

# CRUSADERS SUCCEED AT STATE SPEECH

The Grand Island Central Catholic Speech Team competed at State Speech Thursday, March 21, in Kearney. Of the 14 entries that qualified for State, five earned a spot in finals.

Evie Peterson left the meet a State Champion with her presentation in Humorous Prose titled "Clash of the Titanic," a spoof of the blockbuster movie. In this piece, Evie comedically embodied the roles of seven different characters.



speech about Stress; and Grace Johnson (6th) with an Informative speech about Dreams.

As a team, these Crusaders accumulated enough points to earn a 4th place finish overall in Class C-1.



Left: State Champion Evie Peterson celebrates her victory after receiving her State Speech medal. Above: Medalists JT Rein, Molly Graybill, Evie Peterson, Thomas Armstrong, and Grace Johnson stand with head coach Jordan Engle following the awards ceremony of Class C-1 State Speech.

**FULL DAY OF SCHOOL**  
Mon, Mar 25  
HS Track Meet is Canceled

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**ACT TEST**  
Tues, Mar 26  
8:00am-11:30am  
For Juniors who registered

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**CLASS REGISTRATION**  
Weds, Mar 27  
Students will meet with Dr Hehnke

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**EASTER BREAK**  
Thrs, Mar 28  
Fri, Mar 29  
Mon, Apr 1

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**DEADLINE FOR SENIOR YEARBOOK ADS**  
Tues, April 2  
See Link on Pg 2

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**SOPHOMORE CLASS RETREAT**  
Mon, Apr 8  
8:30am

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**School Board Meeting Date**  
6:00 pm  
April 18, 2024

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## NOTES FROM THE COUNSELOR

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### GICC ACT Test

Tues, March 26, 2024, 8:00am  
For current 11th graders who registered by Jan 25  
Payment (\$53 per student) is due by Fri, Mar 22

### Class Registration

Weds, March 27, 2024  
Students will make course selections for the 2024-2025 school year with Dr Hehnke

### Yearbook Senior Ads

Due Tues, Apr 2, 2024  
Personalized messages to be included in the yearbook  
[Click Here to print form](#)

### National ACT Test Dates & Deadlines

June 8 Test; May 3 Deadline  
July 13 Test; June 7 Deadline  
[www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

### Pre-ACT Testing for Sophomores

April 17 at GICC

### Driver's Education

[https://www.unk.edu/offices/safety\\_center/driver-education.php](https://www.unk.edu/offices/safety_center/driver-education.php)

### Nebraska State Fair Academic Competitions

[www.statefair.org](http://www.statefair.org)

**SCHOOL CALENDAR UPDATE**

**MON MAR 25**  
FULL DAY OF SCHOOL  
Track Meet is Canceled

**TUES MAR 26**  
FULL DAY OF SCHOOL

**NO SCHOOL**

**THRS - MON**  
**MAR 28- APR 1**

**EASTER BREAK**

crusader retreats

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|---------|----------------|
| 10th gr | Mon, April 8   |
| 9th gr  | Weds, April 17 |
| 11th gr | Fri, April 19  |
| 12th gr | Weds, May 1    |

additional information will be provided by religion teachers

Athletic **HALL OF FAME**

GRAND ISLAND CENTRAL CATHOLIC CRUSADERS

**NOMINATE CRUSADER ATHLETES TEAMS COACHES**

**DUE: APRIL 10, 2024**

Click for detailed instructions. Submit nominations to [bgavers@gicc.org](mailto:bgavers@gicc.org)

**GICC JUNIOR - SENIOR GATSBY PROM**

**APRIL 20 2024**

RIVERSIDE GOLF CLUB \$20 ea

OUTSIDE DATE FORMS DUE 3pm Fri Apr 12

7:30pm PICTURES  
8:30pm CROWNING  
11:00pm LAST DANCE



## QUIZ BOWL SUCCESS

Central Catholic's Middle School Quiz Bowl Team placed 6th out of 36 teams at the Academic Quiz Bowl held on the University of Nebraska Kearney campus March 18. Members pictured include (from left to right): Kaleb Schrad, Hadley Haake, Colt Krolikowski, Arabella Richling, Madison Graybill, and Andrew Hageman.

## MUSICIANS & VOCALISTS PARTICIPATE IN CONFERENCE HONOR BAND AND CHOIR

On Saturday, March 17, 16 GICC students participated in Conference Honor Band and Choir at Lincoln Lutheran High School. The all-day event was held for select high school students within the Centennial Conference to rehearse and then perform selections with their fellow musicians.

GICC members of the honor choir included (front) Jada Morris, Gabe Rief, (back) Jocelynn Price, Keiley Wiese, and Kenley Bogner.



GICC members of the honor band included (front) Quinn Lee, Ayden Ivy, Molly Graybill, Rubi Carrasco, Allison Haney, (back) Izzy Mueller, Atticus

Vance, Harrison McClure, Connor Haney, Kaden Milby, and Ryan Hollister. Not pictured: Paige Lonnemann.

## LUNCH MENU

Due to the canceled GICC High School Track Meet, and our cafeteria staff attending their convention, lunches on Monday, March 25 and Tuesday, March 26 will be as follows:

### MONDAY, MARCH 25

- French Toast Sticks
- Sausage Links
- Tropical Fruit
- Cookie
- 1/2 Pt Milk

### TUESDAY, MARCH 26

- Sack Lunch Only
- Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Chips
- Fruit Snacks
- Cookie
- 1/2 Pt Milk
- NO SALAD BAR OFFERED TUESDAY

