

Greenwood Middle School

"Go Woodmen"

Announcements

09.16.19

1. National Junior Honor Society is sponsoring a Color Cycle program. Students can bring in all types of markers to get them recycled. There will be drop off bins by all of the science rooms. To promote this we will be having a "color week". Monday is **RED**, Tuesday is **ORANGE**, Wednesday is **YELLOW**, Thursday is **BLUE** and Friday is **GREEN**.
2. The deadline to register for the 7th grade Chicago trip and the 8th grade Washington DC trip is Friday, October 4th.
3. Student Council is once again sponsoring **Operation Bundle Up**. We are taking donations of new or gently used coats, new hats, mittens or scarves. Students may bring them in and drop them off with their PRIDE teacher. Collections start Monday and continue through Friday, October 10th.
4. Each month we are focusing on a "Root Value" with the students. This month's Root Value is **SELF-CONTROL**: "the ability to control oneself, in particular one's emotions and desires or the expression of them in one's behavior, especially in difficult situations." **We ask that you spend some time with your child to discuss this Root Value. We believe that when students discuss school related topics at home AND school, there is a better understanding for all.**
5. Greenwood United Methodist Church (525 N. Madison Avenue) will be hosting their 16th annual "Holy Cow" Spaghetti Dinner and silent auction on **Friday, October 4th** from 4:30pm – 7:30pm. Adults: \$8.00 Children (10 & under) \$3.00 Profits to benefit Greenwood's elementary schools.
6. On **Thursday, September 19th from 5:30pm – 8:30pm Endress+Hauser** will be holding their 6th annual community career and education forum at their location. (2355 Endress Place, Greenwood, IN 46143) All 7th and 8th graders and their parents are invited to join. There is no cost to attend. RSVP at bit.ly/CCEF2019. It's a great night to learn more about careers and education in the STEM fields. See the flyer on the GMS homepage for more information.
7. **Attention afternoon pick up information: DO NOT** have your child walk out into the parking lot to get picked up. If you do not want to wait in line, your child may use the walking path and meet you in Freedom Springs Park, located on the west side of the school's property.
8. It's not too early to order a yearbook. Visit yearbookforever.com to get one. As the year progresses the price of a yearbook will increase.
9. **BUS PASSES:** If your child plans on riding a bus, other than their own, they must bring a hand-written note to the Guidance Office before noon that day. Please note, due to the number of students riding various buses, some buses are not open to guest riders.
10. Join the GMS athletics **remind** text service. Get up-to-date cancellations, schedule changes as well as other important information. Text **81010** with the message **@24bk8** to join.
11. **Kroger Rewards Card** information can be found on the GMS Homepage. Help the GMS PTO raise money!

Upcoming Events:

September 17th – Ella's frozen yogurt during lunch

September 19th – Endress+Hauser Community Career and Education Forum 5:30pm – 8:30pm

Attention 7th and 8th grade parents: Please visit the **21st Century Scholarship** link on the GMS Homepage or [click here](#) to learn more about the program and how your child may earn up to a four-year scholarship at an Indiana college or university.

Weekly Announcements can also be found on the GMS Homepage

Remind your child to **Be kind, listen to adults and work hard in class.**