

Good morning Hustlin' Hawks! Today is Wednesday, September 24, we are following a DAY 3 schedule, and these are your daily announcements.

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

College Visits

Juniors and seniors: A representative from St. Norbert College will be at GHS on **Tuesday, September 30** to meet with students. Stop in student services to sign up if you are interested in attending the meeting.

Boys' Cheer Team

Attention GHS male students: Be part of the boys' cheer team for the pep rally performance! Any boy from any grade is welcome!!! You'll learn how to stunt, jump, dance, and tumble with GHS cheerleaders. The next practice is **Tuesday September 30** from 6-7pm in the GHS cafeteria .

Homecoming Week!

Next week the dress-up days for homecoming starts! You can win spirit tickets and prizes for dressing up!

- **Monday, September 29 - Pirates vs. Princess** : Dress as a pirate or princess
- **Tuesday, September 30 - Toes Out Tuesday** : Dress in your school appropriate beach attire
- **Wednesday, October 1 - Class Color Day:**
 - Freshmen = PURPLE
 - Sophomores = RED
 - Juniors = BLUE
 - Seniors = WHITE
 - Staff = BLACK
- **Thursday, October 2 – West Coast vs. Wild West:** Cowboy hats/boots, Jeans vs. Tennis Skirts, Polo/collared shirts, Khakis
- **Friday, October 3– Green and Gold Day**

ONGOING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join SkillsUSA!

Are you ready to turn your passion into a profession? Do you want to build the skills you need for a successful career? Then you should join SkillsUSA, the career and technical student organization that helps you develop the technical and employability skills you need to succeed in the skilled trades, technical careers, and service occupations. To learn more, come see Mr. Germain in the woodshop (room 319). You can also sign up for an informational TSS on September 25 to get all the details. We hope to see you there!

Rho Kappa

Rho Kappa, the National Honor Society for Social Studies, is currently accepting applications for the 2025-2026 school year. Students who meet the requirements and complete the application process will be considered for membership. Membership requirements include: having completed two core social studies classes (with an unweighted GPA of 3.0), being prepared to complete at least three social studies courses, having a cumulative GPA of 3.0; an interest in civic engagement, and a letter of recommendation from a GHS faculty member. Applications can be picked up in room 115 from Mr. O'Keefe or room 137 from Mrs. Way. Completed applications and letters of recommendation must be submitted to Mr. O'Keefe or Mrs. Way by 2:45pm on **Wednesday, September 24.**

College Visits

Attention juniors and seniors: A representative from WCTC will be at GHS on **Thursday, September 25** to meet with students. Stop in student services to sign up if you are interested in attending the meeting.

Optional ACT Sign-Up

GHS will not be holding a mandatory fall PreACT this year for 9th through 11th graders. We will be offering an optional ACT for any juniors and seniors who would like to practice for the spring ACT or improve from last year's scores, respectively. The ACT will be hosted at school the morning of **Tuesday, October 14**. The deadline to sign up is **Thursday, September 25** at 3 PM. [Complete this form if you are interested](#), and Ms. Griffie will follow up with those students and families.

Freshmen Social

Attention freshmen: Link Crew will be hosting a freshmen social on **Thursday, September 25** to kick off homecoming week and celebrate the beginning of the school year. The social will take place from 2:50-3:50 pm and we will have root beer floats, popsicles, and yard games! We plan on hosting this event outside near bus pick up or in the cafeteria if the weather does not cooperate. Three freshmen Advisories with the most attendance will win a donut party for the next advisory period. See you there!

HOSA - (Health Occupations Students of America)

Hey students! Interested in learning about healthcare? Join **HOSA – Future Health Professionals** to explore careers, gain hands-on experiences, compete, and connect with others in the field or those that share your interests! It's only **\$30** to join. Sign up by **Thursday, September 25**! See Mrs. Richter in room 232 for more information.

Mu Alpha Theta

Mu Alpha Theta, the math honor society, is accepting applications. Please stop by Ms. Nordlund's or Ms. Rahmel's classroom to pick up an application. All applications are due to Ms. Nordlund or Ms. Rahmel by **Friday October 3** at 2:45pm.

DECA

Attention past and future DECA members! Membership forms are not due until early December; however, you have until **October 3rd** to guarantee receipt of this year's DECA shirt before Club/Org photo day. Also, registration is now open for the 2-night/ 3-day DECA Emerging Leaders Conference at the WI Dells! Space is limited, and there are only 12 spots left! Permission slips are in room 107 - Don't wait, reserve your spot today!

HOMECOMING

- **Homecoming Court Voting** - Voting for Homecoming Court ENDS on **Wednesday, September 24** at 3PM. Check your school email for a link to the Google Form.
- **Pep Rally Games** - Homecoming week is right around the corner. There will be a pep rally on **Friday, October 3**. Student Senate needs 4 boys and 4 girls from each grade to participate in the tug of war game! Please contact Ms. Vogt, Ms. Groth, Katy Sockett, or Direct Message the Student Senate Instagram if you are interested in participating!

- **Homecoming Dance Applications** - The application to attend the homecoming dance on **Saturday, October 4** was sent out to parents/guardians via Parent Square (posted on 9/13). If you want to attend the dance, a parent/guardian must submit the Google Form homecoming application. If you want to bring a guest from another school, pick up the paper application from the table outside of the attendance office. Guest applications are due by **3PM on 9/24**. The Google Form homecoming application for GHS students must be submitted by **Sunday, 9/28**. Parents, click [HERE](#) for all of the homecoming information, including the form. **All applications must be submitted by the deadlines.**

2025-2026 School Calendar - Click [Here](#)

Upcoming Athletic Events - Click [Here](#)

Upcoming Important Dates To Note

Friday, September 26: No School (Professional Learning Day)

Friday, October 3: Homecoming Parade & Game

Saturday, October 4: Homecoming Dance

Thursday, October 9: GHS Early Dismissal 12:40pm/GHS Family Conferences 3-7pm

Friday, October 10: No School - GHS Family Conferences 8-11am

Thursday, October 23: No School (Professional Learning Day)

Friday, October 24: No School (Fall Break)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

At this time, please stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance along with Cadet Diaz and Cadet Rick.

I pledge allegiance to the flag
Of the United States of America
And to the republic for which it stands,
One nation, under God, indivisible,
With liberty and justice for all.