
Grace Academy

Grace Weekly

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A great action shot of the boy's last basketball game when they won the church league championship!

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- High School meeting details.
- A sign-up for needed supplies.
- Tuition agreement update.
- Enjoy pictures from 3rd grade Fantasy Kingdoms, 5th grade History projects, and 2nd grade fish projects!
- Please help thin out the lost and found pile!



Upcoming Events

- March 19-27**
Spring Break
 - April 14**
Grace Academy High School
Informational Meeting
 - April 25**
Science Fair
 - April 28**
Athletic Banquet
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News Around Campus

Grace Academy High School Meeting

Save the date of **Thursday, April 14th** during Middle School Chapel from 8:00am-8:45am in the Mt. Vernon Sanctuary for a special information session for current 6th and 7th grade parents about plans for the Grace Academy High School beginning the Fall of 2023. Join us to learn more about the planning process and curriculum! Parents of all grades are welcome to attend also as there will be information that pertains to all families!

Second Grade Fish Projects



Grace Academy Athletic Banquet

Mark your calendars for the Grace Academy Athletics Banquet on Thursday, April 28th from 5:45pm-7:15pm in the Mt. Vernon gymnasium. More information will be forthcoming in April.

Tuition Agreement Details

When you reenrolled your students for the 2022-2023 school year, you chose a tuition payment plan. Those plans will be finalized the week after Spring Break. You will receive an email once that process is complete and a date that your 10% deposit amount will be drafted in April.

Fifth Grade History Projects



Grace Academy Track Clinics

Mr. Wood will be heading up eight track clinics beginning the first week in April. The clinics will be open to Grace Academy 2nd-8th graders and will be held from 5:30pm-7:00pm at the Watauga High School track. Students should come ready to run in comfortable running clothes and shoes, and 5th-8th graders will need a simple running watch with a timer and repeat timer. To sign up, please complete a registration form on the GA website. The registration fee is \$40 and will be billed through FACTS. The track clinics will emphasize sprints, middle distance, 100m & 400m relays, and a little taste of javelin using the 300g turbo javelin. There will be a mini-track meet on Tuesday, May 10th to finish the track clinic season.

Track Clinic Dates (sign up for all 8):

Monday, April 4th	Tuesday, April 19th
Thursday, April 7th	Thursday, April 21st
Monday, April 11th	Monday, May 2nd
Tuesday, April 12th	Monday, May 9th

Make-up Rain Date: Tuesday, May 10th

Intra-Team Track Meet: Tuesday, May 10th if not needed for a make-up date.

Intra-Team Track Meet Make-up Date: Thursday, May 12th

Grace Academy Tennis Clinics

Is your student interested in playing tennis? Grace Academy will host 4 days of tennis clinics for any 5th-8th graders, regardless of skill level. The clinics will take place from 4:00pm-5:30pm at the Watauga County Recreation Center courts. Registration is \$20 for all 4 clinics and will be billed through FACTS. To sign up, please complete a registration form on the website. Students should bring a tennis racket if they have one; if not, please indicate this on the registration form.

Tennis Clinic Dates (sign up for all 4):

Monday, April 4th	Monday, April 11th
Wednesday, April 6th	Wednesday, April 13th

Athletic Registration Reminders

Just a few reminders about participating in GA Athletics:

- A current physical form must be on file
- Athletic fees are \$40 per student, per sport with a maximum amount of \$100 per student per year. (For example, for a female student who has played both volleyball and basketball, the track fee would be \$20 instead of the full \$40.) There is a \$200 homeschool participant fee per sport.

Books for Next Year

Parents are already wanting to purchase curriculum for next year. It is our recommendation that you wait a bit longer to purchase books. There will be updates to editions in some areas and we would not want you to purchase a book that won't end up being used. Some of these curriculum changes will be discussed at the High School information meeting on April 14th.

Cleaning & Lunch Supplies Needed

Follow the link below for a sign up genius for cleaning and lunch supplies that are needed for the school. Please sign up for an item or two if you are able. Donations can be sent in with your student or dropped off at the front desk.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805044BA9A72CA3FC1-cleaning>

Grace Academy Science Fair

The Grace Academy Science Fair will take place in the Mt. Vernon gymnasium on Monday, April 25th from 5:30pm-8:00pm. This will be an evening family event. The 6th and 7th grade students will have individual experiments that will be judged by an outside science professional. The 4th and 5th grade students will display group experiments. Kindergarten through 3rd grade classes will display projects from throughout the school year. There will also be science related demonstrations and snacks!

Lost & Found

Please help find homes for all of these lost and found items. Any items left after April 1st will be donated.

