result on day five may return to school/work on day six.
- More information regarding the above can be found on this Quick Reference Guide.
- The results of At-Home Tests (Rapid Antigen tests recommended) may be utilized to clear persons
 to return to school/work in the above scenarios. A negative At-Home Test result may also be used
 to return a person to school/work who is asymptomatic after 24 hours have passed and symptoms
 have resolved.
- RUSD will require the submittance of an At-Home Test Validation Form to allow students and staff to return to school/work with an At-Home Test result.
- Cal-OSHA does not allow employees to self-administer At-Home tests if they are surveillance testing weekly. Therefore, RUSD will continue to provide at school and after school testing for employees in this category.

CDPH has also changed the definition of "Fully Vaccinated" to include only those who have received their initial series of vaccination(s) (two of either Pfizer or Moderna or one Johnson & Johnson) and the vaccine booster. If persons are not yet eligible to receive a booster shot (click here to find out), then they are deemed exempt from this requirement and are still considered "Fully Vaccinated" until they become booster eligible.

The impact of this is that only "Fully Vaccinated" persons (staff and students) qualify for the modified quarantine, which allows them to remain at school/work after an exposure to a positive case. If persons are no longer considered "Fully Vaccinated", then they would be required to quarantine for five days (see above) if exposed to a positive case.

January 5, 2022

COVID-19 RESOURCES

You can view our district's COVID-related resources and materials by following this link.