

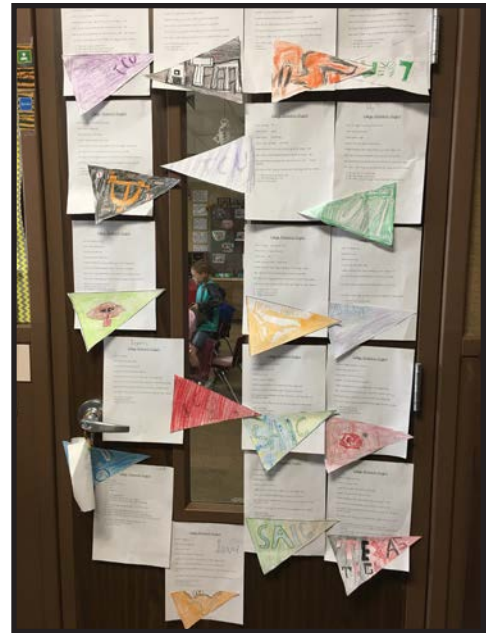
# COLLEGE WEEK

All 3 campuses celebrated college week in different ways. It is always a fun time of the year to see the teachers celebrating their alma maters while encouraging students to begin planning for their future. Below are just a few things that happened during the week!

To celebrate college week, 3rd graders chose a college they would like to attend one day and did a research project to learn more about it. They had fun learning about many different colleges, and the door looks amazing!

"Champions do not become champions when they win the event, but in the hours, weeks, months and years they spend preparing for it. The victorious performance itself is merely the demonstration of their championship character."

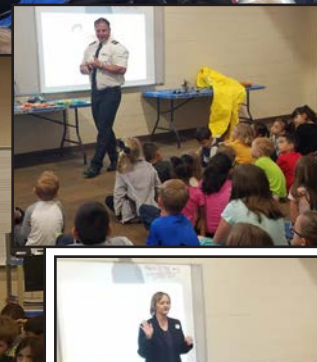
~ Alan Armstrong



On Friday, March 23rd the Elementary School finished up College and Career Week by having a HUGE **Career day**. It is the biggest Career Day that we have ever had! All of our students PK4 through 4th grade got to hear from some very interesting careers. Our students heard from a wide variety of careers from a veterinarian to an alpaca farmer.

Here are some careers our GES Students heard from:

- Veterinarian
- Home Builders
- Dog Trainer
- Bank Fraud Specialist
- Fishery Biologist
- Pilot
- Medical Sales
- Realtor
- Environmental Safety Specialist
- RN
- Alpaca Farmer
- Photographer
- Motorcycle Police Officer
- Military Police
- Fireman
- Heavy Machine Specialist
- "Factory Doctor" for Frito Lay



We appreciate all of our parents that gave up time on their busy Friday to help teach our kids about some very interesting careers.





Perfect timing for the college collage to be hung in the GHS main hall -- College Week! The seniors of 2018 have celebrated this week for many years, they've researched, applied and are ready to announce their long awaited decision.

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# COMMUNITY FORUM

## on School Safety & Security

**Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**6:30-7:45pm**  
**GHS Commons**

- Overview of Security Improvements
- Results from the Safety Survey
- Panel w/Law Enforcement Officers
- Discussion on Next Steps...

Learning and innovation go hand in hand.  
 The arrogance of success is to think that what you did  
 yesterday will be sufficient for tomorrow.  
 ~ William Pollard



## INNOVATION!

In February we recognized Nurse Jeannie Clarke for her innovative teaching and also getting our Health Science program trending. We surprised her in her classroom and let her students celebrate with us! Jeannie was also recognized during the March board meeting.

Our Gunter cafeterias have been celebrating National School Breakfast Week this past month. Fun decorations, selfie stations, contests, and don't forget the most important part; GREAT FOOD were all a part of this great week! Congratulations to the winner of an iTunes gift card - Colt Rivera!





Dear Parent,

Can you believe that this school year is almost over?

It has been a great pleasure to prepare and serve great meals to your children. My staff and I would like to personally thank you for all

the kind words and joy that your children bring to our cafeterias each and every day!

With the end of the school year upon us, we need to close out the accounts for the year and get all outstanding balances paid in full.

Starting April 2nd, we will ask that no new charges of any kind be made. If a student does not have money in their accounts or cash with them, they will be given a sack lunch (free of charge). They will also be handed a reminder slip showing that they were given a sack lunch and a reminder of what they owe.

You can deposit money in your child's account by sending a check to your child's campus, sending cash payments with your child or making on-line payments with your My School Bucks account, (all information is on the GISD website at <http://www.gunterisd.org/domain/70>).

Please make every effort to ensure that your child has funds in their account until the end of the school year. Also, make sure all outstanding balances are paid in full.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (903)696-1310.

Thank You,

Lauren Rogers  
Child Nutrition Director  
Gunter ISD

[lrogers@gunterisd.org](mailto:lrogers@gunterisd.org)

## PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Pre-K & Kindergarten registration for the 2018-2019 school year will be held on Tuesday, April 10 from 3:45-7:00 pm in the elementary school cafeteria.

Parents should bring the child's birth certificate, Social Security Card, immunization record, photo id of enroller & income verification (please see enclosed sheets).

All kindergarten students must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2018 and all Pre-K students must be 3 or 4 years of age on or before September 1, 2018. If space is available, non-qualifying students and transfer students may be accepted.

**PRE KINDERGARTEN QUALIFICATIONS:** Free/Reduced Lunch Qualifier, English Second Language, Active or Disabled Military Dependent, Homeless, Ever Been in Foster Care.

For Pre-K you may qualify based on meeting one of the eligibility criteria or you may attend as a tuition based student if space is available.

Students will not be reserved a place in Pre-K until all shot records are current and the school has all required documents completed.

Only students who did not attend Pre-K this year in GISD must enroll for Kindergarten. Please call the office at 903-433-5315 if you are unable to register your child on this date to insure his/her name is on the list.

Forms for Pre-K and Kindergarten registration can be printed off the Gunter Elementary School website ([www.gunterisd.org](http://www.gunterisd.org)). Choose Gunter Elementary from the dropdown select a school menu. Forms can be found under the Printable Forms section on the right.

Autism Awareness  
Day  
Monday, April 2nd

April is Autism  
Awareness Month



**CHILD ABUSE  
PREVENTION MONTH**  
APRIL 2018

**You can help prevent it!**

Learn more about preventing child abuse at this site: <https://tinyurl.com/ydyzor4w>

**FRIDAY, APRIL 6TH IS TEXAS GO BLUE DAY!!  
Wear BLUE!**



# LEARNING BEYOND THE GES WALLS

Our first-grade students skyped with Ranger Ellen of Yellowstone National Park and learned about mud pots, geysers, and hot springs as well as the many different animals and habitats located within the Park. Digital learning definitely has perks!



To kick-off their study of the Texas Revolution, 4th grade students skyped with Education Coordinator, Sherrie Driscoll as she took them on a tour of the Alamo as well as the Long Barracks.



The 2nd graders enjoyed visiting with their San Vicente ISD Skype buddies again. Earlier in the year, they participated in a mystery Skype where they asked each other questions about their location to try and figure out where the other school was. Since then, they have become pen pals! They have enjoyed exchanging letters and learning more about each other's school.

Third grade has been studying landforms as well as changes to our Earth. We skyped with Park Ranger Jim Hill of the Niagara Parks Commission located in Ontario, Canada, and learned how erosion has changed the falls as well as many amazing facts about the water falls. The Canadian Falls are called the Horseshoe Falls because of their distinctive horseshoe shape.

- Between the base of the Horseshoe Falls and the Whirlpool the water elevation drops approximately 71 feet
- By International Agreement, the Canadians draw 56,500 cubic feet of water per second and the Americans draw 32,500 cubic feet of water per second
- 400 pounds of water flow over the falls every minute
- The falls produce a large amount of mist as the water crashes to the bottom of the falls producing a spectacular rainbow.
- The falls are approximately 2,200 feet wide and 13 stories tall
- The water is about 10 feet deep at the crest of the falls.
- 20% of the world's freshwater comes from Niagara Falls







## March Birthday Book Club

Celebrating a March birthday with a book from the birthday book club are: Jace Wade, Riley Rogan, Hayes Henry, Chance Stovall, Olivia Rigdon, Maddox Piaschyk and Andrew Badillo. If you would like to learn more about this program, contact Lauri Johnson at the elementary school.

## Playground Entertainment

Big trucks will always excite a kindergartner! Here they are observing our sanitation workers dumping our trash.




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## Kindergarten Visits Public Library



Kindergarten kicked off their Dr. Seuss unit with a trip to the Gunter Public Library. Thanks to Ms. Jennifer and her team for making it such a fun celebration.





# Cowboy Day

Rain didn't stop this fun filled event! "Cowboy Day" has become an annual event for kindergarten and 4th graders. Students dressed the part in their hats and boots while they participated in events that were planned throughout the day. A few high school students traveled to the elementary school to help the students navigate the cowboy trail of activities. Cowboy speaker, Corkey Westman, shared the history of cattle drives with the students. Moving down the trail, students also learned about branding, camp fires, roping, farm animals, barbed wire, saddles, herding the cattle and square dancing.

Thank you to Corkey Westman for speaking to the students and Denise Willard for bringing her baby chicks to the event. Many thanks to the high school students who helped corral the kids! Thanks to Coach Watson and Mrs Kulbeth for putting this together for the kids, it is always a huge hit!



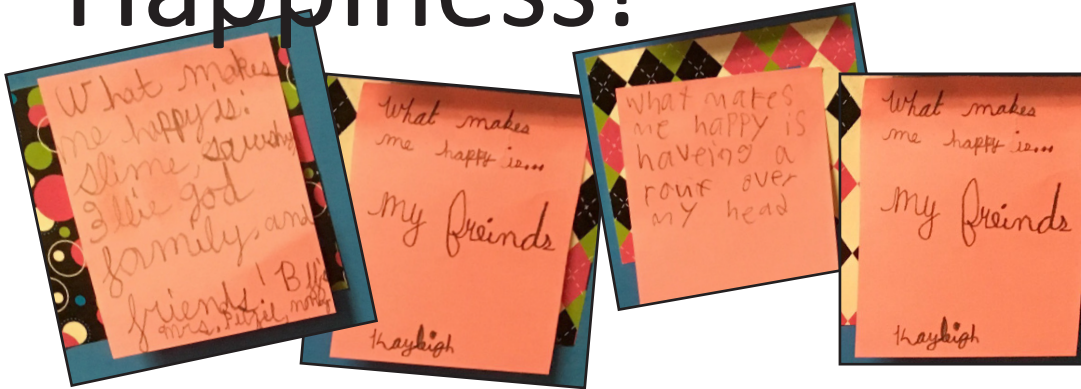


## Readers are Champions

Sixty-Four students read a total of 57,002 minutes during the 3rd nine week grading period and were treated to a popcorn party. We appreciate Landmark Bank for providing the popcorn to our awesome readers!



