

Good morning Gateway Guardians,

Here is our news Friday , Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>

Ms. Bus would like everyone to sign up for Fuel-up-to-play-60 by the end of November. If you do the challenges and record your information it will enter you into drawings for prizes. Please email me your information of username and password so you get credit for signing up and your name on the poster in the gym. We have received a lot from this program, especially from last year, it has given us new equipment for our PE department and I would like to continue getting this support for our PE program. Thanks to the 6 or 7 who have already signed up, hope to get your emails soon.

Thank you to all those who entered the GRIT Poster contest. 42 students entered the contest and the winners will be announced on Tuesday.

All of the entries for our annual Yearbook Cover Contest have been submitted, and now it's time for you to check them out and decide which one should be on this year's yearbook cover. Take a few minutes between now and next Tuesday to look at the covers, hanging in the display case by the counseling office, and make your decision. Voting will be after GBN on Tuesday – you need to have your mind made up by then!

Remember, Winter 1 sports- Boys Basketball, Girls Volleyball and Boys & Girls Soccer start this coming Monday, October 29<sup>th</sup>. If you are a 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grader trying out for one of these sports, please see Mrs. Gitnes in the office during your lunch to see if you are on the roster. Those not on the roster on first day of sports will not be eligible to try-out.

**Reflections ENTRY REQUIREMENTS.** (All participants must also follow arts category and if applicable, Special Artist Division rules)

- Only new pieces of artwork inspired by the “**Heroes Around Me**” theme. may be submitted.
- Each entry must be the original work of one student only. An adult may not alter the creative integrity of a student's work. Because the program is designed to encourage and recognize each student's individual creativity, help from an adult or collaboration with other students is not allowed except in the Special Artist Division. Other individuals may appear in or perform a student's work, but the work itself must be the creative product of one student only. Only one student may be recognized as the award recipient for each entry. See the specific arts category rules and special artist division rules for details.
- Each entry must contain a title and all entries must include an artist statement. The artist statement communicates what inspired the work, how it relates to the theme, and the content of the work. The statement must include at least 10 words and not exceed 100 words.
- Use of copyrighted material is prohibited, except for background music in dance choreography and film production entries. If used in dance choreography and film production entries, background music must be cited on the entry form. Plagiarized entries will be disqualified. Use of PowerPoint templates are prohibited.

**Remember Gateway, guard your character.**