Superintendent’s Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following students who were recently selected to the Superintendent’s Honor Roll and honored at the GISD School Board meeting on April 15.

Elementary School - Nicole Leach and Knox Porter
Middle School - Jacqueline Galvan and Kaylee Smith
High School - Natalie Newman and Rhett Taylor

PLAYOFFS

Softball: Lady Tigers vs. Brock @ Keller Central HS.
Thursday & Friday - 7pm, Saturday - 1 pm (if needed).

Baseball: Tigers vs. Howe @ Deeter Smothermon Field, Frisco.
Friday - 7:30 pm. Saturday - 1 pm. Third game will begin 30 minutes after (if needed).
ORDER OF ELECTION

An election is hereby ordered to be held on Saturday, May 11, 2013 for the purpose of:

Electing two (2) Gunter Independent School District Board of Trustees.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Gunter Community Center, 105 N. Fourth Street, Gunter between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm beginning on Monday, April 29, 2013 and ending on Tuesday, May 7, 2013.

No other early voting for GISD is scheduled.

Application for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: GISD, P.O. Box 109, Gunter, TX 75058-0109

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on Friday, May 3, 2013.

Issued this the 19th day of February, 2013.

Dr. Jill Siler, Presiding Officer

ORDEN DE ELECCION

Por la presente se ordena que se lleuara a cabo una eleccion el Saturday, May 11, 2013 con el proposito de:

Election dos (2) Gunter Independent School District Board of Trustees.

La votacion en adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en Gunter Community Center, 105 N. Fourth Street, Gunter entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el Monday, April 29, 2013 y terminado el Tuesday, May 7, 2013.

La votacion en adelantada ademas se llevara a cabo de tal manera: None

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: GISD, P.O. Box 109, Gunter, TX 75058-0109.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en adelantada por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el Friday, May 3, 2013.

Emitida este dia 19th de February, 2013.

Dr. Jill Siler, Oficial Que Preside
6 pm - GISD Regular Board Meeting

ATTENDANCE: Board members included: Rusty Arrington, Ron Box, L.D. Byrd, Dr. Gary Harris and John Jonas; District attendance included: Dr. Jill Siler and Renee Maples; Other staff, parents and community members were present.

STUDENT/STAFF/COMMUNITY RECOGNITION

Superintendent Honor Roll:
  - Elementary School - Nicole Leach & Knox Porter
  - Middle School – Jacqueline Galvan & Kaylee Smith
  - High School – Natalie Newman & Rhett Taylor

Championship Character Award:
  - Shelli Neely – Technology Director
  - Shannon Parker – Elementary Teacher
  - Elisabeth Pope – High School Teacher
  - Jill Rodarmer – Middle School teacher
  - Mia Rossi – Elementary Life Skills Teacher

Powerlifting: Kyle Garner & Coach Khristy Taylor

Tennis: Team Members & Coach Carrie Heinrich

Community Volunteer Recognition: Haunani Shipper for her work with GISD in Communications & Public Relations

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- Enrollment Update: District - 810, Elementary- 271, Middle School- 244, High School- 295.
- A full Financial Report was given including account updates from Landmark Bank, Lone Star Investments, a General Operating Report, I&S Report, Grayson County Coop Report and a report from Workers Comp
- Bond Projects Update was given and Dr. Siler discussed some necessary improvements to the Elementary Playground due to drainage issues and safety concerns. Bids are being collected for that project and will be reviewed at the May meeting.
- Lunchroom/Breakfast Prices were discussed with Lauren Rogers, Lunchroom Director. The new federal regulations may result in a small price increase next year. Those decisions will come before the Board at the May meeting.
- Communications: Dr. Siler shared the following items with the Board:
  - Preschool Program Update – Enrollment numbers still look strong.
  - Safety & Security Update – Dr. Siler updated the Board on the Administrative Team’s meeting with Bryce Kennedy (Gunter Chief of Police). Chief Kennedy led the team through the basic tenets of active shooter training and the group discussed responses to various threat situations.
  - Dress Code / Cell Phone Review Update – Dr. Siler shared that each campus was meeting with their Campus Advisory Teams to gather feedback on Dress Code and Cell Phone policies. Any revisions to those policies will come to the Board for review in May and for a vote in June.
  - Upcoming Dates:
    - GTFC Golf Tournament – May 5
    - Academic Banquet – May 13
    - Baccalaureate – May 19 @ FBC
    - Athletic Banquet – May 20
    - High School Awards Ceremony – May 22 @ 8:30am
    - Elem & Middle School Awards – May 30 @ 8:30am
    - Graduation – Board Help – May 31
    - Board Budget Workshop Tentative – June 7 @ 8:00 am
    - Board Training – June 15-17

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The Tiger Times

GISD Board of Trustees

Monday, April 15, 2013

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CONSENT AGENDA/ROUTINE BUSINESS: Minutes and Billing were approved for March 21, 2013 Minutes, March 2013 Billing.

