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GEORGIA MILITARY COLLEGE

### Literary Team Wins State Championship 4th Year In A Row!



Our GMC Prep Literary Team has captured a 4<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Team State Championship! The team won the GHSA Team State Championship over 46 other competing schools in the Public division for Class A. As the hosts for both the Public and Private competitions, GMC welcomed over 600 people from 62 schools on our campus for the day-long event. Our team members really stood out from the crowd as they competed in their individual events which led to earning points toward the overall State Title. The following students placed in their individual/group events:

- State Champions
  - GMC Prep Overall Team
  - Tyler Gray (12th) – Rhetorical Essay

- Jayla Lawrence (11th) – Humorous Oral Interpretation (acting)
  - Taylor Sherwood (12th) – Extemporaneous Speaking International Topics
  - State Runner Ups
    - Shane Byous (11th), Bryce Raburn (11th), Jason Schneck (11th), and Zach Williams (11th) – Boys Quartet
    - Anna Caldwell (11th) – Personal Essay
    - Dean Kelleher (12th) and Lindsey Knowles (11th) – Duo Oral Interpretation
    - Taylor Sherwood (11th) – Argumentative Essay
    - Sarah Wilson (11th) – Dramatic Oral Interpretation
  - 4th Place: Madison Sloan (10th) – Girls Solo
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### **Military Honors Parade: Thursday, March 29th**

We hope you will join us in commemorating National Vietnam War Veterans Day this Thursday, March 29th at our Military Honors Parade at 2:30pm on Grant Parade. The distinguished speaker will be Hyrum W. Smith, Army Officer Candidate School Hall of Fame Member. To learn more about Hyrum W. Smith, please click [this link](#).

If you can not attend our Military Honors Parade but would like to honor Vietnam Veterans, we invite you to contribute to our [Vietnam Veteran's Scholarship Fund](#).



## **VIETNAM VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

To honor our Vietnam Veterans, GMC has erected a monument on the Milledgeville campus, complete with names of those GMC alumni who were killed in action. To carry their memory forward, an endowed military scholarship is being created in their names. Please help us remember GMC's Vietnam War heroes by joining us in supporting this special tribute to them.

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### **GMC Phi Theta Kappa Students Named All Georgia Scholars!**

GMC is proud to announce that five students have been named Phi Theta Kappa All Georgia Scholars: Raluchukwu Anachebe and Faith Okolo from GMC'S Fairburn campus, Adam Prskavec at GMC-Milledgeville, Carlton Gibbs at GMC-Valdosta, and Masona Fofana at GMC's Warner Robins campus.

Each of these students and their advisors have worked incredibly hard to achieve this goal!

"We are so very proud of Georgia Military College's All Georgia Phi Theta Kappa scholars," COL. Pat Beer, Dean of Students at Georgia Military College, said. "Their academic achievement also represents our great faculty in preparing our students to 'Start here... Go anywhere!'"

In addition to the All Georgia Scholars, Faith Okolo from GMC-Fairburn was also chosen as a Coca-Cola Bronze Scholar, receiving a \$1,000 scholarship.

Photo: Ralu Anachebe (left) and Faith Okolo (right) celebrate at the Phi Theta Kappa luncheon where they were named All Georgia Scholars.

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**GMC Performing Arts Spring 2018 Series**

The Spring 2018 Performing Arts Series is full of amazing performances. Mark your calendars- we hope to see you there!



### **Footloose The Musical**

Our GMC Prep Students will be performing [Footloose The Musical](#) on Thursday, April 26th through Saturday, April 28th.

at 7:00pm at The Goldstein Center.

The performances will be held

You can now purchase your tickets online via [this link](#).

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### **Black Hawk Helicopters Take JROTC Students On Familiarization Flights**

U.S. Army helicopters landed at the lower practice fields last Thursday afternoon in preparation for GMC's JROTC annual familiarization flights. For the past several years, GMC Prep has been honored to have the Georgia Army National Guard support our Army JROTC Battalion. This year, more than 130 cadets and 10 faculty members were given an amazing ride on a UH-60L Black Hawk helicopter! Each aircraft took off from GMC and flew north over Lake Sinclair before circling around the old Plant Branch GA Power plant and returning to campus. The 20 minute flight, with doors wide open, was an exhilarating and once in a life-time experience for many of our cadets and faculty.

The experience was made even more special as Brigade Adjutant Samuel Roberts (JC Class of 1998) flew one of the Blackhawks. The UH-60L Black Hawk is a twin-engine, medium lift, utility helicopter capable of performing a wide array of missions, including the tactical transport of troops, electronic warfare, and aeromedical evacuation. The Black Hawk first saw combat action during the 1983 invasion of Grenada and has since served in every conflict, peacekeeping mission, and war that the United States has participated in. Thank you Georgia Army National Guard!



**The Swing Dolls: Thursday, April 19th**

The Georgia Military College Performing Arts Society is proud to present [The Swing Dolls](#) on Thursday, April 19th!

The performance begins at 7:00pm at The Goldstein Center.

Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased online [here](#).



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