#### GOMS Eblast 10-14-22



#### October 31st STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY - NO SCHOOL



Dear GOMS Families,

The staff of GOMS would like to take this opportunity to honor one of our amazing staff members who will be recognized as the GOMS 2022 RUSD employee who goes above and beyond the call of duty to assist our students, staff, and families. Linda Marcarian, our GOMS Lead Counselor will be recognized at the RUSD School Board Meeting on October 19th, as our GOMS staff member who truly has made a difference in the lives of so many or our stakeholders.

Since 2006, Linda has been an amazing counselor, a supportive teammate and an integral part of every student success at GOMS. From putting hours of thought and care into building schedules, to keeping teachers aware of the needs of our students, Linda is a consummate professional. She works very closely with our general education and special education teachers to ensure that our students have the proper placement, support, and accommodations to succeed at Granite Oaks. Linda cares deeply about our students' social and emotional well-being, by building relationships, finding available and appropriate resources, and following through with each student in her care with a foundation of sincerity beyond reproach.

We thank Linda for all her hard work, caring, and support for all of our students, staff and families. Our school would not be the same without her dedication to the welfare of our stakeholders.

We would like to wish you a fun weekend with your family!

All the best, Mr. Anaya and Mr. Holmes

#### **Electives Student Recognition**

The Electives Team is recognizing students who have demonstrated excellence in their Electives Class. Students will be honored every month in the Electives Plexi-glas Display Case in the D-Wing. Stop by the display case to read about their accomplishments and why their teacher chose them for being best "In the Nest" in our GOMS Electives Department.

Congratulations to the September Plexi Awards Winners:

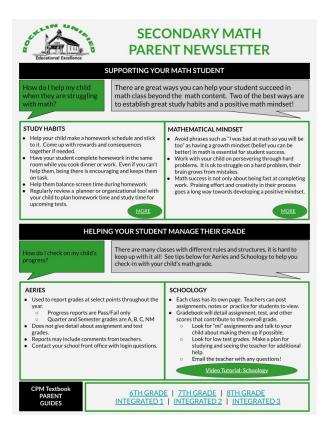
MR. BROWN Man Tech 1 - Savannah Schroeder Man Tech 2 - Matthew Price

MRS. MILLER Family & Consumer Science - Addison Titlow MS. MOSS Exploratory Spanish - Allison Ismail Spanish 1 - Mikey Bonev

MR. KNIPE Media Arts - Abby Lambourne Computer Science - Dylan Bennion

#### Is your student struggling with Math? Click on Links below for the RUSD Secondary Math Parent Newsletter

English Version Spanish Version Russian Version



### Reminders from the Office:

Pulling your student out during the school day?

MR. JUST

MRS. LEMA

Band - Jabez Lim

**Orchestra** - Dina Feng

Art - Kickolas Saenz

Send your student with a note written by you to take to the Attendance Window before school starts. The attendance office will issue them a pass to come down to meet you in the office where you will sign them out.

#### Have something to drop off for your student?

Make sure your student's name is on the item and drop it off in the office on the bookshelves. Tell your student that anytime they have forgotten something to come check the bookshelves in the office for the item.

Dropping off Hydroflasks/Thermal Water Bottles?

Write your students name on the water bottle somewhere so if they misplace it, it can be identified. We place lost water bottles in the multipurpose room, so tell your student to look there.

## Did your student tell you to pick them up because they weren't feeling well?

Make sure your student is calling from the health office. Tell your student to report to the health office if they aren't feeling well so you can pick them up.

## Counselor Corner October Bullying Prevention 2022 Kindness, Acceptance, Inclusion





October is Bullying Prevention Month, not only in the United States, but around the World. Annually, Granite Oaks Middle School supports Bullying Prevention Month in October. GOMS is committed to creating a learning environment that is challenging, caring, compassionate and welcoming to all students. Throughout the month of October, students, staff and administrators will be promoting awareness, encouraging reporting, scheduling activities and cultivating good individual and digital citizenship.

The challenge of combating bullying behavior is very real during the middle school years. Students are struggling with personal, physical and social development making them vulnerable to bullying type behaviors. Please have conversations with your students at home to support what they are learning about during this very important month of bullying prevention activities.

Linda Marcarian, 8th Grade Counselor Imarcarian@rocklinusd.org Tressa Lindsey, 7th Grade Counselor tlindseyanderson@rockliusd.org

Week of Inclusion	17 n	18	19 National Unity Day Orange/Blue shirt contest HR/Enrichment Bullying Survey in Elective Classes	20	21 Doughnut Party for winning Enrichment classes ASB Fun Friday
RED RIBBON WEEK	24	25	26	27	28 IN THE NEST RALLY
Halloween Professional Develo No school for stude		Miranda's Art Class/ Murals			

### **OCTOBER**

#### **Message from Parent Falcon Club**

Thank you to everyone who signed up for our September Staff Appreciation Breakfast! This month we are hosting a Yogurt Bar and providing snacks and treats. Please sign up below to support our wonderful staff.

#### October Yogurt Bar Sign Up HERE

### Granite Oaks <u>Online Scholastic Book Fair</u> continues until 10/16/22

Our in person Scholastic Book Fair has ended, but you can still order online through October 16, 2022, to help Granite Oaks Middle School earn funds to purchase new books for our school library.

You can choose from a large selection of titles, including the books that we ran out of during the in person fair.

Click **HERE** for the link to shop the online book fair!







# Calling All 4-16 Year olds!

RGFPSL is committed to promoting recreational softball and social, physical, mental and moral development of young ladies of the Rocklin community 2023 Season: Feb 6-May 20 Early Registration: Nov 1- Dec 5 2021 Late Reg: Dec 6 2021- Jan 5 2022 Ages: Tee Ball (4+), 6U 8U, 10U, 12U, 14/16U

## www.RocklinGirlsSoftball.org

We look forward to educating players about sportsmanship, teamwork, fellowship, courtesy, discipline and integrity. Help us by volunteering as a Coach, Manager, Team Mom or Scorekeeper!

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