



February 20th - 24th - NO SCHOOL - Presidents Week

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Dear GOMS Families,

In an effort to continue to strive for academic excellence for all students, it is imperative that students be in school on a daily basis, on time, and stay for the entire day. Unfortunately, we have many students arriving late to school or missing school on a regular basis. We are concerned that tardies and absences negatively impact the ability of students to learn and excel on our campus.

Students must have absences cleared by a parent/guardian. Parents will receive an attendance letter for excessive absences if their student exceeds 10 excused absences or 3 unexcused absences for the school year. If your student is going to be out of school for consecutive days, then they will need to request an Independent Study Contract through the Attendance Office, which must be notified at least one week prior to the departure date. The GOMS Student Handbook contains additional information regarding attendance.

Have a great weekend!

All the best,
Mr. Anaya and Mr. Holmes

8th Grade Yearbook Dedications
Dear 8th Grade Parents/Guardians

We are offering families the opportunity to buy and create their own Yearbook Recognition Ad!
You have the chance to create your own unique message for your child.
Parents can use a baby picture, a current photo, or even both.
With a variety of templates from which to choose, no two dedications will be the same!

The cost will be \$20.00 for a 1/8 page ad. To get started, click on the link below.

<http://jostensadservice.com/?REF=A01005442>

The deadline for ordering is Thursday, February 9, 2023!

Yearbook News

Granite Oaks Yearbook needs your help! In the past few months, did your student take a trip? Take up a new hobby? Volunteer? If so, we need your photos!! Sharing photos has never been easier - simply email the photos to Ms. Willson at the email address below. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Here is a list of some photos we're hoping to get:

- Students with their pets
- Student artwork
- Wrestling
- Girls Basketball
- Holidays at home
- GOMS sibling pairs

Send your photos to: cwillson@rocklinusd.org.

Yearbooks are now on sale! Please click on this [link](#) to purchase your 2022-23 yearbook.

Thank you to our 2022-2023 sponsors!



Counselor Corner

This is an exciting time for our 8th Grade students, as February brings many high school registration events! Please click [here](#) to view the 2023 GOMS Pre-High School Slideshow, which was shown to 8th grade students last week in their Enrichment classes, in preparation for the RHS and WHS Counselor presentations.

Check out the following dates and links for an overview of important events in February:

High School Information and Dates Spring 2023

Date	Event	Details
January 25th - 27th	Preparing for High School presentation by GOMS Counselors	Check assigned high school here
February 3, 2023	In-person Course Registration Information presentation from the WHS/RHS School Counselors Course Request Forms handed out to students during Enrichment period	Adjusted Enrichment period times: Per 1 - Talon Per 2 - Sierra Per 3 - Discovery Per 4 - Quest
February 6th	Showcase Night: Held In-person for parents and students Rocklin High School Whitney High School	RHS: 5:45pm WHS: 6pm See flyers for optional tour times
February 7-17	Aeries Portal Opens for online course requests	Instructions will be provided in HS Course Registration presentation
February 13-17	Granite Oaks Counselors available during lunch in the Library or by appointment to assist with course registration.	GOMS Library/Student Services
February 17	Aeries Portal Closes	SIGNED Course Request Forms are due to Homeroom teacher

Please see the links below to review information presented to 8th grade students by the High School Counselors on February 3rd.

[RHS Registration Process/Information for Class of 2027](#)

[WHS Registration Process/Information for Class of 2027](#)

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INTRA/INTER DISTRICT TRANSFER INFORMATION

INTRADISTRICT: Students wishing to move between Rocklin Unified Schools must complete an [INTRADISTRICT TRANSFER](#) . Students requesting a transfer will be considered by the administration on an availability basis.

INTERDISTRICT: Students wishing to transfer out of RUSD school must complete an [INTERDISTRICT TRANSFER REQUEST](#)

You can find additional information regarding Intra and Inter District transfers on the Rocklin Unified School District website: [Rocklin Unified School District - Inter/Intra Attendance Permits](#)



GRANITE OAKS

Parent Falcon Club




The Granite Oaks Parent Falcon Club is revving with excitement as we kick off 2023. A new year = new possibilities. We have a long list of opportunities to support GOMS and the PFC in 2023 and hope that you will continue to support us by volunteering your time, donating to the monthly teacher appreciation breakfasts/lunches, and supporting the monthly dining out fundraisers. We will also have our main fundraiser in March. More info to come.



Dining out: Mountain Mike's Pizza

Our February Dining Out fundraiser will be at Mountain Mike's Pizza in Rocklin (5505 Whitney Blvd) on February 22, 2023 from 4:00-9:00 pm. Be sure to tell them you're there to support Granite Oaks! For more information, please visit us on [Facebook](#).

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GIRLS ROCKLIN BASKETBALL CLUB TRYOUTS!

DATES: 2/28 @6-7:30 PM

3/2 @ 6:30-8PM

& 3/4 @ 12 - 1:30PM

WHERE: ROCKLIN HIGH SCHOOL

GRADES: 7&8

Girls in the Rocklin High School attendance area, come and try out for Rocklin Basketball Club! Led by current Rocklin High School girl's coaches, this program will prepare your child for Rocklin High School's girls basketball program. Must have a valid AAU card to tryout. This can be purchased at www.aausports.org. For questions, contact Coach Jenna at Rocklincoachjenna@yahoo.com

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Register at rocklinbasketballclub.com

This team will be coached by the RHS girls varsity head coach.