



GARY COMER COLLEGE PREP



A CAMPUS OF NOBLE STREET CHARTER SCHOOL

Due on Friday, February 12, 2016

(Friday = 100%, Tuesday = 50%, Wednesday = 0%, Thursday = -50%)

CPD Order for Double Parking

Parents/Guardians, please be aware that the Chicago Police Department will be issuing citations to vehicles for blocking the school buses by double parking next to or in front of them and for double parking and leaving your vehicle, when you are picking up your scholar after school. As a correction to what was previously stated in our Newsletter, your scholar should not be picked up from GCYC unless they are being picked up from an after school program that they are attending at the center. Your scholar should be picked up at GCCP in that case.

In an effort to keep our scholars safe and prevent any vehicular accidents, please adhere to traffic rules. Thank you.

GCMS – The Princess and the Pea Musical

The Gary Comer Middle School would like to invite you to their school musical presentation of The Princess and the Pea. It will on Friday, February 19th at 7 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) and Saturday, February 20th at 5 p.m. (doors open at 4:30 p.m.) The cost is \$2 for students with an I.D. and \$3 for students without an I.D.

Boxing Mentoring Program

Ring of Hope is offering a Boxing Mentoring Program for Boys and Girls Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays from 4:30 – 7:30 p.m. Please stop by Mr. Singleton's office on the 2nd Floor for more details.

Parent Advisory Council

The monthly PAC meeting will be today, at 6 p.m. in Alumni Hall. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. The agenda will include the Executive Director of Charter Parents United, PowerSchool Training and PAC activity updates.

ACCESS

ACCESS will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. until February 16th. If you need a physical or shots, please contact us (773) 324-6942 for an appointment.

GCYC

No GCYC Programming on Monday, February 15th due to staff development day. Programs will resume as scheduled on Tuesday, February 16th.

Free Tax Assistance – Ladder Up Tax Assistance Program will be providing free services to qualifying participants. Tax preparation will take place at GCYC on February 6th, February 20th, February 27th, March 12th, March 19th and April 9th from 9 a.m. – Noon. Early arrival is highly encouraged. This event is free and open to the community.

Exelon – Participants of the EXELON SISI Program meeting for this month will take place on Saturday, February 20th. Be sure to bring your Exelon binder and wear your FUN and COLORFUL socks. This month's session will focus on School, Work and Life Balance with Shambhala Chicago (Shambhala Meditation Center). Please report to GCYC at 7:30 a.m. For more information, see Ms. Terica Middleton in room 215.

Uplift Black History Film Screening – Join GCYC for our Black History Month film screening of *In My Father's House* on Thursday, February 25th, at 6:30 p.m. There will be a post Q & A session with the film's star Mrs. Donnie Smith, Executive Director of Donda's House, Inc. Refreshments will be served and this event is free and open to the community. Please RSVP with Ms. Haynes at shaynes@gcychome.org.

Black Youth Story – Gary Comer Youth Center invites you to our 10th Annual Black Youth Story culminating Black History Month Celebration taking place February 26th, from 6 – 8 p.m. Performances by L.Y.R.I.C., M.A.D.D. Rhythms, Jesse White Tumbling Team and much more! Admission is free but tickets are required. For more information contact Ms. Haynes at (773) 358-4100 or by email at shaynes@gcychome.org.

Winter Dance

The Senior Student Council is hosting a Winter Dance on Friday, February 19th, from 8 – 11 p.m. Dress Down Day and Picture Day dress code rules apply. All catamounts are invited! Get your tickets before they sell out! Tickets are \$7 in advance and \$10 at the door. Tickets are on sale. For more information, contact a student council representative or Mrs. Wong, awong@noblenetwork.org.

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Next Week

A/B Schedule:

Monday, 2/15—No School
Presidents Day
Tuesday, 2/16—A Day
Wednesday, 2/17—B Day
Thursday, 2/18—A Day
Friday, 2/19—B Day

Upcoming Events

Girls' Basketball Games—Varsity
Thursday, 2/11 at 6:45 p.m. at Goode located at 7651 S. Homan Ave.
—JV Thursday, 2/11 at 5:15 p.m. at Goode located at 7651 S. Homan Ave.



Top Merit Earners

(6 or more)

- Priscilla Carrasco
- Arianah Carroll
- Tre'Sean Dillard
- Parris Harris
- Ta'shia James
- Miara Jones
- Ryanne Lawson
- Destiny Madison
- Jenaro Munoz
- Mechelle Rucker
- Asia Thompson
- Nya Wade

Being bullied? Have a safety concern? Need to report something anonymously?
Please call the GCCP Bullying/Discipline Hotline: **855-3STOPIT** or **855-378-6748**.

Student's Name: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

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