



# Tiger Times

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## General Information

GISD Website: <https://www.gunterisd.org>

### Elementary School

Buses Drop Off: 7:05-7:10 AM  
Car Line Time Frame: 7:10-7:40 AM  
Tardy Bell: 7:45 AM  
Bus Departure: 3:15 PM  
Car Line Begins: 3:15 PM  
Building Closes to Public: 4:00 PM

### Middle School

Arrival Time Frame: 7:45-8:00 AM  
Tardy Bell: 8:10  
School Day Ends: 3:45 PM

### High School

Arrival Time Frame: 7:45-8:00 AM  
Tardy Bell: 8:10  
School Day Ends: 3:45 PM

### Cafeteria

You will absolutely love our cafeteria staff. They take pride in student service and tasty food! Mrs. Rogers will post the monthly menus on the website and the GISD App for you to view.

[MySchoolBucks](#) allows you to create an account and add money for your child to purchase food from the cafeteria. In this account, you can find the balance as well as a summary of what they are purchasing.

If you have questions about the cafeteria or MySchoolBucks, direct those questions to the Director of Food Services, Lauren Rogers ([lrogers@gunterisd.org](mailto:lrogers@gunterisd.org))

### Medical Care

Each campus has a qualified nurse to assist students with medical needs that arise during school hours. If you have questions, please contact the appropriate nurse:

GES - Casey Layman ([clayman@gunterisd.org](mailto:clayman@gunterisd.org))  
GMS/GHS - Nikki Thomas ([nthomas@gunterisd.org](mailto:nthomas@gunterisd.org))

### Parent Portal

Ascender Parent Portal allows the parent to view posted grades and attendance. You will need a Portal ID to sign up and may obtain that from the campus PEIMS clerk. When making your account, it is important to use the email address you provided the district at registration. This is a security feature to only provide information to people who have been named as a contact in the child's profile.

## Important REMINDERS

- February 5 - Daddy Daughter Dance
- February 9 - 5th Grade Living Museum
- February 12 - 7th/8th Grade Valentine Dance
- February 18 - Health/Safety Day (aka Bad Weather Day) - No School (provided we don't have to use the time to make up an unintended day off).
- February 21 - School Holiday (Presidents Day)
- February 22 - Board Meeting @ GHS for Recognitions

**On the Cover:** Walking through inspirational messages created by students and parents is how our GMS teachers returned from a three day break.

The new Covid variant has caused a lot of extra work for teachers, and this gesture by the parents and students helped brighten our day! Thank you, GMS PTO, for organizing!

Pictured: Tinsley Ehret and Berkley Graham ~Photo by Britney Ehret



Great opportunity for students to obtain their volunteer hours!

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# School Board RECOGNITION MONTH



January was School Board Recognition Month and Gunter ISD was honored to celebrate its trustees for their dedication and commitment to the district's schools and students.

To say our school board is truly loved is an understatement. During the January board meeting, campus by campus, presentations were made to honor our board members. To begin the night, an amazing meal was prepared and served to the board by Mrs. Tiziana Kanouse and Mrs. Brandy Cochran, representing the GHS PTO.

The GES campus presented baskets full of goodies, homemade cards and pictures, and library books were given in honor of each member that will be signed and placed back into the GES library. The GMS campus presented baskets in the shape of a hot air balloon full of goodies. The GHS campus brought students in to honor the board. FFA presented each board member with a gavel made in a correctional facility by prisoners. Two students came as a representative of all the students to verbally say thank you to the board members, and another student presented a painting to the board as a gift of thanks. The GHS campus also presented a gift to each member.

"Our school board members are selfless volunteers who spend long hours working to ensure all of our students have the opportunity to learn and grow," (Superintendent Scott Martindale) said. "Celebrating School Board Recognition Month is one way to say thanks for all they do."

Serving as a link between the community and classroom, school board members are elected to establish the policies that provide the framework for public schools. The Gunter ISD board is responsible for 1120 students, 140 employees and 3 campuses. In addition, Gunter ISD serves as the Fiscal Agent for the Grayson County Special Education SSA which serves 12 schools in Grayson County. The Gunter board is also responsible for their 130 employees.



"School boards are essential to a strong public education system," Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) Executive Director Dan Troxell said. "They provide the local governance and oversight that makes it possible for school districts to serve students, including establishing a strategic plan, adopting policies, approving a budget and selecting and evaluating a superintendent. It's fitting that we celebrate them in January as their leadership is key to the success of every school district in Texas."