REGULAR BUSINESS

- The Board approved Morgan, Davis & Co as the school Auditor for the 2012-2013 school year.
- The Board approved the Contract Designating Gunter ISD as the Receiving School for Tioga High School 11th & 12th grade for the 2013-2014 school year.
- The Board approved to Extend Depository Contract with Landmark Bank beginning September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2015.
- The Board reviewed the EFI Bid for outsourcing maintenance. That bid will come to a vote at the May Board Meeting.
- Extracurricular Policy: The draft version shared specifically outlines that the policy is cumulative throughout the participant’s HS career, notes how suspensions are to be handled when infractions occur out of season, and adds in an additional suspension step in the consequences. The proposed steps for suspension include 1 week, 3 weeks, 6 weeks, 1 year and dismissal from the program. The draft also included requirements for community service hours as well as a drug/alcohol prevention and education program when needed. This revision will come to the Board again in May for a vote.

“CLOSED SESSION”
- The Board approved the recommendation of the Superintendent to renew the Gunter ISD Term Contract Employees as presented for the 2013-2014 school year.

“OPEN SESSION”
- The Board approved the recommendation of the Superintendent to renew the Gunter ISD Term Contract Employees as presented for the 2013-2014 school year.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- Tuesday, May 21, Regular Meeting (6 pm)
- Friday, June 7, Budget Workshop (8 am)
- Monday, June 17, Regular Meeting (6 pm)
- Monday, July 15, Regular Meeting (6 pm)

ADJOURNMENT: Regular meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:15 pm.

Registration for the Extended Care Afterschool Program
is Now Available!

The Extended Care is an afterschool child care service provided each day school is in session at Gunter Elementary School for students enrolled in Pre-Kindergarten through 6th grade.

The hours are 3:30 - 6:00 p.m. It is a safe, familiar environment for our students. Students enjoy supervised play, structured activities, and snacks. Certified teachers and GISD staff supervise the students at all times. The program will cost $100/month with discounts available for GISD Staff and for families who qualify.

Registration will begin May 1, 2013 and continue through the school year. To register, fill out the online application form on our website at www.gunterisd.org under Departments – Early Childhood.
Special Recognition

Dr. Siler and the school board honored GHS Powerlifter Kyle Garner, the GHS Tennis Team and Haunani Shipper for her time and effort to the district at the meeting on April 15.

Accompanying Kyle was his coach, Khristy Taylor. Three of the 12 members of Tiger Tennis were present with Coach Carrie Heinrich. LEFT: Haunani and Dr. Siler.

BELOW: Mrs. Taylor, Kyle, Dr. Siler, Amanda Banks, J Bailey, Miranda Bon, Mrs. Heinrich.

Wishing the best for West

Many of us sympathize with our fellow Texans in West following the disastrous explosion in April. Senior J Bailey put his heart for the people of West into action with a fundraiser as part of the GHS choir’s performance of Hard Luck Choir Café. J’s idea of “passing the hat” at the beginning of the show resulted in $489 in cash donations.

The Select Choir donated $111 from their performance proceeds resulting in a total of $600 being sent to support the West Independent School District. J’s leadership shined a light on how our community pours out to those in need.

RIGHT: J Bailey (right) performed as Elwood Blue from the Blues Brothers with Hadley Johnson at the choir’s performance of Hard Rock Choir Café. They are pictured with Director Elizabeth Kulbeth.

GMS Eighth Grader Jaron Martin has recently been diagnosed with a rare Desmoid Tumor (Aggressive Fibromatoses). He is taking chemotherapy treatments at Children's Medical Center in Plano. ABOVE: Jaron with his Grandma Afton.

GMS has designated May as Journey with Jaron Month.

Every Tuesday students can donate $1 to the cause and wear shorts/caps/sweats to school. “Jaron” bracelets will be for sale for $1 and a donation jar will be available for anyone who would like to honor Jaron and contribute to his family for medical costs and everyday expenses. He is the son of Brian and Candy Martin.

Please visit Jaron’s Caring Bridge site and leave a message of encouragement. www.caringbridge.org/visit/jaronmartin
Congratulations to Eric Jackson and Kyle Johnson for being selected by GCEC to attend the Government in Action Youth Tour Washington D.C. trip this summer. The boys were required to submit essays to a contest sponsored by Texas Electric Cooperatives.

Two Gunter students recently earned the rank of Eagle Scout.

Kirk Johnson Jr., a member of Troop 44 in Van Alstyne, earned his Eagle Rank with a community service project of building a 25' bridge at Eisenhower State Park at Lake Texoma. He is the son of Kirk and Angele Johnson of Van Alstyne.

Eighth grader Mitch McConnell of Troop 1013, became an Eagle Scout in the Iron Horse District. Mitch has been involved in Scouting since the 1st grade and has enjoyed various leadership positions including serving as Senior Patrol Leader, Chaplain's Aid, Quartermaster, Troop Guide, and Historian. Of the required 21 merit badges for Eagle advancement, Mitch enjoyed earning 60 merit badges.

For his Eagle project, Mitch's team poured a slab foundation with rebar around a metal culvert that was clad with mortar and stone creating a large fire pit at Myers Park in McKinney. The team of scouts worked 287 man hours to complete the project. Mitch is the son of Zack and Linda McConnell.

Congratulations!

Eagles found in Tiger territory

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Congratulations!

GHS Band
The Tiger Band went to the Peak Music Festival and received the highest rating of a Division 1!

