



Grace
Christian School

The Soldier Update

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YOU BELONG AT GRACE!

We will be hosting our annual Re-enrollment Open House TONIGHT, at 7 pm. This event will kickoff the Re-Enrollment season that will run for four weeks, through Thursday, March 22nd, at 4pm. Don't forget that parents in attendance this evening will also receive FREE MYSCHOOLWORX access for the 2018-19 school year. There will be additional incentives for parents and students alike!

Additional Incentives:

- Parents will receive FREE MYSCHOOLWORX access for the 2018-19 school year.
- Students who attend can participate in a casual dress day on Friday, March 2nd.
- Teachers will be awarded an extra personal day, if they have 100% student/parent participation in their classroom.

The theme is "Re-Enlist", and elementary students will have a special part in the program. Dress code for elementary: Students are asked to wear black or dark pants or loose sweatpants and a dark colored long sleeve shirt (it does not have to be a dress shirt). Camouflage colors would be great! After the program, students will have fun time in the gym or their classroom. Each student who attends may wear jeans to school on Friday, March 2nd!



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STUDENT APPRECIATION DAY

TOMORROW, our 6th-12th grade students will participate in a special Leadership Conference/Student Appreciation Day. The morning activities will include some Christian leadership sessions, followed by a Number One Kitchen lunch. The afternoon will be filled with fun bowling and fellowship at Strike Zone. Please bring \$5 to cover the cost of the food and bowling.

Sixth-twelfth grade students do not have to be at school until 8:30 and may come to school wearing loose fitting jeans (no skinny jeans) or sweatpants and should wear tennis shoes for bowling.

Our elementary students will also be participating in Student Appreciation Day. Pre-school through 5th grade may wear jeans or sweatpants and t-shirts.

We look forward to a great day of spiritual development and school spirit!

Like our "Grace Christian School" facebook page!



Varsity Tournament Results on page 4!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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FEBRUARY

CONGRATULATIONS to our “Students of the Week”:

K5: Casey Nicholas
1st: Kaylin Brown
2nd: Jaycob Ray

3rd: CeCe Gue
4th: Will Conley
5th: MarLeah Wilson

22
**Re-enrollment
Open House, 7pm**

Lunch: Giovanni’s
Pizza
(Snack Bar
available)

23
**Student
Appreciation Day**

Lunch: Corn Dog &
Potato Wedges

24
**Archery
Tournament**

25	26 Lunch: Gino’s Pizza (Snack Bar available)	27 ACT Testing Lunch: Spaghetti & Garlic Bread	28 LifeTouch Cap and Gown and Spring Pictures Lunch: Pancakes & Sausage
Spring Book Fair			

Buddy Basketball

It is time for Buddy League! Practices will begin the second week of March, with games to begin the next week. Official schedules will be sent home after signups. Sign-ups will be online this year. The cost is \$25/child. Please send a check in with your child before the first game. You can sign up by following the [link](#). This link will also be available on our Facebook page as well as on our website, gracesoldiers.net. Please sign up by TOMORROW! If you are having trouble signing up, please contact Mrs. Emily Fisher at efisher@gracegospelwv.net.

MARCH

STRAWBERRY SALE

The Strawberry Sale is underway and will continue through March 6th, and may be picked up on March 13th, from 11-5:30, in Fellowship C. The cost is \$26 for a full flat (8-11lb containers), or \$13 for a half flat (4-11lb containers). If you would like to pay with a credit card, the cost is \$26.65 and \$13.33. This is a simple way to provide a delicious treat to our school families! An extra order form can be found on page 5!

1 Lunch: Giovanni’s Pizza (Snack Bar available)				2 Lunch: Chicken Sandwich		3
4	5 Lunch: Gino’s Pizza (Snack Bar available)	6 New Enrollment Open House, 10am Lunch: Loaded Fries	7 Lunch: Hotdogs & Chips	8 Lunch: Giovanni’s Pizza (Snack Bar available)	9 Lunch: Noon Dismissal	10

SPRING BOOK FAIR

Our annual spring book fair begins next week, February 26th through March 2nd. This event provides a good opportunity for you, our parents, to view new books and materials that are available for sale to our students in grades K3-8. Please note the provided schedule so you can plan on when each class will be attending.