## Board Members

Mrs. Shelli Hales, First Year Member | Dr. Gary Harris, 18 Years as a Member | Mr. Gabe Johnson, 3 Years as a Member | Mr. John Jonas, 15 Years as a Member  
Mr. Scott Meyerdirk, 8 Years as a Member | Mr. Jason Padgett, 2 Years as a Member | Mr. Lynn Reed, 3 Years as a Member







Members from the Gunter ISD Educational Foundation (GIFT) added excitement to each campus on January 28th when they knocked on certain doors to award a GIFT Grant. Employees at the district had the opportunity to submit an application for something that would enhance the learning in our district, and we are thrilled to announce those who received their wish.



Congratulations to Debbie Locke and Kristi Pelfrey who applied for and received a grant from Gunter ISD! The GISD and GIFT Grant Giveaway Crews were excited to award them 10 Chromebooks for their classroom. A \$3500 value!



Congratulations to Jonathan Scoggins who applied for and received a grant from Gunter ISD! The GISD and GIFT Grant Giveaway Crews were excited to award him calculators for his classroom. A \$1374 value!



Congratulations to Elsie Wetzel and Whitney Keel who applied for and received a grant from GIFT and Gunter ISD! The GIFT Grant Giveaway Crew was excited to award them with a ticket to the conference "Get Your Teach On". A \$1150 value!



Congratulations to Erin Genthner who applied for and received a grant GIFT! The GIFT Grant Giveaway Crew was excited to award her 24 novels for her classroom. A \$203 value!



Congratulations to Maren Pelzel and Danette Jewell (not pictured) who applied for and received a grant from GIFT! The GIFT Grant Giveaway Crew was excited to award them a 1 year subscription to Generation Genius. A \$175 value!



Congratulations to Steve Fletcher who applied for and received a grant GIFT and Gunter ISD! The GISD and GIFT Grant Giveaway Crews were excited to award him with Vex IQ for his STEAM classroom (GIFT Grant). A \$6747 value! He also received a contract for 2 years of Vex Professional Development (GISD Grant) valued at \$999!

# Mark Your Calendar



## FEBRUARY 18TH HEALTH / SAFETY DAY

This day is reserved on our calendar for instances when we have to call off school for weather or sickness. If we do not cancel school for these purposes, we will have the day off.  
STAY TUNED - Texas weather can change fast!

## FEBRUARY 21ST PRESIDENTS DAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY



7TH & 8TH GRADE

## Valentine Dance

FEBRUARY 12TH  
7-9:30 PM

GMS CAFETERIA  
\$10/PERSON

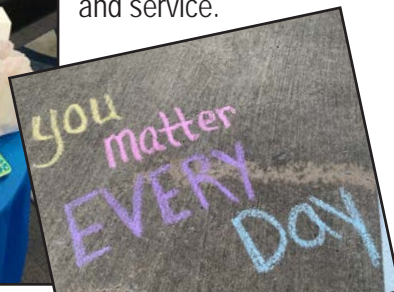
REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED



## Thank YOU!



Thank you to the campus PTOs for showing our staff how much you appreciate them through your messages, gifts, goodies, and service.



## daddy, daughter DANCE

FEB 5 | 6:00-8:00PM  
SNACKS & DRINKS PROVIDED  
HIGH SCHOOL COMMONS

\$25 PER DAD & DAUGHTER(S)

CAST IRON  
PHOTOGRAPHY

Purchases of prints and digital images can be made from an online gallery, which will be made available one week after the event.

We will collect email addresses at the event, and will send notification of the gallery when it is posted.

# Don't forget!

## JUNIOR/SENIOR PROM Final Payment is Coming Due!

Deadline for Full Payment  
2/28/2022

[Please click here to submit prom info and purchase tickets.](#)



## VALENTINE'S GRAMS

### CARNATION FLOWERS

AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS & STAFF ONLY

1 FOR \$3  
2 FOR \$5  
5 FOR \$10

ALL ORDERS TO BE  
ONLINE THIS YEAR

**January 24th -  
February 7th**

ORDERS WILL BE DELIVERED  
**February 14th**

STUDENTS, TEACHERS, & STAFF

RING POPS \$1  
HERSHEY BARS \$2  
POP IT BRACELETS \$2  
STUFFED ANIMALS \$3

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE GUNTER ELEMENTARY PTO

## GES Valentine's Day Candy Gram

GES PTO is having a Valentine's Day fundraiser! To purchase a V-day Gram, please fill out the form below, and we will take care of the rest. Grams must be submitted by February 7th. Delivery of candy grams will be on Monday, February 14th to the kiddos and/or GES teachers and staff.

