

Groves Families,

Please remember that your selection forms are due today. Here is a link to the form

- <https://forms.gle/1rJHxDARBJNdg1ka8>

Even if your student will remain a virtual learner for third trimester, we are asking you to complete the selection form. Thank you!

Here is a link to a recording of the Town Hall meeting from yesterday afternoon about the learning options:

- https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/9xEzD71klyTGcL4Bg0vqAOyTixjmdw55NMEr2M7ugBXIzgZVDCdQYIG55tYD_BkL.8X00OCKphyBHbO2y Passcode: %&*5bDPu

Update on AP Testing

If you were not able to attend the meeting yesterday concerning the changes to AP Testing this spring, I have attached the questions that were asked and answers to those questions and here is a link to a recording of the meeting -

Chat Questions - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DWPIY-lcLxRUBO7TMIcZHcGRIZkIMt23TY8P6UXkcag/edit?usp=sharing>

Recording- <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RxMFS05XMII22Qb3zH9Jf0TqEBr4dlhc/view?usp=sharing>

Study Sessions for Final Exams

We would like to offer a space at school where it is quiet for students to have time to work on make-up assignments, or to study for final exams next week. Some of our NHS tutors will also be available to help during these study sessions.

Because we have both in-person and virtual learners, we are going to offer both options for these study sessions.

Here are the dates and times:

Saturday, March 6 - 10 a.m. until noon in the Auditorium

Tuesday, March 9 - 12:30 - 2:30 in the cafeteria

Wednesday, March 10 - 12:30 - 2:30 in the cafeteria

Thursday, March 11 - 12:30 - 2:30 in the cafeteria

We have asked students to use this form to RSVP so we know who to plan on attending. If students choose virtual for the study sessions, we will email them a Zoom link. <https://forms.gle/QCTqzLjYT567pTea9>

Teens Attack Cancer/Team TAC

On Thursday, March 4th, 10 area teens (including 5 Groves seniors) began a fundraising campaign for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Children's Initiative. The need is urgent: children are not mini-adults, only 4 cancer drugs have been approved for first use in children in 40 years, and this is very personal for several Team TAC members whose families have been directly touched by blood cancer. If you'd like to support their fundraising efforts, you can buy a "Teens Attack Cancer" t-shirt at <http://www.stinsonmellorteamorders.com/tac> or visit Evan Willey's fundraising page at: <https://events.ils.org/mi/detroitsoy21/ewilley> Thank you so much!

Groves Athletic Updates

Swimming and Diving

It has been a busy few weeks for your Emerald Tide! February 18 was a night devoted to the seniors- Billy Harvey, David Nakisher, Rocco Prindle, Ted Schwartz, and Max Zalewski. The special evening culminated in a solid win over Farmington High School. The Tide also came away with an impressive win over Bloomfield Hills High School a week later. Highlights included a first and second place win for the Groves 200 Medley Relay, first place finishes for Angus MacDonald (200 Free), Billy Harvey (100 Free) Jack Knoper (500 Free), Ian Duncan (100 Back), and Jackson Zako (50 Free, 100 Fly). Diver Joe Doroan placed second overall.

This past weekend the boys participated in the Oakland County swim meet and came away with some awesome swims! Notable amongst them were new state qualifying times by Billy Harvey (100 Free), Jake Sazgari (200 Free), and Emerson Mousseau (100 Back). The 200 IM relay team of Joey Stebbins, Angus MacDonald, Jackson Zako and Asa Allen had a 6th place finish overall, as well as an impressive third place finish by the 200 Freestyle team of Billy Harvey, Jackson Zako, Nolan Lamphere and Asa Allen. The Tide came in an impressive 3rd overall in a field of 26 teams.

We wish the team well as they head to the League Meet this upcoming Wednesday and Friday!

Gymnastics

Thursday March 4 was the league meet, and Birmingham placed third!

Team Leaders were:

Elana Stebbins: Vault (8.70), Bars (7.150) and Floor (8.70) and Hannah Marshall: Beam (7.40)

All-Around - Elana Stebbins (31.700) 10th, Payton Winqvist (29.425) 13th, Hope Hughes (28.400) 14th, Lauren Morris (27.575) 15th

Next Meet Monday Night March 8th at Groves against Grosse Pointe at 6:30 PM. Please join the facebook group Birmingham Unified Gymnastics to see the live stream.

Hockey

Birmingham United won their game this week 4-2 against Clarkston. Goals were scored by Penozza, Ruszkowski, Lamb and Robinson!

Thank you,

Dr. Smith

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