


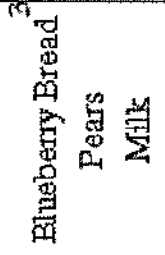
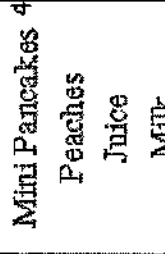

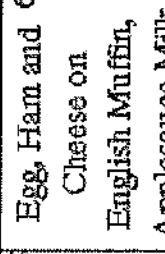
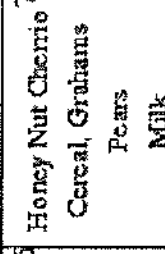


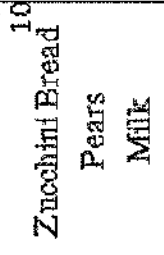
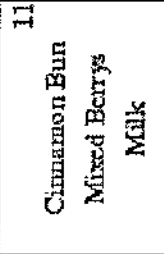
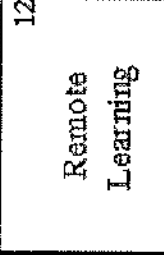
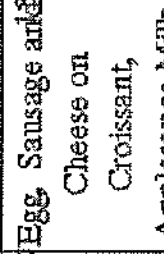
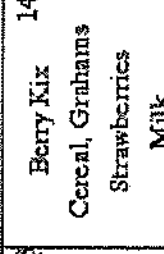


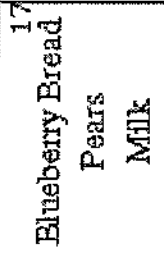
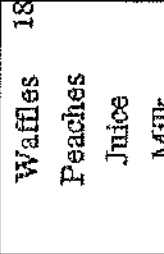
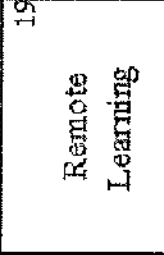
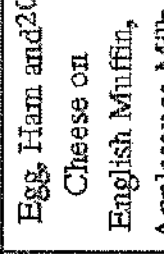
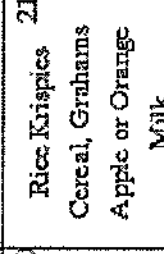


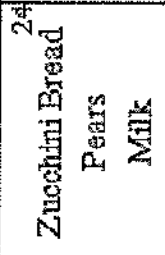
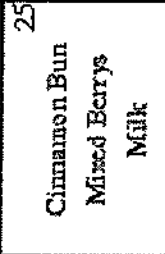
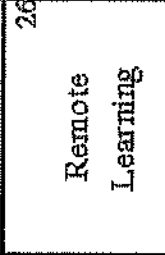
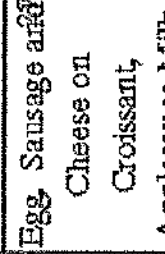
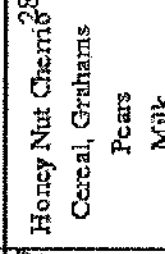


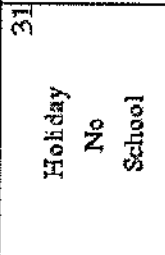
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Weekly Newsletter
Information for
Griswold Elementary School

GPS May 2021 Breakfast Menu

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Bread offerings are whole grain. Milk offerings are 1% white or fat free flavored. Milk is offered with all meals.</p> <p>Additional entrees are offered each day. Students will be notified daily of the additional options available.</p> <p>All Meals are Free for all students until End of Summer 2021</p>						
						
						
						
						
		<p>Grab and Go meals are available on Monday and Wednesdays from 7:45 AM - 10:00 AM</p> <p>The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer 2021</p>				










Griswold Public Schools May 2021 Lunch Menu

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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	2 Chicken Patty on a Bun French Fries Pears	3 Cheeseburger on Bun Baked Beans Strawberry Cup	4 Remote Learning	5 BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich Tater Tots Pears	6 Pizza Cheese Green Beans Strawberry Cup	
	9 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potato Corn Applesauce	10 Beef Nachos, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Black Beans, Rice, Peaches	11 Remote Learning	12 French Toast Sticks Sausage Patty Hash Brown Blueberries	13 Pizza Cheese Green Beans OJ Cup	
	16 Chicken Patty on a Bun French Fries Pears	18 Cheeseburger on Bun Baked Beans Strawberry Cup	19 Remote Learning	19 Mozzarella Sticks w/ tomato sauce Bread Stick Roast Corn, Peaches	20 Pizza Cheese Green Beans Strawberry Cup	
	23 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potato Corn Applesauce	25 Beef Nachos, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Black Beans, Rice, Peaches	26 Remote Learning	26 French Toast Sticks Sausage Patty Hash Brown Blueberries	27 Pizza Cheese Green Beans OJ Cup	
	31 Holiday No School					

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Kindergarten Registration at Griswold Elementary School

**It is time to register your child for the 2021-
2022 school year!**

Your child must be five years old on or before
January 1st, 2022 to be eligible.