Spring Book Fair Schedule February 26th - March 2nd					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30-9:00	Book Fair Set Up	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	1st 8:40-9:00
9:00-9:30	Book Fair Set Up	1st	OPEN	3rd	2nd 9:00-9:20
9:30-10:00	Teacher Preview	Middle School	Middle School	Middle School	3rd 9:20-9:40
10:00-10:30	5th	2nd	4th	2nd	4th 9:40-10:00
10:30-11:00	K4	K4	K4	K4	5th 10:00-10:20
11:00-11:30	K3	K3	K3	K3	K4: 10:20-10:40 K3: 10:40-11:00
11:30-12:00	K5	K5	K5	K5	K5 11:00-11:20
12:00-12:30	OPEN				
12:30-1:00	3rd	3rd	OPEN	3rd	
1:00-1:30	1st	OPEN	1st	4th	
1:30-2:00	2nd	OPEN	2nd	2nd	
2:00-2:30	4th	5th	3rd	5th	
2:30-3:00	OPEN	4th	5th	1st	
3:00-4:00	OPEN				

LIFETOUCH PICTURES

LifeTouch Studios will be on campus Wednesday, February 28th, to take spring pictures of all students and cap and gown pictures of seniors.

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE PHOTOGRAPHED FOR SPRING PICTURES. Order forms and payment are not required in advance; HOWEVER, parents need to select a pose for their child's portrait. Forms will be sent home with students, and an extra form can be found on page 6 of this week's Update. When the finished portrait packages come in, they will be sent home with each student for parental approval.

CAP AND GOWN PICTURES: Our Senior students will also have the opportunity to have their pictures taken with a cap and gown (provided by LifeTouch). A separate order for this picture session is available on page 7 and is due back, WITH PAYMENT, before the picture can be taken.

NEW ENROLLMENT OPEN HOUSE

We are asking you to invite your friends and family members to our New Enrollment Open House on Tuesday, March 6th. We host this event to introduce new and interested families to our school. Parents will be given the opportunity to tour our facility, view our curriculum, and ask questions - all under no obligation! If you refer a new family, and they come in for an interview, you will receive a \$100 credit for the 2018-19 school year. If that family enrolls, both YOU and the NEW FAMILY will receive January 2019 tuition free for one student.

SCRIP FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR RE-ENROLLMENT FEES

Don't forget that as a member of the GCS SMART SCRIP program and/or the Kroger Cares Program, you have the option of using these proceeds toward the payment of your 2018-19 re-enrollment registration fees. You can also let this amount continue to build and use it toward your tuition for the 2018-19 school year. For more information about this program, or your SCRIP account, you may contact Mrs. Deana Childers at GraceChristian-Scrip@gmail.com.

Varsity Tournament Results



Congratulations to our Varsity girls on their 3rd place finish in the WVCAT Tournament. Congratulations to Rachel Tanner and Samantha Wells for being named to the All Tournament Team.



Congratulations to our Varsity boys for finishing their season in 4th place after a hard fought game in the third round at the WVCAT Tournament.

Student Name _____
Grade _____

GRACE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL STRAWBERRY SALE!

Enjoy fresh picked strawberries even in winter!

The GCS Strawberry Sale is once again underway! If you haven't tried these strawberries, you are in for a real treat! We have partnered directly with the farm for the most delicious strawberries!

There are no student incentives for this fund-raiser, it is simply a way to provide a delicious treat to our school families.

Total cost:

Credit/Debit

\$26.65 full flat (eight 1lb containers)
\$13.33 half flat (four 1 lb containers)

Cash/Check

\$26.00 per full flat
\$13.00 per half flat

Strawberries sold ONLY in full or half flats.

