

# UPWARD & ONWARD AT THE GLEN

## A WORD FROM MRS. G

HAPPY FEBRUARY WILDCAT FAMILIES!

HAPPY BLACK HISTORY MONTH! ALTHOUGH WE AIM TO CELEBRATE BLACK HISTORY ALL YEAR LONG- WE TAKE SPECIAL PRIDE THIS MONTH IN REMEMBERING THE STRUGGLES AND HONORING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS WITHIN BLACK HISTORY-CHECK OUT THIS WEBSITE FOR SOME GREAT READS THIS MONTH--- [HTTPS://WWW.SCHOLASTIC.COM/PARENTS/BOOKS-AND-READING/BOOK-LISTS-AND-RECOMMENDATIONS/BOOKS-THAT-AMPLIFY-BLACK-VOICESHTML](https://www.scholastic.com/parents/books-and-reading/book-lists-and-recommendations/books-that-amplify-black-voices.html)

A MONTH OF LOVE AND SERVICE IS BEFORE US, AND WE ARE TRULY EXCITED! THIS MONTH AS WE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER THE 17 LIVES LOST AT MSD, WE WILL ENGAGE IN SERVICE LEARNING AS A WILDCAT FAMILY. ON FEBRUARY MTH, AN EARLY RELEASE DAY, WILDCATS WILL SHOW OUR LOVE AND COMMITMENT TO POSITIVE CHOICES, CIVIC ENGAGEMENT, AND SERVICE FOR ALL BY PARTICIPATING IN MANY ON CAMPUS SERVICE PROJECTS. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A PART OF THIS FUN PLEASE CONTACT OUR PEER COUNSELING COORDINATOR, MS. GALPINE TO SEE HOW YOU CAN HELP!

AS WE CONTINUE TO GROW AND LEARN THIS SCHOOL YEAR- LET'S TALK ALL THINGS LITERACY! PARENTS, AS YOUR CHILD READS AND COMPLETES ASSIGNMENTS, I ENCOURAGE YOU TO ENCOURAGE THEM TO ANNOTATE THEIR READINGS! CIRCLE WORDS THAT THEY DO NOT KNOW THE MEANING OF, UNDERLINE IMPORTANT PIECES OF INFORMATION---MARK- UP THAT TEXT! THINK ABOUT HOW YOU AS AN ADULT HIGHLIGHT AND MARK-UP TEXT THAT YOU READ THAT MAY NOT BE AS INTERESTING AS WE DESIRE OR THAT IS NEW INFORMATION FOR US. OUR KIDDIES NEED TO KNOW THAT THIS IS A LIFELONG STRATEGY THAT WILL HELP THEM TO CONTINUE TO GROW.

ANOTHER REMINDER PARENTS, PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW YOUR CHILD TO GO TO THE PARK WHICH ALMOST SITS ON OUR CAMPUS AFTER SCHOOL. IT IS JUST NOT SAFE AS THERE IS NO SUPERVISION. AS YOU KNOW WHEN KIDDIES ARE UNSUPERVISED, THEY SOMETIMES GET THEMSELVES INTO THINGS THAT THEY CANNOT GET OUT OF---LET'S AVOID THIS. ALSO, PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW PROCEDURE WHICH SPEAKS TO OUR SPORTS GAMES. STUDENTS MAY NOT ATTEND A SPORTS GAME AS A SPECTATOR WITHOUT A SUPERVISING ADULT. PLEASE HELP US CONTINUE TO EMBRACE, SHARE, AND DEVELOP IN OUR GLEN HOUSE RULES OF BEING SAFE, RESPONSIBLE, AND RESPECTFUL.

I AM EXCITED TO CONTINUE THIS JOURNEY WITH ALL OF YOU!  
YOUR LOVING PRINCIPAL,  
MELISSA GURREONERO



## DATES TO REMEMBER

Dance Photo Fundraiser 2/1-2/3  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/1  
PTO Concessions (after school) - 2/1  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/2  
SGA Meeting 4pm - 2/2  
PTO Meeting 6pm - 2/2  
Flag Football @HOME vs. Rickards MS 4:30pm - 2/2  
PTO Concessions - 2/3  
JFG Candy Kit Sales - 2/6 thru 2/8  
Renaissance Festival Field Trip - 2/6  
Flag Football @HOME vs. Westglades MS 4:30pm - 2/7  
Algebra & Geometry Afterschool Tutoring 4pm - 2/7  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/7  
PTO Krispy Kreme Donuts - 2/7 thru 2/10  
PTO Concessions - 2/8  
G6 Honor Roll Assembly 9:30a - 2/8  
G7 Honor Roll Assembly 9:30a - 2/9  
Flag Football @HOME vs. Imagine Broward 4:30pm - 2/9  
G8 Honor Roll Assembly 9:30a - 2/10