Way to go, Band!
RESULTS

Goat Show

Class 1: Keegan Rusher 6th; Brandon Hunsaker 8th
Class 2: Gage Davis 5th/Sale Alternate; Luke Willard 2nd, Division Reserve Champion, Champion Intermediate Showmanship & made the Sale
Class 3: Jessica Massey 5th, 3rd place Senior Showmanship; Dillon Willard 10th
Class 4: KateLyn Peninger 7th; Megan Bullard 6th
Class 5: Ross O’Hanlon 2nd (made the Sale); Rachael Watson 8th; Tyler Rigsby 7th; Leeann Fox 5th
Class 6: Lonnie Whitehurst 12th; Hunter Simco 9th; Katie Roberts 4th (made the Sale); Bethany Martinek 11th
Class 7: Dwayne Alford 2nd (made the Sale); Jessica Massey 5th/Sale Alternate; Dillon Willard 3rd (made Sale)
Class 8: Mikayla Watson 8th
Class 9: Mikayla Watson 7th; Mitch White 4th (made Sale)
Class 10: John Massey 6th; Greg Hunsaker 7th
Class 12: Carson Martinek 8th

Market Rabbit Show

• Courtney Pryor 6th/Sale Alternate; Justyn Davis 11th; Leeann Fox 12th; Addison Vest 15th. Participants: Kyri Morris-Jackson, Remi Morris-Jackson, Nyah Ingram, Keegan Rusher

Market Barrow Show

White Other Purebreeds: Tyler Roane 3rd; Angelica Pelley 1st, Reserve Breed Champion (made the Sale).
Duroc: Bryce Clopton 5th; Morgan Harrison 2nd (made the Sale); Brandon Hunsaker 3rd/Sale Alt. Leeann Fox 2nd/Sale Alternate.
Hampshire: Brandon Hunsaker 6th
Yorkshire: Justyn Davis 4th; Braiden Clopton 6th. Participant: J Bailey
Light Markings Crossbreeds: Savanah Roane 5th. Participants: Leeann Fox, Will Roane, Billy Dobbins
Dark Markings Crossbreeds: Participant: Chase Harrison

Creative Arts

• Katie Peninger-pencil drawings, 2 red ribbons
• Rachael Watson-arts/cooking, 1 blue, 2 reds, 1 white, 1 purple ribbons.

Agricultural Mechanics

Large Smoker/Cooker Division: Nick Hoffman, Dillon Willard, Lonnie Whitehurst: 3rd place.

Broiler Chickens

Luke Willard 7th (made the Sale)

Breeding Heifers

American Breeds/Crosses: Audrey Field 1st, Breed Champion
Angus: Audrey Field 2nd; Luke Willard 2nd
Charolais: Audrey Field 1st, Breed Champion

Market Steers

English breeds: Luke Osburn 3rd, 2nd in Showmanship, (made the Sale); Mia Jouett 2nd (made the Sale).
Exotic breeds: Dillon Willard 5th (made the Sale); Jacob Reed 2nd (made the Sale).

Freshman John Massey, was recently selected to join the Texas FFA Chorus to perform this summer in Dallas at the State FFA Convention.

He is the first Gunter FFA member to be selected for this group. John has been under the direction of Elizabeth Kulbeth who is the Gunter Choir Director.

John will spend six days performing before over 8,000 FFA members from across the state and at a few special engagements during the convention. He will be under the direction of Jeanna Baibos, Director and Britina Robinsons Pesak, Coordinator.

This year's theme for the Texas FFA Chorus is "One Voice DOES Make A Difference!"

Congratulations, John!, We are proud of you!
FFA CONTESTS
Area V contests are combined with District VI contests in Sulfur Springs and Commerce.

Livestock CDE Team
Victoria Osburn, Jessica Massey, Megan Bullard
6th place in District VI (TOP RIGHT)

Milk Quality Products CDE Team
Luke Osburn, Jake Whitteker, Ross O’Hanlon, John Massey
3rd place in District VI (BOTTOM LEFT)

Poultry CDE Team
Grayson McKinney, Ryan McHone, Jesse Harris
3rd place in District VI (BOTTOM RIGHT)

Congratulations to the One Act Play members for earning awards at contest:

All-Star Cast: Ashleigh Gehman
Tech Award: Tasha Crutchfield
Honorable Mention Cast: Alex Lashely and Allie Martin

Championship Character Awards
Honored as recipients of the GISD Championship Character Awards presented by Dr. Siler recently were (Left to Right): Jill Rodarmer - GMS teacher, Mia Rossi - GES Life Skills teacher, Elisabeth Pope - GHS teacher, Shelli Nelly - Technology Director, and Shannon Parker - GES teacher.

The award has been established to recognize staff who inspire others because of the way they consistently go above and beyond to impact the lives of our students.
The GHS Select Choir has 37 students heading to the State Solo & Ensemble Contest.

Six Ensembles and 4 soloists will compete in late May. Congratulations and Good Luck!

ABOVE: Members of the Select Choir that qualified for state are:

FRONT ROW (Left to Right: Eva Watson, Ashleigh Gehman, Spencer Lashley, Katie Roberts, Luis Betancourt, Chris Prasser, Mason Willeford, Kayla Pecina, Natalie Cochran.

