



February/March 24

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B & G NEWS

Hey GLMS fam, it's time to gear up for our awesome second semester of the 23-24 school year! Thank you for your unwavering support and love. You guys rock!

Anthony Ianni, the first NCAA autistic athlete, will be visiting GLMS in February to share his awe-inspiring journey of overcoming challenges to become an NCAA athlete. Get ready to be inspired! To learn more, visit [Anthony Ianni](#).

Spring Break is just around the corner from March 22 to March 31, marking the end of the third quarter.

Don't forget that April 9 is PSAT day for all our 8th graders. Let's clear our schedules and make sure all students are present in school. Also, Mstep is coming up in April, so let's give it our best!

COUNSELOR'S CORNER



As adults and children alike have turned to digital tools for school, work, and socialization, online safety matters now more than ever. Please join us at the Grass Lake High School Auditorium on Thursday, February 29, 2024, at 5 pm for a presentation on Internet concerns and how to keep our children safe online. For more information, please check out the resources available at:

<https://www.missingkids.org/NetSmartz>



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INTERNET SAFETY

A FREE lecture with helpful tips to keep students safe.

Speaker: Mr. Shink

Speaking on internet safety for parents with children in K-12. Here we will discuss different internet concerns, what to look for and how to keep children safe through helpful tools and information. Please note that this is a session for adults only and is available to the public.

Thursday, February 29th
5:00-6:00PM
LIVE

Location:
Grass Lake Community Schools
Located in the Auditorium

Assistance finding the auditorium will be available at the main entrance

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GLMS Sports

- Girls' Basketball has started. Their home games will be Feb. 2nd, 7th, 12th, 21st and 29th. 7th Grade games start at 4:30; 8th grade games follow.
- Wrestling is also underway. Unfortunately, they have no home events this month. Meets start at 4:30.



From the GLMS PTO



Thank you to the many families who contributed to our Angel Tree effort before winter break. Your efforts were well received! We are excited to tackle the second half of this school year together!

We honored teachers with a Welcome Back breakfast on Wednesday, January 8th. Staff enjoyed bagels and cream cheese from Panera, flavored coffee creamers, and gluten-free muffins. It's the least we can do for teachers who do SO much for our students!

The PTO will continue to coordinate concessions for the upcoming girls' basketball season. The Copper Nail has generously provided us with another Fund Day this year on March 9th. We will need adult and student volunteers. Watch for more information. We will also be coordinating with the Lighthouse Team to host an Activity Night on February 15th.



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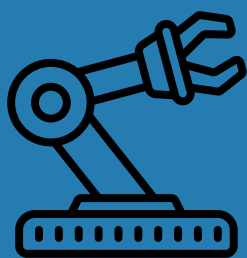
Student Lighthouse Team

The GLMS Lighthouse Team has welcomed the new year with excitement, energy, and activities to make GLMS a special place to be. Students are hosting our guest speaker, Anthony Ianni, on Feb. 20. The Lighthouse Team is also planning the next activity night on the Thursday before mid-winter break, Feb. 15.

Students have really enjoyed the grade-level competitions that have been happening throughout the school year. They continue to compete for supremacy in the department of school spirit. After the Rock, Paper, Scissors tournament, the sixth grade took control of the Spear-It Spear. Throughout the spring, there will be more opportunities for the students to show which grade level has the most school spirit.

From the Robotics Team

The Grass Lake Middle School robotics team had a very successful competition season this year, finishing 15th at the state competition. This far exceeded our goals for the year - more than we thought could be possible! The team will continue to meet on Wednesday evenings to learn new programming and drive system concepts for next year. We will have a field trip to Consumers Energy Robotics day in February. We are also looking forward to participating in a spring meet in April. If anyone is interested in joining our group, please contact George McKenzie at glmckenzie936@gmail.com.





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Calendar

- Feb. 15 Activity Night, 2:30-4:15
- Feb. 16-19 No School - Presidents Weekend
- Feb. 20 Anthony Ianni Assembly
- Feb. 29 Internet Safety Adult Presentation, 5:00 at the GLHS Auditorium
- March 11 No School - PD Day
- March 12 PTO Meeting, 4:15
- March 21 End of Third Quarter
- March 22-29 SPRING BREAK
- April 9 PSAT for 8th Graders



National Junior Honor Society



NJHS has been busy the last few months. In December, we inducted 49 new 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. We also sold candy cane grams during lunches to help raise money for our school emergency fund. We were able to donate \$70. Our next meeting is February 6th, right after school in the cafeteria. We will be selling candy grams for Valentine's day in February during lunches.



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GLMS scientists testing complex carbohydrates for the presence of glucose and extracting Strawberry DNA.



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