## GURRIE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT BULLETIN Tuesday, May 7, 2019

HOT LUNCH: Pepperoni Pizza

Cheeseburger

BIRTHDAYS: Andrew Peto

- 1. Congratulation to 7<sup>th</sup> Graders Alexia Petrovich and Dean O'Bryan for finishing as 2019 runner-ups in the annual Junior Scholastic Contest, "Can You Find Mapman?" There were over 4,500 entries in this year's contest and Alexia and Dean finished in the top 25. Job well done you two... now it's time to focus on capturing the championship next year! Thank you to all of you that participated in this year's contest, all of the entries were high quality work."
- 2. Lyons Township High School Fitness Day Results:

Lyons Township Fitness Day is annual tradition in which the best athletes from each of the feeder school come to LT and compete in the Physical Education Fitness Tests. Students competed in the standing long jump, sit and reach, push-ups, shuttle run, 50 yard dash, and mile run. Students had to qualify in 4 of the 6 events to make it to LT Fitness Day. Students from Gurrie that qualified were Jake Warkentien, Calum Rogers, Devell Brittmon, Nik Polonowski, Sam Kogen, Liam Carolan, Connor Schmitt, Peter Sanchez, and Michael Rocha

We had 3- 1<sup>st</sup> place finishers

Nik Polonowski won the shuttle run with a time of 8.08 seconds

Liam Carolan won the standing long jump with a jump of 8 feet 7 inches

Michael Rocha won the 50 yd dash with a time of 6.01 seconds

3. Congratulations to the following students whose writing pieces were selected to be showcased at the 2019 D105 Writing Festival.

**Emily Spelson** 

Madison Kosenesky

Nik Polonowski

Julia Alvarado

Charlotte Schulz

They will be sharing their pieces on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> from 6-7:30 here in the Gurrie gym along with writing festival winners from the other elementary schools.

- 4. On Monday, Gurrie's Gold soccer team took on McClure A team which led to a 2-2 defeat with McClure wining in overtime penalty kicks. Goals were scored by Erik Ramirez and Aldair Garcia!! Today Gurrie's Gold will take on McClure B team, GO TIGERS!!
- 5. The boys volleyball team headed to Highlands yesterday for their last set of the regular season. 7th grade took an early lead in both games and never looked back thanks to Caden Strack's Strack Attack. The group finished with a perfect 7-0 record.

8th Grade had an exciting set, with a late surge from the hornets down the stretch in game 1. The Tiger's proved to be the better squad as they won in two behind an all-around team effort and a special performance from Sammy Kogen who stepped up as setter.

Both teams head into the tournament this Saturday at Pleasantdale hungry for the win.