



The Soldier Update

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SENIOR HIGH FINE ARTS

This week, 43 of our Senior High students participated in the 2025 National Fine Arts Competition, hosted at Bob Jones University. The awards ceremony will be livestreamed TONIGHT and can be watched [here!](#)

SPRING CONCERTS

On Tuesday, April 29th, our secondary students, 6th-12th grade, will be performing a variety of choral and band selections from their recent fine arts competitions in the auditorium. Due to the WVCAT Baseball Tournament, this concert was moved to **Tuesday, April 29th!** We hope you'll join us for a wonderful evening of music!

On Thursday, May 8th, our elementary students, 1st-5th grade, will be performing a variety of choral and band selections, some from their recent fine arts competitions, in the auditorium. To accommodate all our guests, we will have **two identical performances** of our Elementary Concert (6:00pm AND 7:15pm). We kindly encourage guests to choose **ONE** of the performances to attend. To help facilitate parking and seats for the other guests, we encourage you to go get a coffee or snack during the other performance.

We can't wait to celebrate the hard work and joyful music as our students use their God-given talents to praise Him!

SCRIP

We have a ***NEW*** restaurant partner! Fratelli's has joined this program and offers a 10% rebate on their gift card purchases. Use ShopWithScrip and help your family and our school simply by using gift cards where you're already shopping/eating. SCRIP has many participating retailers and restaurants where you can earn a rebate between 2% and 16%! Please contact our Program Coordinator, Mrs. Deana Childers, at deanachilders@gmail.com for more information about this program!

HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION

Tuesday, April 22nd, at 9am, we will be holding our annual Honor Society Induction Ceremony, in the auditorium. Students will be inducted into the Grace Christian School Chapter of the American Christian Honor Society. GCS parents and grandparents are invited to attend.

SPORTS AWARDS

Tuesday, April 22nd at 6pm, the Athletic Department of GCS will honor our Soldier Athletes (soccer, volleyball, basketball, baseball, softball, and archery) and the valuable contribution they have made to the athletic program here at Grace.

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| APRIL | | | | | | |
| CONGRATULATIONS to our “Students of the Week”: K5 Blue: Baylee Oney K5 Gold: Eli LeMaster 1st Blue: Ben Johnson 1st Gold: Charlotte Chapman 2nd Blue: Clara Moore 2nd Gold: Paxton Thomas 3rd Blue: JT Adkins 3rd Gold: Thawng Ceu 4th Grade: Madilyn Wright 5th Blue: Isaiah Fulton 5th Gold: Owen Holderby | | | | 10 Lunch: Giovanni's Pizza | 11 Lunch: Ham and Cheese Sliders and Loaded Fries | 12 MS Baseball (H) Cross Lanes @12 Softball (A) Green @2 |
| | | | | Senior High National Fine Arts at Bob Jones University | | |
| 13 | 14 Softball (A) Hannan @5 Baseball (H) Greater Beckley @5:30 Lunch: Chicken and Noodles and Green Beans | 15 MS Baseball (A) South Point @5:30 Lunch: Hotdog and Chips | 16 Lunch: Beef or Chicken Soft Taco | 17 Softball (H) Cross Lanes @4:30 MS Baseball (A) Rock Hill @5 Baseball (H) Teays Valley @5:30 Lunch: Giovanni's Pizza | 18 Good Friday NO SCHOOL | 19 |
| Achievement Testing | | | | | | |
| 20 | 21 Baseball (H) Elk Valley @5 | 22 Honor Society Induction, 9am Sports Awards, 6pm | 23 Strawbridge Studios Pictures (Spring, Buddy Basketball, Clubs) | 24 Softball (H) Green @4:30 | 25 Baseball (H) Portsmouth Notre Dame @5 Softball (A) West Carter @6 | 26 Softball (H) Greater Beckley @1 Baseball (A) Chesapeake @1 |
| | | | | Elem/JH Fine Arts @ Lewisburg REMOTE LEARNING DAYS | | |

YEARBOOK PHOTOS

Do you have any photos from the current school year - school activities, field trips, class parties, Spirit Week, friends together? If you would be willing to share these and have the opportunity for them to appear in the yearbook, please email them to Katie Thompson at ktompson@gracegospelwv.net. Be sure to state who is in the picture and what is going on!

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