(Children already enrolled in Griswold Public School Preschool Program are automatically registered in kindergarten)

WHERE: Griswold Elementary School Office

WHEN: Monday – Friday 9:00am -2:30 or 3:15 - 4:15



**YOU NEED:
2 Proofs of Residency
Birth Certificate**



**Connecticut State Health Form (Physical)
and
A Completed Registration Packet**

[https://www.griswold.k12.ct.us/ges/about/elementary-school-
registration](https://www.griswold.k12.ct.us/ges/about/elementary-school-registration)

Register your child as soon as possible so your child can be given a kindergarten screening date and time!

Call (860) 376-7610 or email jcaviness@griswoldpublicschools.org with any questions

Please note all registration materials are needed before your child will be fully enrolled.

GRISWOLD COMMUNITY PRESCHOOL SCREENING 2021



All children in Griswold who were born in 2017 and 2018 are invited to schedule an individual appointment for a developmental screening at Griswold Elementary School.

All Griswold preschool and community programs will provide information about their program/services during these screening days.

Please call to schedule your appointment TODAY!

Jaselyn Caviness, Griswold Elementary School Secretary
(860) 376-7610 or jcaviness@griswoldpublicschools.org



PTO Meeting

Please join us at the next
Griswold Elementary School PTO
meeting

When: Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at 6:30 PM

Rain Date: Thursday, June 3rd

Where: GES Playground; bring your kids to play

and enjoy popsicles



during the meeting!

What: We will be discussing next year's budget, events
and fundraisers!

We invite all parents, guardians, faculty, and staff to join this informational meeting. Volunteers are always needed and appreciated. *"It takes a village to raise a child."*

Questions: email gespto@griswoldpublicschools.org

Griswold Elementary School PTO

May 2021 Meeting Minutes

Date, Time, and Location: Tuesday, May 11, 2021 6:30 PM via Zoom

Meeting Start Time: 6:32 PM

6:32 PM Ashley M asked Angela M how much the PTO spent on Teacher Appreciation Week. Angela reported that \$45.84 was spent on snacks, and \$190 was spent on Kiefer's Kettle Korn. The budgeted amount increased to \$700 for this year. In the past it was \$500. Angela commented that the Amazon wishlist that families bought from really helped.

6:34 PM Motion to approve April 2021 minutes: 1st-Becky Wyzycki. 2nd- Deb Fargo

6:35 PM Field Day T-Shirts for Students/ End of year activities: Mr. Bordeau spoke about the idea to purchase a t-shirt for each student for field day. In the past, colored shirts for each grade level but because this year is so different, he thought that buying each student a matching field day shirt would be something they really would enjoy. The t-shirts are white and green tie dye, with the Griswold paw in the middle. Mr. Bordeau expressed that he was hoping the PTO would split the cost with the school. Mr. B. also expressed that there would be no other additional expenses for field day this year. Students will be participating during their exploratory times on both days. Ashley M said that Chris Chastang has generously offered his time to DJ both days. Diane Langalis (P.E. teacher) and Mr. Bordeau said we would need the DJ for both days during lunch and recess from about 10:45- 2:00. Children would eat their lunch outside with their class; grilled food would be provided while they are listening to music. The total cost of the t-shirts would be \$4889.

6:42 PM Becky Wnek asked if there were any more big costs that the PTO still has to pay out at the end of the year. Angela noted that Yearbook still has to be paid for, but it pays for itself; Anne (Yearbook Advisor) still needs to be paid her \$1500 stipend, and teacher reimbursements are trickling in. On a normal year, the PTO would have about \$17,000 left to roll over to the next year, but because fundraising fell very short this year due to Covid, there will be about \$13,000 left in the checkbook going forward to next year. Becky Wnek asked Mr. B. if this year's T-shirts are a one and done deal, and he said yes. Next year he hopes to be going back to the grade level colored shirts.