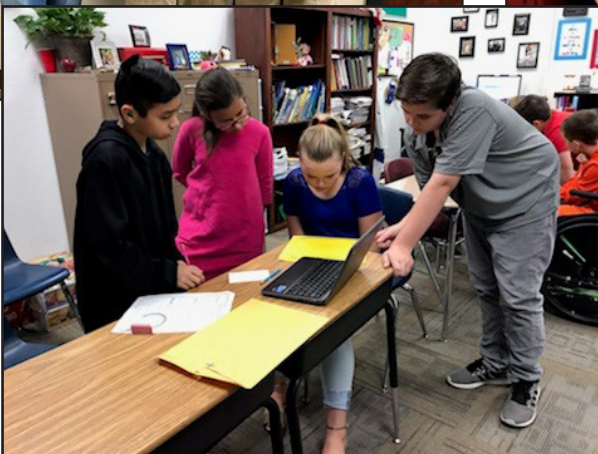
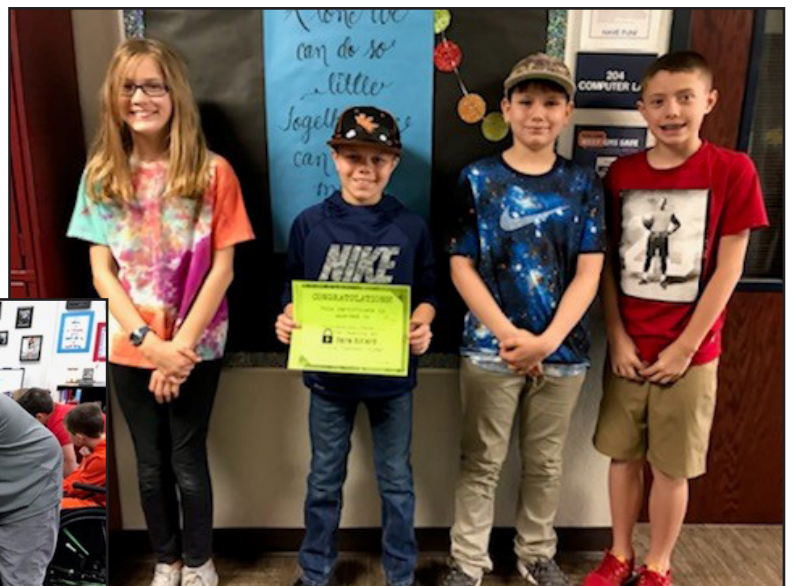
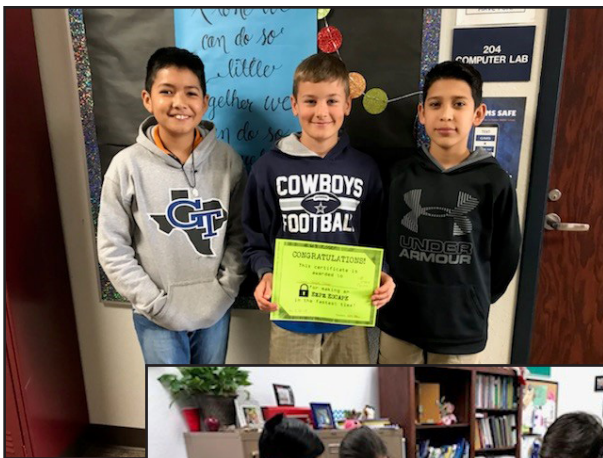
## Happiness!



The 3rd grade students in Mrs. Pelzel's class posted the things that made them happy in observance of the International Day of Happiness on March 20th.

## ***WEATHERING THE STORM!***

Mother Nature has unleashed her fury in the 5th grade science lab! The students had to use their knowledge of weather and climate to answer questions in order to escape! Whether they escaped the weather is top secret, but I'm sure they all have made it home safe and sound!





If only history could talk... oh wait, it can! Our 5th grade students breathed life back into some very important monuments. The living museum is always a huge hit, and this year's group did not disappoint!

# LIVING MUSEUM



## Loy Lake Photography Competition

Congratulations to these GMS students for entering the Photography competition at Loy Lake this year.

**Finalists:** K. Jaramillo, R. Riffe, A. Clarke, M. Fady

**Reserve Grand Champion:** M. Fisher (photo sold for over \$250)

**Grand Champion:** M. Fady (photo sold for over \$450)

*Sponsor: Mrs. Norma Clement*



Reagan Riffe,  
Junior Finalist



Aubrey Clark,  
Junior Finalist



Channing Clement,  
Senior Finalist



Katie Jaramillo,  
Junior Finalist



(Above) Makena Fady,  
Grand Champion  
(Left) Malison Fisher,  
Reserve Grand Champion



Makena Fady,  
Junior Finalist



# GMS...More than a middle school!

by Steve Fletcher, GMS Teacher

The students at GMS are talented in many areas as has been shown throughout the school year. Not only are they amazing athletes, musicians, artists, and leaders, they are also academically brilliant! It takes everything you have to make it at GMS.

60 talented students, sixth thru eighth grade, represented Gunter in more than 30 events at the district Academic UIL competition held on March 6th in Pilot Point. These students 'set the bar higher' at GMS as they prepared for their contests. The UIL participants competed in events including core subjects like science, math, and social studies. Also high on the UIL priority list were speaking contests in which 13 students represented GMS in oral reading, modern oratory, impromptu speaking, and listening skills. There were also the creative competitions like art appreciation, chess puzzle, calculator applications, and maps, graphs, and charts.

GMS had 4 teams medal this year: 3rd place – Bronze medal art: Nicole Leach, Hope Caperton, Abby Green, Grace King, 2nd place Silver medal science : Greyson Toney, Cole Lemons, Audrey Curtis. Also medaling for 2nd place silver medal dictionary skills: Nick Bullard, Dylan Marsh, Kamber Puebla and 2nd place silver medal listening skills Kendall Jolly, Keeli Sweet, Kai Altun

Individually, GMS did better than last year as well. Sixth grader Jackson Rue earned 1st place gold for Chess Puzzle, and 6th place in both mathematics and number sense; Kendall Jolly earned 1st place in listening skills. Seventh graders Kamber Puebla earned 2nd place silver for Dictionary Skills; Dylan Marsh earned 3rd place bronze in dictionary skills; Nick Bullard earned 3rd place bronze in science; Grace Fortune earned 4th place in mathematics; and Collier Stovall earned 5th place in impromptu speaking. Eighth graders Audrey Curtis earned 5th place in number sense, and last but not least, Greyson Toney earned 1st place gold in science – making it two years in a row!

We are so proud of these students that placed, but even more proud of the students that stepped up and represented their school. They worked long hours and gained valuable experience. Academic UIL students will be taking a field trip in April in recognition of their participation.

A special thanks to our coaches this year...Mrs. Bullard, Mrs. Inglish, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Murphy, and Coach Pelzel. Also, a special shout-out to Pilot Point Middle School for hosting a quality event.

## Team Medals:

Mrs. Murphy –

Art: Nicole Leach, Hope Caperton, Abby Green, Grace King – Bronze 3rd place

Science: Greyson Toney, Cole Lemons, Audrey Curtis – Silver 2nd place

Mrs. Morrison –

Dictionary Skills: Nick Bullard, Dylan Marsh, Kamber Puebla

Listening Skills: Kendall Jolly, Keeli Sweet, Kai Altun

## Individual Medals:

Jackson Rue – 6th place Mathematics  
Jackson Rue – 6th place Number Sense  
Collier Stovall – 5th place Impromptu Speaking

Audrey Curtis – 5th place Number Sense

Grace Fortune – 4th Mathematics  
Dylan Marsh – Bronze medal 3rd place Dictionary Skills

Nick Bullard - Bronze medal 3rd place Science

Kamber Puebla – Silver medal 2nd place Dictionary Skills

Jackson Rue – Gold medal 1st place Chess puzzle

Kendall Jolly – Gold Medal 1st place Listening Skills

Greyson Toney – Gold Medal 1st place Science – 2 years running...





# Tigers Giving Back

#ServeLikeSue

Gunter Middle School has been working, and will continue to work to give back to our community and raise money for the **Leukemia and Lymphoma Society**. Our campus goal is **\$4000**. Check out the great ways you can help us reach our goal!

## SILLY STRING YOUR TEACHER April 4th

Students may bring their own silly string to school AND pay \$1 to spray their teachers during Tiger Time.

## DELAY THE DAY March 29th-April 6th

Students **bring as many coins** as you can to 2nd period. Class begins when all the change is counted.

\* The more you bring, the longer it takes to count :)

## CANNED FOOD DRIVE

March 26th-April 4th

Tigers will **#ServeLikeSue** in honor and remembrance of **Mrs. Sue Stafford**, a loyal GT fan, neighboring master teacher and gracious servant leader. **Bring canned foods to GMS. The food items collected will go to the Gunter Food Pantry.**

## #ServeLikeSue April 4th Wear Yellow!

Tigers will clean up trash around our school grounds and along Tiger Lane during 8th period. **We'd love for our community to participate with us** on this special day. Find an opportunity around you and go serve!

SPREAD LOVE  
EVERYWHERE YOU GO  
LET NO ONE EVER COME  
TO YOU WITHOUT  
LEAVING HAPPIER.



## 5th & 6th Grade Spring Dance

Saturday, April 7th - 7-9 PM

\$10 per person

Refreshments Served





# *Practice really does make perfect!*

On March 22nd, the GMS and GHS bands spent an evening on stage in the commons preparing for the UIL competition. Practice paid off! Congratulations to this outstanding group of kids! The GMS Band earned Sweepstakes! This means the kids scored the highest ranking of a 1 in both, concert performance and sight reading! We are so proud of their hard work!



## *Middle School Choir*



The GMS girls choir had an awesome showing at the UIL Region 25 Concert & Sight Reading contest. They received straight 1's on stage and scores of 2,2,1 in sight reading for an overall score of a 1.5.



