

Fruita Monument

High School



May 2022

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Important Dates:

We have some really exciting events coming up for the class of 2022:

- ⇒ **Monday, May 2 - Honors in Excellence, South Gym 7pm**
- ⇒ **Wednesday, May 4 - Military Recognition Breakfast with Blue Star Mothers**
- ⇒ **Wednesday and Thursday, May 4, 5 - Senior Finals**
- ⇒ **Thursday, May 6 - Senior Scholarship Slideshow**
- ⇒ **Friday, May 6 - Senior Checkout**
- ⇒ **Sunday, May 8 - Baccalaureate, Victory Life Church 7pm**
- ⇒ **Monday, May 9 - Graduation Practice and Senior Picnic, Stocker Stadium, 1pm**
- ⇒ **Tuesday, May 10 - Graduation Class of 2022, 6pm Stocker Stadium**

Greetings Wildcat fans, parents and supporters!

It has been a great year at Fruita Monument! I would like to take a moment to congratulate the class of 2022 on a tremendous year. It seems like only yesterday they were walking in as sophomores.

The 443 seniors that make up the Class of 2022 represent the largest senior class in our history and they have so much to be proud of! Earlier this week, I had the pleasure of seeing an all time high 88 seniors recognized at the Superintendent Scholars Luncheon for maintaining a 4.0 grade point average for all four years of high school. We are proud to be honoring 10 seniors that have committed to join the armed forces and serve our country. We will also be recognizing 129 seniors for earning academic and athletic scholarships to colleges and universities across the nation. The dollar value of the scholarships earned by this class will total over seven million dollars (also an all time high)! On May 2, we will recognize more than 150 seniors at our Honors in Excellence Ceremony. These seniors have excelled in the areas of math, science, music, art, agriculture, foreign language, physical fitness, journalism, language arts, leadership and many other areas.

There are many people to thank for the success of the class of 2022:

Our PARENTS ~ for providing us with such dedicated, hardworking and talented students. For instilling in them a value for education, work ethic, respect and commitment. For being supportive of your senior and spending countless hours helping them to succeed.

Our TEACHERS ~ for their dedication, passion and commitment to each and every student. For going above and beyond every day so that students reach their full potential. With budget challenges and large class sizes, it takes extra effort to provide the education and social experiences our students deserve. Thank you for making a difference every day.

Our VOLUNTEERS ~ mostly parents who support students in various endeavors and passions. Whether it is Lacrosse or Football or Band or Ag, there is something for every student to get involved in and become passionate about. HOWEVER, these teams and organizations cannot do what they do without the efforts and time given by numerous parent volunteers. Thank you to the team moms, booster club members, community volunteers and businesses who work tirelessly and give generously to support FMHS.

The class of 2022 has definitely committed itself to high achievement and left FMHS a better place. Congratulations to all and Good Luck!

Go Wildcats!

Respectfully,

Todd McClaskey, Principal

Congratulations FFA Placers!



- Livestock team - 1st Place
- Vet team - 3rd Place
- Floral team - 1st Place

The FFA teams are finishing strong in recent FFA competitions!

Individual placers: Floral - Magnolia Richardson 1st and Emily Portice 2nd.

Way to go Wildcats!

Congratulations Hayden Murray

Kiwanis Student of the Month



Congratulations Seal of Biliteracy Recipients!



Students Emily Leane, Kimberly Guerrero (GJ senior/FM student grades 9-11), Elisa Elsberry, Araceli Vargas and Catherine Fletcher (not pictured)

Way to go Wildcats!

Congratulations FCCLA

Jade DiGioia—Bronze in Repupose Redesign

Isabelle Basham—Gold Medal in Fashion Construction

Ana Hull—Silver medal in Gourmet Food Presentation Savory

Paige LoBach (Fruita 8/9) top gold medal winner and National Qualifier in Fashion Construction



Congratulations FBLA Students

Going to Nationals this summer in Chicago!

STATE CHAMPIONS!!!



