

May 9, 2021

Groves Families,

I hope that the mothers of all types are having a Happy Mother's Day!

- **Wednesday, May 12 is a half day for students**, and virtual classes will be in the afternoon beginning at 11:40 a.m.

- For families who will celebrate **Eid al-Fitr** this week, please contact the attendance office concerning the religious exemption day for your students.

- BPS has partnered with Bloom Pediatrics to host a **COVID vaccine clinic** at Groves High School on Tuesday, May 18. Information regarding appointments is forthcoming!

- **Prom Dress Shopping Day** at Bloom went really well! Check out some photos

here: <https://photos.app.goo.gl/MLkK6izEy6ps4eW58>

**Subject:** Mally A.C.T. | The Differences Between the ACT® and SAT® and the State of Standardized Testing

**Date and Time:** Thursday, May 13 at 8:15 PM

**Registration Link:** <https://www.mallyact.com/webinarregistration>

**Description:** Are you a parent with questions about the ACT® and SAT®? Are you curious about which colleges across the country accept only the ACT® or only the SAT® for admissions or the differences between the two tests and which one would be right for your student? Wondering how COVID-19 has changed the standardized testing landscape? Let Eric Mally, one of the owners of Mally A.C.T., help answer all of your questions and more during this free, informative webinar!

Since 2006, Mally A.C.T. has helped over 8,000 students from more than 225 high schools across the country reach – and exceed – their standardized test goals, and we're happy to help provide parents guidance and clarity to help navigate what can be a very confusing process. Even if you can't attend the live webinar, we'd encourage you to still register so you can view the recording and receive a PDF copy of the presentation.

Please note - this is not a webinar about Mally A.C.T. or Mally A.C.T.'s services; it's purely information to help answer your questions. If you have questions about Mally A.C.T., please don't ask them during the webinar and visit <https://www.mallyact.com/consultation> to book a free consultation instead. We look forward to having you join us for this informative and interactive webinar!

## **Groves Athletic Updates**

### **Softball Recap vs. Seaholm**

#### **Game 1**

Freshman Sydney Lezovich had a busy day at the plate recording four hits in Groves 10-5 victory over Seaholm. Lezovich singled in the first, singled in the second, singled in the third, and doubled in the fifth.

Groves started scoring early with a double from Sophomore Ella Blank in the first inning. The scoring continued in the second frame as Seniors Rylee Wilson, Bella Caza, and Taegen Lemberg, Junior Ellie Kroll, and Lezovich all drove in runs.

Lemberg earned the victory in the circle for Groves only surrendereing five hits over seven innings while striking out 13.

#### **Game 2**

Groves got things started the same way in the second game with a run scoring double by Blank.

Groves racked up 15 hits on the way to a 9-4 victory. Blank, Lezovich, Caza, Wilson, and Freshman Paige Hammers all had multiple hits. Ellie Kroll got the win for the Falcons, allowing 11 hits and four runs while striking out four.

## **BIRMINGHAM SKI TEAM MEETING**

**Meeting Thursday May 13th at 6:30 pm at Groves High School**

This meeting will go over several things including the spring, summer and fall activities / events, fundraising, equipment, booster information and much more.

Location "Commons" inside the school near the cafeteria doors. Plenty of open space with tables and chairs.

The team is a co-ed Varsity and Junior Varsity team with racers from both Groves and Seaholm High School.

Please enter the building by the pool doors.

For additional information please contact Larry Morris- Head Coach at [themorrisgroupllc@gmail.com](mailto:themorrisgroupllc@gmail.com)

Thank you and have a great week,  
Dr.Smith

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