

April showers



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May flowers

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The GINN PLAYBOOK

APRIL 2025 PARENT NEWSLETTER

PRINCIPAL'S
CORNER



Dear Parents,



OHSAA 2024-2025 RUNNER-UP CHAMPS!



***IMPORTANT DATES**

Tuesday, April 1st

**Navy Petty Officer Bassett
will speak to Juniors and Seniors**

Wednesday, April 2nd

PARTNERUP for select Seniors

Thursday, April 3rd

**Say Yes Eligible Students
Mentee Orientation for Seniors**

Friday, April 4th

**GINN Men Serve as
Grand Marshals at the
24th Annual MLK March**

Wednesday, April 9th

160 Truck Driving School

Sunday, April 13th

PALM SUNDAY

Tuesday, April 15th

**Marines Sgt. Simpson
will speak to Juniors and Seniors**

Wednesday, April 16th

**PartnerUp with Select Seniors
Building Confidence Session**

Thursday, April 17th

Cleveland Apprenticeship Program

Thursday, April 17th

PACE with Seniors

Friday, April 18th

GOOD FRIDAY

***Schools closed**

Sunday, April 20th

EASTER

Tues., April 21st thru

Fri., April 24th

BBC Food Bank

Wednesday, April 23rd

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Early Release

Thursday, April 24th

Polaris Career Center

Parents of SENIORS please pay close attention to dates specified to the left. All year we have provided speakers from all allm occupations to introduce their craft to our youngsters. These speakers are wonderful opportunities for our Ginn Men to take advantage of. Kindly encourage your son to sit in and listen to what these speakers have to say about opening doors for them!

Also, a detailed timeline of important events for SENIORS will additionally be accessible during the month of May's Parent Newsletter.

Prom Night: Friday, May 9th



Venue: Events on Ridge

8255 Day Drive

Parma, Ohio 4129

Tickets: \$90.00

Theme: Hollywood Glam

Academic Signing Day: Wednesday, May 7th

Venue: Ginn Academy Gymnasium

Time: 10:00a.m.



Senior Honor Day: Thursday, May 15th



Venue: Ginn Academy Gymnasium

Time: 9:00a.m.

Senior Dining In: Wednesday, May 21st

Venue: Ginn Academy Gymnasium

Time: 5:00p.m.



Graduation: Sunday, May 25th

Venue: Arnold Pickney East Professional Center

1349 East 79th Street

Cleveland, Ohio 44103

Time: 5:00p.m.





Ginn Academy Baseball Schedule



Date	Title	Location	Time
Mon., Mar. 31	<i>Ville vs Bedford</i>	Bedford High School 568 Heather Ln, Bedford, OH 46	6:30 PM
Tue., Apr. 01	<i>Ville vs Bard</i>	Gordon Park E. 72 nd Cleveland, OH 03	5:00 PM
Wed., Apr. 02	<i>Practice</i>	Humphrey Park Grovewood Ave & E 164th St, Cleveland, OH 10	4:15 PM
Thur., Apr. 03	<i>Ville vs John Adams</i>	C. C. Sabathia Field Woodland Hills, Cleveland, OH 04	5:00 PM
Fri., Apr. 04	<i>Ville vs Warrensville</i>	Warrensville Heights High School 4285 Warrensville Center Rd Cleveland, OH 28	5:00 PM
Mon., Apr. 07	<i>Practice</i>	Humphrey Park Grovewood Ave & E 164th St, Cleveland, OH 10	4:15 PM
Tue., Apr. 08	<i>Ville vs Garrett Morgan</i>	Garrett Morgan School of Leadership & Innovation 4600 Detroit Ave Cleveland, OH 02	5:00 PM
Wed., Apr. 09	<i>Practice</i>	Humphrey Park Grovewood Ave & E 164th St, Cleveland, OH 10	4:00 PM
Thu., Apr. 10	<i>Ville vs John Hay</i>	Cleveland's Historic League Park 6601 Lexington Ave Cleveland, OH 03	5:00 PM

