

G.V.E.S. NEWSLETTER # 25

Message from the Principal

We appreciate you taking the time to view this special edition of the weekly newsletter in which we recognize the hard work of all of our student students during the 4th Six Weeks. In addition to the "Spot-Light Students" on the front of the newsletter, you'll find our honor roll and perfect attendance students recognized on the back. As always, thank you for your continued support. Please do not hesitate to call, write or visit with any questions, comments or concerns!

Calendar of Events

- 3/17 – Kindergarten Registration-
- 3/20-24 – Book Fair
- 3/22 – TDAP Vaccination Clinic – 5th Grade
- 3/28 – Spring Pictures
- 3/30-31 – 4th/5th Grade Jamestown Trip
- 4/4 – Middle Sch. Orientation – Rising 6 Graders
- 4/7 – Pre-Kindergarten Registration for 2017/2018
- 4/13 – 5th Grade Science Museum
- 4/29 – GVES Spring Shopaganza
- 4/24-5/12 – Likely SOL Testing in grades 3-5
- 5/12 – 5th Graders to Wellness Center
- 5/15 – 1st-4th Awards Assemblies – Time is TBA
- 5/16 – PK/K Graduation at 6:00 – GVES Gym
- 5/17 – Grades 3-5 End of Year Reward Trip
- 5/18 – Yearbook Distribution & Signing Party
- 5/18 – 5th Grade Graduation at 6:00 – GVES Gym
- 5/19 – Last Day of School – 1:00 Dismissal

"A Second Cup"

You are invited to our first installment of "a second cup." On Wednesday, March 22nd 2017 I'll be hosting a parent communication event. All GVES family and friends who are interested are invited to come to the school at 6:00 p.m.. for coffee with the principal. For the most part, we'll talk about whatever you want to talk about. The school will provide coffee and some light refreshments. You'll provide the conversation starter. We hope to make this a bi-weekly occurrence that will generate thoughtful and helpful conversation.

Technology Survey

We are asking any interested parent to please complete a CCPS technology survey. The survey is available on the CCPS webpage (www.ccpsd.k12.va.us) by clicking on the "Tech Plan Progress Surveys" link on the left-hand side of the homepage.

Yearbook Order

Yearbooks are on sale now. They will be distributed on May 18th. Students who have purchased yearbooks will participate in a school-wide yearbook signing party on that day. Please make your \$15.00 check payable to "Lifetouch."

GVES Spot-Light Students – 4th Six Weeks

Pre-Kindergarten

- **Westin Cole** – "Westin is always kind and helpful to his peers. He works hard and follows directions.
- **Mia Wilson** – "Mia works hard every day and is always a great friend to her classmates."

Kindergarten

- **Parker Waller** – "Parker works hard every day & is a great friend. His happy personality is contagious!"
- **Alexis Warf** – "Alexis comes to school each day with a smile and gives great effort in all that she does."

First Grade

- **Chanson Rakes** – "Chanson is a dedicated student. He is kind to his classmates and keeps his teacher laughing!"
- **Violet Slate** – "Violet is a great role model to her peers. She makes smart choices and is respectful."

Second Grade

- **Dustin Bond** – "Dustin is always willing to help others. He is kind and sweet to he meets."
- **Maggie Carico** – "Maggie is a very hard worker. She is very dependable and always willing to help!"

Third Grade

- **Caleb Richardson** – "Caleb has shown dynamic improvement in all areas. He sets high goals and strives to reach those goals even when it is difficult!"
- **Isabella Testerman** – "Isabella continues to demonstrate strong academic growth and excellence in forming and maintaining peer relationships."

Fourth Grade

- **Noaha Rivera** – "Noah is a hard worker. He is kind to all and makes the best of every situation."
- **Areli Perez** – "Areli always strives to do her very best. She is very sweet and truly cares about others!"

Fifth Grade

- **Macen Anderson** – "Macen demonstrates leadership qualities by modeling responsibility, fairness, and good citizenship.
- **Alyssa Ervin** – Alyssa Demonstrates excellent behavior inside and outside the classroom. She is well mannered and respectful to both her peers and teachers."

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