The middle school boys choir received a rating of a 1 on stage and an overall rating of a 2 at the UIL Region 25 Concert and Sight-Reading competition! Congratulations to both groups!

## *High School Choir*



Gunter High School choir students traveled to San Antonio in March to sing the National Anthem for the State Basketball Tournament. The following students represented Gunter with their tremendous voices! Brian Avendano, Mathew Avendano, Zoey Brooks, Ashley Bruner, Jamarcus Butler, Kenna Carruthers, Channing Clement, Benjamin Crelia, Samuel Erwin, Kanon Keeler, Lexie Lenderman, Elizabeth Lodico, Emily Loftis, Melanie Loftis, William Magers, Kanon Magers, Julia Mazey, Ana Mercado, Addison Mercer, Karissa Pelfrey, Jacob Reed, Austin Rue, Jacob Seiberling, Robert Seiberling, Hannah Smith, Ainslee Stovall, Alessandra Tennyson, Keely Ward, Hailey Wilde, Sydney Wright



# GUNTER FFA & JUNIOR FFA

## HOUSTON LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTS

Gunnar Griggs Bell	3rd place	Duroc Barrow
Brooks Griggs Bell	10th Place	Berkshire Barrow
Ashtyn Wade	4th Place	Hampshire Barrow
Camryn Craddock	9th Place	Duroc Barrow
Clay Banks	8th Place	Dark Cross Barrow
Paige Yosten	9th Place	Dark Cross Barrow
Camryn Craddock	1st place	Junior Public Speaking – won \$2500
Camryn Craddock	4th place	Hereford Steer
Luke Willard	2nd place	Ag Mechanics – Specialty Trailer Division
Luke Willard	1st Place	American Scramble Steer



What can FFA do for you? Besides all of the future job skills you gain, you can win some really cool things. Look at what Luke Willard has taken away in prizes this year!

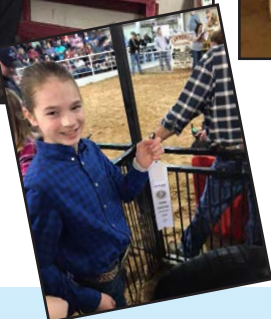


Congratulations to Hunter Simco and "LUCKY." They have traveled to several shows together and have done amazing!

State Fair Open Show - 2nd Place  
 State Fair Junior Show - 2nd Place  
 Ft Worth Livestock Show - 5th Place  
 San Angelo Livestock Show - 2nd Place  
 Grayson County Show - 3rd Place







# GUNTER FFA ALUMNI *Dinner and Auction*

**SAT APRIL 28, 2018**

GUNTER HIGH SCHOOL COMMONS

**5:30 PM**  
DOORS OPEN

**6:00 PM**  
DINNER &  
SILENT AUCTION

**7:00 PM**  
LIVE AUCTION

*Tickets \$20.00 per individual*

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Unique Personalized Gifts

**GOLD \$350**

Reserved Seating and Tickets for 12  
Special Name Display at Auction  
Recognition in Media Releases  
Table Tent Display  
Unique Personalized Gifts

**Dinner Ticket includes meat choice of Steak or Chicken,  
Baked Potato, Salad, Roll, Tea and Dessert**

**LIVE MUSIC**  
**KEVIN VOIGT**

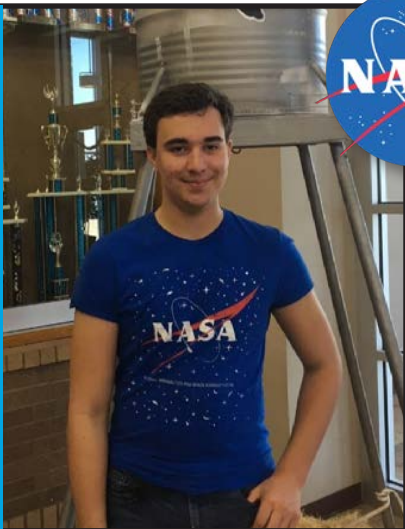
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**AUCTION DONATIONS - Ashly Gann 972-342-3883**

**TICKETS - Denise Willard 903-271-6706**





## A Big Month for Brian Avendano

March has been an exciting month for Junior student Brian Avendano. The month started with an invitation from The College Board encouraging Brian to apply for the National Hispanic Recognition Program (NHRP). The National Hispanic Recognition Program is only open to students who score in the top 2.5% of all Hispanic and Latino PSAT test-takers in the nation. Brian's outstanding performance on the PSAT back in October has opened this door for him. Every year around 250,000 Hispanic and Latino students take the PSAT. Only 5000 of those students will be selected to participate. He has a great shot so please congratulate him when you see him.

After you have finished congratulating Brian on his NHRP invitation, please congratulate him again on being accepted into NASA's Texas High

School Aerospace Scholars (HAS) Program. NASA's High School Aerospace Scholars program is an interactive, online learning experience that culminates in an all-expenses-paid, week long visit to NASA's Johnson Space Center in Houston during the summer. Over the course of the year, Brian will train online for a mock mission by learning about the past, present and future of space exploration. Brian will be invited to put his training to use at NASA if he receives one of the highest scores on his training mission. Brian will also have the opportunity to receive guidance from NASA scientists and engineers to complete a hands-on design challenge and plan a mission to Mars. A selection panel chose Brian based on his outstanding application profile, essay composition, and letter of recommendation. The applicant pool was very competitive, and we are excited that Brian made the cut for both of these programs.

## Academic UIL

The following students spent hours preparing for UIL Academic Competition this year: Eliza Allen, Brian Avendano, Anna Bush, Kara Curtis, Reya Dawlah, Sarah Franze, Kanon Keeler, Melanie Loftis, Laurel Mulkey, Bria Savage, Hannah Smith, Kaylee Smith, Mary Smith, Reagan Spencer and Keely Ward.



### Honorable Mention:

Science Team - 2nd

Reya Dawlah - 5th Place (Spelling & Vocabulary)

### Advancing to Regional Competition!

Brian Avendano - 2nd Overall in Science

(Biology, Chemistry and Physics)

Kara Curtis - 3rd Overall in Literary Criticism

Regionals will be held in Tyler, Texas on April 14th.

Good luck to our Tigers!



# GREEN TRUCK, FORTNITE AND BASEBALL

by Chris Dodd, GHS Principal



Matt Hunter experienced rarified air the first week of March in the district opening tilt with S&S. A chilly pre-spring night befitting of March was anything but the ideal environment for the boys of summer. Matt got his first grand slam of high school early in the game, opening the flood gates for a Tiger offensive onslaught. Less than thirty minutes later he took a pitch in the strike zone over the left field wall. Again the bases were loaded. "I would say that was an unusual night," the Senior admits with a grin. With two swings Matt added eight RBIs and two dingers to his career, and cemented his place in the latest legacy of players scratching their name in the annals of Tiger Baseball.

**Matt loves to talk about three things - his green truck, Fortnite, and Baseball.**

Matt lives a stones throw from the country line on the east side of FM 289. The Hunter residence perches on a rise keeping watch over all who enter Grayson County. Matt likes to park his grandfather's restored 1970s model Ford Truck facing towards north bound traffic. "I just like parking it that way," Matt smiles. Perhaps he likes showing off the vintage beauty similar to the way his family used to parade their 69 Camaro. This latest project is an effort to give Matt something he can remember his relationship with his grandfather by. "Everyone knows my green truck," he says in a serious and reflective tone.

Matt swings a loud bat but he is anything but to those who know him at Gunter High School. He exhibits a quiet, business-like demeanor in the classroom and on the field. He lets his best friend, and long time teammate Daylan Bower, lead the talk and antics. The duo, along with a handful of Seniors, hope to break through a drought of fourth and fifth round playoff exits and reach the Regional round and a chance to get a proud program back to Austin. Matt did his part last year in the rubber match of an incredible series with 2016 Finalist Beckville. Matt's sixth inning, go-ahead blast over the center field wall pushed the Tigers ahead and in position to a date with district foe, Whitesboro. Beckville rallied in the seventh past tired, Tiger arms and clinched the series. "It is my most memorable moment at the plate," Matt reflects. "But also the most bitter defeat I've experienced as a player."

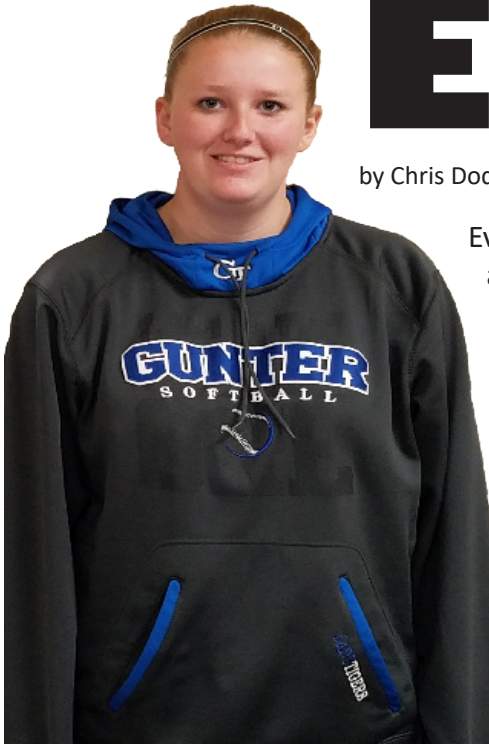
Matt is also flashing the glove and arm in left field this year after playing mostly right field during his career. His arm can be counted upon to give a few innings in relief along with an occasional start when needed. Matt is committed to play for Cisco JC next Fall with long term hopes of catching on at a Division I university after two years. His dream is to suit up for TCU who has reached Omaha three of the last four years.

Right now Matt is focused on team goals along with earning new skins and dance moves playing Fortnite. Matt makes no bones about it, he has joined the legions of kids addicted to playing a game he describes as "Hunger Games-like". "I'll bet I play two hours a day," he admits. "I take care of school and play baseball. In my spare time I chill at home and play Fortnite," he laughs. Matt knows there is plenty of time for a social life. He is running out of innings in his high school career, and all athletes know at some point their time competing will come to a close. Until then he will use his time for more productive things.

When the pavement turns a little rougher and you pass county line road give a nod, wave, and "good luck" honk towards the green truck. Matt is probably too focused on his video game to hear it, but rest assured he knows you are behind him and his teammates the rest of the way. And for that reason Matt Hunter is a Tiger Times Student of the month for April.







