

GOLDEN WEST HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE TRAILBLAZERS



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NEW INFORMATION

- You are invited to the 39th Annual **Golden West FFA Sweetheart Dinner** on Friday, March 29, at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and may be purchased through the Golden West Ag Department. **For more information, please contact Ms. Courtney Castle**, GWHS Ag Teacher & FFA Advisor, at (559) 735-8087 or ccastle@vusd.org.
- ENCHANTED PROM DRESS GIVE-AWAY & TUX RENTAL JUNIORS & SENIORS ONLY:** If the cost of a dress/tux causes a **HARDSHIP**, please sign up in the counseling department, presentation binder to participate in this event. **Prom Dress give away** will be happening Saturday, April 13, 2019 at 6:00 a.m. at the Wyndham Hotel (formerly Holiday Inn). Sign up is completely confidential, sign-up with your student ID # only. Last day to sign-up is April 5, 2019 for Prom Dresses. **DEADLINE** for tux rental is April 22, 2019. See Mrs. McIntosh in the counseling dept. for further details.
- Reminder – Shirts that show your stomach are not allowed. No Short Shirts.**
- **If you dropped a class at the end of last semester and no longer need the textbook please return it to the Library.
- “The Visual Arts Department would like to invite the Golden West student body to see the **VAPA Showcase Visual Art Exhibit in the Business Building** Middle room Monday through Friday, March 11-15 during lunch.
- CHOIR AUDITIONS:** If you are interested in singing in one of the 5 Golden West Choirs for next year, and you are NOT currently singing in a choir right now, consider a brief and informal audition with Mr. Raheb. **No experience necessary!** Beginning through Advanced Choirs are open to all GW students with advanced choir placement requiring a brief interview and audition. **Prepare 30 to 60 seconds of any song of your choosing with accompaniment or Karaoke tracks.** Come see Mr. Raheb in the Choir Room (M1) at lunch – March 11-15.

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ATHLETICS

- CHEER:** CLINIC is March 25th thru March 27th 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM. **TRYOUT DAY:** March 28th starting @ 4:00 PM. **IMPORTANT INFO:** Valley Oak students can pick up packets in the Golden West Athletic Office. Clearance packets are due on March 25th. Applicants must have at least a 2.0 GPA for the 4th grading term to be eligible to tryout. For further information contact: christinaresa1540@comcast.net. Go Blazers!!!

COUNSELING

- ATTN: SOPHOMORES & JUNIORS - The **Chicano Latino Youth Leadership Project** is now accepting applications for their **2019 summer high school programs!** Please see Mrs. McIntosh in the counseling department for an application. **DEADLINE** to apply is April 15, 2019.

- **Fresno State's Lambda Theta Sorority, Gamma Chapter** would like to invite high school girls to attend their Annual **Latina Youth Leadership Conference on Saturday, March 30, 2019** on the Fresno State campus from 8 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For more information see Mrs. McIntosh in the Counseling Department.

CLUBS

- **FCA: FCA Wednesdays!** Grab a friend or two then head on over to room A-1.

ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

- **Attention all GW students and parents:** On the weeks of March 26, 2019 through April 12, 2019 all 11th grade students will be taking the CAASPP ELA and Math test and all 12th Grade students will be taking the CAST. For the testing period we will have a special testing schedule. Although only 11th grade and 12th grade students are testing, all GW students are expected to follow the schedule below. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Diaz at mdi-az04@vusd.org or call the GW office at 730-7801.
- **GW Dance Show, For the LOVE of Dance, will be performed on March 22nd & March 23rd @ The LJ Williams Theater.** Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased ahead of time in the dance studio or at the door. Email Ms. Cullum w/any questions or to purchase tickets at scullum@vusd.org Thankyou for your support!
- ****Please do not order food to be delivered to school. You will not be able to pick up the food during class time and the office will not accept any food delivered from any delivery service.**
- The Diversity Club is running a **penny drive to benefit the Warming Center for Visalia's homeless.** The class w/the largest amount will get to throw paint water bombs at members of the Diversity Club during lunch on 3/29 in front of the art building.
- **Attention all students and parents:** This is a reminder that any Golden West student found on another VUSD campus before, during, or after school other than GWHS is considered trespassing. Any students that ride the bus home must catch the bus on the GWHS campus.
- Attention All Students! REGARDING TARDIES - **If you have 4 or more tardies in one week you will lose off campus lunch privileges** or be assigned lunch detention. To avoid these restrictions, please work to be ON TIME TO CLASS!

XL PROGRAM

- XL is offering **Credit Recovery on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30pm in E-10.** However, attending Wednesday classes is not a substitute for Monday classes.
- **Hip-Hop Dance** is happening on Wednesdays and Thursdays in the dance room from 3:30-5:30 pm.
- **Boxing** on Mondays and Tuesdays in P-29 near the stadium from 3:30-5:30 pm.
- **Mr. Peterson will be tutoring History.** Meet in P2 on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30-5:30pm.
- **Math Tutorials** every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in Mr. Lopez's room P-14.
- Mr. Elsharkawy in room S-5 will tutor **Chemistry and Physics** every Tues. & Wed.
- **Sports Medicine** on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in the Trainer's room from 3:30-5:30 pm.
- **Weightlifting** will be meeting on Tuesday & Thursday after school 3:30-4:30 pm in the weight room.

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