6:47 PM A motion was made to split the cost of the t-shirts with GES (\$2,400). 1st- Becky Wnek. 2nd- Deb Fargo

6:51 PM Spring Book Fair Liz R. spoke about this month's Book Fair. All items at the book fair will be eligible for a buy one get one free discount. There was a slight change of location; instead of having it in the Pre-K parking lot, it will now take place on the Playground Blacktop area. Due to Covid concerns, we are requesting sign ups ahead of time. The link to sign up for a spot can be found on the GES Scholastic Book Fair website or on the GES PTO Facebook page. There is still time to sign-up if you haven't done so already. So far, we have about 80 slots filled. Last week we were able to get the word out to families and staff. If you'd like to volunteer your time to help with the Book Fair we would greatly appreciate it. Ms. Beahan noted that students went home with bookmarks to take home that have the dates and times printed on them. Liz let her know that she can share the book fair website to families who have any questions about signing up to shop.

6:55 PM GES PTO Board Elections: Angela announced the four positions that were up for election, 2 Co-Chairs, Treasurer, and Secretary. Running for Co-Chair was Ashley McKinney, Running for second Co-Chair was Lindsay Gladue, Running for Treasurer: Michelle Flynn and Greta Silva. And, running unopposed for Secretary was Liz Rhoads. Michelle and Greta both introduced themselves and noted why they wanted to run for Treasurer.

Greta: She has four boys in the Griswold School system and has been volunteering since her oldest, who is now in 10th grade, was in elementary school. She has been running Muffin morning and helping at the Book Fair for years. She is running for Treasurer because she wants to help out.

Michelle Flynn: She is new to Griswold and previously held a Board position at the last PTO. Her daughter is in third grade. She wants to be involved in any way she can.

7:00 PM By-law voting rules were stated. The ballot was then shared to members that were present at the meeting.

7:01 PM Election results were read by Angela: Ashley McKinney, Co-Chair; Lindsay Gladue, Co-Chair; Greta Silva Treasurer; and Liz Rhoads; Secretary.

Michelle Flynn said even though she didn't win she would still help with events after school. She previously held a Board position at another elementary school before recently moving to Griswold. She also said she has a lot of experience with fundraising and running the Book Fair.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:03 PM Minutes Compiled by: Liz Rhoads, Secretary

****Note:** The Treasurer's report and the 2021- 2022 budget were not approved at this meeting due to time constraints of Zoom. There will be one more additional meeting of the school year on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 (Rain date: Thursday, June 3, 2021) to hold a discussion on these topics.



GRISWOLD

YOUTH FOOTBALL AND CHEER

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

BACK AGAIN!!!

That's right, the **2021 Griswold Youth Football and Cheer** season is upon us and REGISTRATION is now OPEN! The Griswold Youth Football Association Inc. provides football and cheerleading programs to children residing in the towns of Griswold, Lisbon, Voluntown, Canterbury, Preston and Sprague (Baltic, Hanover and Versailles).

Griswold youth football teams and cheerleading squads are all formed based solely upon a child's age/grade and we compete in the 13 team Southern New England Youth Football Conference (SNEYFC). Registering is so easy, just head to our website!

We hope that you come out and join the fun!



FOOTBALL Division/AGE groups

Flag Football: Ages 7 and under
Micro Football: Ages 9 and under
Junior Football: Ages 11 and under
Senior Football: Ages 14 and under



CHEERLEADING Division/GRADE groups



Mini/Flag Cheerleading: Grades K-2 (Age 5+)
Micro Cheerleading: Grades 3-4
Junior Cheerleading: Grades 5-6
Senior Cheerleading: Grades 7-8



Check us out and register on our website at:
<https://www.griswoldyouthfootballandcheer.com/>

ALL PAWS ON DECK | CENTREVILLE BANK

ANIMAL ESSAY CONTEST

Open to Griswold Students Grades 3 - 6
Public, Private, and Home School
Students Welcome!

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MAY 28TH, 2021 @ 5PM

WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED JUNE 09TH, 2021



The class with the most participation will win a **pizza party** compliments of Surrell's Pizza!



GRADE 3

If you could make up a holiday for animals, what holiday would it be and how would you celebrate it?

GRADE 4

How do you think animals communicate with people?

GRADE 5

If you could make one rule for the world to follow about animals and everyone had to follow it... what would it be?

GRADE 6

In 2060, how will animal shelters be different than they are today?

