



# The Greenwood School Newsletter



*The Greenwood School provides a challenging and supportive education for average to above-average elementary through high school students who have learning differences and/or ADHD.*

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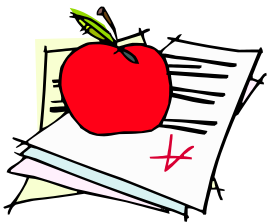
## The Regency Public Library

will be closed for remodeling from  
Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> to Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup>.  
Since students will not be able to use the resources  
on the last few days of school, you might want to  
schedule an alternate pick-up location.

## Final Exams

Final Exams begin on Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>  
and conclude on Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

Final exams are very important, therefore  
please do not make appointments or plan  
outings for your student during these days.  
Please make sure your student gets a good  
night's sleep, eats a nutritious breakfast,  
and comes to school on time and prepared  
to do his/her best.



## Earth Day at the Zoo

Last weekend, Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup>,  
Greenwood School hosted a booth for Earth Day at the Jacksonville Zoo.  
Ms. Krug and several 11<sup>th</sup> grade Environmental Science students and  
10<sup>th</sup> grade Biology students had the opportunity to teach visitors  
about the school's Science program and to share their knowledge about  
the wetlands flora and fauna. Thank you to all the staff members who  
supported this endeavor and to Mrs. Gardner who helped supervise  
students on Saturday. We hope to participate again next year.

## Thank You to Mark Gardner and his Boy Scout Troop #279

for making the beautiful trophy cabinet that is now in the front hall  
of the school. This was Mark's Eagle Scout Leadership Service Project  
where Mark demonstrated leadership of others while performing a  
project for the benefit of his community. Mark planned and organized  
the project, gathered the materials, lead and managed his team to  
complete this beautiful cabinet. The Greenwood staff and students will  
enjoy this cabinet for years to come. We appreciate all your hard work,  
Mark, and we are very proud of you.

**Saturday, May 1**  
7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.  
"City Lights" High School Prom

**Tuesday, May 4**  
1:30 p.m. PTO Meeting  
Greenwood School Conference Room

**Wednesday, May 12 -  
Friday, May 21**  
Final Exams

**Tuesday, May 25**  
Graduation

**Wednesday, May 26**  
Last Day of School for Students  
Early Dismissal - No Extended Care  
End of Grading Period

**Thursday, May 27 - Friday, May 28**  
Post planning for staff

**Monday, May 31**  
Memorial Day - School Closed

**Summer Office Hours**  
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Monday, July 26**  
All Student Forms Due

**Wednesday, August 4**  
All Faculty Return

**Monday, August 9**  
Parent/Student Orientation  
(Mandatory)

**Wednesday, August 11**  
Classes Begin

**Tuesday, August 17**  
1:30 p.m. PTO Meeting  
Greenwood School Conference Room

**Thursday, September 2**  
Open House

**Monday, September 6**  
Labor Day - School Closed

# Wetlands Tour

On Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, Greenwood's 11<sup>th</sup> grade Environmental Science students hosted 32 fourth grade students from Hendricks Day School. The fourth graders were given a tour of the wetland trails and participated in hands-on activities inside the library. Special thanks to Mrs. Blair for snacks and drinks to end the special event.

## Sewing Day Camps

for Youth age 10 - 18

At the Duval County

Extension Education Center

1010 North McDuff Avenue

Week 1 - Tuesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> -  
Friday, June 25<sup>th</sup>

Week 2 - Monday, June 28<sup>th</sup> -  
Thursday, July 1<sup>st</sup>

9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The cost is \$30.00

To register, call Sandra at 387-8850

There are only a few spaces left,  
so call today to reserve a space.

## Congratulations!

To all the athletes who received awards for their participation in Greenwood's Sports Programs. Thanks to the Coaches for all their hard work and a big **Thank You** to the volunteers who helped with the cook-out; Chef Bill McCoy, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Wade, and Mrs. Spencer.

## TUTORING

Ms. DePaolo will be available for tutoring in reading, language arts, and literature for the remaining semester and during the summer.

Please contact Ms. DePaolo  
at the school at 726-5000.

## Greenwood Discount Week at RC Uniforms

During the week of Tuesday, June 8<sup>th</sup> - Saturday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, Greenwood students will receive a 10% discount on their school uniforms.

## 4-H Summer Camp at Cherry Lake

Monday, July 19<sup>th</sup> - Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> - Campers, age 8 - 12 years old, both 4-H and non 4-H  
Register now through Tuesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>. For information, contact [rgodke@coj.net](mailto:rgodke@coj.net)

- 4-H sponsors a number of other camps that are open to both 4-H and non 4-H youth:
- **Marine Camp** - allows campers first hand experience with Florida's Marine environment from above and below the waterline. Ages 8 - 13
- **Gator Adventures Camp** - hiking, canoeing, swimming, recreational games, campfires, fishing, a dance and more. Ages 8 - 13
- **Senior Camp** - for ages 13 - 18. This camp is full of learning and fun activities targeted to teens in order to develop and enhance their leadership skills such as team building, canoeing, kayaking, swimming, recreational games, fishing, archery, a dance and much more. Camp Staff will encourage all campers to experience new adventures and make new friends.
- **Operation Military Kids Camp** - 2 camps; one for ages 8 - 12 and one for ages 13 - 18.
  - For detailed information on these camps, go to the 4-H Camp website:  
<http://florida4h.org/camps/open.shtml>.
- Any youth (ages 14-18) interested in being a Cabin Counselor or Counselor in Training, See the website for contact information.