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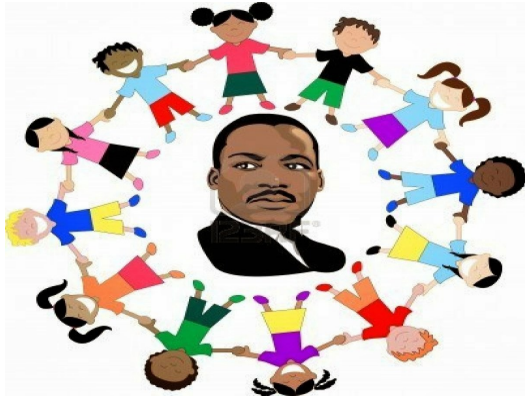
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School Motto:

Achievement, Respect and
Integrity Through Education

Literacy Message

School Improvement is possible when we ensure that students read abundantly.



The function of education
is to teach one to think intensively and
to think critically.

Intelligence plus character—
that is the goal of true education

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (1929—1968)

Music Notes

Families and friends,
As you may recall, the "entrance fee" or "ticket" for the Holiday Musical was a donation of a can or dry good to support our local food bank. Recently, I received the following note from Baskerville Leadership team, which I would like to share. Thanks for supporting our community!

12-30-16

Dear Mrs. Cromley,

Please accept our sincere thanks on behalf of all those that donated food items for the Baskerville Food Pantry at the 3rd Grade Musical. Thank you for continually supporting us each year! Your donation will go directly toward feeding the hungry of our community. Thank you, Mrs. Cromley and families and friends of Waccamaw Elementary School!
Sincerely, Kylie Vaughn (on behalf of the entire Baskerville Leadership team)

Art Lines

During the month of December all the second graders made Christmas cards during art class to be distributed to the patients at Georgetown and Waccamaw Hospitals. In the attached photo Mrs. Rodenbeck's class poses with Ms. Carlotta McCray from the Tideland Hospital Systems as she picked up the cards the students had made and left yummy cookies for each of them to enjoy.

This is a letter the 2nd graders received from Al and Carrie Smith thanking them for the cards they made:



Dear Art Teacher, students
and especially 2nd graders:

Dwayne &
Sarah Grace

Thank you for the lovely Christmas cards, so carefully decorated, that appeared on our dinner trays at Waccamaw Hospital on Christmas Day. What a sweet delight.

It was so thoughtful of all of you to send these sweet notes to folks that are hospitalized during a holiday. Many thanks and Blessings!
Al & Carrie Smith



January 15—21

Makayla Mitchell	1/15	Avery Abernethy	1/16
Louis Parsons	1/18	Benjamin Sloan	1/18
Ella Cahill	1/19	Jerome Caldwell	1/19
Avery Fleming	1/19	Jaiden Myers	1/19
Rosemary Taylor	1/19	Paul Davidson	1/20

YEARBOOK SALES

Yearbooks can currently be purchased online via the WES website for \$35.00 through February 24, 2017. They also can be purchased through the office for \$35.00 with the deadline also of February 24, 2017. No orders will be accepted after February 24, 2017.

If there are any extras at the time of shipment, they will be on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Website: www.gcsd.k12.sc.us

January 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Happy New Year	2-School Resumes	3-5:30 p.m. School Board meeting	4	5	6-Dolphin Spirit Day -Sunset Slush	7
8	9	10	11	12-Full Instructional day for students	13-½ Day for Students - 11:00 a.m. Dismissal	14- MLK Parade
15	16-Dr. M.L. King Day	17-5:30 p.m. School Board Meeting	18-Report Cards Go Home	19-Good News Club	20-Dolphin Spirit Day -Sunset Slush	21 -GCSD Academic Fair (Grades 3-6) @ GMS
22	23	24	25	26-Good News Club	27-Dolphin Spirit Day	28
29	30	31				

PTA News

We have a couple of weekly volunteer opportunities for those cleared to volunteer at the school. If interested and you haven't filled out the volunteer paperwork, contact the front office and you can fill it out.

Mrs. Cromley (Music) is looking for a volunteer to help with Kindergarten classes from **8:50-9:30 on Thursdays**.
Mrs. Cox (Library) needs volunteers from **9:30-10:30 on Fridays**.

Please contact waccamawpta@yahoo.com if you are interested in helping any of these teachers. Thank you!

Monday, January 16



Tuesday, January 17

Grits
Link Sausage
WW Toast
Pear Slices
Choice of Juice or Milk

Wednesday, January 18

Sausage Biscuit
Seasonal Fresh Fruit
Choice of Juice or Milk

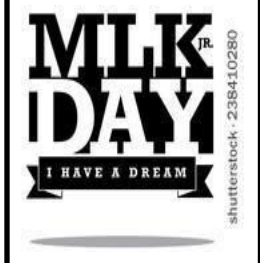
Thursday, January 19

Choose Two: Muffin, String Cheese or Cereal Bowl
Seasonal Fresh Fruit
Choice of Juice or Milk

Friday, January 20

Pancake Pups
Fruit Cocktail
Choice of Juice or Milk

No School



Club on a Sub
Pepperoni Pizza
Broccoli Salad
Pinto Beans
Mandarin Oranges
Choice of Milk

Meatballs w/Brown Gravy
Biscuit
Ham & Cheese Wrap
Creamy Whipped Potatoes
Garden Peas
Applesauce
Choice of Milk

Lemon Pepper Baked Chicken
Smoked Sausage
Yeast Roll w/Either
Baked Potato
Steamed Cabbage
Sliced Peaches
Choice of Milk

BBQ Rib Patty on a Sub Roll
Chicken Salad w/Crackers
Glazed Sweet Potato Patties
Oven Baked Okra
Pineapple Tidbits
Choice of Milk