



October 18, 2020

Groves Families,

I hope you had an enjoyable weekend!

Congratulations to the casts, crew and directors of Fright Fest! Three performances featuring very talented GPAC actors took place outdoors this past weekend. Thank you to all who attended!

National PTA Reflections Contest

Calling all artists and writers! Our Reflections competition has begun. This year's theme is "I Matter Because..." Please see attached information and submission forms. All entries are due by November 20th! Please email Melissa Ringey with questions - mringley@comcast.net.

College and Career Virtual Planning Session (This information was also shared with students.)

How many times have you been asked this question: "What are you going to do after high school?" On October 21, at 7:00 p.m., Mrs. Kondak, our College and Career Specialist, will present some tools you can use to begin to answer this question. This event is open to all grade levels and will focus on building your self-knowledge and methods to create a plan. This virtual event will last 45 minutes, including time for questions.

Join Zoom Meeting - <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5435228199?pwd=dUF2UGg1bGpSdEkvNXRPWTYvYy9xQT09>
Meeting ID: 543 522 8199 and Passcode: 921870

Groves Athletics

Fall Sports Updates

The Varsity Soccer Team defeated Seaholm 2-1 last week and will take on Berkley this Tuesday at 7 p.m. for the next round of the tournament. Good luck Falcons!

Girls Cross Country are undefeated in league meets, and tied for first in the OAA! Three runners (Alicia, Sophia and Maya) earned All League honors. Congrats!

Varsity Football defeated Oak Park Friday night 38-20!

Boys Cross Country defeated North Farmington this week in their last home meet of the season!

Winter Sports Information

Girls Unified Hockey Team

We have a Girls Unified Hockey Team with Bloomfield Hills High School! If you are interested in joining the Girls Hockey Team, conditioning will be held Sundays and Tuesdays from 4:30 – 6:30 at the Orchard Lake St. Mary's Ice Arena. For more information about the Girls Hockey Team, contact Coach Mick at micks.hockey@gmail.com

Unified Ski Team

The Birmingham Ski Team is a ski racing team. The team is a coed, varsity and junior varsity team with students from both Groves and Seaholm. The season begins with athletic training called dry lands run by captains starting mid-October. These are optional team bonding and fitness training events that should be done by all team members who are not active in a fall sport. The season officially starts November 18th and runs to the end of February. When on snow, the team typically races and trains at Mt. Brighton 4 days a week Monday through Thursday. We practice and race in Slalom and Giant Slalom events. Participants should have an intermediate skiing level or better. For further information and to get on our email list please contact Coach Lawrence Morris via email themorrisgrouppllc@gmail.com

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have questions. Have a great week!

Thank you!

Dr. Smith

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