# E & Dad

by Chris Dodd, GHS Principal

Everyone in Gunter knows who Elizabeth Schroeter is. Maybe it's more accurate to say they know her dad. He is the guy that sits on the bucket in the drive way of the house on the corner of 289 and Preston Glen. Summer heat, winter chill, after a long day of work, or on a morning "day off", Aaron Schroeter sits on that bucket and frames pitch after pitch from his daughter. He has literally taken hundreds on chin or shin but the former McKinney High athlete considers it a labor of love.

Elizabeth Schroeter, or E as the people who know her, is a primary reason the Lady Tigers look poised to end a drought from post-season and enjoy the success a stellar group of Freshman began two years ago. The team is still young by all accounts but starting to play like upperclassmen. E has already committed to pitch at NCTC in Gainesville primarily to "get that decision" out of the way but also to ensure her mother Jeannie, 5th grade teacher at GMS, and Dad can ease off the miles for a few years. E has seen infield in almost every state in the southern U.S. She estimates

that she plays over 100 games a year and that doesn't include those for the Lady Tigers. The family takes softball-cations and she jokes that her brother Seth is always a good sport despite being dragged along. They try to make every trip with her Excel Elite Select Program an educational experience, and E firmly believes the family is tight because they spend a lot of quality time on the road. They began this venture back in middle school when she played for Texas Elite and E makes it clear that Softball isn't her parents "thing". "I started playing at four and really fell in love with the sport around twelve," E says. "I love the relationships with teammates, the time with family, and I enjoy competing." E takes that competitive nature to the classroom. She is an excellent student and very serious about her grades. E expects to receive scholarship considerations for her academics and knows that softball is just a vessel to give her options for higher level education. She is undecided on what she wants to do for a career but figures it will be something that requires intensive study. Right now the focus is on making the playoffs and advancing. Next year the goal is winning the district title. E believes the work her teammates and closest friends have put in is about to start paying off. It's been an exercise in patience.

Next time you drive by and see the girl with the florescent ball trying to knock her dad off a bucket just pull into Sonic and buy that man a route 44. When the Lady Tigers push through to the playoffs this season we will all owe Aaron Schroeter a celebratory drink.

And for that reason Elizabeth Schroeter, and her dad, are Tiger Times honorees for April.





# Commencement 2018

Services for the last two graduating classes were held at Kidd-Key Auditorium in Sherman. Kidd-Key accommodated the necessary seating for our growing classes and the number of guests that attend the celebration. While Kidd-Key provided seating and an excellent staging area for pre-graduation, there were challenges that we needed to address going forward.

- We outgrew the stage at Kidd-Key. There is not enough room for podiums, diploma tables, screens, sixty plus graduates, and additional seats for dignitaries.
- We are on the cusp of outgrowing the seating at Kidd-Key. The auditorium seats 1300 but even with our small classes of 65 we have almost maxed out the auditorium seating area.
- Kidd-Key was constructed in the 1930s and while the facility is ADA compliant, it is difficult for our guests with ADA needs and movement during the ceremony from floor to stage is difficult.
- Parking is a challenge in the downtown area. There is available parking but it is spread out over a number of city blocks.
- We had to outsource all technical services which became costly due to set up and rehearsal time.
- Restroom and public spaces were limited.

Given that we will have classes ranging from 75-100 graduates in the next five years, and a facility with the above concerns and 1300 seats is not suitable. We began searching for alternate venues months ago. Negotiations and discussions have finally resulted in us entering an agreement with Prosper ISD.

The arena is 15 minutes from Gunter on the campus of Prosper High School. Set-up and seating can be arranged from 1500 to 2500. There is immense parking all around the building with multiple points of entry. The campus is relatively new and up to code in all facets of ADA compliance. Stairs and elevators are plentiful with large foyers and standing room areas looking down into the arena. The arena has access to multiple restrooms. This provides areas of relief for those with small children, strollers, or those using wheelchairs. All seating is “chairback”, and a number of handicap seating areas are available. The arena also has a number of changing areas and staging for our graduates. Prosper ISD will provide all technical support and use of four wall digital displays in addition to the center scoreboard with screens on each side. Prosper ISD can also accommodate our needs for rehearsal. All set-up, tear-down, clean-up, security and facilitation will be handled by Prosper ISD. There are multiple exit points from the campus limiting any concerns of traffic. This venue is one that should accommodate our needs for the next five to ten years.

## GRADUATION 2018

We appreciate your patience as we made these decisions in order to facilitate an event that celebrates a once in a lifetime accomplishment.



Gunter High School  
Commencement Ceremony  
Friday, May 25, 2018  
7:00 PM  
Prosper High School Arena  
301 Eagle Drive  
Prosper, Texas 75058





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**Never forget the moments!**

Purchase a DVD with photos from the evening for you to view or print.

Order form located at the end of the newsletter. Turn it into the office or turn it in at prom.

## Class of 2018 - Important Dates

May 7th -May 10th ..... Grayson Dual Credit Exams  
 Monday, May 7th.....Academic Banquet (Invitation only) GHS 6pm  
 Wednesday, May 9th.....AP Literature Exam  
 Tuesday, May 15th.....AP Calculus Exam  
 Wednesday, May 16th.....SENIOR FINALS DAY 1  
 Thursday, May 17th .....High School Awards Assembly 8:15am EC - "Nice attire"  
 Thursday, May 17th .....SENIOR FINALS DAY 2 (Following Awards Assembly)  
 Friday, May 18th.....Baccalaureate Practice/Brunch\*\* 9:15-11:00am  
 Friday, May 18th.....SENIOR GRADES DUE  
 Sunday, May 20th .....Baccalaureate 6pm\*\*  
 Monday, May 21st .....SENIOR CLASS MEETING 10am/First Walk-thru  
 Tuesday, May 22nd .....Senior Picture 9:00am/Parade at Elementary 10:00am  
 Wednesday, May 23rd.....Graduation Practice 9-11am Prosper HS (bus 8:30)  
 Thursday, May 24th .....Graduation Rehearsal GHS Commons 10:00am  
 Thursday, May 24th .....LAST DAY OF SCHOOL  
 Friday, May 25th .....Graduation 7:00 PM  
                                     Final Rehearsal 1:00 pm ONSITE at Prosper HS  
                                     Seniors ready to go at 6:00 PM

### Other Graduation Notes

- Graduation caps may not be decorated or altered.
- All cords/regalia worn during the ceremony must be approved by GISD. (NHS, Honor, Eagle, Val/Sal, FFA, Tiger Cord.)

### Appropriate Attire for Graduates:

**Women:** Dress or skirt/blouse, dress slacks/blouse, dress shoes, CAP & GOWN (no collar)

**Men:** Dress slacks, dress shirt, tie, dress shoes or boots, CAP & GOWN



**2018-19 Athletic physicals** will be given on Wednesday, April 18th at Gunter High School. We will begin calling students out by grade at 1:00 pm. The cost is \$10.00, which will be used to pay the Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners conducting the physicals.

All INCOMING 9TH AND 11TH graders are required to have an updated physical on file to participate in all athletic activities for the 2018-2019 school year. Also, any student coming off of an injury that resulted in broken bones or a hospital visit will need a new physical on file with the school.

You will find the 18-19 Athletic Physical paperwork at the end of the newsletter. All other paperwork for the 2018-19 athletic season can be found online at [www.gunterisd.org/athletics](http://www.gunterisd.org/athletics). Please visit this site to complete the remaining paperwork for the season.



# 2018-2019



# Cheerleaders



## VARSITY

Ashley Bruner, Zoe Carlile, Peyton Fanning, Natalee Hayes, Makentry Hinkle, Taylor Howard, Karsyn Kemp, Ryle Leach, Alexa Reichert, Bria Savage, Zoey Singleton, Ashley Tillett, Chloe Walton, Sydney Wright



## JUNIOR VARSITY

Baylee Brackeen, Alexakai Cardoza, Bella Craven, Gabi Geisendorff, Bethany Martinek, Kiley Meadors, Neelie Parker, Lana Saenz, Rhiana Vincent



## MIDDLE SCHOOL

Elle Whitteker, Finlee Gibson, Rayanna Mauldin, Aubrey Walton, Briley Singleton  
 Kylee Goodson, Bailey Watson, Ryli Bracewell, Brelee Mauldin, Makena Fady,  
 Abby Elmore, Kendall Jolly, Keeli Sweet,  
 Houston Rehmet, Shelby Blansett





# All District Basketball

Congratulations to the following players for being selected as Boys 9-3A All District Players.

**1st Team:** Tyler Scott

**2nd Team:** Logan Nelson, Zander Turner

**Honorable Mention:** Clay Lemons

## Academic All District

- Tyler Scott
- Logan Nelson
- Clay Lemons
- Chandler Wade
- Kyle Watson
- Zander Turner

## All Texoma

- Tyler Scott



# Tennis

## Anna HS Tennis Tournament

- Madi Varns and Evan Gonzales placed 3rd in Mixed Doubles
- Tate Rehmet placed 3rd in Boys Singles
- Sarah Franze placed 4th in Girls Singles

## Leonard Tennis Tournament

- Tate Rehmet - 3rd Overall



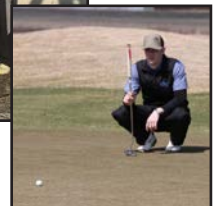
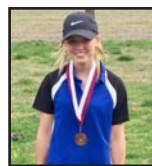
# Golf

## Gainesville Golf Tournament

- Boys Team 4th - Place
- Girls Team 5th - Place

## Whitesboro Challenge

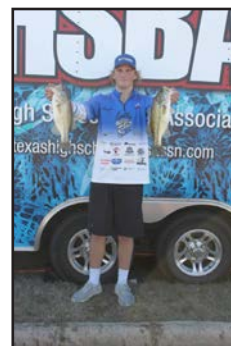
- Boys Team - 3rd Place with a score of 365 (Kole Gillespie, Steele Culp, Chandler Wade, Kennon Magers)
- Kole Gillespie 3rd Place with a score of 75
- Hunter Simco 3rd Place with a score of 95



# Bass Fishing

Congratulations to the 9 teams who qualified for Regionals to be held at Lake Lewisville on April 14th. Our team placed 7th overall for the year out of 42 schools in our division.

