## WEBSITE REDESIGN

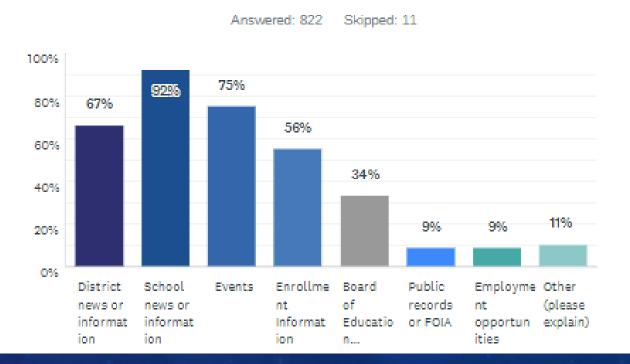


#### **USER SURVEY JUNE 2021:**

- Objective: To convert existing webpage templates to mobileresponsive templates, while incorporating additional updates as determined by feedback from our community of website users
- Survey conducted in June 2021
- Email to 304Connects list
- Website and social media posts
- 844 complete responses (11% response rate)
  - Majority of respondents were parents 85%

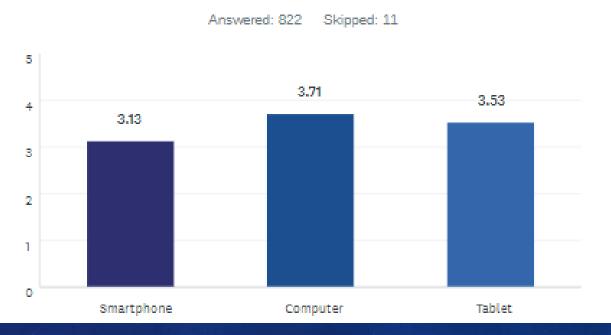
#### **SURVEY 2021: COMMON INFO**

Q10 What type(s) of information are you looking for when you visit the Geneva 304 website? Select all that apply.



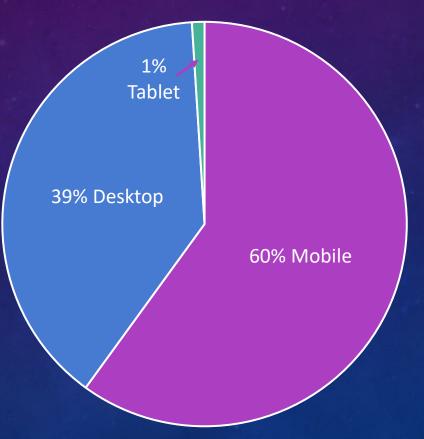
#### SURVEY 2021: EASE OF USE

Q7 How would you rate the ease of use of the Geneva 304 website from the following device(s)?