Uniform - Red socks, red belt, white or black leg strap w/cup

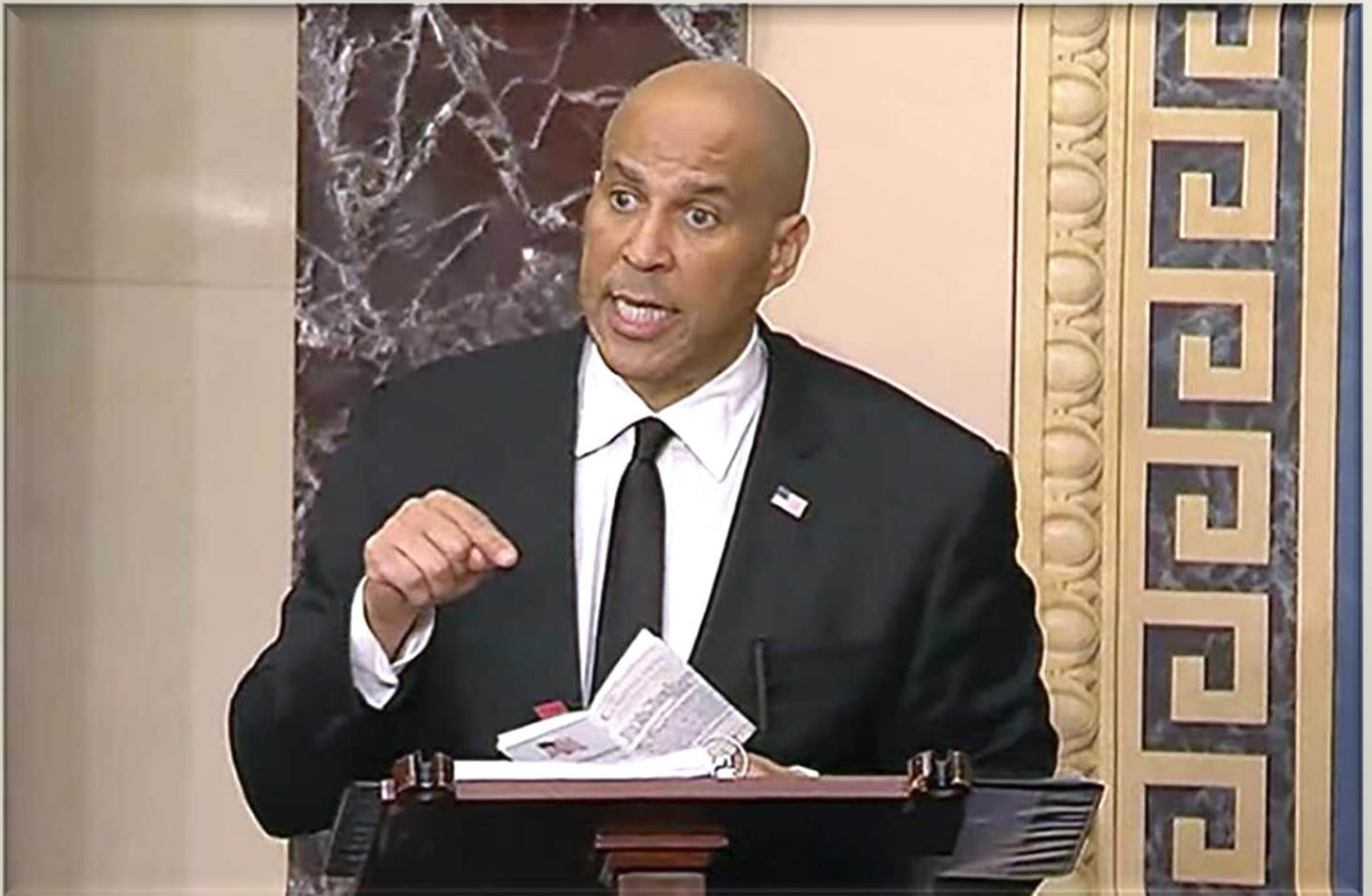


Glenville Boys Track Schedule



Saturday, April 5th	<i>Spire Invitational</i>	Spire Track Geneva, Ohio	9:00a.m.
Saturday, April 12 th	<i>Princeton Invitational</i>	Princeton High Cincinnati, Ohio	9:30a.m.
Saturday April 19 th	<i>Beachwood Invitational</i>	Beachwood High	9:00a.m.
Friday, April 26 th	<i>Woodward Richards Invitational</i>	Shakers Heights High	9:30a.m.
Thursday, May 1st – 2nd	<i>Wayne Invitational</i>	Heldkamp Stadium Huber Heights	3:00p.m.
Saturday, May 10 th	<i>Don Roosevelt Invitational</i>	Dayton Welcome Stadium Dayton, Oh	9:00a.m.
Thursday, May 15 th	<i>Senate Jesse Owens Invitational</i>	TBA	TBA
Thursday, May 22 nd & 24 th	<i>Districts Perry Track</i>	Perry High School Perry, Oh	TBA
Thursday, May 20 th & 31 st	<i>Regionals Austintown Fitch</i>	Austintown Fitch, Oh	TBA
Thursday, June 6th & 7th	<i>State Meet Championship</i>	Jesse Owens Stadium Columbus, Oh	TBA





It has only taken 68 years for Tuesday, April 1, 2025 to arrive and Americans to witness history made by the 55-year-old Senator from New Jersey, Cory Booker who took to the Senate floor at 7:00p.m., on March 31, 2025 and spoke for 25 hours, 6 minutes, and 22 seconds expressing his views on President Trump's policies, making him the LONGEST speaking Senator in the HISTORY of filibusters! We, at Ginn Academy, saw this as a teachable moment and placed our CleverTouch in the rotunda for all to see at any given moment throughout the day! Sen. Booker's PASSION, and COURAGE are EXTRAORDINARY and UNPARALLELED! We're so very PROUD of you Senator!!

Holding the Senate's first place until yesterday was U.S. Senator Strom Thurmond of South Carolina. On August 28, 1957, an impending vote was stalled for 24 hours and 18 minutes in protest of the Civil Rights Act of 1957. Within hours of the end of Thurmond's stance, the Act gained the votes necessary to pass!

Secondly, in 1986, for 23 hours and 30 minutes, U.S. Senator Alfonse D'Amato of New York hindered the debate of a military bill.