- 6th Place Kyle Watson & Josh Rogers
- 22nd Place Branden Seigl & Benji Garrison
- 25th Place Austin Gaines & Grant Gilbert
- 39th Place Grant McClure & Kade McCarty
- 52nd Place Chandler Wade
- 72nd Place Logan Nelson & Zach Rogers
- 73rd Place Cade Whitley & Ben Cole
- 90th Place Cooper Enloe & Landry Laird
- 99th Place Caden Sansone & Grant McAfee



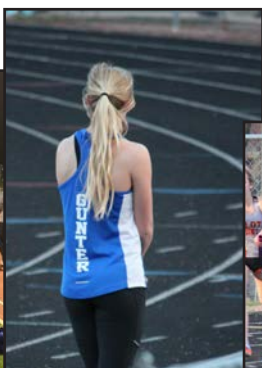
Thank You to our Boat Captains, Kevin Gressett, Allen Seigl, Greg Gaines, Dean Gilbert, Nat McClure, John Bryson, HD Rodges, Marion Cole, Aaron Whitley, Jeff Enloe, and Robert Sansone.



# GHS Track & Field

## 2018 Red River Relays - March 8, 2018 @Bearcat Stadium

**Varsity Girls:** 200 Meter Dash 2nd Franze, Sarah 27.51; 400 Meter Dash 2nd Castorena, Nancy 1:05.80; 800 Meter Run 3rd Childers, Jacee 2:43.00, 6 Carr, Bri 2:47.10; 100 Meter Hurdles 2nd Nobles, Lauren 17.65, 8th Putniki, Sarah 19.10; 300 Meter Hurdles 2nd Nobles, Lauren 52.35, 7 Putniki, Sarah 55.47; 4x100 Meter Relay 1st 'A' 52.71 Childers, Jacee 2) Carr, Bri 3) Castorena, Nancy 4) Franze, Sarah; 4x400 Meter Relay 1st 'A' 4:21.43 1) Childers, Jacee 2) Castorena, Nancy 3) Franze, Sarah 4) Carr, Bri; Long Jump 6th Childers, Jacee 13-11.00; Shot Put 4th Clement, Channing 27-06.50; Discus Throw 4th Clement, Channing 82-04; **Girls Junior Varsity:** 100 Meter Dash 4th Hinkley, MaKentry 5.10; 5th Major, Marloes 15.18; 200 Meter Dash 3rd Major, Marloes 29.84, 6th Hinkley, MaKentry 31.91; 400 Meter Dash 2 Hinkley, MaKentry 1:12.86, 9 Pelley, Stephenie 1:21.70; 800 Meter Run 5 Pelley, Stephenie 3:03.70, 6 Stovall, Ainslee 3:07.00; 1600 Meter Run; 6th Siciliano, Sienna 7:05.45; 3200 Meter Run 1st Siciliano, Sienna 15:37.68; Shot Put 8th Ortiz, Alandra 16-03.75; Discus Throw 6th Ortiz, Alandra 42-10.50; **Boys Varsity:** 200 Meter Dash 2nd Reed, Clayton 23.93, 11 Reed, Ryan 25.57; 800 Meter Run 5th Rivera, Colt 2:09.40; 110 Meter Hurdles 1st Meadors, Tristen 16.30; 300 Meter Hurdles 2nd Denton, David 44.68; 4x200 Meter Relay 3rd 'A' 1:35.89 1) Reed, Clayton 2) Reed, Ryan 3) Gonzalez, Evan 4) Jantz, Dylan; 4x400 Meter Relay 4th 'A' 3:40.00 1) Rivera, Colt 2) Denton, David 3) Gonzalez, Evan 4) Jantz, Dylan; High Jump 3rd Meadors, Tristen 5-10.00; Pole Vault 2nd Morrison, Ryan 11-00.00, 3 Fugget, Mitchel 10-00.00; Long Jump 2nd Jantz, Dylan 19-02.00, 8th Gonzalez, Evan 16-11.00, 9th Reed, Ryan 11-07.50; Triple Jump 4th Rivera, Colt 38-02.50, 7th Denton, David 34-10.25; Shot Put 3rd Caskey, Ryan 37-00.50, 4th Biggerstaff, Gage 36-07.00; Discus Throw 3rd Biggerstaff, Gage 110-03; **Boys Junior Varsity:** 100 Meter Dash Junior 5th Sloan, Braiden 12.71; 200 Meter Dash 6th Sloan, Braiden 26.63, 9th Brown, Colby 27.28; 110 Meter Hurdles 2nd Wells, Gabe 19.10; 300 Meter Hurdles 2nd Wells, Gabe 45.09; 4x100 Meter Relay 2nd 'A' 47.94 1) Garcia, Martin 2) Sloan, Braiden 3) Brown, Colby 4) Lowe, Payton; 4x200 Meter Relay 2nd 'A' 1:40.80 1) Garcia, Martin 2) Buysee, Ryan 3) Brown, Colby 4) Lowe, Payton; 4x400 Meter Relay 2nd 'A' 3:47.00 1) Garcia, Martin 2) Wells, Gabe 3) Buysee, Ryan 4) Lowe, Payton; Long Jump 4th Garcia, Martin 16-09.25; Shot Put 3rd Lowe, Payton 35-08.75



## Pottsboro Invitational - Thursday, March 22, 2018

**JV Boys - 2nd Place:** 1600 M Run 3rd Colbi Koonce 5:36.97; 110 M Hurdles 1st Gabe Wells 18.01; 400 M Dash 2nd Mitchell Brewer 59.01; 300 M Hurdles 1st Gabe Wells 44.94; 800 M Run 2nd Steve Torres 2:32.05; 4x100 M Relay 1st Martin Garcia, Zander Turner, Colby Brown, Peyton Lowe, 47.65; 4x400 M Relay 1st Martin Garcia, Gabe Wells, Jake Osburn, Peyton Lowe, 3:47.29; 4x200 M Relay 1st Martin Garcia, Zander Turner, Colby Brown, Peyton Lowe, 1:39.97; Long Jump 3rd Martin Garcia 17'-4"; Shot Put 1st Peyton Lowe 34'-10" | **JV Girls - 5th Place:** 100 M Dash 2nd Aubrey Wendt 15.07, 5th Marloes Major 15.55; 1600 M Run 3rd Sienna Siciliano 6:46.51, Bria Savage 7:06.46; 200 M Dash 3rd Aubrey Wendt 31.53, 4th Marloes Major 32.24; 3200 M Run 2nd Sienna Siciliano 15:33.00, 4th Bria Savage 16:29.00; 400 M Dash 2nd Aubrey Wendt 1:12.45, 6th Stephenie Pelley 1:19.06; 100 M Hurdles 2nd Marloes Major 22.81; 800 M Run 5th Stephenie Pelley 3:10.91 | **Varsity Boys - 3rd Place:** 200 M Dash 1st Clayton Reed 23.83; 400 M Dash 5th Ethan Everson 56.61; 800 M Run 2nd Colt Rivera 2:07.67, 4th Alex Covington 2:13.00; 110 M Hurdles 1st Tristan Meaders 16.92; 300 M Hurdles 2nd David Denton 44.38; 4x100 M Relay 2nd Clayton Reed, Ryan Reed, Evan Gonzalez, Dylan Jantz, 45.03; 4x200 M Relay 4th Clayton Reed, Ryan Buysee, Evan Gonzalez, Dylan Jantz, 1:35.80; 4x400 M Relay 1st Colt Rivera, David Denton, Evan Gonzalez, Dylan Jantz, 3:35.59; Shot Put 3rd Ryan Caskey 37'-1", 4th Gage Biggerstaff 36'-11"; Discus 3rd Gage Biggerstaff 117'-2"; Triple Jump 6th Colt Rivera 37'-7"; High Jump 3rd Tristan Meaders 5'-6"; Pole Vault 2nd Ryan Morrison 11'-6" | **Varsity Girls - 3rd Place:** 100 M Dash 1st Sarah Franze 13.36; 400 M Dash 1st Nancy Castorena 1:04.77; 800 M Run 1st Brianna Carr 2:40.78, 2nd Jacee Childers 2:41.78; 100 M Hurdles 1st Lauren Nobels 17.83, 6th Sarah Putniki 19.64; 300 M Hurdles 2nd Lauren Nobels 51.17, 6th Sarah Putniki 55.23; 4x100 M Relay 1st Jacee Childers, Brianna Carr, Nancy Castorena, Sarah Franze, 52.74; 4x400 M Relay 1st Jacee Childers, Nancy Castorena, Sarah Franze, Brianna Carr 4:18.62; Shot Put 5th Channing Clement 26'-11"; Discus 4th Channing Clement 84'-4"; High Jump 4th Alexa Riechart 4'-6", 5th Sarah Putniki 4'-4 1/4"

## Farmer Joe Relays – Farmersville – March 1st

**JV Girls** – 6th Place: 100M: 2nd Hinkley 14.60; 200M: 3rd Hinkley 31.59; 400M: 5th Hinkley 1:12.75; **Varsity Girls** – 5th Place: 100M: 3rd Franze 13.23; 200M: 5th Castorena 28.58; 400M: 2nd Childers 1:07.22, 3rd Carr 1:07.26; 100M Hurdles: 2nd Nobels 17.30; 300M Hurdles: 4th Nobels 52.21; 4x300 Relay: 3rd (Franze, Childers, Castorena, Carr) 4:25.79; High Jump: 5th Putnicki 4'8"; **JV Boys** – 10th Place: 4x100 Relay: 4th (Garcia, Lowe, Sloan, Brown) 50.29; 4x200 Relay (Brown, Garcia, Sloan, Lowe) 1:43.18; **Varsity Boys** – 2nd Place: 200M: 1st Reed 23.99; 400M: 4th Buysee 56.88, 5th Wells 57.25, 6th Everson 57.72; 800M: 1st Rivera 2:05.75, 4th Covington 2:16.33; 110 Hurdles: 1st Meaders 16.41, 6th Wells 19.56; 300M Hurdles: 5th Denton 46.29; 4x200 Relay: 3rd (Reed, Reed, Gonzalez, Jantz) 1:36.60; 4x400 Relay: 1st (Rivera, Denton, Gonzalez, Jantz) 3:41.28; Long Jump: 6th Jantz 19'4"; High Jump: 5th Meaders 5'8"; Pole Vault: 3rd Morrison 10'6"