\*\*\*Please remember we only have GES delivery available\*\*\* Have Questions??? Please email candace.a.reed@gmail.com

[CLICK TO ORDER](#)

## VALENTINE'S DAY Flower Gram

GMS

Teachers, Friends, Siblings too.

Send a Flower to say "I'm Thinking of You!"

Send a Bunch or Give just One.

Getting a Flower is so much Fun!

Pre-order by contacting Julie or Kayla

Julie Geisendorff - 985-789-9897

Kayla Verden - 214-796-6367

### CARNATION FLOWERS

1 for \$3

2 for \$5

5 for \$10

12 for \$20

available for purchase at GMS during lunch

**FEBRUARY 2-9**

Cash, Check payments to GMS PTO

Venmo Payments @CrazyChrisZ

Please note Student Name

Hershey's Bar \$2

Stuffed Animal \$4

Flower Grams will be distributed

ALL GISD Campuses

Crush Soda \$2

(middle + high school only)

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

ALL PROCEEDS ARE DONATED TO  
THE GUNTER MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO

## Valentine's Day Grams

All you need is love, but a little candy doesn't hurt...

**WHEN:** Jan. 26-Feb. 11

**WHERE:** Cafeteria

**HOW MUCH:** \$1.00-\$4.00

**WHY:** Raising money for the String Ensemble Club

**Who:** Contact Mrs. Moody or Alexis and Kendel Marks for more details.

### KINDS OF GRAMS:

- Fake Rose (\$3.00)
- Chocolate Rose (\$4.00)
- Rice Krispies (\$1.50 for two)
- Conversational Candy Hearts (\$2.00)
- Fun Dip Candy (\$2.00)
- Chocolate Heart (\$0.25)



## GHS Valentine's Day Candy Gram

## COLLEGE AND CAREER WEEK

**FEBRUARY  
7-11**

### Elementary School:

- Wear College Gear Monday - Thursday Including College Themed Hats!
- Friday, 2/11/22, Dress up as what you want to be when you grow up.
- College/Career Activities and Contests

### Middle School:

- Wear College Gear Monday - Friday Including College Themed Hats!
- Classroom Door Decorations
- Class Discussions of The College Experience
- Video College Tours in History classes

### High School:

- Wear College Gear Monday - Friday Including College Themed Hats!
- Senior FAFSA Workshops on Tuesday and Thursday night from 6:00 - 8:00pm (come and go)
- Grayson Promise Program for Seniors on Tuesday during school.
- College/Career Planning Meeting for Parents on Monday at 6:00pm
- College Application/Scholarship Workshops on Tuesday and Thursday from 4:00 - 6:00pm (come and go)
- College/Military/Career reps in the Cafeteria during lunches
- Trades Highlight during Tiger Time All Week



# Gunter Elementary School

## SNEAK PEEK



# 93,843 MINUTES!

That's how many minutes our Reading Champions read during the 2nd 9 weeks!

All total, we had 113 readers that contributed to the total minutes. We are so proud of our "Readers Are Champions" group for such a great accomplishment!



## Snow Fun!

Brrr! It's cold outside! Mrs. Keel's kindergartners had some fun writing words in the "snow" and warming up by the "fire".



If you want to learn about something, you should go directly to the source, which is exactly how the kindergartners learned about Polar Bears. Mr. Bear came to their classroom and read the students a story about Polar Bears, and then answered questions.

Planes, boats, cars, and bridges, oh my!! Mrs Dorcey's Kindergarten class enjoyed an afternoon of transportation STEM activities.



The kindergarten classes enjoyed seeing Frozen at Denison High School.



# January Students of the Month

These students were described as **hard-working** and **kind**, and we are so proud of them!



Kindergarten: Brynley Duncan



1st: Wyatt Scott



2nd: Charlie Arthur



3rd: Daniel Avendano



4th: CJ James

## Character Champs

Congratulations to these students for their hard work and "Tiger" attitude!

