

GURRIE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT BULLETIN  
Monday, February 27, 2023

HOT LUNCH: Meatloaf

BIRTHDAYS: Nicolas Pawula

1. Attention 8<sup>th</sup> grade! Retakes will take place on Tuesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> in the library. If you have any questions please ask your advisor or the front office.
2. This past Saturday, the District 105 Speech Team competed in the West 40 Speech and Drama Festival. After months of practice, the team put on a series of incredible performances, with all participants earning individual 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> place scoring finishes. The team brought back a 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall trophy against some truly tough competition, and they had the best total score D105 has seen in close to a decade. Paula Calderon had the overall best individual performance score for Gurrie with her serious monologue, followed closely behind by Brandon Harris' humorous monologue, Mary Sandman's serious presentation, and the humorous trio of Elena Bailey, Maddie Shishman, and Abbie Scouffas. The other first-place finishers included the group dramatic presentation from Lola Babinski, Mireya Brkic, Payton Meller, and Beckett Michel; the humorous duet of Eleanor Harmount and Louise Kallemeyn; and the serious duet of Taylor Hoffenberg and Mila Panos. The scoring for D105 was rounded out by tremendous performances from Caroline Mshar and her original slam poem; Kevin Seiple in the humorous poetry category; Zoe Stone and Nolan Fey in the extemporaneous duet category; and Gianna Flores in the oratorical declamation category. Thanks to all the incredible performers and teacher coaches for helping us hoist the 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophy for D105 - way to go Speech Team!
3. Choir will rehearse today after school from 3:15-4:00 in the band room.
4. We would like to congratulate the Gurrie Wrestling team for their second consecutive team regional championship! As each individual wrestler won in the tournament, they scored for their team with an official first place finish of 184 points. Eisenhower Junior High came in second with 143 and Lisle with 120.

Gurrie finished with five regional champions including Declan Driscoll, Salvador Alvarado, Ignacio Rodriguez, Nolan Callaghan, and Daniel Koziel.

Second place finishers include Deangelo Diaz, Israel Carreon, and Adrian Geronimo.

Third place finishers include Harrison Kittridge, Dylan Galvez, and Eddie Enriquez

A final congratulations to all of the wrestlers who competed this weekend and the individuals who helped run the tournament.

The sectional tournament will be held this weekend in Coal City to be soon followed by the State tournament in Dekalb.

5. Cooking club starts Thursday! See you in room 108 after school if you are interested! See Mrs. Burger in 216 for questions.
6. Attention athletes,  
Fitness and Wellness with Mrs. McMurray returns today after school in room 207.  
Remember to wear gym shoes and bring a water bottle! See you there!