#### MOBILE-FRIENDLY ACCESS

Media Used to Access the Website



Source: Google Analytics, 1/1/2022-12/28/2022

#### **RESULTS**

#### 3 Key Areas for Improvement:

- Navigation
- Search Function
- Mobile Experience

#### Q15 What is it about our website that you would most like to see improved?

Answered: 452 Skipped: 381

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Navigation Ease of navigation	6/30/2021 7:17 PM
2	HAC HAC	6/30/2021 4:54 PM
3	Mobile Optimization Curb appeal. Looks dated. It would also be nice if it was built with responsive design to maximize utility on all modalities (i.e. PC, tablet, phone).	6/30/2021 2:37 PM
4	Teacher Contact Info School directory & teacher email	6/30/2021 11:46 AM
5	Search The search box is not helpful at all. I have tried to use it several times and it has never searched for the information I have requested.	6/30/2021 7:52 AM
6	No changes/satisfied I really don't have suggestions as I like the current layout. All the information I look for is readily available.	6/30/2021 4:15 AM
7	Tabs that label everything- hard to find things - poorly designed	6/29/2021 10:47 PM
8	Clicks Ability to locate information. Information is often hidden or not under logical menu locations. The ability to click through screens. Today, you often need to go back to the home page to start over. More hyperlinks to other areas of interest from various pages.	6/29/2021 10:34 PM
9	Calendar/Events Search Teacher Contact Info Searching for the calendar. Showing upcoming days off up front Teacher email directory HAC login	6/29/2021 9:47 PM
10	Calendar/Events Yearly academic calendar on main page. It is hard to find	6/29/2021 9:39 PM
11	schedule information	6/29/2021 8:18 PM
12	Ease of use for registration and downloading grades. Would be great if once grades/ assessments were completed they were emailed automatically.	6/29/2021 6:44 PM
13	Ease of finding information	6/29/2021 5:02 PM
14	Sports Athletics Boys and girls sports information	6/29/2021 4:50 PM
15	Navigation Navigation as some things are buried without a good path to find.	6/29/2021 4:33 PM
16	Navigation It is hard to navigate.	6/29/2021 3:24 PM
17	Ease of use and updated regularly. I should not have to follow Twitter for updates and news	6/29/2021 2:08 PM
18	I would like to see up-to-date teacher websites. Because I watch my grandkids and sometimes help them with schoolwork it is frustrating to see teacher websites that are a year old with incorrect information or no active webpage at all.	6/29/2021 2:04 PM
19	better compatibility with smartphones	6/29/2021 1:59 PM
20	Calendar/Events Teacher Contact Info It's hard to find special eventssummer camp, football game times. Also, contact info for teachers would be helpful.	6/29/2021 1:56 PM
21	Function	6/29/2021 1:45 PM
22	visibility on my smartphone	6/29/2021 12:50 PM
23	Mobile Optimization Navigation Better to navigate through smart phone	6/29/2021 12:47 PM

# WEBSITE REFRESH Previous website

Address, phone, social media elements at top

Two menu bars

A lot of white space left-right

Quicklinks

2 Column format







GHS Music Students Excel a State Festival

eneva School District is proud to incounce that three Geneva High shool (GHS) student artists were elected to represent the District at the estiglous Illinois Music Educators sociation (ILMEA) All-State Festival, hich will be held in Peoria, IL from

January 25-26, 2023. For a high school musician, this is the highest honor provided by LIMEA. Student offfiff Egan was selected for cello in orchestra and the following studie were selected for composition: Brendan Coller, won Honorable Mention for "Fever Drea and vightations for Plano Quartet," and John Henderson won third place for "Rondo in following and Honorable Mention for "German Honor Society Chorale."



New Website Coming January

District CUSD 304 will be launching a new design for its website on Wednesday, January 4th, 2023. Many of the design changes were initiated from a parent/user survey that was conducted in 2021, along with suggestions from meetings with users of the content management system. The

oals of the new design were to improve the user experience, improve mobilesponsiveness, streamline navigation ensure consistent information across pages, aintain high standard of accessibility for all through ADA guidelines, allow greater consistent in the contract of the contract of



GHS Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees Announced for 2023

Michael O'Neal, Allie Pace McCoy and the Bashaw Family Join Geneve High School Athletic Hall of Fame: A firstteam All-Big Ten golfer, a statechampion pole vaulter and the athletic and community contributions of a

a Jan. 13 induction ceremony at Geneva High School.

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Winder Break:
Friday, Dec. 23 - CLOSED
Monday, Dec. 26 - CLOSED
Tuesday, Dec. 27-Thursday, Der.
29 - By Appl Cnly
Friday, Dec. 30 - CLOSED
Monday, Jan. 3-Thursday, Jan.

Upcoming Event

Advisory Committee Meeting

Mon Jan 9 2023
The Finance Advisory
Committee typically meets on
the second Monday of each
month, or as otherwise posted,
at Coultrap Educational Services
Center, 227 N. 4th Street Please
refer to BoardBook for meeting
times.