## S&S Track Meet– March 30th

**JV Girls 2nd Place** – Shotput: 6th Ortiz 17.11 3/4; Discus: 5th Ortiz 37.7; 3200M: 1st Savage 14.36.08, 3rd Siciliano 15.09.99; 800M: 4th Stovall 3.01.72, 5th Pelley 3.09.31; 110 Hurdles: 3rd Major 22.09; 100M: 1st Wendt 14.46, 2nd Hinkley 14.76, 4th Major 14.896; 400M: 1st Wendt 1.11.58, 3rd Hinkley 1.17.22, 5th Pelly 1.20.99; 200 M: 1st Wendt 30.3, 5th Major 31.39; 1600M: 2nd Sisciliano 6.33.06, 5th Savage 6.59.96; **Varsity Girls 2nd Place** - High Jump: 2nd Reichart (height not reported); Shotput: 5th Clement 26.5 1/2; Discus: 3rd Clement 74.2; 4x100 Relay (Team) 1st 52.31; 800M: 1st Childers 2.42.55; 110 Hurdles: 4th Putniki 19.06; 100M: 1st Frazee 13.03; 400M: 2nd Castorena 1.04.12, 3rd Carr 1.05.23; 300 Hurdles: 2nd Nobles 53.32, 6th Putniki 54.52; 4x400 Relay: 1st 4.16.70; **JV Boys 2nd Place** - Long Jump: 3rd Garcia 17'1.5"; Shotput: 2nd Lowe 35'; 3200M: 3rd Koonce 12.13.94; 4x100 Relay: 2nd 47.35; 100M: 6th Harris 12.66; 4x200 Relay: 1st (Team) 1.39.18; 400M: 2nd Osborne 58.35, 4th Brewer 59.97; 200M: 1st Harris 25.18; 1600M: 3rd Kuntz 5.24.69; 4x400 Relay: 1st (Team) 3.50.5; **Varsity Boys 2nd Place** - 6th Jantz 18.9; Triple Jump: 2nd Rivera 40.5 1/2; High Jump: 3rd Meaders (No height reported); 4x100 Relay: 2nd 44.96; 800M: 2nd Rivera 2.04.84, 6th Covington 2.17.40; 110 Hurdles: 1st Meaders 16.03, 4th Wells 18.86; 4x200 Relay: 2nd (Team) 1.33.95; 300 Hurdles: 2nd: Denton 44.35, 3rd Wells 45.24; 6th Meaders 48.15; 200M: 3rd Reed 23.42; 1600 M: 4th Covington 5.32.75



Special thanks to Marion Cole, Lee Franze, and Sarah Franze for providing baseball, softball, track and golf pictures.  
The pictures are always amazing!

# GMS Track & Field

## S&S Meet

**7th Grade Girls** - 2nd Place: Long Jump: 4th Whiteker 11.9; Triple Jump: 3rd Whiteker 27'1", 4th Place Gunter 26'5"; Shotput: 3rd Betancourt 24'8", 6th Thigpen 23'2"; 2400M 2nd Aiken 10:35; 4x100: 2nd Team 1:40; 800M: 3rd Ramirez 3:06; 110 Hurdles: 1st Mauldin 19.84; 100M: 2nd Gibson 14.25, 3rd Whiteker 14.66; 4x200 Relay: 1st (Team) 2:02.31; 400M 1st Putnicki 1:12.37, 5th Singleton 1:18.56; 300 Hurdles: 1st Mauldin 1:01.75; 200M 1st Walton 32.33; 1200M 4th Aiken 4:51.95; 4x400 Relay: 3rd (Team) 5:14.87; **8th Grade Girls** – 3rd Place: Long Jump: 3rd Meadors 13.1; Triple Jump: 3rd Denton 27'2", 4th Fisher 27'1"; High Jump: 2nd Eft 4'6"; Shotput: 3rd King 25'11", 4th Cordoza 24'11", 6th Craven 24'1"; Discus: 2nd King 56' 2.5", 5th Cardoza 48' 9.5"; 2400M: 1st Fisher 11:07; 4x100 Relay: 1st (Team) 56:21:00; 800M: 2nd Denton 2:44 6th Mendoza 3:19; 110 Hurdles: 5th Meadors 22:00, 6th Craven 22.19; 100M: 2nd Eft 13.9; 400M: 3rd Eft 1:06.75, 6th Stephan 1:12.46; 300 Hurdles: 1st Denton 54.96, 5th Craven 1:11.56; 200M: 1st Meadors 29.87, 3rd Stephan 31.63; 1200M: 1st Fisher 5.12, 4th Cardoza 5.3; **7th Grade Boys** – 3rd Place: Long Jump: 1st Sloan 17', 6th Waligura 14'3"; High Jump: 2nd Peacock 27'8", 6th Cassidy 25'6"; 2400M 4th Pierie 9:38, 5th McDowell 10:14; 4x100 Relay (Team) 52:33:00; 800M: 3rd Lowery 2:41, 5th Carr 2:46; 100M: 1st Becerra 12.8, 3rd Rigsby 13.3; 4x200: 3rd (Team) 1:54.7; 400M: 4th Peacock 1:08.22; 200M: 1st Sloan 26.44; 1200M: 5th Rizzo 4:38.70; 4x400 Relay (Team) 3rd 4:52; **8th Grade Boys** – 3rd Place: Long Jump: 2nd Rodriguez 16'5", 3rd Turner 15'9"; Triple Jump: 4th Cole 34'5"; Shotput: 2nd Godwin 34'11", 3rd Dophied 34'3"; Discus: 6th Dophied 78'8", 2400M: 5th Brunc 9:43, 6th Bennett 9:57; 4x100 Relay: 2nd (Team) 50:50:00; 100M: 3rd Culp 12.7; 4x200 Relay: 2nd (Team) 1:46.50; 400M: 3rd Pelfrey 1:02.58; 200M: 5th Tapia 28:02; 1200M 2nd Pelfrey 4:05.22; 4x400 Relay: 1st (Team) 3:58

## Farmersville Meet

**7th Grade Girls** – 7th Place: 100 M Dash 3rd Gibson 14.73; 200 M Dash: 6th Whiteker 32.89; 400 M Dash: 2nd Putnicki 1:13.04; 300 M Hurdles: 5th Mauldin 1:02.23; 4x100 M Relay: 4th (Whiteker, Gibson, Tokartz, Roller) 58.58; 4x200 M Relay: 2nd (Whiteker, Roller, Tokartz, Gibson) 2:07.01; Triple Jump: 5th Whiteker 25' 4.5"; **8th Grade Girls** – 6th Place: 200M: 2nd Meadors 31.12, 5th Stephan 31.88; 400M: 3rd Eft 1:12.61; 100M Hurdles: 2nd Meadors 19.29; 300M Hurdles: 3rd Denton 58.20; 4x100 Relay: 4th (Meadors, Denton, Stephan, Eft) 56.99; Long Jump: 3rd Meadors 13'8"; **7th Grade Boys** – 5th Place: 100M: 1st Sloan 12.69; 200M: 1st Sloan 26.53; 800M: 2nd Lowery 2:39.29, 5th Pierce 2:46.66; 2400M: 6th Rizzo 9:53.55; 4x200 Relay: 6th (Garcia, Reed, Fraire, Waligura) 2:04.67; Long Jump: 4th Sloan 15'6"; Triple Jump: 1st Bush 31'4"; High Jump: 1st Sloan 5'4"; **8th Grade Boys** – 10th Place: 100M: 6th Turner 13.20; 1600M: 5th Pelfrey 5:53.68; 2400M: 2nd Pelfrey 8:55.66; 4x400 Relay: 5th (Culp, Rodriguez, Cuevas, Lemons) 4:14.84



# Softball

## Varsity March Scoreboard

vs S&S	1-4 (L)
vs Pottsboro	1-7 (L)
vs Pilot Point	3-1 (L)
vs Callisburg	11-2 (W)
vs Whitesboro	15-0 (W)
vs Ponder	13-11 (L)
vs S&S	2-1 (W)
vs Community	7-1 (W)
vs Aubrey	4-1 (L)
vs Tom Bean	3-2 (W)
vs Van Alstyne	16-1 (W)

## JV March Scoreboard

vs S&S	16-3(W)
vs Ponder	5-4 (W)



# Baseball

## Varsity March Scoreboard

vs S&S	7-2 (W)
vs Pottsboro	1-13 (L)
vs Pilot Point	11-0 (W)
vs Whitesboro	5-2 (W)
vs Callisburg	27-6 (W)
vs S&S	36-3 (W)
vs Sanger	5-8 (L)
vs Aubrey	7-5 (W)
vs Boyd	1-1 (T)

## Windthorst Tournament

vs Stamford	10-1 (W)
vs Boyd	5-8 (L)
vs Windthorst	0-4 (L)
vs Albany	3-3 (T)
vs Peaster	2-1 (W)



## JV Blue March Scoreboard

vs Callisburg	15-0 (W)
vs S&S	12-1 (W)
vs Celina	4-5 (L)
vs Bonham	7-6 (W)
vs Melissa	10-7 (W)
vs Pilot Point	6-2 (W)
vs Pottsboro	6-6 (T)
vs S&S	16-1 (W)



## JV White March Scoreboard

vs Tom Bean	7-4 / 10-5 DH (W)
vs Howe	6-7 (L)





# Gunter Independent School District Board Briefs

Tuesday, February 20, 2018

## **GISD Regular Board Meeting 6:00pm**

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*The Regular meeting was called to order by Dr. Gary Harris, Board President. A quorum was established. Pledge of Allegiance was conducted by Dr. Gary Harris, Board President. GHS Senior, Paige Garner gave the student introduction.*

**ATTENDANCE:** Board members included: Jeff Banks, L.D. Byrd, Dr. Gary Harris, John Jonas, Candy Leonard, Scott Meyerdirk and Steve Smith; District attendance included: Dr. Jill Siler, Kelly Teems, Chris Dodd, Kim Patterson, Dara Arrington and Matt Cooper.

## **SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

- Student / Staff Recognition
  - Superintendent Honor Roll
    - Elementary School – Alexia Falcon & Jackson Neufeld
    - Middle School – Malison Fisher & Dylan Marsh
    - High School – Kara Curtis & Austin Rue
  - Staff Recognition for Innovative Learning
    - Elementary School – Lindsay Harper
    - Middle School – Jeannie Schroeter
    - High School – Jeannie Clarke
  - Food Service Department – Awarded Texas Department of Agriculture 2017 Best of the Bunch Award
- A full Financial Report was provided
- Communications
  - Enrollment Update: Elementary: 372, Middle: 263, High: 293 = 928 Total
  - Attendance Update – GISD is still experiencing low attendance due to flu and other illness. We are slowly coming back to the mid 90s.
  - Capital Projects Update – Kelly Teems gave an update to the construction projects including the track, field, Ag Barn and Strength & Conditioning Center. The rain has understandably delayed most of our projects. Gallagher presented bids for the Fieldhouse renovation which will begin over spring break.
  - District Climate Survey Data Summary – Dr. Siler shared summary information from the district climate survey from the fall. This information was shared with each campus in faculty meetings earlier this semester.
  - Brightbytes Baseline Data Summary – Dr. Siler shared some of the baseline reporting from the Brightbytes survey. This survey was taken by 84 teachers, 522 students (3-12), and 166 parents. It included information on access to technology and internet at the home and use of technology and 21<sup>st</sup> Century skills in the classrooms.
  - Strategic Planning Update – Dr. Siler shared that the District Improvement Plan had been adapted to focus on the strategic planning objectives. The DIP was presented and approved later in the meeting.