SECOND ROW: Rachel Jonas, Taylor Cheers, Connor Clement, Reid Bolin, Mackenzie Buckner, Hadley Johnson, Molly Mikulastik, Jamie Boelens, Alex Lashley.


BACK ROW: Georgia Mulkey, Mitch McConnell, Emily Harless, Tasha Crutchfield, Cade Meyedirk, Greg Hunsaker, Emily Bruner, Dakota Brewer, Colten Enloe, Zach Magers.

RIGHT: Soloists that qualified for state are Mackenzie Buckner, Michelle Cole, Georgia Mulkey and Matthew Gonzalez.

CHOIR CALENDAR

5/10 Both Middle School Choirs to Contest
5/14 Spring Show (All Choirs) @ 7 pm
5/14 Dessert Bar and Root Beer or Coke floats for $5.
5/18 Select Choir Car Wash @ GES. 10 am-3 pm
5/21 State Solo & Ensemble Concert @ 7 pm
The Select Choir of GHS would like to take the time to say THANKS for all the support that was shown with our Hard Luck Choir Café! It was an awesome evening of amazing talent and super food.

We were able to raise over half of the money we need for our state trip in late May. The community support was overwhelming. The most important thing of the night was the way the Select Choir members showed support to their fellow classmates. The excitement grew as the night went on.

So again, thank you. We are planning Hard Luck Choir Café for next year, so if you missed it this year, start looking for the information in early spring next year and mark your calendar.

Elizabeth Kulbeth

GIFT presents scholarships, grants; honors Connie Williams

Anticipation and excitement filled the high school commons on April 25 as students, faculty members, parents, grandparents and community members came together for the 12th Annual Gunter ISD Education Foundation Dessert Reception. Gunter’s Boy Scout Troop #3 opened the evening with the presentation of the colors and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Debbie Saviano, former Plano ISD Administrator, was the guest speaker. Debbie was one of the 50 women selected to be in Leadership America, a year long program designed for women in Leadership. She will be traveling to London next month where she will be a speaker at “Interesting Talks London”. She encouraged our scholarship recipients as they embark on the next leg of their journey to “set the course” that will enable them to achieve their goals.

Twenty-two students received scholarships and 3 campus grants were awarded for a total over $28,000. ABOVE: Teachers Leslie Graziadi, Tonya Watson, Jill Dodd and Paula Lashley were the recipients of campus grants.

Many thanks go out to local businesses and individuals who so generously continued their support of GIFT by responding to the annual drive and other fundraising events. Each donor whose generosity and vision have made GIFT a success and the reception a reality for our students and faculty.

If you would like more information about GIFT please visit www.gunterisd.org/gift.

RIGHT: Steve Fletcher (left) and other members of the GIFT Board presented Connie Williams (right) with a memory book and gift cards celebrating her tenure as the director of GIFT. Connie resigned from her position and has done an outstanding job for GISD and GIFT.

We will miss you, Connie!
Students in Mr. Fletcher’s Health Class and Mrs. Racanelli’s Skills for Living Class celebrated Earth Day on April 22 by cleaning out the flowerbeds around the middle school building. They pulled weeds and cleared out dead brush and bushes. Our landscaping looks great! Thank you!

Eighth graders Camryn Loggains, Mitch McConnell, Lauren Baird and have been named to the Texas Choral Directors Association Middle School Honor Choir.

Two hundred students from across Texas were selected from about 1200 submitted auditions. Mitch, Lauren and Camryn will practice and perform in San Antonio this summer.
Congratulations to the GMS Cheerleaders for the 2013-14 school year.

FRONT ROW (Left to Right): Payton Fanning, Ryle Leach, Karsyn Kemp, Trinity Layman, Taylor Howard, Chloe Walton.

BACK ROW: Heidi Locke, Lexie Lenderman, Brooke Hogan, Samantha White, Paige Garner, Hunter Simco.

Sponsor: Jessica Hogan

The GMS cheerleaders will be creating football programs for the middle school football teams. The programs will be printed in black & white, and will be distributed at home football games. If you are interested in purchasing an ad, please complete the bottom portion of this form and return it (with payment) to the middle school office by Friday, May 10.

### Ad Prices (please circle one)
- Full Page: $200
- Half Page: $100
- 1/4 Page: $50
- 1/8 Page: $25
- Name Only: $10

Name: ____________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________
Phone #: _________________________________________
Additional Comments: ____________________________________________
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Please attach business card, picture, etc. that you would like included in your ad. If you would like to use a football picture, please make note of that. If you have any questions, or if you prefer to email your logo/picture, please email jhogan@gunterisd.org.
Honor Rolls for 3rd Nine Weeks

GMS A Honor Roll

**Fifth Grade:** Cassidy Ahlmeyer, Ashley Bruner, Brianna Carr, Tristan Cochran, David Denton, Jacquelyn Galvan, Jasek Hooker, Caleb Jack, Peyton Lowe, Laurel Mulkey, Bleize Parker, Randall Reed, Ainslee Stovall, Zander Turner, Kyle Watson, Gabriel Wells, Mack Whittenker.


**Seventh Grade:** Eliza Allen, Sarah Franze, Paige Garner, Tyler Jolly, Camryn MacDonald, Zachary Rogers, Kaitlyn Windlow.

