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Administrator/Principal's Up-Date

Cookie Dough Sale Meets Fundraising Goal!

Thank you to all students, parents and friends of Gateway who sold and purchased cookie dough to meet our sales goal of \$25K! The gross sales totaled \$25,351. All together, there were 1947 boxes sold! All profits go toward the "5th Dollar" of teacher salaries and school operations.

Meet Our New Gateway Staff

4th Grade Teacher

I am please to announce the hiring of the new fourth grade teacher, Mrs. Katie Miller. She is a strong Christian with excellent experience and outstanding qualifications. Her teaching experience includes elementary positions at Tabernacle Christian School, Heritage Baptist Academy and Sylvan Learning Center. She has a Masters Degree in Elementary Education from CSU Hayward and a California teaching credential with CLAD certification.

Extended Day Care

Filling the Friday Extended Day Care position is Mrs. Mary Sue Swift. She attends Golden Hills Community Church and is currently involved with child care in the weekly Community Bible Study program at GHCC. She has four children and is also finishing her BS degree in Psychology from Chapman College.

Chemistry Lab Teacher

I am also very pleased to announce that Mr. Diego Darquea, parent of Kindergarten student Diego, will be instructing the high school chemistry lab sessions. Mr. Darquea has a Masters Degree in biochemistry; he has a special arrangement to teach bi-weekly at Gateway as a part the Clorox Corporation's community service program.

Please join me in welcoming these new staff members and praising our LORD for them and the bountiful *Cookie Dough* fundraiser results!

Serving the Savior,
Mr. Stutzman

→ *Cookie Dough* **PICK-UP**

**Tomorrow →→ Thursday, October 5
at the Lighthouse Campus**

2:30-6:00 pm

GCS Football AWAY Game Tomorrow

Everyone come support our Gateway middle school football athletes!!!

Thursday, October 5

Game Time: 3:30 pm

Location: Cornerstone CS, Antioch

Announcements & Reminders

👉 Eat at **Baja Fresh** in Brentwood tomorrow, October 5, and the 8th grade class earns 20% from the profits for their Washington, D.C. Trip!

👉 Cheerleader Parent Meeting (TODAY)

Parents of middle school students interested in cheerleading are invited to attend the parent information meeting today, Wednesday, October 4 at 3:30 pm in GH 219. Mrs. Alicia McCormick is our advisor. She has extensive experience in cheerleading and has wonderful plans for this year's group!

👉 Extended Day Phone Contact

Parents can call the LH Campus at 634-9369 if they need to contact Extended Day staff.

👉 Minimum Days Coming !

October 18 ACSI Teacher Convention
 October 26 Due to GH facilities closure
 October 31 Teacher Report Card Prep
 November 6-9 Parent Conferences

👉 No School Days

November 10 Veterans Day
 November 22-24 Thanksgiving

👉 More Chapel Speakers Needed

If you know of a speaker who would be excellent for our Chapels, please call the office. Here are the available dates:

K-5 at 8:15: filled until Feb 14 !

6-12 at 9:00: Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 29, and Dec 6

👉 Instrument Donations Accepted

Instruments needed are: oboe, tuba, baritone, French horn and trombone. All donations are IRS tax deductible and are greatly appreciated. Please contact Mrs. Zamjahn at 634-0493.

👉 Donation Needed & Task To Be Done

- Digital Camera for Yearbook staff - 3 mega pixels or better.
- Spot cleaning of entrance hallway carpet at the LH campus

***"But I trust in your unfailing love;
 My heart rejoices in your salvation."***

- Psalm 13:5 NIV

Coming Events

October	
4	Chess Club 3:00-4:00pm, GH Library
5	Cookie Dough Pick-up LH 2:30-6:00p
5	Flag Football GCS v. Cornerstone - AWAY
10	PTF Meeting 7:00 pm - LH Campus
11	Nacho Sales
11	Chess Club 3:00-4:00pm, GH Library
11	K-5 Chapel at LH - 8:15 6-12 Chapel in GH210 - 9:00
12	FT: 2 nd Gr to USS Hornet, Alameda
18	Chapels: K-5 at LH, 6-12 in GH210
18	Minimum Day (no Nacho sales)
19-20	ACSI Teacher Convention - No School
(Sat) 21	Preliminary SAT/NMSQT in GH219
23	Board Meeting, 7:00 pm at LH
25	K-5 Chapel at LH - 8:15 6-12 Chapel in GH210 - 9:00
25	Nacho Sales
26	Minimum Day
31	Minimum Day - 1st Quarter Ends -
November	
1	K-5 Recognition Chapel at LH - 8:15 6-12 Chapel in GH210 - 9:00
1	Chess Club 3:00-4:00pm, GH Library
1-17	Canned Food Drive
2	FT: 2 nd Grade to Oakland Zoo
6-9	Minimum Days: Parent/Teacher Conferences
6-9	Christian Book Fair at LH Campus
7	PTF Meeting 7:00pm at LH Campus
10	Veterans Day - No School
15	K-5 Chapel at LH-8:15 6-12 Chapel in GH210-9:00

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