

March 09, 2018

Calendar of Events

March

- Mar. 13 – **PTO Meeting at 3:15 in Media Center**
- Mar. 20-21 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade nine weeks testing
- Mar. 22-23 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade nine weeks testing
- Mar. 26 – Kindergarten registration 12-6 pm
- Mar. 27 – Kindergarten registration 8:30-2:00
- Mar. 30 – End of third quarter
- Mar. 30 – Regular full day of school
- Mar. 30 – Deadline for ordering Yearbook



The April PTO meeting will be the election time for our PTO officers for the 2018-2019 school year. Please consider becoming an officer and leading our PTO to a successful school year. Details for the positions will appear in our next Bear Tracks. You can also contact an officer for more information. Thanks!

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Thanks again to all the students for participating in our 1<sup>st</sup> Fun Run. Thanks to everyone who supported the students in this event. Remember if you did not send in your pledge money for the Fun Run on Friday to please send it in on Monday. All the donations are sincerely appreciated by GPS and CHKD. Thanks again for supporting this worthy cause and our school.

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

Accepting donations for new play items (toys, crafts, books, etc.) for children at all Camden School lobbies for CHKD now through March 28<sup>th</sup>.



Thanks to everyone who came out to the Book Fair. Mrs. Rachid would like to thank the volunteers who came out to assist with the Book Fair. Their assistance was greatly needed and appreciated.



Thanks to all of the community guest readers who came in on Friday to read to our classrooms in celebration of Dr. Seuss' birthday and Reading Across America. We appreciate them giving their time to support our students and school.

**2017-2018 GPS PTO Officers**

Jamie Meredith – President    Vice President – **Vacant**    Secretary – **Vacant**  
Justine Rhodes – Treasurer    Alison Harris – Fundraising Coordinator

Use [gpspto@yahoo.com](mailto:gpspto@yahoo.com) for comments, questions, suggestions, or for Bear Tracks news. Also view Bear Tracks on the GPS website. Check us out on our GPS PTO Facebook page.



Here are the winners of our Box Top Contest. Each classroom will be rewarded with a treat party. Thanks to everyone for submitting Box Tops:

- Kindergarten – Ms. Hooper – 470
- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Mrs. O’Neal – 283
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Mrs. Parker – 1009
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Mrs. Robinson - 268



*Your Opinion Counts!*

The PTO will be sending home next week a survey to try to obtain some information from parents for ways to get more people involved in our PTO as well as suggestions on events to sponsor. **Please complete the survey and return it to your child’s teacher as soon as possible.** We appreciate your support and want to make our PTO as strong as possible to support our students and school. Thank you.

## Kindergarten Registration – Camden County Residents

All children who were born on or before August 31, 2013 are eligible for Kindergarten registration for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year. **Please register your child during these dates.**

**Pre-Registration for 2018-2019 Kindergarten students will be held at Grandy Primary School on:**



- Monday, March 26th from noon to 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 27th from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- Monday, April 16th from noon to 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 17th from 8:30 a.m. to 2 :30 p.m.



Please have your child with you. There will be brief screenings provided by a Kindergarten teacher and a speech pathologist. This process will take approximately 45 minutes, so please plan your time accordingly.

### Documents Needed to Complete Registration:

- The student's certified birth certificate (not a copy or the "mother's record")
- The student's current shot record
- The student's social security card
- If the birth parents that are named on the birth certification do not reside at the same address, a copy of the custody order is required.
- The homeowner's lease, deed, mortgage, rent receipt or a letter from the property owner verifying the agreement.
- Two (2) current utility bills (less than 30 days old)
- A valid NC driver's license with the current address (or receipt from DMV indicating the change has been made), NC state ID with the same address OR a valid military ID.

**For shared housing, all residency documents must be provided by the homeowner and the enrolling parent must have their driver's license with the same address or military ID.**

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## 2017-2018 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 **Friday, March 30, 2018.** Yearbooks will not arrive until mid to late May for delivery. Thanks.