



# Fall into Wildcat Pride

## October 2024 Newsletter

*Our mission is to create and maintain a safe learning community of students and adults who embrace new opportunities to learn and grow together through engaging experiences while demonstrating respect, responsibility, and accountability to themselves and each other. Our vision is to cultivate and inspire lifelong learners whose love for applying their knowledge will bring them success in today and tomorrow's world.*

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 **Forest Glen Principal**

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## From the Principal's Desk

I hope this message finds you well as we transition into Fall. Our teachers and students are making great progress. As October begins, please check your child's grades and reach out to their teachers with any questions. You can also schedule a parent-teacher conference through the school website or by calling the office.

Thank you for your ongoing support. Your involvement is key to our students' success. If you're interested in volunteering or joining our Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO), please contact the school office for more information. Stay connected by following us on social media and checking our website for updates and announcements.

Our students' safety remains our top priority, and we continue to follow all safety protocols. Remember the Glenhouse Rules: be respectful, responsible, and safe.

Take care, stay safe, and be kind,

Dr. Norris

#StrongerTogether #WildcatPride #ThisIsUs



# Parent & Student Corner



ID badges are required daily. Students must wear their own ID badge for the duration of the school day. Pictures must be visible.

First ID badge violation is a verbal warning. Second ID badge violation is a lunch detention. First 4 ID badges are free. The 5th reprint is a \$5 charge to a student's account. Please ensure students are wearing their badges daily.



Submit a tip easily via the anonymous Fortify FL app. Provide as much detail as you can, including names of people involved, physical descriptions, school name, social media handles, etc. Download the app or visit <https://www.getfortifyfl.com/> for more information

## October Dates to Remember

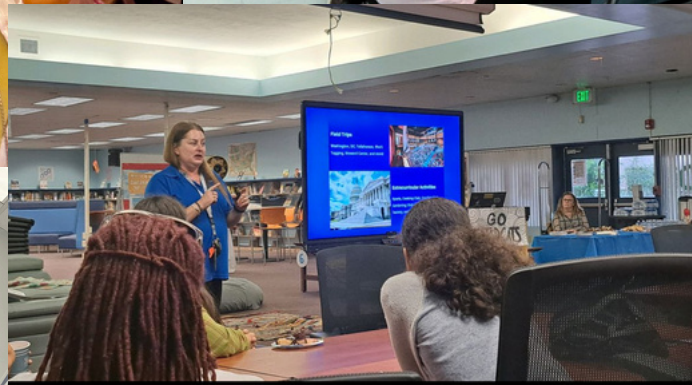
- 1- Custodian Appreciation Day
- 1- Parent University (Monitoring Your Child's Academic Success)
- 2- School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting @8:35 am (Instructional Learning Center)
- 2- Boys Basketball Tryouts
- 3- NO SCHOOL
- 4- FL Dads Take Your Child to School
- 4- KONA Ice (All Lunches)
- 7-11 Fall Spirit Week
- 10- PTO Meeting @ 6pm
- 11- PBIS Assembly (Periods 1-3)
- 14- NO SCHOOL
- 17- Inclusion Night @ 6pm
- 18- PAWS at the Glen @10am
- 21-25- Book Fair (Instructional Learning Center)
- 21- Parent University
- 23- Fall Band Concert @ 6pm
- 24- SAC Meeting @ 8:30am
- 25- Picture Day

**IF YOU SEE  
SOMETHING,  
SAY  
SOMETHING.**

At FGMS, we are promoting a safe culture by encouraging everyone, parents, students and staff, to say something if they see something. Saying something keeps us all SAFE.

How? Use any of the apps below. They can be found in any APP store. You may also call the school at 754-322-3400 to report safety concerns, and/or send an email to any staff member.

# Campus Life at the Glen



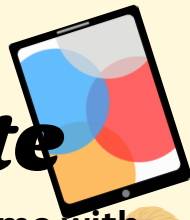
# Glen Updates

## Media Center Updates

Students are already soaring toward our goal of 100,000 Beanstack minutes read for this year! They are earning badges and prizes as they get on the leaderboard. They are getting comfortable with using their iPads to check out eBooks, do research for their history classes, even annotate texts online, and so much more. We have many new books coming this year, even some that are signed by famous authors! Stop by and discover some amazing artists on display for Hispanic Heritage Month.



## VILS Update



- Over 750 iPads have gone home with students
- iPads are still available for students who have not yet taken one home
  - Students can come to the Media Center or main office to get a form to sign out an iPad
- iPad Reminders
  - Leave chargers at home
  - iPads should come to school each day charged and ready to go
  - iPads may NOT be out in the hallways or at lunch
  - iPads should only be out in class if the teacher has requested for them to be out
  - If a student is misusing his/her iPad, the teacher may take it from them for the class period

## Crochet Club

Crochet Club has elected its officers for the year!

**CONGRATULATIONS**

President Paula

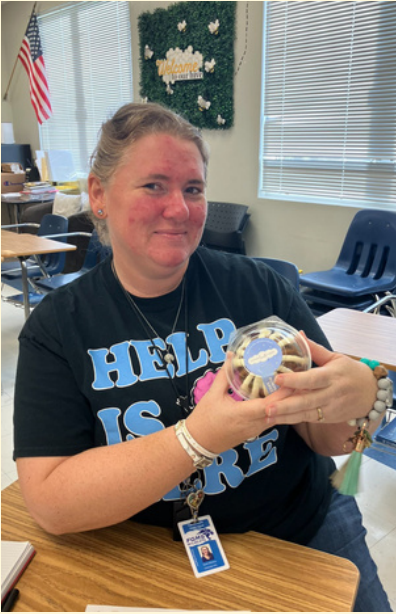
Vice President Gianna

Treasurer Sandri

Secretary Natasha!

We're still accepting new members. Beginners are always welcome. See Mrs. Montero in room 421 for a permission form. We meet every Monday after school.

# ***In the Land of FGMS***



**Teacher of the Year**  
**Mrs. Montero**

***Congrats!***



**Employee of the Year**  
**Mr. Bozeman**

## ***Get Involved with PTO***

### **FOREST GLEN MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO**

How can you help our Wildcats?

#### **4. PTO MEETING**

Join us every first Thursday of the month for our meetings in the Media Center at 6:00pm

#### **5. FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA**

Facebook: @ForestGlenMiddleSchoolPTO  
Instagram: @FGMSPTO

#### **1. JOIN FGMS PTO**

\$10 Membership Fee  
You can purchase merchandise & banners here as well.  
*Membership is not a commitment to volunteer or donate.*



#### **2. VOLUNTEER FORM**

All volunteers must fill out the Volunteer Form with Broward County Public Schools. Click at the top where it says: The online application for the 2023/24 school year is now available. To volunteer, all individuals must complete an application.



#### **3. SIGN-UP TO VOLUNTEER AT EVENTS**

All upcoming volunteer opportunities will be posted on our SignUp.com page.



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*Dear Parents, Guardians, Stakeholders, and Community Members,*

*Thank you for your ongoing support this school year. We are here for any questions, comments, or concerns. Our goal is to not only provide an excellent education for our students but also to deliver exceptional customer service at all times.*

