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Upcoming Events:

April 17th is DQ for Riley Children's Hospital fundraiser.

Tryouts for the GCJH Fusionettes have a flyer if you <u>click here</u>. Apr. 18 will be a parent info meeting at the Junior High at 7:30 pm. This is ONLY for 6th graders.

If you have an incoming 4,5, or 6th grade boy, they are invited to try out for the IEFA Cougarstraveling football team. Tryouts will be at Cougar Stadium, 810 N Broadway St- Greenfield. They will be held May 17 and 18th from 6-8 pm. No football equipment needed. To register, visit www.GYFLFOOTBALL.com.

Greenfield-Central Schools High Ability Education Identification Testing Session for New Students May 6th, 2017

Greenfield-Central Schools will offer an opportunity for students, entering grades 1-9, who will be new to Greenfield-Central schools for the 2017-18 school year to be assessed for High Ability programming. High Ability courses provide instruction that is one or more years above grade level and uses more frequent high level thinking strategies.

Greenfield-Central uses data from two different assessments (NWEA for Achievement and CogAT for Aptitude) as qualifying scores for High Ability pathways in English Language Arts, Mathematics and Science.

An assessment session will be held Saturday, May 6th at Greenfield Intermediate School beginning at 8:00 AM. Time needed to complete the session will vary. For more information and to register for the session, please contact the Greenfield-Central Administration Center at 317-462-4434. The deadline to register for this assessment session will be Friday, April 28th.

If you have a child entering grades 1-9 and you would like him/her considered for a High Ability program, please contact the Administration Center to learn more about the High Ability Education identification process.

For information on a Kindergarten Readiness workshop, click here.

Gently used books or Legos- If your student has books for this age level or legos that you want to donate, please consider donating to our school library. GIS has a new Lego wall that students can use but we need more Legos. All books will be used for our library or used book sale later this year.

There will be a run/ walk to raise money for Gleaners Food programs, helping our students with summer lunches, back sacks, and more. Please <u>click here</u> for more information.

Greenfield-Central is proud to partner with the National Inventors Hall of Fame for another fun summer; J.B. Stephens Elementary School is pleased to offer the nationally-acclaimed Camp Invention program to children entering grades one through six. Camp Invention is an exciting, weeklong summer adventure with lessons that explore connections between science, technology, engineering and innovation. Children will work together to seek solutions to real-world problems, turn ordinary into extraordinary and sharpen critical 21st century learning skills while rotating through several fascinating modules. For more information please visit <u>www.campinvention.org</u>, or contact Miss Bradford at abradford@gcsc.k12.in.us, or 317-462-4491

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