G6 Scoliosis Screenings - 2/10  
JFG Field Trip - Extreme Action Park - 2/10  
PTO Concessions - 2/10  
JFG Candy Kit Sales - 2/13 thru 2/14  
PTO Sweetheart Snack Cart - 2/13  
Flag Football @HOME vs. Renaissance 4:30pm - 2/13  
Quarter 3 Interims - 2/14  
PTO Concessions - 2/15  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/15 & 2/16  
Coral Springs HS Visit - 2/16  
Incentive Cart during All Lunches - 2/17  
NO SCHOOL - President's Day - 2/20  
Algebra & Geometry Afterschool Tutoring 4pm - 2/21  
Flag Football AWAY @Lyons Creek MS 4:30pm - 2/21  
Debate Tournament - 2/22  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/21 thru 2/23  
PTO Meeting & Literary Fair 6pm - 2/23  
Flag Football @HOME vs. Sawgrass MS 4:30pm - 2/24  
Afterschool Tutoring 4-5pm - 2/28  
SAC/SAF Meeting 8:15am - 2/28  
MTL Induction Ceremony 5pm - 2/28  
US Army Band Concert 7pm - 2/28

Visit us at <https://www.browardschools.com/forestglen>

# what's the buzz on campus



pajama day fun



5th grade visits



MLK Day fun



literacy week fun



gardening fun



## Friendly Reminders

- Please pull all the way forward during drop off & pick up.
- Pick up at Turtle Run Park is not encouraged as there is no adult supervision.
- Check grades often at <https://gb.browardschools.com/Pinnacle/Gradebook/>.
- Campus supervision hours are 8:35am - 4:30pm
- Students must be in dress code each day.
- ID badges must be on and visible daily.



# Department Updates

## MATH

Check out what each grade level is working on this month in math classes! Our wildcats are busy, busy, busy!

- 6th Grade - Writing, Simplifying, and Evaluating Algebraic Expressions
- 7th Grade - Adding and Subtracting Algebraic Expressions
- 8th Grade - Writing and Graphing Linear Equations in Slope Intercept Form
- Algebra 1 - Operations with Polynomials and Factoring
- Geometry - Dilations and Triangle Similarity

## SCIENCE

IN SCIENCE, THE 8TH GRADE PHYSICAL SCIENCE STUDENTS AND 7TH GRADE GEARS 2 STUDENTS WILL BE TAKING THE BSA AT THE END OF FEBRUARY. THE RESULTS WILL HELP GUIDE THE REVIEW PROCESS BEFORE THE STATE SCIENCE SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT ON MAY 9TH. BIOLOGY STUDENTS WILL BE DOING THEIR OWN BSA AT THE END OF MARCH TO HELP PREPARE FOR THE BIOLOGY EOC IN MAY.

## MEDIA CENTER

PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN BOOKS ON TIME TO THE MEDIA CENTER SO THAT OTHERS CAN ENJOY THEM! CHECK OUT OUR MEDIA CENTER [WEBPAGE](#) FOR UPDATED INFORMATION! OUR STUDENTS ARE LEARNING HOW TO NAVIGATE THE MEDIA CENTER AND FIND THE BOOK THAT IS JUST RIGHT FOR THEM.

## YEARBOOK

- KUDOS TO THE 2022 YEARBOOK STAFF! OUR 2022 YEARBOOK WON 2ND PLACE FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL OUT OF THE ENTIRE NATION AT THE AMERICAN SCHOLASTIC PRESS ASSOCIATION!
- CURRENT STUDENT DEDICATIONS ARE DUE TO MRS. MONTERO. SEND THE PICTURES AND MESSAGES TO [SUSAN.MONTERO@BROWARDSCHOOLS.COM](mailto:SUSAN.MONTERO@BROWARDSCHOOLS.COM).
- YEARBOOK PRE-ORDERS ARE GOING ON. GRAB YOUR CHILD A YEARBOOK FOR \$40 TO GUARANTEE THEM A COPY. WE SOLD OUT LAST YEAR!

## GUIDANCE

- CORAL SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL WILL BE VISITING OUR 8TH GRADE STUDENTS TO COMPLETE COURSE CARDS ON FEBRUARY 13 & 15
- INTERIM REPORTS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE ON FEBRUARY 14
- STUDENTS WILL BE TAKING THE BSA IN 8TH GR SCIENCE ON FEBRUARY 21 & 22

## ESE

- FGMS IS HOSTING 9 MIDDLE SCHOOLS IN MARCH FOR THE SPECIAL OLYMPICS.
- BEST BUDDIES IS DOING MONTHLY EVENTS WITHIN SCHOOL HOURS TO PROMOTE INCLUSION.