#2 in Business Plan—Abby Hanna, Camryn Somerville, Paula Bostelman



#1 in Human Resources—Emily Staton
#1 in Accounting 2—Cody Bailey



#3 in Economics—Zane Ebel. 8th in Publication Design—Alyssa Abeyta, #4 in Intro to Public Speaking—Rachel Park, Emily Staton, #1 in Human Resources

Also placing in top 10 and may get a roll-down to Nationals—Maren Lynch, 5th place in Insurance and Risk Mgt, Ross Winters, 5th in Future Business Leader, Alyssa Abeyta 8th in Publication Design, Serena Sullivan and Allie Robinson—8th in Intro to Social Media



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The Altrusa Art Show

The Altrusa Art Show is going on now through April 29th at the GJ Art Center. FMHS have multiple winners. If you see these students, please congratulate them. We are proud of all of them.

Congratulations 2022 Altrusa Art Show Winners!



Judge's Choice Award - Isabelle Basham; **Sculpture** - Isabelle Basham 1st; **Painting** - Ellie Lintott - 1st, Crimson Moriarty - 2nd, Hayley Hill - 2nd; **Drawing: Color** - Lucy Lillian - 1st, Lori Bird - 2nd, Honor Westcott - 2nd; **Drawing: Black & White** - Leo Liggett - 2nd; **Photography: Color** - Teagan Means - 1st, Breckyn Dunn - 2nd, Kendyll Wilkinson - 2nd; **Photography: Black & White** - Hayden Murray - 2nd, Sarah Chamberlain - 2nd, Owen Bangert - 2nd; **Ceramics-Functional** - Eeve White 2nd; **Mixed Media** - Bailey Loesch - 1st, Sabyra Mazrin - 1st, Devyn Allen - 2nd (student photo is in no particular order)

“Who We Are” Community Art Piece

As most of you have already noticed, this year’s community art piece is now up in the commons. It is titled “Who We Are”. The students who designed this piece and made it happen are:

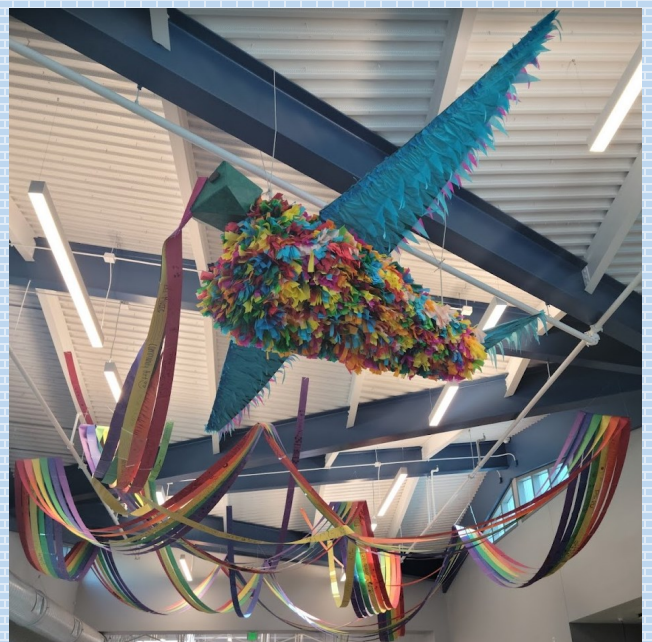
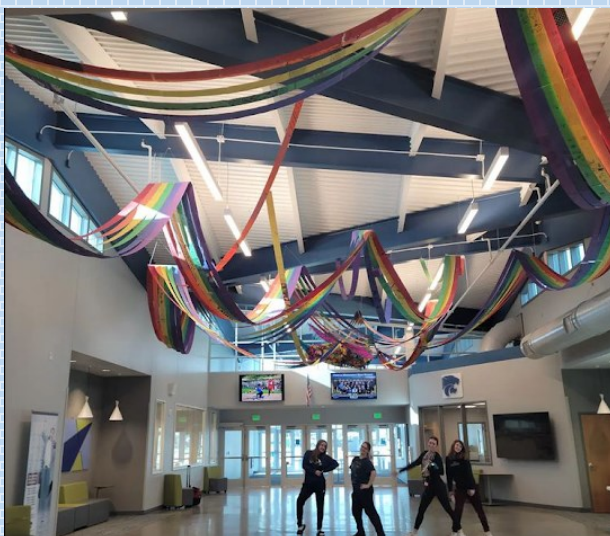
These students were out in Wildcat classrooms doing presentations, in the commons during access times giving students the opportunity to participate, and came in after school to prepare everything for the installation. Many of them took SAT on Wed. and then spent 5 hours helping install the piece. If you see these students, please congratulate them on a job well done.

