

AUGUST 18, 2010

Chorus Students – Don't forget you will be performing at the Gateway Grizzlies game this Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Please meet at the front entrance at 6:00 p.m., wearing your chorus t-shirt. If you don't have one, Mrs. McGinthy will give you one on Friday.

All band students should go to band at their scheduled time, even if you have not brought your instrument to school yet. You do not need your instrument until next week. 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade band students will start band tomorrow. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade band students will start band on Monday. We have a lot of great music this year: Advanced Band will be starting with pop music, including songs by Green Day, Lil Wayne, Jay Sean, T.I., and Lil Jon. Be sure to come to band at your scheduled time so you don't miss anything!

The softball team will be playing their first game of the season today at home! Game time is 4:15 p.m. Please come back this afternoon and support the softball team!

There will be NO French fries for the first two weeks of school, due to extremely hot weather.

AUGUST 19, 2010

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5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade band starts today! 6<sup>th</sup> graders will come to band after p.e., during second specials. 5<sup>th</sup> grade comes to band by homerooms, instead of music or technology. Be sure to come to band today even if you have not brought your instrument to school.

The soccer team lost a tough game to Signal Hill last night. The highlight of the game was when Derrick W. scored a goal with a head ball in the second half. The team will play again tonight against Pontiac. Players are to meet in Mr. Schueler's room immediately after school today.

Last night the boys' baseball team played a real close game against Signal Hill. After trailing by nine runs in the third inning, the team closed the gap in the later innings to only be defeated by 5 runs. The final score in seven innings was 14-9. The team played hard and never gave up. There were great pitching performances by Zach B., Dylan L., and Braxton C. Dylan L. earned the honor of Belle Valley player of the game by getting two hits, pitching solidly in relief and making an awesome double play on the mound. The team plays tonight over at Pontiac at 4:15 p.m.

The softball team lost yesterday to Signal Hill. It was a hard fought game. Makayla C., Tori P., Ivana N., Emily G., and Julia R. all had hits in the effort. Danielle H. played a great defensive game behind the plate. The girls will play today at Pontiac at 4:15 p.m.

AUGUST 20, 2010

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Attention all readers! It is time to count up your summer reading minutes. If you participated in this summer's reading challenge, READ FOR THE WORLD RECORD, you may turn in your reading logs to Mrs. Kelley in the library. Don't forget that prizes will be awarded to EVERYONE who participated. You have until next Friday to get your logs to Mrs. Kelley.

Congratulations to the soccer team, for their first win of the season last night against Pontiac. Derrick W. scored two goals, Warren C. scored one goal, James W. led the defense in a spectacular performance, and Derrick L-L. Played the best game of his life. Coach Schueler is very proud of how hard everyone worked last night to earn their first victory.

The softball team won their 1<sup>st</sup> game of the season yesterday, beating Pontiac 15-4. Ivana N., Tori P., Emily G., Danielle H., Julia R., and Makaila B. all had multiple hits to help the offense. Emily G. pitched a great game and struck out 14. Give the softball players a huge high-5 when you see them today!

The boys' baseball team lost a very close game last night against Pontiac. The score was 6-4. The team battled throughout the game. Nick D., Braxton C., Jordan P., Trey M., and Bailey S. all got hits last night. Kyle B. was awarded the Belle Valley player of the game for making a strong showing as relief pitcher.