

February 24, 2017

Calendar of Events

February

Feb. 27 – Yearbook sale begins

March

- Mar. 02 – Dr. Seuss’ birthday day
- Mar. 03 – Work Day – No School
- Mar. 06 – PTO meeting 3:15 in the library
- Mar. 06 – Book Fair begins
- Mar. 07 – Doughnut delivery day
- Mar. 07 – Dr. Seuss character day
- Mar. 09 – Book Fair ends at noon
- Mar. 12 – Time Springs Forward
- Mar. 21 – 3rd grade ELA testing
- Mar. 22 – 3rd grade Math testing
- Mar. 23 – 2nd grade ELA testing
- Mar. 24 – 2nd grade Math testing

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Our spring Krispy Kreme doughnut sale is underway. **Preorders will only be taken until next Thursday, March 2nd.** All order forms and money must be sent to your child’s teacher by March 2nd. **Checks should be made payable to GPS PTO.** Doughnuts will be delivered on Tuesday, March 7th. Pickup will be in the school lobby from 3:00-7:00 pm. The student who sells the most doughnuts in each grade level will be rewarded with a prize from PTO for their efforts.

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FAMILY BINGO NIGHT IS TONIGHT. DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 – GAMES BEGIN AT 7:00. Hope to you to there.

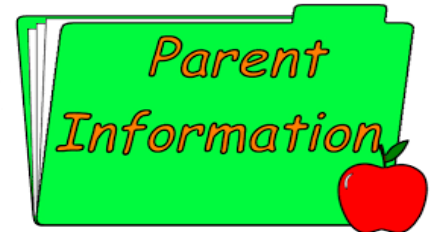
At Grandy Primary School our students will develop a love for learning, build a solid academic foundation, and prepare for the future.

It's Time to Order Your.....
YEARBOOK!



The GPS Yearbook sale will begin next Monday, February 27th and run through Monday, March 27th. The yearbook will be in color and come with a plastic cover. The cost will be \$20.00. A limited number of copies will be ordered so please place your order before the deadline to insure you get one. The order form is on the back of this Bear Tracks and can also be printed from the webpage and used to order your yearbook. Thanks.

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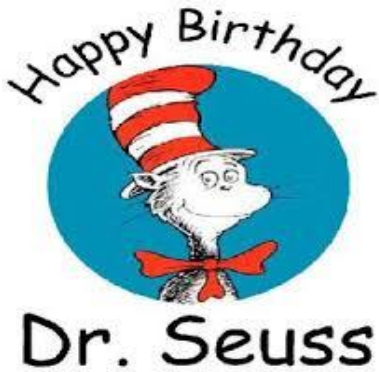


At GPS we take Pride in keeping our families informed of school events. In an effort to conserve our number of copies and paper cost we will be posting our **Bear Tracks** on our webpage each week. We will only send a paper copy home when we have permission slips, order forms for items, Bucket Fillers list, etc. We also have a GPS PTO Facebook page with updated information. Our teachers do a great job with reminds, homework helpers, and other communication techniques. Please make sure you check our website each week for updated school information.. Thank You!

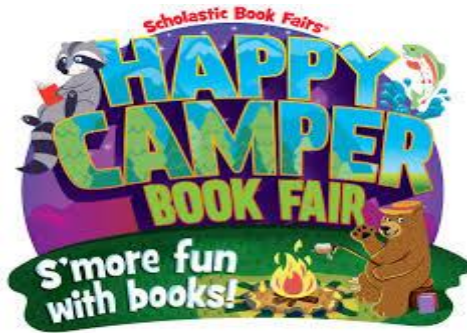
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Candice Beckner – President Lindsey Fisher – Vice-President Karin Cummings – Secretary
Melissa Perez – Treasurer Alison Harris – Fundraising Coordinator

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Dr. Seuss' birthday is March 2. We will be celebrating Reading Across America week and his birthday during our Book Fair week. On Tuesday, March 7th, the day of our evening Book Fair, we will be encouraging our students to come to school dressed up like their favorite Dr. Seuss character. On Friday, March 10th, we will have community guess readers come to our classrooms and read a Dr. Seuss book to our students. Green Eggs and Ham will be served in the cafeteria for lunch that day. Let's all read during this Reading Across America Week.



Our Spring Scholastic Book Fair will begin on Monday, March 6th and run through noon on Thursday, March 9th. The theme for this Book Fair is Camping Out with a Good Book. Book Fair hours are:

Monday and Wednesday – 7:45 am to 3:30 pm
Tuesday – 7:45 am to 7:00 pm
Thursday – 7:45 am to noon

Tuesday the Book Fair is open until 7:00 pm which is our Family Book Fair night to allow parents to join their children in checking out what new books the Book Fair has to offer. **Checks, credit cards, and cash are accepted for payment but no gift cards.** The GPS PTO will offer a \$2.00 discount for GPS students during the evening Family Night Book Fair from 3:30 pm until 7:00 p.m. **The \$2.00 off discount can only be used toward the purchase of a book.** The discount will be taken at the register at the time of checkout. There are no paper coupons this year with the effort to try to conserve paper. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us at our spring Book Fair.

Mrs. Rachid is in need of volunteers to assist with the Book Fair. A volunteer signup sheet is available in the school office and in the Media Center. Any time you can help would be greatly appreciated.

2016-2017 GPS Yearbook Order Form

Student's Name _____ Teacher _____

Phone Number _____

Number of Yearbooks Ordered _____ x \$20.00 = \$ _____ amount due

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GPS PTO.

Completed order form with cash or check for the total amount due must be returned to your child's teacher by Monday, March 27th, 2017. Yearbooks will not arrive until mid to late May for delivery. Thanks.