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We have so much to celebrate this week! If you see any of the students who deserve recognition, please give them your kudos.

Go Green (& White!) Community Clean Up Next Week

The big event is here! On April 17th and 18th, please join our school community in tree planting, landscaping, cleaning, painting and redecorating. The work will occur from 10 am – 2 pm on both days, and lunch will be provided. Breakfast will be served at 9:00 on Saturday for anyone participating. On Saturday, we will have a raffle for volunteers that includes a laptop, an ipod shuffle, and gift cards for nearby restaurants.

If you do plan on joining us, please remember to bring sunscreen if you are working outside, wear closed toed shoes, and bring a water bottle to keep yourself hydrated. Work gloves are also highly recommended for landscaping work, but we will have some on hand if you do not have your own.

We are still looking for donations to help us purchase plants, gift cards for our raffle, and supply costs for the day. We have received a generous $1,650.00 in donations so far, but we still need about another $900 to cover our costs. Thank you to everyone who has contributed!

George Washington MESA Team Performs at Colorado School of Mines

George Washington High School placed 3rd Place in the Trebuchet Competition and the Wind Turbine Competition. The competition was held at the School of Mines for the Colorado MESA teams. Congratulations to Emily Kolenbrander, Lillian Wheeler, Linda Fu, Margarita Dovgolenok, Catherine Castillo, Ethan Flos, Zorig Boldbaater, Monk Gerelbat and Marcus Howard for their creative designs they made for the competition.

2009 GW Denver History Day Champions and Colorado History State Qualifiers

108 of our GW Patriots participated at DPS History Day, and 40 have qualified for Colorado History Day, May 2, 2009, at the University of Colorado at Denver.

Research Papers
1 *Judge Benjamin Barr Lindsey: A Legacy in Juvenile Justice* Gabe Neslin
2 *Clarence Earl Gideon: I Have the Right to Fight for My Rights* Tunde Kelani
3 *Rachel Carson and Silent Spring : A Loud Voice for Silenced Wildlife* Madi Pluss
4 *John Locke: Advocacy of the Social Contract and Legacy of Natural Rights* Leigh Howard

Individual Exhibit
1 *Sir Robert Watson-Watt: Detecting the Solution for WWII with Radar* Paloma Jiminez
2 *Abraham Lincoln: The Right Man at the Right Time, Active Perseverance through Secession and Slavery* Sarah Pierce
3 *Bloody Tyrant or Little Father?: The Legacy of Nicholas* II Casey Federico
4 *Menachem Begin and the Camp David Accords* Ido Waksman

Group Exhibit
1 *Truman's Revolutionary Decision: Ushering in Modern Warfare* Patrick Tapp, Anil Arora, Keleka Blair, Tanner Sandoval, Sean Chilelli
2 *Paul Rusesabagina: "The Ordinary Man Can Triumph Over Evil"* Madeleine Winslow, Christine Collins, Leah Lieber
3 *Take Me Out to the Ball Game with Alexander Cartwright* Michael Wakefield, John McIntyre, Ben Breyfogle
4 *Terror Out of Zion: Menachem Begin and Birth of Modern Terrorism* Henry Biermann, Josh Carson, Emmily Pierce, Robin Zeller

Group Performance
3 *I am Rosa Parks* Ottauna Wiley, Nia Imani Martin, Evelyn Washington, Kamisha Martin, Rose C. Brown

Individual Documentary
2 *Benito Mussolini: The Lateran Treaty* David Nowick
3 *Saladin: Uniting the Arab World* Amel Topic

4 *March into Action, Legacy of Freedom* Aerik Francis

Group Documentary
3 *Kwame Nkrumah: Independence for Ghana, Freedom for Africa* Rachel Yahn, Jordyn Sample, Chase Kernan

Web Site
1 *Maria Theresa Archduchess of Austria* Lydia Loopesko, Grace McLaughlin
2 *Woman in the Mists: Dian Fossey and Her Crusade to Protect the Mountain Gorillas of the Virungas* Olivia Edwards
3 *Euler's Journey Through Genius* Devon Stork, Karthik Balaji, Alex Port

Teachers: Bonnie Guggenheim, Barbara Gale-Martinez, Maryrose Kohan, Carrie Lamitie, Sara Morrow

Sports Schedule

Sport	Level	Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Baseball	Boys Varsity	4/11/2009	Denver North High School	Home	11:00AM
		4/13/2009	Denver West High School	Away	5:00PM
		4/17/2009	*Denver East High School	Home	4:15PM
	Boys Junior Varsity	4/10/2009	Adams City High School	Away	4:00PM
	Boys C Team 1	4/15/2009	The Classical Academy	Home	4:00PM
		4/17/2009	Denver East High School	Away	4:15PM
Football	Boys Middle School	4/11/2009	Manual High School	Away	11:00AM
		4/18/2009	Thomas Jefferson High School	Home	1:00PM
Golf	Girls Varsity	4/13/2009	()(League)	Away	2:00PM
Soccer	Girls Varsity	4/11/2009	Postponed-to 4/17/2009-Aurora Central High School	Away	TBA
		4/17/2009	Aurora Central High School	Away	4:30PM
	Girls Junior Varsity	4/11/2009	Cancelled-Aurora Central High School	Away	TBA
		4/17/2009	Denver East High School	Away	4:15PM
Tennis	Girls Varsity	4/10/2009	Chaparral High School	Home	3:30PM
		4/14/2009	Thomas Jefferson High School	Away	4:15PM
		4/15/2009	*Lakewood High School	Home	3:30PM
		4/17/2009	()(GW Invitational)	Home	TBA
		4/18/2009	()(GW Invitational)	Home	8:00PM
	Girls Junior Varsity	4/17/2009	Denver East High School	Away	4:00PM
Track	Boys Varsity	4/11/2009	()(Mullen Invitational)	Away	TBA
		4/18/2009	()(DPS Invitational)	Away	9:00AM
	Girls Varsity	4/11/2009	()(Mullen Invitational)	Away	TBA
		4/18/2009	()(DPS Invitational)	Away	9:00AM
Swimming	Boys Varsity	4/14/2009	Denver North High School	Away	4:15PM
Lacrosse	Boys Varsity	4/11/2009	Golden H.S.	Away	11:00AM
		4/14/2009	Colorado Academy	Away	4:30PM
		4/16/2009	Denver East High School	Home	4:30PM
		4/18/2009	Gateway High School	Home	12:00PM
	Boys Junior Varsity	4/11/2009	Golden H.S.	Away	9:00AM
		4/18/2009	Gateway High School	Home	10:00AM