



## February's Guiding Principle is...Perseverance

### From the Principal's Desk...

Hello Genet Families!

Excitement is in air at Genet with the upcoming Valentine's Day Celebrations scheduled for Monday, February 14th and Super Bowl Sunday this weekend! As we are heading into mid-February, it was exciting to have fresh snow last week as well as the sunshine and warmer temperatures this week. We all feel like we are on the go constantly, but regardless of what you are doing this weekend, carve out time for you and your family. Have a family game night and watch a movie together.

Today, we kicked off our Character Assembly as a school with 4th Grade presenting about our character trait of Perseverance. Students read the story A Little SPOT of Perseverance: A Story about Not Giving Up. Additionally, as part of the celebration of the Olympics and Black History Month, students also learned about Wilma Rudolph and the struggles that she encountered growing up and how she persevered through to become the first woman to earn multiple gold medals in the 1960 Olympics.

Tonight our PTO is sponsoring another Genet Movie Night! The featured film is Disney's Encanto. Doors will open at 6 PM and the movie will begin at 6:30 PM. Pizza, drinks and candy will be available to purchase for anyone interested. The event will also be live streamed for families that would like to participate virtually. Students will need their login information to access the live stream feed. The live stream will begin at 6:35 PM. To access the live stream, your child's teacher should have posted the link in their Google Classroom or other communication tool they utilize. Here is the link as well: [Genet PTO Movie Night Live Stream Link](#).

#### Attention 5th Grade Families:

The PTO is looking to add baby photos of your child(ren) and message to your graduating 5th Graders in the Genet Yearbook. An informational flyer went home this week. I will embed the flyer in our weekly communication.

#### Here are few items to note:

- **Valentine's Day** - Monday, February 14, 2022
- **100th Day of School** - Tuesday, February 15, 2022
- **Winter Recess** - February 21-25, 2022
- **Genet Kindergarten Registration** - March 1 and March 2, 2022
  - Please call Mrs. Giordano (518-207-2681) if you have any questions or need to schedule an appointment or need a packet to register your incoming kindergartener!

Thank you for your continued support of Genet! I wish you all the best this weekend and coming week!

Sincerely,

Wayne Grignon  
Principal

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**GENET PTO NEWS**  
*~Together We Care~*  
Look for us on **Facebook:**  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/259171509266454>  
**Friday, February 11, 2022**

The PTO has been busy planning many fun events for your children. We hope your families will be able to enjoy what is planned. Please save the date and join us at our next PTO meeting on Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup> in the Genet Conference Room from 6:30-7:30pm.

## TONIGHT, IS MOVIE NIGHT

### **ENCANTO**

Virtual Viewers will need to log in to their child's account  
Doors open at 6pm, Movie Starts at 6:30

## Chuck E Cheese Genet Day

February 25<sup>th</sup>

3 PM

## YEARBOOK INFORMATION

Yearbook order forms will be accepted **February 28<sup>th</sup> – March 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**5<sup>th</sup> grade baby photo sale starts today**, see information coming home!

## EXPLORE AND GROW

Session 1: Makeup Date Tuesday February 15<sup>th</sup>

Session 2: March 8, 10, 15, 17 Applications accepted February 15-17

Session 3: March 29 and 31 and April 5 and 7- Volunteers needed!

## Guptils Jaguar Skating Day

March 6<sup>th</sup>

1-4pm

### *Considering volunteering!*

- Help plan activities/acts of appreciation for Teacher Appreciation Week May 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent's Committee for End-of-Year Activities
- Parents needed for Spring Fling. Spring Fling will be held on May 20<sup>th</sup>
- **Find out more by emailing <https://Genetpto.Weebly.com/volunteer.html>**

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## Upcoming Events

**Friday**  
**February 11<sup>th</sup>**  
Movie Night: *Encanto*

**Friday,**  
**February 11<sup>th</sup>**  
\*5<sup>th</sup> Grade Baby Photo Sale Opens

**Tuesday,**  
**February 15<sup>th</sup>**  
Registration for Explore and Grow opens the 15<sup>th</sup> and ends the 17<sup>th</sup>

**Monday February 21<sup>st</sup> -**  
**Friday February 25<sup>th</sup>**  
Winter Recess  
No School

**Friday,**  
**February 25<sup>th</sup>**  
Chuck E Cheese Genet Day

**Monday**  
**March 1<sup>st</sup> and March 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Kindergarten Registration

**Sunday,**  
**March 6<sup>th</sup>**  
Guptils Jaguar Skating Day  
1-4pm

**Monday,**  
**March 7<sup>th</sup>**  
PTO meeting: Genet Conference  
Room 6:30-7:30

**Friday,**  
**March 25<sup>th</sup>**  
\*Cosmic Bowling Event 1pm & 3pm  
\*Dine to Donate: Jaguar Juice at Unstoppable Nutrition

## *Contact us*

Email [genetpto@gmail.com](mailto:genetpto@gmail.com)

We would love to answer questions and/or help you become a part of our team of volunteers!