**Eighth Grade:** Jonathan Avendano, Lauren Baird, Eilish Brazell, Trey Carr, Hannah Eldredge, Rylee Fueett, Zachary Lashley, Zachary LaBard, Eilish Brazell, Trey Carr, Lane Schaffer, Erin Seiberling, Greyson Toney.

GMS A/B Honor Roll

**Fifth Grade:** Davis Autry, Ryan Buysse, Zoe Carlile, Nancy Castorena, Channing Clement, Jonath Cruz, Mitchell Fugett, Anthony Garcia, Kathryn Hall, Chase Harrison, Jessica Hawk, Ryan Lounsberry, David Martinez, Grant McAfee, Tristan Meadors, Kyri Morris-Jackson, Ryan Morrison, Trey Phillips, Bryson Rigsby, Joshua Rogers, Abigail Rosas, Caden Sansone, Seth Schroeter, Skylar Self, Siena Siciliano, Keaton Stephens, Logan Trevino, Levi Warren, Ethan Watson, Sydney Wright.

**Sixth Grade:** Clay Banks, Anna Busch, Christopher Caperton, Carlos Chavez, Braiden Claptop Alexander Covington, Ben Crelia, Tori Gittens, Buri Godwin, Evan Gonzalez, Dylan Jantz, Karsyn Kemp, Rylee Leach, Ana Mercado, Cecilia Mercado, Emily Nelsen, Jose Rocha John Rowe, Jessica Smith, Alessandra Strange, Stevie Torres, Madison Varns, Chandler Wade, Powell Zuniga.

**Seventh Grade:** Crislynn Autry, Sonia Betancourt, Daylan Bower, Garret Brummett, Gage Davis, Randi Dobbins, Alexis Ferguson, Jennifer Galvan, Kole Gillespie, Rylee Hestand, Matthew Hunter, Chloe Jordan, Lexie Lenderman, Heidi Locke, Zachery Lowe, Remi Morris-Jackson, Logan Nelson, Makenzie Perry, Jacob Reed, James Reed, Russell Reed, William Roane, Tyler Scott, Hunter Simco, Ryan Tolbert, Scott Tubbs, Loren Waldsmith, Samantha White, Madeline Williams.


Elementary A Honor Roll


**3rd Grade:** Ansley Baird, Ashlyn Beck, Makayla Harvey, Nicole Leach, Lillie Matiko, Kasey McKee, Sophia Mendoza, Landon Pelfrey, Kaden Rigsby, Jake Schafer, Erin Seiberling, Greyson Toney.

**4th Grade:** Nash Daniel, Cobi Koonce, Jack Locke, Slade Parker, Mary Smith.

Elementary A/B Honor Roll

**1st Grade:** Lucas Frank, Jaxson Jester, Taylor Latham, Cesar Montes, Audra Sanchez, Trystan Sanderson, Taylor Self, Paige Yosten, Asher Zuniga.

**2nd Grade:** Samantha Aiken, Gwen Andy, Ava Cantrell, Trent Carr, Lane Ferguson, Lexi Koonce, Abby Marks, Dalton McClain, Gray McDowell, KK Mead, Samantha Neufeld, Cassie Pope, Emilee Pyles, Eli Roche, Jonathan Smith, Austin Trevino, Emily Vega.


**4th Grade:** Mathew Avendano, Mikal Beck, Taylor Boddie, Samuel Cole, Peyton Cooper, Samuel Erwin, Bethany Gibbreath, Peyton Graves, Connor Jackson, Emily Lopez, Bethany Martinez, Andrea Montes, Cindy Montes, Neelie Parker, Bria Savage, Jake Seiberling.
Look What’s Coming in May!

The Gunter Elementary PTO proudly presents a musical celebration featuring students in Kindergarten, 1st Grade and 2nd Grade

Monday, May 6
6 pm
Gunter Elementary

Core Essential
May

Spring fever is alive and thriving at our school. Each day our students are itching for the days of sunscreen, slip n’ slides, and watermelon right around the corner. But we still have a few last ends to tie up so we are spending this last month talking about the value of Patience - waiting until later for what you want now.

BIRTHDAY BOOK CLUB: Celebrating April birthdays with a Birthday Book Club book were: Adelie Brackeen, Cesar Montes, Asher Zuniga, Avery Diers, Ella Pinkernell, Neelie Parker, and Brodee Parker.

ELEMENTARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH
MARCH

Kinder  Avery Hale
1st Grade  Audra Sanchez
2nd Grade  Dylan Marsh
3rd Grade  Bennett Fady
4th Grade  MikalAnn Beck
THANK YOU to our amazing students, parents and volunteers for making the Elementary Spring Book Fair a tremendous success! We sold $3,557.03 worth of Scholastic books and merchandise and profited $889.26.

Our PTO did an incredible job setting up the book fair, organizing volunteers and preparing for our Muffins for Moms event. What a great group of volunteers we have!

A very special thank you to Mrs. Susanne Brackeen’s talented art students! They created a banner of book covers, depicting their favorite books, as well as beautiful tissue paper flowers. The flowers were distributed to mom’s attending the Muffins for Moms event. This year the elementary school chose to donate 10% of the profit to the elementary’s Gunter Volunteer Fire Department yearly contribution.

