



ELEPHANT TRACKS

CELEBRATING 125 YEARS OF EDUCATING OUR STUDENTS

May 24, 2019

Elephant Tracks provides an up-to-date listing of the events and crucial reminders from the Gainesville City School district and each of our schools. Elephant Tracks can be accessed either in the weekly eNewsletter sidebar or on our district homepage. Subscribe to the Gainesville City School System eNewsletter - Have you "Herd?" by going to our website: www.gcssk12.net.

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Information on our students, faculty/staff, OR graduates and any information that would be beneficial to the GCSS family is always welcome for Elephant Tracks. Please e-mail to beverly.nordholz@gcssk12.net.

ALL SCHOOLS

- 5/24 Last Day of School
 - Report Cards & ACCESS Scores Go Home
- 5/27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 5/28 & 29 Post Planning
- 5/29 Social Work Planning SBO Board Room 8-1
- 5/31 Pay Date
 - Cabinet Meeting 8:30-12

CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY

- 5/24 Last Day of School
 - Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home
- 5/27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 5/28 & 29 Post Planning
- 5/30 & 31 Pre-K Planning

ENOTA ELEMENTARY

- 5/24 Last Day of School
 - Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home
 - Awards Day 5th Grade -9:30, 4th Grade 10-11
 - 5th Grade End of Year Party @ Laurel Park
- 5/27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 5/28 & 29 Post Planning

FAIR STREET ELEMENTARY

- 5/24 Last Day of School
 - Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home
 - 5th Grade Graduation Gym 11:30 am
- 5/27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 5/28 & 29 Post Planning

GAINESVILLE ELEMENTARY

- 5/24 Last Day of School
 - Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home
- 5/27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 5/28 & 29 Post Planning
- 5/28 Reception for Assistant Principal Lesa Hartley Media Center 2:00 pm

MUNDY MILL

5/24 Last Day of School

5th Grade Awards Ceremony Followed by Reception & Parade 8:30 -10:30

Report Cards Go Home

5/27 Memorial Day Holiday

5/28 & 29 Post Planning

5/28 Faculty Meeting 10-11

NEW HOLLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

5/20 End of the Year Luau 5-7 pm

5/24 Last Day of School

Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home

5/27 Memorial Day Holiday

5/28 & 29 Post Planning

GMS

5/24 Last Day of School

Report Cards and ACCESS Scores Go Home

5/27 Memorial Day Holiday

5/28 & 29 Post Planning

GHS

5/24 Last Day of School

Graduation City Park Bobby Gruhn Field 7:30 pm

Report Cards Go Home

5/27 Memorial Day Holiday

5/28 & 29 Post Planning

Last Day of School May 24, 2019

Graduation May 24, 2019 City Park Bobby Gruhn Field 7:30 pm

GHS GRASP Summer School: Graduation Route through Alternate Student Programs

GRASP Summer School will run June 5th through the 26th at the high school from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. We are offering teacher-led and online credit recovery in many courses as well as a Government .5 initial credit. The GHS GRASP Summer school application is now available. Please see your counselors for more information. Transportation will be provided.

For the month of **May 2019**, the pay date is May 31, 2019. The payroll dates are April 7 till May 4, 2019. For the month of **June 2019**, the pay date is June 28, 2019. The payroll dates are May 5 till June 8, 2019. Everything will be due on June 10, 2019

Join us for breakfast or lunch in the GCSS Seamless Summer Meal Program Monday – Thursdays, June 3-27 at Gainesville Middle School (Breakfast 8-8:45 and lunch 11-12:30) and Fair Street Elementary School (Breakfast 7:30-9:30 and lunch 11-12:30). Children 18 and younger eat at no cost. All meals must be eaten in the Cafeteria.

The faculty and staff of Gainesville Exploration Academy cordially invite you to attend a Retirement Celebration honoring Lesa Hartley, GEA's Assistant Principal, on Tuesday, May 28th at 2:00 p.m. at GEA's Media Center.

GAINESVILLE JUNIOR GOLF

"The Herd"

SUMMER 2019

Come be a part of the junior program that has helped produce collegiate players, team champions, and individual champions.

"The Herd," is the developmental arm of junior golf in Gainesville. The program is for the length of the summer, and is open to all boys and girls in Gainesville in grades 3-8 regardless of ability level. Focus of the sessions is both introductory instruction regarding FUN, practice routines, fundamentals, rules, etiquette, and other topics. Sessions will be taught by GHS Men's and Women's Golf Coaches. Counselors and mentors will be current GHS golfers.

Session Dates June 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27 July 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30

* 3rd-5th Grade - 8:30-9:30 AM * 6th-8th Grade - 9:45-11:00 AM

Tuition The cost of joining "The Herd" is \$150 per camper for the summer. Participants can attend as many sessions as they desire. The tuition includes all instruction, green fees, range balls, and a gift pack. The tuition is paid up-front and there are no refunds.

Registration forms are located in the Chattahoochee Golf Club Pro Shop or by emailing Clay McDonald at the email address provided below.

Questions? Contact: Head Coach Clay McDonald at robert.mcdonald@gcssk12.net

PAM WARE SUMMER COMMUNITY THEATRE

Junie B. Jones Jr., the Musical

Pam Ware Children's Musical Theatre

June 12 & 13 10 AM & 7 PM

Pam Ware Performing Arts Center @ GHS

Adults: \$10 Seniors/Children: \$5

Tickets available not @ Gainesville Park & Recreation or at the door o day of show.

A Night on Broadway-A Musical Revue & Talent Showcase

June 20,21, & 22 7:30 PM

Pam Ware Performing Arts Center @ GHS

Tickets: Adult \$17 Seniors/Children \$12

Tickets available not @ Gainesville Park & Recreation or at the door o day of show.

Attention GCSS teachers! If you are interested in a teaching job for the month of June, we are interested in YOU!!!! The RISE summer camp, addressing summer learning loss is hiring. Your commitment would be: May 30-31 Preplanning, June 3-28 M-F 8AM-5PM. Wednesday will be afternoons at Frances Meadow and Fridays are Field trip days. Please apply at the following website:

https://workforcenow.adp.com/mascsr/default/mdf/recruitment/recruitment.html?cid=eb269387-5359-4445-aeb7-9c9331227f69&ccId=19000101_000001&type=MP&lang=en_US

Come join the FUN at RISE!!!!

GHS Boys and Girls Golf Teams Place at State Meet

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/sports/gainesville-girls-golf-places-5th-6a-state-championship/>

State-Funded Salary Increases Highlight Gainesville Schools' Proposed \$75.3 Million Budget

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/news/state-funded-salary-increases-highlight-gainesville-schools-proposed-753-million-budget/>

Injury-Laden GHS Soccer Team Comes Up Short in State Finals

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/sports/gainesville-boys-soccer-teams-6a-championship-run-comes-one-game-short-loss-dalton/>

Recess Important Part of School Day

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/news/despite-gov-kemps-veto-student-recess-a-value-in-hall-and-gainesville-schools/>

Talented Students, Artwork Coming from GHS National Honor Society

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/news/talented-seniors-artwork-coming-out-gainesville-highs-national-art-honor-society/>

GHS Alum Spencer Ralston Named to All-SEC Golf Team

<https://www.gainesvilletimes.com/sports/gainesville-high-grad-spencer-ralston-named-first-team-all-sec-university-georgia-golf-program/>