- Upcoming Events / Meeting Dates
  - March 26<sup>th</sup>, Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ Admin
  - April 9<sup>th</sup>, GIFT Reception, 6:30pm @ HS
  - April 16<sup>th</sup>, Recognition/Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ HS
  - April 28<sup>th</sup>, FFA Auction, @ HS
  - May 1<sup>st</sup>, Band Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
  - May 7<sup>th</sup>, Academic Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
  - May 8<sup>th</sup>, FFA Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
  - May 14<sup>th</sup>, Spring Athletic Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
  - May 17<sup>th</sup>, Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ Admin
  - May 20<sup>th</sup>, Baccalaureate, 6:00pm @ FBC
  - May 25<sup>th</sup>, Graduation, 7:00pm @ Prosper ISD Arena
  - June 21<sup>st</sup>, Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ Admin
- Board Member Report
  - Election Update – The election for school board was cancelled as only incumbents Jeff Banks and Scott Meyerdirk signed up.

### **CONSENT AGENDA/ROUTINE BUSINESS:**

Minutes, Billing, Budget Amendments, 2018-2019 Instructional Calendar were approved.

### **REGULAR BUSINESS**

- The Board approved the Waiver for Low Attendance. On January 15-16 due to widespread flu.
- The Board approved the Amended Contract Days due to School Closure January 18-19, 22-23.
- The Board approved Construction Manager Agent Total Sheet for the Construction of the Fieldhouse Project.
- The Board approved the 2018-2020 District Improvement Plan. This plan is for the remainder of this school year and all of next year as well. The plan can be found on our website.

8:45pm Board went into Closed Session Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.001.

9:14pm Reconvened from Closed Session

- Dr. Siler shared with the Board that Rod Castorena resigned effective 2/9/2018.
- The Board approved hiring Morgan Waggoner as a Part Time High School Spanish Teacher for the remainder of the 2017-2018 School Year.
- The Board approved to add a middle school / high school nurse for the remainder of the 2017-18 school year and beyond.
- Safety – The Board discussed safety and security. Information from the staff and community survey on safety was shared and Chief Johnson was present to talk about the possibility of partnering with the City to employ School Resource Officers in the future. The board reviewed improvements that we have made with regards to security and areas for improvement and talked about several options to increase security moving forward. GISD will be partnering with the Gunter Police Department to host a School Safety Community Forum on Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Regular meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:15pm



# Gunter Independent School District Board Briefs

Monday, March 26, 2018

## **GISD Regular Board Meeting 6:00pm**

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*The Regular meeting was called to order by Dr. Gary Harris, Board President. A quorum was established. Pledge of Allegiance was conducted by Dr. Gary Harris, Board President. Meeting was introduced by GHS Senior, Brooke Hogan who shared a little about her experiences in GISD and led an invocation.*

**ATTENDANCE:** Board members included: Jeff Banks, L.D. Byrd, Dr. Gary Harris, John Jonas, Candy Leonard, Scott Meyerdirk and Steve Smith; District attendance included: Dr. Jill Siler, Kelly Teems, Chris Dodd, Kim Patterson, Dara Arrington and Matt Cooper.

## **SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

- Student / Staff Recognition
  - FFA Students: Mr. Schnitker and Mrs. Clement honored several students who won top honors at the Houston and Loy Lake Stock Show.
  - Staff Recognition for Innovative Learning – Jeannie Clarke was honored for her leadership, initiative and innovation in the classroom.
- A full Financial Report and Quarterly Investment Report was provided
- Communications
  - Enrollment Update

▪ Elementary School	369
▪ Middle School	264
▪ <u>High School</u>	<u>292</u>
▪ TOTAL	925
  - Attendance Update – Has been stable in the mid-90s.
  - Capital Projects Update – Mr. Teems shared that the track/field is progressing well even with the rain (projected completion May). The foundation for the Ag Barn has been poured and construction is on schedule. Dirt work is complete for the Strength & Conditioning Center. Dr. Siler shared some added improvements related to fire safety for that facility. Renovations to the Fieldhouse have begun.
  - Strategic Plan Update – The principals shared their Campus Improvement Plans which incorporated the objectives of the Strategic Plan.
  - Upcoming Events / Meeting Dates
    - April 5<sup>th</sup>, Safety Community Forum, 6:30pm @ HS
    - April 9<sup>th</sup>, GIFT Reception, 6:30pm @ HS
    - April 16<sup>th</sup>, Recognition/Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ HS
    - April 28<sup>th</sup>, FFA Auction, @ HS
    - May 1<sup>st</sup>, Band Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
    - May 7<sup>th</sup>, Academic Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
    - May 8<sup>th</sup>, FFA Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
    - May 14<sup>th</sup>, Spring Athletic Banquet, 6:00pm @ HS
    - May 17<sup>th</sup>, Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ Admin



- May 20<sup>th</sup>, Baccalaureate, 6:00pm @ FBC
- May 25<sup>th</sup>, Graduation, 7:00pm @ TBD
- June 18<sup>th</sup>, Board Meeting, 6:00pm @ Admin
- Board Member Report
  - New Board Training Requirements – 3 hours of training related to Student Academic Performance is required. Training date options were discussed.
  - Discuss July Board Meeting Date – moved to July 30, 2018

#### **CONSENT AGENDA/ROUTINE BUSINESS:**

Minutes, Billing, Budget Amendment #4, 2018-2019 Transfer Policy, 2018-2019 IMA and TEKS Certification, Policy Update 110 and Statement of Impact were adopted and approved.

#### **REGULAR BUSINESS**

- The Board approve the Order of Cancellation for the May 5, 2018 School Board Election.
- The Board approved the 2018-2020 Campus Improvement Plans.
- The Board approved the High School Auxiliary Gym and Locker Room Renovation Proposal. This will include improvements to the Old HS Gym (near the GHS Library/Student Center) – will include refinishing the floor, replacing the bleachers, adjusting the layout to allow for 2 full court playing areas for practice and general improvements (paint, locker rooms, etc.)

7:55pm Board went in to Closed Session Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.001

8:55pm Reconvened from Closed Session

- Land. No discussion or action.
- The Board approve Dr. Siler's recommendation to extend the Principals and other Administrative Personnel Contract status through 2020.
- The Board approved hiring Nikki Thomas as a Nurse and Wendy Osburn as the Dual Credit Teacher to finish out the 2017-2018 School Year.
- The Board approved to hire the following for the 2018-19 School Year
  - Nikki Thomas – Nurse
  - Carla Wade – Art Teacher
  - Wendy Osburn – Art/AG Teacher
  - Justin McDaniel – HS Teacher/Boys Coach
  - Hayden Murphey – MS/HS Teacher/Varsity Cheer Coach
  - Terry Murphey – MS Teacher/Boys Coach
  - Natalie Barnard – GCSEC Diagnostician
  - Kelly Lane – GCSEC Diagnostician
- Dr. Siler shared the following Resignations/Retirement
  - Jacqueline Miller – Teacher/Coach – Effective 5/25/2018
  - Randy Miller – Teacher / Coach – Effective 4/2/2018
  - Lori Fair – Diagnostician – Effective 5/25/2018
  - Carrie Hudson – Diagnostician – Effective 5/25/2018
  - Connie Morris – Diagnostician – Effective 3/9/2018
- Safety Discussion. Dr. Siler reviewed improvements to safety infrastructure and training.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Regular meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:59pm



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**Gunter High School Blood Drive**  
**Friday, April 6 at 8 AM - 4 PM**



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# April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1  April Fools Day	2 JH Boys District Track Meet @ Pottsboro  6:00 PM JV White Baseball vs Bonham @ Gunter  World Autism Awareness Day	3 Boys/Girls Golf @ Stone Creek in Sherman JH Girls District Track Meet @ Ponder 5:00 PM Softball @ Ponder 5:00 PM JV Baseball @ Ponder 7:30 PM V Baseball @ Ponder	4  District Tennis Tourn @ Anna	5  6:30 PM School Safety Community Forum- HS Commons	6 8:30 AM Blood Drive @ GHS 5:00 PM JV Blue Baseball @ Bonham 5:00 PM JV White Baseball vs Callisburg @ Gunter 5:00 PM Softball @ Gunter vs Callisburg 7:30 PM V Baseball vs Callisburg @ Gunter	7 Clarendon College FFA Invitational Judging  Middle School TMEA All-Region Audition  7:00 PM - 9:00 PM MS Spring Dance
8	9 Band - UIL  6:30 PM GIFT Banquet  6:30 PM JV White Baseball @ Aubrey	10 Boys/Girls District Golf @ Stone Creek English 1 TAKS 7TH GRADE WRITING 5TH AND 8TH GRADE READING - STAAR 3:45p Pre-K & K Roundup 5p JV Blue Baseball @ Whitesboro 5p Softball @ Whitesboro 7:30 Baseball @ Whitesboro	11 HS Boys/Girls District Track Meet @ Pottsboro 5TH AND 8TH GRADE READING - STAAR	12 English 2 TAKS	13 6th Grade Band Competition / Pinstack 5:00 PM JV Blue Baseball vs Pilot Point @ Gunter 5:00 PM Softball @ Gunter vs Pilot Point 7:30 PM V Baseball vs Pilot Point @ Gunter	14 Bass Fishing Tourn @ Lake Lewisville-- Regionals  8pm GHS Prom
15	16 6p Board Meeting/ Recognition @ HS  6:00 PM JV White Baseball@ Bells	17 Area 5 FFA TMAU Commerce Choir--UIL Concert & Sight Reading Contest 5:00 PM JV Blue Baseball @ Pottsboro 5:00 PM Softball @ Pottsboro 7:30 PM V Baseball @ Pottsboro  Taxes Due	18 Area 5 FFA Tarleton	19 Area 5 FFA Tarleton  HS Boys/Girls Area Track Meet	20 Baseball vs Howe-- TBA  MS Band competition at Pinstack  6th Grade Field Trip @ Fair Park  Middle School Pre-Rehearsal All-Region	21 Middle School All-Region Choir Concert/Clinic
22    Earth Day	23 Regional Golf  6:30 PM JV White Baseball @ Celina	24 11 AM MS Band Concert for 5th grade in MS Cafeteria  District Degree Check FFA @ Howe  5:00 PM JV Blue Baseball vs Ponder @ Gunter  7:30 PM V Baseball vs Ponder @ Gunter	25 6th Grade Field Trip @ Main Event	26 State FFA Contest	27 HS Boys/Girls Regional Track Meet @ Whitehouse  5th Grade field trip @ Perot Museum	28 Band and Beginning Band Solo and Ensemble at Pilot Point  6:00 PM FFA Auction
29	30 Progress Report - Gain Only  6:00 PM - 8:30 PM NHS Induction Ceremony	1 6:00 PM Band Banquet	2	3 7:00 PM Band Spring Concert	4	5



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## Gunter High School Prom

Flash drive of the moments captured from the evening:

\$20.00

Make checks payable to Nicole Martin

Student's Name:

Parent Contact info :

Forms may be turned in to the  
high school office  
or at prom.