# GET INVOLVED



**JOIN  
PTO  
TODAY**



**WILDCAT GROWTH ACADEMY**  
STARTING NOVEMBER 1ST

**AFTER-SCHOOL TUTORING HELP**  
**TUESDAY-THURSDAY, 4-5PM**  
**IN THE MEDIA CENTER**

- MATH
- ELA
- SCIENCE
- SOCIAL STUDIES

- EXTENDED LEARNING
- SMALL GROUP
- HOMEWORK HELP
- PROJECTS
- ONE-ON-ONE

#HereWeGrow

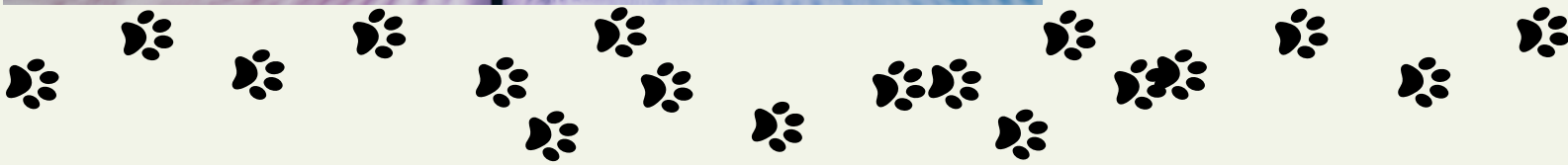
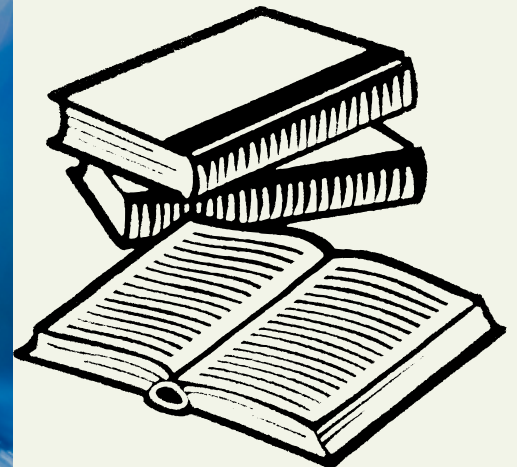
**OUR MEDIA CENTER IS OPEN!**  
**COME CHECK OUT ALL WE HAVE TO OFFER!**

- BEFORE SCHOOL
- AFTER SCHOOL
- DURING LUNCH (WITH A PASS)
- DURING CLASS (WITH A PASS)

CHECK THE FGMS MEDIA WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO OR EMAIL  
[LAUREN.ORBESEN@BROWARDSCHOOLS.COM](mailto:LAUREN.ORBESEN@BROWARDSCHOOLS.COM)

ASK YOUR ADMINISTRATOR ABOUT A LUNCH PASS FOR THE MEDIA CENTER.

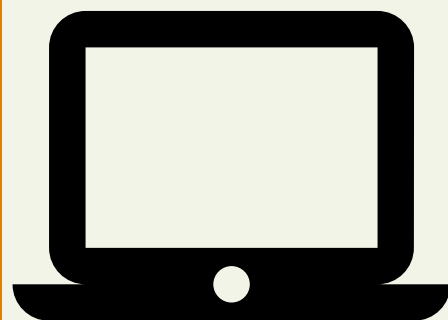
CHECK OUT BOOKS, EBOOKS, AUDIO BOOKS FOR FREE!



*Always remember to follow our Glen House Rules: be respectful, responsible & safe at all times.*



**SEE  
SOMETHING  
SAY  
SOMETHING**



**NEED TO TALK?**


First Call for Help: 2-1-1  
Mental Health Hotline:  
754-321-HELP (4357)  
National Crisis Text Line:  
741741  
National Suicide Prevention  
Lifeline: 9-8-8

**OUR IPADS ARE HERE!**  
**IN ORDER TO RECEIVE YOUR IPAD, YOU MUST COMPLETE THESE 3 TASKS:**

**IT'S  
IPAD  
TIME  
FINAL STEP**

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Digital Promise



1. Turn in your Verizon paperwork to your math teacher.
2. Complete the Digital Citizenship courses on Canvas. [links to the courses can be found in Headline News to the right]
3. Scan the QR code on this page and complete the Parents Digital Citizenship form.

**WANT YOUR VOICE HEARD? JOIN  
US AT THE SCHOOL ADVISORY  
COUNCIL MEETING ON  
FEBRUARY 28 @ 8:15AM!**