



GERMANTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL

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GERMANTOWN, NY 12526

April 2024

Dear Germantown Parents and Community Members,

On April 17th, the Board of Education adopted the 2024-2025 School District Budget. Specific information regarding our budget can be located on our website. In addition, the District will be holding a public hearing on the budget at 6:00 pm on Wednesday, May 8th in our auditorium. We will also be mailing our budget newsletter to all voters in the next few days. Budget vote will take place in the Elementary gymnasium on May 21st from 12:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

Our spring elementary concert will be held in the auditorium on Tuesday, May 21st beginning at 6:30 pm. Come listen to our students play instruments and sing to our community.

GCS will be recognizing our staff during staff appreciation week, May 6-10th. Please make sure you thank members of our staff, as they work so diligently to ensure your children are learning and are safe.

I sent home a letter and posted it on the website regarding the Emergency (snow) give-back days. All students and 10-month employees will not have school on Friday, May 24th and Tuesday, May 28th. This is during Memorial Day weekend, please enjoy.

Students in grades 3-8 will be taking the New York State Mathematic Assessment on May 7 and 8. A good night's rest and a nourishing breakfast supports good testing conditions for students. We are looking forward to great improving results each student makes on their assessment. Good luck to all.

What a great District to be part of! Amazing things continue to happen in GCS.

Here are some important dates for the upcoming month:

May 6-10 -	Staff Appreciation Week
May 7- 8 -	NYS 3-8 Mathematics Assessment
May 8 -	PTSA Monthly Meeting (5:30 pm)
May 8 -	Budget Hearing (6:00 pm)
May 8 -	BOE Meeting (6:30 pm)
May 15 -	Family Education Series (6:30 pm)
May 21 -	School Budget Vote (12:00 - 9:00 pm)
May 21 -	Elementary Spring Concert (6:30 pm)
May 24-28 -	Memorial Day Weekend/Snow day giveback (No School)

Sincerely,

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