GMS TRACK

LEFT: Chaney Elvington
TOP LEFT: Tyler Scott
TOP RIGHT: Kamee Roberson
RIGHT: Aubrey Rolison
Gunter 5
Farmersville 4
2B: Kelsey Cantrell, Morgan Harrison, Christy Watson. 3B: Morgan Harrison
Top Hitters: Morgan Harrison- 3 for 4, 1 RBI; Katlyn Holmes- 2 for 4, 1 RBI; Christy Watson- 3 for 4, 1 RBI; Kelsey Cantrell- 2 for 3, 2 RBI.
Pitching: Katlyn Holmes 7 IP, 2 ER, 4 H, 2 BB, 18 K.

Gunter 11
Van Alstyne 0
2B: Katlyn Holmes (2), Christy Watson, Eva Watson. 3B: Kaylee Schmitz.
Top Hitters: Morgan Harrison- 3 for 5, 2 RBIs; Monce Robledo- 2 for 5; Katlyn Holmes- 3 for 4, 1 RBI; Christy Watson- 2 for 4, 1 RBI; Eva Watson- 3 for 4, 2 RBIs.
Pitching: Katlyn Holmes 7 IP, 1 BB, 2 H, 14 K.
District Record: 7-2

Bi-District Champions
Playoffs - Round 1

Game 1
Gunter 8
Callisburg 1
2B: Megan Bullard (2), HR: Kelsey Cantrell, Katlyn Holmes.
Top Hitters: Kelsey Cantrell- 2 for 4, 4 RBIs; Monce Robledo- 2 for 4; Katlyn Holmes- 2 for 3, 2 RBIs;
Megan Bullard - 4 for 4.
Pitching: Katlyn Holmes 7 IP, 2 H, 3 BB, 1 ER, 6 Ks

Game 2
Gunter 6
Callisburg 3
2B: Katlyn Holmes, Kelsey Cantrell. 3B: Morgan Harrison.
Top Hitters: Morgan Harrison- 3 for 4, Monce Robledo - 1 for 2, 2 RBIs; Katlyn Holmes -2 for 4; Brittnee Gillespie- 2 for 4, 2 RBIs; Kelsey Cantrell - 2 for 3.
Pitching: Katlyn Holmes 7 IP, 7 H, 3 BB, 3 ER, 7 Ks

BEAT BROCK!
DISTRICT TRACK RESULTS

BOYS: Team-3rd Place

SHOT PUT:  Aroldo Nandin - 3rd (44’ 1.25”)
Pole Vault:  Spencer Lashley - 1st (10-0)
100m Dash:  Anthony Franze - 1st (10.78)
200m Dash:  Anthony Franze - 3rd (22.49)
400m Dash:  Garrett Hunter - 2nd (51.75)
300m Hurdles: Ross O’Hanlon - 3rd (44.75)
4x100 Relay:  3rd (44.50)
4x400 Relay:  1st (3:32.75) (Teems, Morales, Hunter, Brewer)

GIRLS

SHOT PUT:  Monica Hall - 1st (37’ 4.75”)
Discus:  Monica Hall - 2nd (94-0)
100m Hurdles: Bree Adkins - 2nd (16.78)
400m Dash:  Payton Baker - 1st (58.44)
300m Hurdles: Bree Adkins - 2nd (48.49)

AREA TRACK RESULTS
Top 3 finishers qualify for Regional

BOYS

SHOT PUT:  Aroldo Nandin – 3rd (45’5”)
Pole Vault:  Spencer Lashley – 4th (10-6.25)
100m Dash:  Anthony Franze – 1st (10.78)
200m Dash:  Anthony Franze – 2nd (22.20)
400m Dash:  Garrett Hunter – 2nd (52.99)
300m Hurdles: Ross O’Hanlon – 6th (45.07)
4x100 Relay:  6th (45.86)
4x400 Relay:  2nd (3:31.04)

GIRLS

SHOT PUT:  Monica Hall – 1st (37’2.5”)
Discus:  Monica Hall – 5th (96-7)
100m Hurdles: Bree Adkins – 3rd (16.69)
400m Dash:  Payton Baker – 1st (59.37)
300m Hurdles: Bree Adkins – 3rd, (49.66)

BOYS REGIONAL TRACK

SHOT PUT:  Aroldo Nandin - 6th (44’)
Pole Vault:  Spencer Lashley - 8th (13’)
100m Dash:  Anthony Franze - 5th (11.41)
200m Dash:  Anthony Franze - 7th (22.54)
4x400 Relay:  5th (3:29.21)

GIRLS REGIONAL TRACK

SHOT PUT:  Monica Hall - 7th (37’.5”)
400m Dash:  Payton Baker - 1st (57.76)
300m Hurdles: Bree Adkins - 8th (48.50)
CONGRATULATIONS!

DISTRICT GOLF
Girls: 2nd Place, 472
Regional Qualifiers
Jaimie Hughes – 83, 1st place; Kiana Nemoto -117, 7th place; Allie Martin-132, 13th place; Regan Hestand- 140, 23rd place.
Boys: 2nd Place, 380
Regional Qualifiers
Kevin Teems- 84, 3rd place; Eric Farr-88, 6th place; Will Neely- 97, 14th place; Bryce Clopton-111, 19th place; Tyson Scott- 123, 29th place. Individuals: Cade Ferrell-137, Ty Johnson-143.

