

Good Evening Southwest Family,

Welcome to October. This is Dr. Richmond with your weekly updates.

At the Ranch

- The end of the day can get hectic and we need to ensure that all students are getting to the right places. Starting this week, I am asking for no early dismissals after 2:30pm.

-The SWMS Yearbook sale has started! Early bird sale begins at \$30.00. We can also use your help as you take pictures throughout the year. We will also be selling 8th grade ads for all our 8th grade parents. Please see the attached flyer for all this information.

-The October lunch menu is attached.

-Students will take the NWEA MAP math test on Wednesday. Please make sure that students are on time and bring a fully charged device.

-The SWMS character trait of the month for August/September has been respect. All 1st core teachers have selected a student that is the epitome of respect. Those students will be celebrated on Friday with a parent reception in the morning and the Principal's Kickback in the afternoon. If your child was selected, you may join us at 8:40am in the cafeteria.

Athletics

-Girls Soccer & Boys Volleyball have tryouts on Wednesday, October 4th & Thursday, October 5th. All tryouts are from 4:00PM-6:00PM on the Southwest Middle School campus. Parent will pick up all students at the bus awning/ramp at 6:00PM. Final rosters will be posted at the end of the day, Friday, October 6th. There is no practice Friday.

Students will submit all GCS required paperwork to their respective head coach at the start of the tryouts. We suggest packing a snack & bottled water.

Football & Cheer have a BYE this week & will follow the normal weekly practice schedule. Please see your respective TEAM Remind for additional information.

Our Boys Soccer & Girls Volleyball teams have two games this week. Monday our teams will have (AWAY) games versus Eastern Middle School. Both games start at 4:45PM. Thursday our teams will have (HOME) games versus Kiser Middle School. Boys Soccer will play at the Southwest High School football field & Girls Volleyball will play in our gymnasium. Both games start at 4:45PM.

Please remember that GCS charges \$5 for adults and \$3 for students for all middle school athletic events.

PTSA


THE COLOR RUN IS COMING!!!!

We have plenty of time left so if your student hasn't gotten started yet it's not too late. Remember you do not have to pay it all yourself. Get donations from people you know! Good luck and get out collecting this week!

Remember, at Southwest we will strive to do the right thing! Have a great rest of the evening.

Dr. Richmond

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