

# The Crockett Review

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Nic South, Principal

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## Encore Schedule

### January 9-February 3, 2012

| <i>Phys Ed</i> | <i>Technology</i> | <i>Music</i> | <i>Art</i> |
|----------------|-------------------|--------------|------------|
| <b>8A</b>      | <b>8B</b>         | <b>6B</b>    | <b>7A</b>  |
| <b>3B</b>      | <b>4A</b>         | <b>5A</b>    | <b>5B</b>  |
| <b>1B</b>      | <b>2A</b>         | <b>KA</b>    | <b>1A</b>  |

## Scantron Make-Up Testing

| <i>Day</i>   | <i>Time</i> | <i>Subject</i> | <i>Grade/Location</i>           |
|--------------|-------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| 1/18 - Wed   | 1:00-2:15   | Reading        | 3-5 Library<br>6-8 Computer Lab |
| 1/19 - Thurs | 8:30-9:45   | Math           | 3-5 Library<br>6-8 Computer Lab |
| 1/20 - Fri   | 8:30-9:45   | Science        | 3-5 Library<br>6-8 Computer Lab |

## Principal's Corner

- All 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents, please plan to attend the PTSO Meeting on January 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. **Topics of Discussion will be:** Graduation, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dinner Dance, Step-Up Day, Pinning – Candle Lighting Ceremony, Parent Appreciation Breakfast and the Year End Field Trip.

**Parents:** We are working very hard to create a culture and climate that is respectful of the needs of all students and staff. Our goal is for students to realize the impact of their behavior choices on others, and to respect the learning environment that everyone needs to succeed, parents you can assist us in this endeavor by reinforcing our goal on the home front. Thank you for your assistance and continued support!

**Preparations for the 2012/2013 School Year are already underway beginning with the following events and dates:**

- Re-Enrollment begins February 27<sup>th</sup> and ends April 30<sup>th</sup>
- Open Enrollment school year begins April 2<sup>nd</sup> and ends April 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Lottery (if needed) will be held May 4<sup>th</sup> @ 3 pm

## Athletics & Student Life Activities

**Next Game:** Boys game schedule TBA

**Boys Junior Varsity: M & W**  
3:30 – 5:30 p.m.

**Boys Varsity: M, T, W, TH**  
4:30 – 6:30 p.m. @

**Thirkell Elementary School**  
7724 14<sup>th</sup>, Detroit, MI 48206  
(corner of LaSalle Blvd.)



**Cheerleading Practice dates**

Practice dates: 1/9, 1/10, 1/11, 1/12  
1/17, 1/18, 1/19, 1/23, 1/24, 1/25, 1/26, 1/27

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## Mission Statement

George Crockett Academy provides a nurturing, respectful and stimulating academic environment, committed to the empowerment of responsible citizens who are critical thinkers in a global society.



Skillman Foundation "Good School"



## Vision Statement

The entire George Crockett Academy community is committed to developing students who are self-respecting, respectful of others, and dedicated to community service. The students of GCA are taught to believe in the power of law to solve problems for justice and equal rights. The Kwanza principles are the foundations of our vision:

- **Umoja** (Unity)
- **Kujichagulia** (Self-Determination)
- **Ujima** (Creative Work & Responsibility)
- **Ujamaa** (Cooperative Economics)
- **Nia** (Purpose)
- **Kuumba** (Creativity)
- **Imani** (Faith)

If you would like to receive *The Crockett Review* electronically, please leave your email address with the main office at (313) 896-6078.

### Edline Parent Activation Code

Each student attending GCA has an activation code so parents can view grades online at Edline.net

If you have not received your Edline activation code please contact Asst. Principal Powell – Johnson at: [Tamiko.Powell-Johnson@leonagroup.com](mailto:Tamiko.Powell-Johnson@leonagroup.com) or call the main office at (313) 896-6078 for more information or assistance with how to see your child's grades online.

Note: Codes do not change. If you received your code last year it is still valid.

## January Events & Activities

|                           |                                                                                        |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Cheerleading</b>       | 3:30-5:30 p.m. (dates on reverse side)                                                 |
| <b>JV Basketball</b>      | M, W 3:30-5:30 p.m.                                                                    |
| <b>Varsity Basketball</b> | M, T, W, Th 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. @<br>Thirkell Elementary                                  |
| <b>January 9</b>          | New Encore Begins                                                                      |
| <b>January 9-13</b>       | Scantron Testing                                                                       |
| <b>January 10</b>         | Board Meeting 6 pm                                                                     |
| <b>January 16</b>         | No School – MLK Day                                                                    |
| <b>January 19</b>         | PTSO/8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Meeting                                              |
| <b>January 20</b>         | Nacho Sale                                                                             |
| <b>January 25</b>         | Rock the Crockett – Free Dress Friday<br>Free Dress only if you wear<br>Black and Gold |
| <b>January 27</b>         | Black-Out Friday 7:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.                                                |

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Progress Reports

If you have not received your child(s) 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter progress report please contact the main office at (313) 896-6078 for assistance.

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### Mobile Dentists

Our Mobile Dentists visit has been rescheduled. The new dates are: February 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>.



Parents, if you have questions or concerns about your child's academic or behavior performance or progress, teachers are available as follows each week:

#### Behavior Intervention Meetings

**K-2 Grades** Tuesday 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.  
**3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades** Tuesday 10:15 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.  
**6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades** Tuesday 8:55 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

#### Academic Intervention Meetings

**K-2 Grades** Thursday 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.  
**3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades** Thursday 10:15 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.  
**6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades** Thursday 8:55 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

To schedule an appointment contact the lead teachers below (313) 896-6078.

**Lead Teachers:** K-2 R. Ross (extension 21); 3-5 K. Cecil (extension 25); 6-8 R. Earley (extension 33)



## FREE DRESS FRIDAY

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20, 2012, (for all students)

### After-School Tutoring

After school tutoring will begin Monday, January 23, 2012, 3:30 – 5:30, Monday-Thursday weekly. Families of students selected for tutoring will be notified via a Parent Notice on Wednesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>.

Fun, fun, fun

**BLACKOUT FRIDAY**

(for Middle School Students only)

**JANUARY 27, 2012**

**7:00 P.M. – 12:00 a.m.**

**\$10:00**