GOOD LUCK at STATE, JAIMIE!

REGIONAL GOLF
Girls: 12th place
Jamie Hughes–181
STATE QUALIFIER

GHS TRACK
Monica Hall
Bree Adkins
Dakota Brewer
Gunter  7  
Caddo Mills  2  
WP: J. Ledesma (7-0)  
Leading Hitters: P. Montgomery (3-3); 2  
RBIs; H. Williams (1-3) 3 RBIs; CJ Ateek  
(2-3) 3 RBIs, 2B, HR; M. Burfield – HR.

Gunter  5  
Melissa  6  
LP - D. Higdon  
Leading Hitters: H. Williams (1-4) 3 RBIs,  
HR; M. Burfield (2-2) RBI.

LEFT: Senior Anthony Franze placed 1st at District  
in the 100m dash with a time of 10:78 seconds.  
He qualified for regional in the 100m, 200m and  
sprint relay.
# Gunter Tiger Fan Club

**8th Annual Golf Tournament**

May 5th, 2013
The Bridges Golf Club, Gunter, Texas
11:30 check-in, 1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start

**Supporting All Gunter ISD Athletics Programs—Middle School through High School**

*Sign up today!*

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**Return completed flyer via email or snail mail.**

Make check payable to Gunter Tiger Fan Club (GTFC)
P.O. Box 157, Gunter, TX 75058

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For more information contact Brian Bailey at (214) 585-8026 or www.guntertigerfanclub.org
GUNTER LADY TIGERS VOLLEYBALL CAMP

JULY 15-19 (Mon-Thurs.)
SESSION I: 8:00-10:00 am (3rd-5th graders)
SESSION II: 10:00 am-12:00 (6th-9th graders)
COST: $45
CAMP INCLUDES: T-SHIRT AND AWARDS, TEAM PLAY, CONTESTS, INSTRUCTION IN SETTING, PASSING, DIGGING, SPIKING, AND SERVING.
MAIL FORMS & CHECKS TO:
TONYA WATSON
27400 STATE HWY. 56
WHITESBORO, TX 76273
CONTACT #: 903-813-6152
NAME: _______________________________________
PHONE: _______________________________________
GRADE FALL 2013 ________ AGE:_________
T-SHIRT SIZE: YOUTH S M L
ADULT S M L XL
I HEREBY GIVE PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GUNTER VOLLEYBALL CAMP. THIS AUTHORIZATION SHALL WAIVE, RELEASE AND ABSOLVE GUNTER ISD AND THE CAMP STAFF FROM ANY LIABILITY FOR INJURY OR ILLNESS INCURRED AT CAMP. I GIVE THE STAFF PERMISSION TO ACT ACCORDINGLY IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.
PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:
___________________________________________
DATE________________________

North Central Texas College
Volleyball Team Camp

For Incoming 9th-12th graders
When: July 23-26
(Tues-Fri) 1pm - 3 pm
Gunter Event Center
$125 Cash only
Registration Deadline: May 24

Name:
___________________________________________
Grade for Fall 2013:_________
Phone:____________________
Address:
___________________________________________
___________________________________________
A medical release must be signed and will be mailed to you or you can get one from Coach Watson.

Turn in form and money to Coach Watson by May 24.
GUNTER LADY TIGER SOFTBALL CAMP
JUNE 3rd - 5th

SESSION I: 9:00 – 11:00 (Pre-K - 4th Grade)
SESSION II: 11:30 – 1:30 (5th Grade – Incoming 9th Grade)

COST: Pre-registered Campers (Before June 1st) - $40
      Others - $45

CAMP INCLUDES:
• Camp T-Shirt
• Individual Instruction: Pitching, Hitting, Fielding, and Baserunning
• Daily Drills
• Team Play
• Contests and Awards

MAIL FORMS: Robert Klick
            8400 Stonebrook Parkway #827
            Frisco, TX 75034

CONTACT NUMBER: 817-694-1598

Name: __________________________ Address: __________________________
Phone: __________ Age: _____ Grade Next Year: ______
T-Shirt Size: Adult S M L        Youth S M L

I hereby give my permission for my child to participate in the Gunter Softball Camp. This authorization shall waive, release and absolve Gunter ISD and the camp staff from any liability for injury or illness incurred at camp. I give the staff permission to act for accordingly to its best judgment in case of emergency.

__________________________________  __________________________________
Parent/Guardian Signature             Date
GUNTER TIGER BASEBALL CAMP

June 10 - 12

Session I  9 - 11 am
(Kindergarten thru 4th Grade)

Session II  11:30 am - 1:30 pm
(5th Grade thru incoming 9th Grade)

$45 per camper
$40 per camper with 2 or more
from the same family

Instruction includes:
fielding, hitting, bunting, throwing, base running and pitching. Campers will be
grouped according to age and or skill level. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt.

Name______________________________________________Grade Fall 2013_______________
Address____________________________________________City________________________________
Parent/Guardian____________________________________Home#_________________________
Cell # _________________________________Work #____________________________________
List any medical conditions: _______________________________________________________

My child has permission to attend the Gunter Baseball Camp. In the event of an illness or
injury, I give the staff members permission to act for me according their best judgment, in case
of an emergency. I also release the Gunter ISD, its employees and the camp instructors from all
liability.