Design Team Leaders

Sarah Hill
Mackenzie Legg
Amanda Inskeep

Design Team

Isabella Koppenhafer
Aly Montgomery
Alli Slack
Heather Starkweather
Devyn Allen
Honor Westcott
Megan Guire
Hayler Hill
Jade Digioia



Summer School

Wildcat

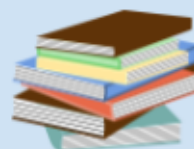
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EXTENDED Learning Time



June 6th - June 30th
Monday - Thursday
9am - 1pm



***Credit recovery student will attend as needed. Recovery is for students with a D or F final grade that want improvement.**

Registration Deadline is May 19th
Space is limited

Credit Recovery

- Comp 10
- Comp 11
- Modern Lit (2021 Sr only)
- Biology
- Chem Comm
- Geometry B
- Algebra 2
- Span 1, 2, 3
- Computer Science Foundations
- Web Design Foundations
- Coding 1
- Personal Finance
- Personal Fitness and Wellness
- Gradpoint (to finish courses already enrolled in. Other courses may be available upon request)

Courses

- Personal Health and Wellness
(graduation requirement; space limited; attendance mandatory for all 4 weeks)



From the Health Office --

It's hard to believe that we are at the end of another great school year! We want to send you off on summer break with a few reminders:

***Parents, all medications will need to be picked up by Thursday, May 19, no later than 3:00 pm. Students are not allowed to pick these up. We DO NOT keep medications of any kind over the summer months and these will be destroyed on Thursday, May 19 after 3:00pm, per school district policy. This includes prescription medications, inhalers, cough drops, liquid medications, lotions, eye drops etc. Also, make sure to pick up any other supplies that might be in the health office. If you have a special need or concern, please call the health office.**

*Spring and summer are great times to get any immunizations that your student might be missing. If you received a letter of notice for missing shots, you can take that to the doctor or health department for administration of these vaccinations. If you have lost or misplaced it, we will be happy to get you a new one! Remember to bring in the updated immunization information next fall. There are some changes concerning exemptions. If your student has a personal or religious exemption for immunizations that are required by Colorado State Law, a new exemption will need to be completed after June 30, 2022. A completed form is now required yearly. If you have any question or would like more information, please contact the health office at FMHS or go online at:

<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/vaccine-exemptions>

In the event that we are still tracking Covid cases in the fall, please plan to send in a copy of your student's covid vaccination form, if they have had them. You may also have us make a copy for you if you bring in the original.

Stay healthy!

Thank you, Sarah Gardner, Health Assistant, and Heather Lee, RN

If you have any questions, please call 970-254-6600 and press "5" to get to the health office.



Is your child considering military service as their next step?
Has your child enlisted but has not yet left for basic training?
Do you have a child currently serving or a veteran?

*Western Slope Blue Star Mothers welcomes and supports
Military Moms and Military Moms-to-be!*

Monthly meetings, social gatherings, and opportunities for service!

Find us on Facebook!

Western Slope Blue Star Mothers CO8

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www.wsbluestarmoms.org

LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MOMS!



Sports Physicals for Grand Valley Students Available at Community Care of the Grand Valley!

**Students in the Grand Valley are
invited to get a sports physical for the
2022-2023 school year!**

FREE Middle School & High School Walk-In Sports Physical Clinics:
(Please arrive by 5:45pm)

6/28/2022 • 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Central High School (550 Warrior Way)

7/12/2022 • 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Grand Junction High School (1400 N 5th Street)

7/19/2022 • 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Central High School (550 Warrior Way)

7/21/2022 • 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Grand Junction High School (1400 N 5th Street)

*Please note any student in the Grand Valley unable to make it during the clinic times listed
above are able to schedule a sports physical at a different time for \$50.*

Please call Community Care of the Grand Valley at 970-644-3740 to schedule an appointment.



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