The Green Valley Gazette DECEMBER 2025



Dr. Jon Stenger, Principal

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2025-2026 District Calendar

2025-2026 Student/Parent Handbook

610-670-0180 - **x2810** Mrs. Dunlap - Head Secretary **x2820** Ms. Lawrence - Attendance Secretary

UPCOMING EVENTS

December

- 1- No School
- 4- Winter Concert (Grades 4 & 5)
- 8 Spirit Day: Lights, Brights & Bling
- 9 Winter Concert (2nd & 3rd Grade)

*GV Cafeteria 9:30am (doors open at 9:15am)

10 - Winter Concert (K & 1st Grade)

*GV Cafeteria 9:30am (doors open at 9:15am)

- 16 Spirit Day: Ugly Sweaters
- 18 Spirit Day: Favorite Holiday Movie Character
- 19 Spirit Day: Snowman Day- Wear White/Black
- 19 Winter Classroom Parties
- 22 Spirit Day: Pajamasl
- 24 Jan. 4 NO SCHOOL *Winter Break

<u>January</u>

- 5 School Resumes
- 19 NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King, Jr.
- 23 GVHSA Pretzel Day

Morning Drop-off Reminders

Students are not permitted to enter the building before 8:30 am, regardless of the weather outside. At 8:50 am, the bell rings and the school doors close. Any students being dropped off after this time MUST be accompanied INTO the office with a parent/quardian to be signed in.

From the Office

Regarding Doctor appointments: If your child will be arriving late to school, please notify the office at extension 2820 and be sure to obtain a Doctor's note to present upon their return. If your child is leaving early for an appointment, we kindly ask that, upon their return, they submit a Doctor's note to the office or their teacher. **If you forget to obtain a note, your physician's office may fax it to the GV office at 484-334-6442.

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Please Dress for the Weather

Please make sure your child is dressed for the weather each day. Cold weather has arrived, and students will go out for two recesses when the weather permits. Warm coats, hats, gloves, and scarves should all be labeled with your child's name. This will ensure that these items won't end up in the Lost & Found. Thank you for your help!



Winter Concerts

The GV Music Department will present the Winter Concerts in December.

Please mark your calendars with the following dates:



December 4: 7:00 pm Grade 4 and Grade 5 vocal music classes, orchestra, and 5th-grade band: VVinter Concert at West Auditorium.

December 9: 9:30 am 2nd and 3rd grade Winter Concert in the GV Cafe

<u>December 10:</u> 9:30 am Kindergarten and 1st grade Winter Concert in the GV Cafe

**Each director will send additional information.

If you have any pressing questions, please email Kim Nelson, Vocal Music Teacher at nelkim@share.wilsonsd.org

Wilson Community Info

For information on Wilson Community events, programs, and organizations, please visit the community resource section on the district website. <u>Here</u>, you will find the <u>Bulldog Blitz</u>, PeachJar, information on volunteer clearance requirements, and many other informative links.

GVHSA News & Updates - Connect with GVHSA - website - facebook

Redner's Receipts

Please send in your Redner's receipts with your child! GVHSA can earn 1% back through the Redner's Save-A-Tape program. So, if you already shop at Redner's, you can help us earn money for our school! It's easy to do. Just make sure you have your Redner's Rewards card scanned at checkout, and then send your receipts in an envelope marked "Redner's Receipts" to school with your child. The Save A Tape total must be listed on the receipt for the receipt to be valid.

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Yearbook

The Green Valley yearbook can now be preordered! Yearbooks can be purchased online for **students** in grades K-4. All **5th-grade** students will receive one free yearbook courtesy of the HSA in May.

Price: \$19

Link to order: https://www.yearbookordercenter.com/index.cfm/job/25377

Contribute pictures: We accept pictures of GV students/events for the yearbook

Pictures should be submitted to: https://yearbookshare.com/eshare and enter code 270

Questions? Email the GV Yearbook team at: qvelementaryyearbook@gmail.com

Salvation Army Angel Tree

The annual Salvation Army Angel Tree provides an excellent opportunity to bring smiles to the faces of underprivileged children in Berks County.

The Angel Tree is set up in the Green Valley school vestibule and decorated with 80 paper angel tags. Each tag includes the child's first name, age, and gender who needs presents. Parents may remove one or more tags and purchase appropriate gifts for the child described on the tag. Gift drop-off is at Green Valley Elementary on December 3rd during drop-off/arrival time. Alternatively, parents can send gifts (with tags attached) to school with their child. Please email Liz DiVietro at DiVietro.e@gmail.com if you need to make other arrangements or have any questions! We are thankful for a school community that is always so generous in helping those in need!

Holiday Shop

This year's holiday shop will be **December 15th-19th** during school hours. Students will receive a flyer with a shopping envelope sent home after Thanksgiving. This will have more information about the shop and a link to provide your child with a gift certificate (e-wallet) if you prefer to link up instead of sending in cash on their shopping day.

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\$20 FOR FIRST KID, \$15 FOR ADDITIONAL

WILSON MINI-THON KIDS NIGHT OUT

GRADES K-5

ACTIVITIES

HOLIDAY THEMED GAMES, CRAFTS, PIZZA, SNACKS, AND DRINKS

WILSON HIGH SCHOOL

2601 GRANDVIEW BLVD, READING, PA 19609

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FROM 5:30 P.M. TILL 8:30 P.M.



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