Parent/Guardian signature:____________________________________________________________________
Date:____________________

Please send completed forms and camp fee to:

Kerry Clement
209 W. Mesquite
Gunter, Texas 75058

Instructed by GHS
Coaching Staff
Todd Hogan
214-707-8368
Kerry Clement
903-436-7727
Gunter High School
Summer Speed & Strength Registration

Date: June 5th through July 18th (M, T, W, TH)
(1st week will be only W and TH.)
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Entering Grades 7-8
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM Entering Grades 9-12

Price: $75 for the entire summer
(Payment arrangements can be made.)

Payment: Cash or Check (Make checks payable to: Charlie Roten)

Location: Gunter High School Weight Room

Deadline: We need to receive confirmation by registration form on or before May 31st.

Contact:
Email Address: croten@gunterisd.org
Cell Number: 214-240-9076

General Camp Information and FAQs

- The camp will be devoted to strength and conditioning. We will focus on explosive strength training, speed development, core training, and cardiovascular training.
- The first 30 minutes of the workout will be devoted to strength training and the second 30 minutes will be devoted to speed/cardiovascular training.
- This is a multi-sport program. The camp will benefit all sports in the Gunter athletic program.
- According to UIL rule – Section 1206 (H), regarding summer strength conditioning programs, summer strength and conditioning programs may be conducted by school coaches in that attendance zone only.

General Information

First Name: _______________________________________ Last Name: _______________________________________
Age: __________________ Grade Entering – Fall 2012: ________________
Home Phone: _____________________________________ Address: __________________________________________
City: ____________________________________________ State: _______________
Father’s Name: __________________________________ Contact #: __________________
Mother’s Name: __________________________________ Contact #: __________________
Emergency Contact: ________________________________ Contact #: __________________
Sports Participating In: _______________________________________________________________________________________

Release of Liability

In consideration of my participation in the Gunter Strength & Conditioning Camp, I do hereby, for myself, release and discharge the camp and all personnel therof from all claims and damages, demand, action, or whatsoever in any manner arising or growing out of my participation in the camp. I attest and verify that I, without endangering my health, hereby release the camp from liability now or in the future. Including, but not limited to, muscle strains, pulls, or soreness, broken bones, shin splints, heat prostration, knee/lower back or foot injury or any illness or injury however caused, occurring during or after my participation in the exercise program. I hereby attest and affirm that I, myself, am healthy and fit and have been cleared from any medical restrictions prior to participation in this exercise program. If, in fact, any injury that requires medical attention occurs, I reserve the right for the camp to take action through medical facilities in the area. The Gunter Strength & Conditioning Camp reserves the right to discontinue any athlete’s program at any time for any reason. I have read the information in full, and to the best of my ability, understand the information above.

Signature for Release of Liability

Participant Signature: _______________________________________ Date: ______________________
Parent/Guardian Signature: __________________________________ Date: ______________________
Gunter Football Summer Schedule 2013

KEY DATES

May 22 - 24:  Issue Pads
May 24:  Football Fee Due - $25
May 24:  Athletic Packet Due (forms can be found on GISD Athletic website or www.uil.utexas.edu)
May 31:  Last day of school
June 3:  Strength and Conditioning Camp Begins
July 18:  Strength and Conditioning Camp Ends
July 25 - 27:  Coaches Work Days
August 1 - 3:  Coaches Work Days
August 1:  Mandatory Football Parent Meeting 7 PM in the HS Commons
August 5:  First day of Two A Days (Practice Begins at 7 AM / Players report by 6:15 AM)
August 9:  First day of Pads
August 16:  Money Due for TEAM / me shirts and Travel Polo ($25 Varsity football only)
August 16:  Media Day – 10 AM
August 17:  First Scrimmage
August 22:  Second Scrimmage
August 30:  First Varsity Game

STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING CAMP

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(Monday – Thursday for 6 weeks)

Week 1    June 3 - 6
Week 2    June 10 - 13
Week 3    June 17 – 20
Week 4    June 24 - 28
** July 1 – 4 – OFF
Week 5    July 8 - 11
Week 6    July 15 - 18
**July 22 – Aug 4 – CONDITION ON YOUR OWN

7 ON 7 SCHEDULE

Celina League (MONDAY NIGHTS @ 6 PM)  June 3, 10, 17, 24
Gunter ISD
213 N. 8th Street
PO Box 109
Gunter, Texas 75058
903.433.4750

Gunter High School
1102 N. 8th Street
Gunter, Texas 75058
903.433.1542

Gunter Middle School
410 Tiger Lane
Gunter, Texas 75058
903.433.1545

Gunter Elementary School
200 West Elm
Gunter, Texas 75058
903.433.5315

www.gunterisd.org

School Board Trustee and City Council Election Day
Saturday, May 11, 2013
Gunter Community Center
7 am - 7 pm

Early Voting:
Monday, April 29 thru Tuesday, May 7, 2013.
8 am - 5 pm

Mark Your Calendar:
Athletic Banquet
Monday, May 20
Time: 6 pm
Cost: $8
Tickets will be on sale soon!

Save the Date and Pick your Teams

GIFT Golf Tournament
Swing for Education
June 24 at The Bridges

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