

# The Green Valley Gazette SEPTEMBER 2023

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#### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### SEPTEMBER

- 1- No School
- 4- No School (Labor Day)
- 5- GVHSA Meeting 7:00pm- GV Library
- 8- Spirit Day: Wear your favorite team jersey
- 15 No School- (Act 80)
- 19- Fall Pictures
- 27- Early Dismissal 1:45pm
- 29- Spirit Day: Wear your Wilson or GV Gear

#### October

- 3- GVHSA Meeting 7:00pm- GV Library
- 9- No School (Act 80)
- 20- Color Run
- 31- Early Dismissal 1:45pm

## News from the Office

#### <u>Attendance</u>

A note is required for all absences and is required within 3 days of return to school.

Any days we do not receive an excuse for will be marked unlawful. Accumulation of 3 unlawful days (consecutively or not) will result in a letter warning that each additional day will result in a referral to the District Magistrate, which could result in a fine. Students who are truant may be placed on a Truancy Elimination Plan.

If your child is missing due to a doctor's appointment, please send in a copy of the doctor's note for our records. Doctor's notes may also be faxed to 484-334-6442 or emailed to <a href="mailto:lawkim@wilsonsd.org">lawkim@wilsonsd.org</a>

# Green Valley Website

Here is the link to the Green Valley website: http://www.wilsonsd.org/greenvalley

This is where you will find the <u>student handbook</u>, <u>trip form</u>, <u>breakfast/lunch menu</u>, and many other useful links. There is also a faculty directory!

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#### Additional Information

Please note changes to the Wilson School District calendar in regards to ½ day dismissal and early dismissal. ½ day dismissal days at 1:45am are November 20 & 21, 2023 and May 30 & 31, 2024. Early dismissal day at 1:45pm are as follows: September 27, 2023; October 31, 2023; December 21, 2023; March 20, 2024; April 17, 2024.

#### Picture Day

Our Fall School Pictures are scheduled for September 19th. Parent/Guardians are able to prepay by clicking <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>. Order forms will be available in the office for those who need to pay in cash or check. This method for ordering/payment requires forms to be given to the photographer on picture day.

#### **Volunteering**

Up-to-date clearances are **required** for all individuals who want to volunteer at the school for events such as field trips, Watchdog Dads, and any other time you would have direct contact with students. **Obtaining clearances is the responsibility of the volunteer**. Please keep in mind that some clearances take several weeks to be processed. For more information on why clearances are required and how to obtain them, please visit the district page <u>here</u>.

#### From the Cafeteria

Breakfast is FREE for the 2023-2024 school year and is being served in the cafeteria.. Hope to see some smiling faces in the morning!!!

#### WatchDOG Dads



Watchdog Dads provides the opportunity for the fathers in our school district to come in to help our students learn, have fun, and provide a positive male influence. Information on how to sign-up will be in the October Gazette.

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#### From Mrs. Campbell- Orchestra

#### ATTENTION ALL THIRD, FOURTH, & FIFTH GRADE STUDENTS!

This is your chance to JOIN THE ORCHESTRA and become a part of our music-making TEAM!

Registration is open until September 7.

Learn to play a stringed instrument!

Choose the violin, viola, cello, or bass!

SIGN UP NOW..... TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT!

#### JOIN THE ORCHESTRA INFOGRAPHIC WITH CLICKABLE LINKS

INTRODUCTION VIDEO

ORCHESTRA REGISTRATION FORM

#### GVHSA News & Updates - gvhsaboard@gmail.com - website - facebook

Thank you to everyone who donated to Meet the Teacher Night.

We look forward to seeing you at our first meeting, Tuesday, September 5th @ 7pm in the Green Valley library.

Mark your calendars! Our annual Green Valley Color Run will be Friday, October 20th. Look for more information at the end of September.

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#### Green Valley Elementary Library

# At a Glance 2023-2024



# Meet Your Library Staff





Mrs. Lisa Goehler - Teacher-Librarian goelis@wilsonsd.org Mrs. Melissa Small - Technical Assistant smamel@wilsonsd.org 610-670-0180, ext. 2620

## Visit Our Library Website

Visit our library website to use our digital resources and to search the catalog. Check out the Family page!

bit.ly/gvreads



Get Connected!

We use ClassDojo
School Story and Facebook to share
info! On Facebook, search for Green
Valley Elementary Library.

### What Do We Learn in Library Class?

- → How to use the library
- → How to find books to read
- → How to LOVE Reading
- → How to do Research
- → How to use Information
- → How to Create and Share, Cooperate, and Solve Problems
- → And, much, much more!



#### Check Out Our Policies

- → Students will visit the library with their class once every 6 cycle days as part of the Specials schedule.
- They can also visit the library <u>ANY</u> school day to exchange books, even if it's not their library day.
- → There is a replacement fee for lost or damaged books. Please contact Mrs. Goehler or Mrs. Small for more information if one of your child's library books is lost or damaged.

# We look forward to working with you and your child!

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