Thank you



## **GUNTER ATHLETICS**

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Athletic physicals will be given on Wednesday, April 18th at Gunter High School. We will begin calling students out by grade at 1:00 pm. The cost is \$10.00, which will be used to pay the Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners conducting the physicals.

All **INCOMING** 7<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 11<sup>th</sup> graders are required to have an updated physical on file to participate in all athletic activities for the 2018-2019 school year. Also, any student coming off of an injury that resulted in broken bones or a hospital visit will need a new physical on file with the school.

Please have the **MEDICAL HISTORY** side of the physical form completed and signed by a parent prior to the day of the physical. You may turn your form and money into office A at the High School or bring them with you the day of the physicals.

***Please make all checks payable to Gunter High School Athletics.***

If you have any questions, please contact Jake Fieszal via email at [jfieszal@gunterisd.org](mailto:jfieszal@gunterisd.org)

Sincerely,

Jake Fieszal

Athletic Director

Gunter ISD

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# PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION – MEDICAL HISTORY

2017

This **MEDICAL HISTORY FORM** must be completed *annually* by parent (or guardian) and student in order for the student to participate in athletic activities. These questions are designed to determine if the student has developed any condition which would make it hazardous to participate in an athletic event.

Student's Name: (print) \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
 Personal Physician \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 In case of emergency, contact:  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Explain "Yes" answers in the box below\*\*. Circle questions you don't know the answers to.

	Yes	No		Yes	No
1. Have you had a medical illness or injury since your last check up or sports physical?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	13. Have you ever gotten unexpectedly short of breath with exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you been hospitalized overnight in the past year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have asthma?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever had surgery?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have seasonal allergies that require medical treatment?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you ever had prior testing for the heart ordered by a physician?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	14. Do you use any special protective or corrective equipment or devices that aren't usually used for your sport or position (for example, knee brace, special neck roll, foot orthotics, retainer on your teeth, hearing aid)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever passed out during or after exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
Have you ever had chest pain during or after exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	15. Have you ever had a sprain, strain, or swelling after injury?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you get tired more quickly than your friends do during exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you broken or fractured any bones or dislocated any joints?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever had racing of your heart or skipped heartbeats?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you had any other problems with pain or swelling in muscles, tendons, bones, or joints?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you had high blood pressure or high cholesterol?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, check appropriate box and explain below:		
Have you ever been told you have a heart murmur?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Head <input type="checkbox"/> Elbow <input type="checkbox"/> Hip		
Has any family member or relative died of heart problems or of sudden unexpected death before age 50?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Neck <input type="checkbox"/> Forearm <input type="checkbox"/> Thigh		
Has any family member been diagnosed with enlarged heart, (dilated cardiomyopathy), hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, long QT syndrome or other ion channelopathy (Brugada syndrome, etc), Marfan's syndrome, or abnormal heart rhythm?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Back <input type="checkbox"/> Wrist <input type="checkbox"/> Knee		
Have you had a severe viral infection (for example, myocarditis or mononucleosis) within the last month?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Chest <input type="checkbox"/> Hand <input type="checkbox"/> Shin/Calf		
Has a physician ever denied or restricted your participation in sports for any heart problems?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder <input type="checkbox"/> Finger <input type="checkbox"/> Ankle		
			<input type="checkbox"/> Upper Arm <input type="checkbox"/> Foot		
4. Have you ever had a head injury or concussion?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	16. Do you want to weigh more or less than you do now?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever been knocked out, become unconscious, or lost your memory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	17. Do you feel stressed out?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, how many times? _____			18. Have you ever been diagnosed with or treated for sickle cell trait or sickle cell disease?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
When was your last concussion? _____					
How severe was each one? (Explain below)			<i>Females Only</i>		
Have you ever had a seizure?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	19. When was your first menstrual period? _____		
Do you have frequent or severe headaches?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	When was your most recent menstrual period? _____		
Have you ever had numbness or tingling in your arms, hands, legs or feet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	How much time do you usually have from the start of one period to the start of another? _____		
Have you ever had a stinger, burner, or pinched nerve?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	How many periods have you had in the last year? _____		
5. Are you missing any paired organs?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	What was the longest time between periods in the last year? _____		
6. Are you under a doctor's care?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>Males Only</i>		
7. Are you currently taking any prescription or non-prescription (over-the-counter) medication or pills or using an inhaler?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	20. Do you have two testicles? _____		
8. Do you have any allergies (for example, to pollen, medicine, food, or stinging insects)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	21. Do you have any testicular swelling or masses? _____		
9. Have you ever been dizzy during or after exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
10. Do you have any current skin problems (for example, itching, rashes, acne, warts, fungus, or blisters)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
11. Have you ever become ill from exercising in the heat?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
12. Have you had any problems with your eyes or vision?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

An individual answering in the affirmative to any question relating to a possible cardiovascular health issue (question three above), as identified on the form, should be restricted from further participation until the individual is examined and cleared by a physician, physician assistant, chiropractor, or nurse practitioner.

\*\*EXPLAIN "YES" ANSWERS IN THE BOX BELOW (attach another sheet if necessary):

It is understood that even though protective equipment is worn by the athlete, whenever needed, the possibility of an accident still remains. Neither the University Interscholastic League nor the school assumes any responsibility in case an accident occurs.

If, in the judgment of any representative of the school, the above student should need immediate care and treatment as a result of any injury or sickness, I do hereby request, authorize, and consent to such care and treatment as may be given said student by any physician, athletic trainer, nurse or school representative. I do hereby agree to indemnify and save harmless the school and any school or hospital representative from any claim by any person on account of such care and treatment of said student.

If, between this date and the beginning of athletic competition, any illness or injury should occur that may limit this student's participation, I agree to notify the school authorities of such illness or injury.

I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, my answers to the above questions are complete and correct. Failure to provide truthful responses could subject the student in question to penalties determined by the UIL.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Any Yes answer to questions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 requires further medical evaluation which may include a physical examination. Written clearance from a physician, physician assistant, chiropractor, or nurse practitioner is required before any participation in UIL practices, games or matches. **THIS FORM MUST BE ON FILE PRIOR TO PARTICIPATION IN ANY PRACTICE, SCRIMMAGE OR CONTEST BEFORE, DURING OR AFTER SCHOOL.**

For School Use Only:

This Medical History Form was reviewed by: Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION -- PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ % Body fat (optional) \_\_\_\_\_ Pulse \_\_\_\_\_ BP \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 brachial blood pressure while sitting  
 Vision: R 20 \_\_\_\_\_ L 20 \_\_\_\_\_ Corrected: ☐ Y ☐ N Pupils: ☐ Equal ☐ Unequal

As a minimum requirement, this Physical Examination Form must be completed prior to junior high athletic participation and again prior to first and third years of high school athletic participation. It *must* be completed if there are yes answers to specific questions on the student's MEDICAL HISTORY FORM on the reverse side. \* *Local district policy may require an annual physical exam.*

	NORMAL	ABNORMAL FINDINGS	INITIALS*
<b>MEDICAL</b>			
Appearance			
Eyes/Ears Nose Throat			
Lymph Nodes			
Heart-Auscultation of the heart in the supine position.			
Heart-Auscultation of the heart in the standing position.			
Heart-Lower extremity pulses			
Pulses			
Lungs			
Abdomen			
Genitalia (males only)			
Skin			
Marfan's stigmata (arachnodactyly, pectus excavatum, joint hypermobility, scoliosis)			
<b>MUSCULOSKELETAL</b>			
Neck			
Back			
Shoulder Arm			
Elbow/Forearm			
Wrist/Hand			
Hip/Thigh			
Knee			
Leg/Ankle			
Foot			

\*station-based examination only

## CLEARANCE

☐ Cleared  
☐ Cleared after completing evaluation/rehabilitation for: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Not cleared for: \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

*The following information must be filled in and signed by either a Physician, a Physician Assistant licensed by a State Board of Physician Assistant Examiners, a Registered Nurse recognized as an Advanced Practice Nurse by the Board of Nurse Examiners, or a Doctor of Chiropractic. Examination forms signed by any other health care practitioner, will not be accepted.*

Name (print/type) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Examination: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Must be completed before a student participates in any practice, before, during or after school, (both in-season and out-of-season) or games/matches.



## Grading Periods

Aug 16 - Oct 19 45 Days  
 Oct 22 - Dec 19 38 Days  
 Jan 8 - Mar 22 47 Days  
 Mar 25 - May 23 42 Days  
**Semesters: 83 + 89 = 172 Student Days**  
**Teachers: 187 (6 Flex, 9 PD)**

## August

2-3 New-to-GISD Orientation  
 8-15 Staff Development (6 PD)  
 16 First Day of School

## September

3 Holiday - Labor Day  
 28 Early Release - Homecoming

## October

8 Staff Development (1 PD)

## November

19-23 Fall Break /  
 Staff Development (5 Flex)

## December

19 Early Release  
 20-31 Winter Break

## January

1-4 Winter Break \*16 days  
 7 Staff Development (1 PD)  
 21 Holiday

## February

18 Staff Development (1 Flex)

## March

11-15 Spring Break

## April

19 Bad Weather Day  
 22 Bad Weather Day

## May

23 Early Release / Last Day!  
 24 Staff Development (1 PD)  
 Graduation - TBD

# Gunter ISD 2018-19 Calendar



## August

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## April

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## May

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## June

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  Holiday

  Bad Weather

  Early Release