Board of Education Regula Meeting

Mon Jan 9 2023

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Board of Education meetings
are typically held Mondays at
700 pm at Central Office, 227 N.
Fourth St., unless otherwise
noted in BoardBook Calendar is
adjusted for school closings and
holidays. The Board meeting
agendas are posted on the

MLK Day - All Schools and Offices Closed

View All Events

Safe Schools Tip



1:1 Technology Tips

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#### BETA DESIGN 1

Moved all menu bar items to top

Kept translation and search at top

Improved Search – within the coding, metatags, descriptions

Wrong font, off brand

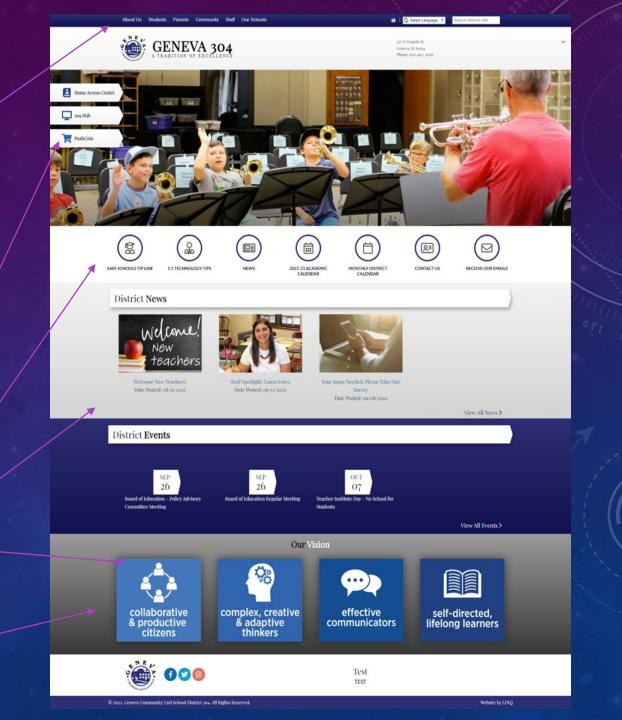
Fingerlinks – interfered with image layout

Too many quick links – redundancy

News and events easy to find

Too much white space horizontally

Added Our Vision elements



#### FINAL DESIGN

Changed font to match brand

Removed Fingerlinks

**Combined Quicklinks** 

Changed Quicklink labels (PushCoin, Home Access Center)

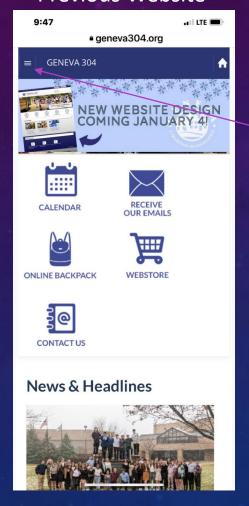
Reduced white space

Added Contact Us and moved social media links to the footer

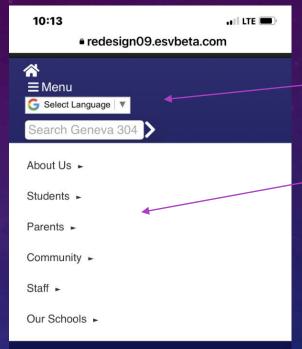


#### MOBILE-FRIENDLY ACCESS

#### **Previous Website**



Hard to find school sites, search





Translation and search easy to access at the top

Automatically opens to menu bar, for easy navigation – School list drop down – all above the scrolling banner

Easy access to address and phone

Quick links are big for easy finger clicks

#### COMMUNICATIONS

- Thurs Dec 15 Beta link shared with BOE, and all Geneva CUSD employees
- Friday Dec 16 Campaign to inform community began:
  - Web news article
  - Banner on website
  - Social media posts began
  - Email blast Jan 3 to all 304 Connects
- Wed Jan 4 Alert message on website, new site began transition at 10 AM





### THANK YOU

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