

Good Evening Southwest Middle School Families,

This is your proud principal Dr. Richmond with your weekly updates. Here are your announcements for the week.

School News

-The Southwest Middle School Orchestra concert will take place on Tuesday of this week at 7:00pm in the SW Middle gym. The students have been working extra hard to prepare for this concert showcasing the year's learning.

-Our final Cowboy of the Month celebration will be held this coming Friday. If your student was selected, letters went home last week. The parent reception begins at 8:40 in the cafeteria. Remember to check-in with staff at the front office when you arrive. This month's students are being honored for showing self-control by their second core teachers.

-As we approach Mother's Day on next Sunday, I would like to wish all mothers and caring women of our students a happy and blessed Mother's Day.

-Looking ahead, our final PTSA board meeting will take place on Monday May 15 at 6:00pm. Our Spring Art Show will also take place on that evening.

-For our car riders, please remember that we begin dismissal at 3:10pm. I ask that all students are picked up no later than 3:45pm.

Athletics

-A huge congratulations to our boys and girls track and field team under the leadership of Coach Turner and Coach Rayfield for the job they did at the GCS District Track Meet on last Friday. Congratulations to our Girls Track team on winning the track Championship and to our Boys Track team on being Runners-up for the track Championship. They have one last meet this Wednesday at Jamestown Middle.

-In softball and baseball, there is a home game on Monday against Northern.

-Looking ahead, spring sports pictures will take place on Monday May 15.

The admission prices are \$5 for adults and \$3 for students for all middle school athletic events.

8th Grade News

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6th Grade News

-On Wednesday of this week our 6th graders will attend the Greensboro Grasshopper game. If there are any last-minute questions, please reach out to your child's homeroom teacher.

EOG Dates

Friday May 26: 8th grade Science

Monday May 29: Memorial Day-No School

Tuesday May 30: 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Reading

Wednesday May 31: 8th grade Science and reading make-ups

Thursday June 1: 6th, 7th, and 8th grade Math

Friday June 2: Reading, Math, and Science make-ups

Monday June 5: Math I EOC

Tuesday-Wednesday: Any make-ups

Friday June 9: Last Day of School

Yours for Children,

Dr. R. Robert Richmond IV