- **Payment:** MUST be made when order is placed. *Cash or checks payable to GCS.*
- **Order deadline:** Tuesday, March 6th, no later than noon.
- **Order pickup:** Tuesday, March 13th, 11:00 am-5:30 pm, in Fellowship C



ORDERS:

Name: _____
Phone : _____
Qty: _____ Full _____ Half
Total Amount \$ _____
Credit/Debit # _____
Cash/ Check # _____

Name: _____
Phone : _____
Qty: _____ Full _____ Half
Total Amount \$ _____
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Total Amount \$ _____
Credit/Debit # _____
Cash/ Check # _____

Spring Portraits your way

Create a one-of-a-kind spring portrait!

Chalkboard will be provided on Picture Day.



SEE BEFORE YOU BUY!

Mark Your Calendar for Spring Picture Day

Grace Christian School
Wednesday, February 28, 2018
miércoles, 28 de febrero, 2018

1-888-511-7249
 wwterritory@lifetouch.com

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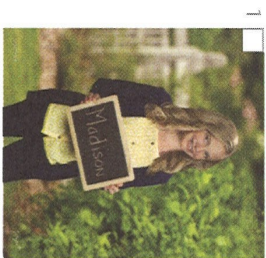
Please return form on Picture Day

1. Please choose **ONE** portrait look from below.
2. No need to send money now. After Picture Day, you will receive a portrait package to review and purchase.

Student's Name _____

Teacher _____

I would prefer my child to be photographed without a chalkboard



Notes to the photographer (such as any tips or fun facts to get a great smile).

All students will be photographed. Please notify your child's teacher if you do not want an individual portrait taken of your child. Your child may be included in a group portrait requested by the school.



Detach & give to your photographer on Picture Day



MyFamily Rewards™

Free Digital Image
with online purchase when you join MyFamily Rewards™ program.

Order at **mylifetouch.com**
No need to return this form for online orders.
See you at Picture Day!
Picture Day ID: WY04714700



If you did not order online, please fill this form out completely, enclose EXACT payment, and return to school on Picture Day. To pay by cash or check, please fill out the entire form. Enclose cash, money order or check, payable to Lifetouch. Photographer won't make change.

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2018

1700

PACKAGES

<p>A. Value \$24</p>	<p>B. Deluxe \$31</p>	<p>C. Premium \$44</p>
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<p>D. Ultimate \$49</p> <p>3 - 8x10 4 - 5x7 4 - 3x5 16 - 2x3 Portrait CD</p>	<p>E. Family \$36</p> <p>1 - 8x10 3 - 5x7 4 - 3x5 12 - 2x3</p>	<p>F. Basic \$18</p> <p>4 - 3x5 8 - 2x3</p>
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Customize your portrait package at mylifetouch.com

PORTRAIT LOOKS (POSE + BACKGROUND)



LOOK CODE

NOTE: Background for your yearbook is selected by your school. Props, posing and backgrounds may vary by school.

More choices at mylifetouch.com

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SAVE UP TO 25%

NEW! Gift Special \$18

Grad Year Wallets & Grad Year Magnets

Upgrade Special

Add Name & Grade On All Portraits &

Questions? Call 1-888-

511-7249

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Student First & Last Name _____

Daytime Phone Number _____

Teacher Last Name _____ Student Grade _____

PACKAGES	QTY	Price	Total	LOOK CODE
A. Value		\$24		
B. Deluxe		\$31		
C. Premium		\$44		
D. Ultimate		\$49		
E. Family		\$36		
F. Basic		\$18		

SAVE				
G. Upgrade Special Offer		\$11		N/A
H. Gift Special		\$18		N/A

ADD-ONS				
I. 8x10 Collage		\$12		
J. (8) 2x3 Wallets		\$12		
K. (2) 5x7		\$12		
L. (1) 8x10		\$12		
M. (4) 3x5		\$12		
N. Grad Year Magnet		\$12		N/A
O. Grad Year Wallets		\$12		
P. CD High and Low Resolution		\$15		

ENHANCEMENTS				
Add Premium Retouching <small>Basic plus whitens teeth and evens skin tone</small>		\$12		
Add Basic Retouching <small>Removes blemishes</small>		\$6		
Add Name & Grade on All Portraits*		\$8		
Add Name & Grade on Wallets (2x3)*		\$5		
SUBTOTAL				
Add sales tax		7%		
TOTAL				

*Name & Grade
Please print name exactly how it should appear on portraits.