Essay Requirements:

- Only one essay per student.
- Submitted material must be original, 500 words or less, typed.
- Students must reside within the City of Griswold / Borough of Jewett City.
- Cover sheet must contain student's name, address and phone number, school, grade and teacher's name.

Essays will be judged by a panel consisting of Centreville Bank employees and volunteers. The decision of the Judges is final. Centreville bank employee children are ineligible to participate.

A Winner from Each Grade will Receive a \$100 Visa Gift Card Compliments of Centreville Bank!

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WWW.ALLPAWSONDECK.ORG



GRISWOLD REC n' ROLL CONCERT

10 AM - 7 PM



SATURDAY

VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK, JEWETT CITY
(parking JCLL or Youth Center)

||||| HUGE COMMUNITY |||||

YARDSALE

IN PERSON ONE-LOCATION EVENT:
68 ASHLAND STREET, JEWETT CITY

&

**YARD
SALES
around
town**

68 Ashland Street 8am-4pm
Slater Library 9am-2pm
21 Pleasant View St 9am-3pm
238 Lester Road 8am-1p
42 Leha Avenue, 8am-3pm
142 Bitgood Rd, 8am-3pm
540 Taylor Hill Road 10am-4pm
Pauline Place (multi family); 8am-2pm
634 Hopeville Rd Lot 47, 8:30am-2 pm
39 Dogwood Drive (In Lisbon) 8am-2pm

[griswold youth&family/park&rec](http://griswoldyouth&family/park&rec) → griswoldREC.org

JEWETT CITY
VETERAN'S
MEMORIAL
PARK
OR
ONLINE

COMMUNITY YARD SALE

8 AM > 4 PM

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INCLUDES PARKING
RIGHT BESIDES SPOT

OPTION 1 = \$25
SELL
IN-PERSON
(LIMITED SPOTS)

OPTION 2 = \$5
SELL ONLINE
(UNLIMITED SPOTS)



GRISWOLD
REC N' ROLL CONCERT

7 HOURS OF LIVE MUSIC



**DEADLINE:
MONDAY!**

**SIGN UP: GRISWOLDREC.ORG
QUESTIONS: TEXT RYAN AUBIN, 860.213.1524**



GRISWOLD

Rec'n Roll!

**community concert
+ community yard sale**

**MAY 22
10AM - 6PM**

**Big Blue Bang
Rixtown
395
Broken Roads
Stone County**



**VETERANS
MEMORIAL PARK
68 ASHLAND ST. JEWETT CITY**

griswoldREC.org

TOWN OF GRISWOLD, CT - PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT



SUMMER CAMP

DEADLINE TO APPLY

JUNE 4



GRISWOLDREC.ORG
(MUST SIGN UP & PAY TO RESERVE)

TEAMING UP WITH: GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUMMER LEARNING PROGRAM



JUNE 21 > AUG. 13
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

(8-WEEKS, PICK & CHOOSE WHICH WEEKS)

Need Early Care?

7:10-9 am = \$50 per Family per Week

\$60 Non-Residents

Breakfast & Lunch by:
Griswold Public Schools

Sliding Scale Rates
Available from TVCCA! Limited!
(must qualify & apply by May 1)

OUR MISSION

To produce a safe, secure & social environment, for our resident's grades K-8th, that is a instructive, entertaining & an overall unforgettable experience.

off July 5 (federal holiday)

PRICING

PER CHILD, PER WEEK:

GRISWOLD RESIDENTS: \$110

ALL NON-RESIDENTS: \$130

+ CREDIT CARD PROCESSING FEE
(CHECK/MONEY ORDER HAS NO FEE)

DEADLINE TO ENROLL: JUNE 4TH!
Enrollment Limited Due to Pandemic.

**NEW DROP
OFF LOCATIONS:**

Child's Age as of September 1st

Ages 5,6,7 & 8 @ Griswold Elementary School

Ages 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 @ Griswold Middle School

G R I S W O L D R E C . O R G

REC+WELLNESS+VARIETY=FUN

F R E E
CONCERT
SATURDAY



**VETERANS
MEMORIAL PARK
JEWETT CITY**

griswoldREC.org

JUNE 5TH

**1:30-
8:15PM**

**eastern
connecticut
performing
arts**



**JAZZ
FESTIVAL 2021**

ON SALE MAY 1ST

**Wolverine Jazz Band | Greg Abate Band
Souls on Fire | Chris Leigh Band**

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