### December Honorees

(Pictured to the Left)

Kindergarten - Ellah O'Brien and Logan Stewart

1st - Morgan Rowe and Ty Johnson

2nd - Halston McGinnis and Charlotte Egger

3rd - Decklan Davis and Caroline Ulch

4th - Nolyn Briggs and CJ James

### January Honorees

(Pictured to the Right)

Kindergarten: Georgia and Eli

1st: Berkley and Beckett

2nd: Aroldo and Gentry

3rd: Julia and Carter

4th: Mason and Kennedy



## RESPECT

January's Character Word was RESPECT, and to end the month, the students dressed up as someone they highly respect. There were so many great representations! This is just a small collection ...





Students in Mrs. Pelzel and Mrs. Jewell's class created volcanoes in class to wrap up their unit about the Earth's surface. The students had a blast making the volcanoes and watching them erupt!



Mrs. Ulch's penguin caretakers sure enjoyed this math lesson! Penguins get hungry, so Mrs. Ulch's Kindergarten students fed them goldfish! (And maybe themselves too!)



2/2/22 is our 100th Day of School

We can't wait to see how the campus celebrates on that "TWOsday"!

## Gunter Middle School SNEAK PEEK

### Gunter Middle School Spelling Bee

**26** students began the challenge to become the Gunter Middle School Spelling Bee Champ. Competition was tough, as it took many rounds to get to our top three students.

There were also many rounds within the top three students to determine the winner and alternate. All of them performed well, and in the end, the placements were:

- 3rd Place - Nolan Langley
- Alternate - Matilda Miller
- Spelling Champion - Rebecca Wallis



Rebecca and Matilda will spend February 8th with their sponsor, Mrs. Greene, attending the Grayson County Spelling Bee at the South Campus in Van Alstyne. Rebecca will represent GMS, and Matilda will be there to fill in just in case Rebecca is unable to fulfill her duties.

Congratulations to all of those who participated!





# Students of the Month

## 5th Grade Student - Brody Barnett

Activities: Baseball  
Favorite Subject: Math  
Hobby: Board Games  
Favorite Musician: Likes a variety of music  
Future Ambition: Visit New York



## 6th Grade Student - Caleb Bowen

Activities: Football, Baseball  
Favorite Subject: History  
Hobby: Hunting/Fishing  
Favorite Musician: Luke Combs  
Future Ambition: Game warden

## 7th Grade Student - Erick Fraire

Activities: Band, Choir, Football, Basketball  
Favorite Subject: Math  
Hobby: Collecting cards  
Favorite Musician: Imagine Dragons  
Future Ambition: Engineer – attend Texas Tech



## 8th Grade Student - Brody Colvin

Activities: Basketball, Baseball  
Favorite Subject: Math  
Hobby: Sports  
Favorite Musician: Morgan Wallen  
Future Ambition: College Scholarship in baseball

## Weathering & Erosion

Understanding the difference between weathering and erosion might be a difficult process for students to understand, but Mrs. Bon makes it easy! Using a variety of methods to recreate land movement, students were able to visualize how the changes are made on our great planet.



## Special Olympics - Anna Basketball Meet

The Gunter Middle School Tigers attended their first Special Olympics Basketball Skills meet at Anna High School and won the following ribbons:

Ayden Perez-4<sup>th</sup> place  
Tollie Ferguson-3<sup>rd</sup> place  
Raiden Snider-3<sup>rd</sup> place  
Noah Wade-3<sup>rd</sup> place  
ZZ Harris-2<sup>nd</sup> place  
Brylie Krapf-Flynn-2<sup>nd</sup> place  
Janelle Ochoa-1<sup>st</sup> place  
Finnley Pines-1<sup>st</sup> place





# GES and GMS Honor Roll - 2nd Nine Weeks

**A HONOR ROLL:** First Grade: Malachi Ames, Maximus Atyia, Wyatt Bridenthal, Maddox Clowers, Heath Crawford, Kennedy Davidson, Luke Douglass, Sadie Drummonds, Jaime Escalera, Dakota Friday, Kennedy George, McKinley Gibbs, Rylin Hale, Carter Hays, Kieren Hemmen, Carrington James, Ty Johnson, Beckett Leonard, Brynlee Linnell, Brayden Ortiz, Noah Pinnon, Morgan Rowe, Wade Santee, Noah Smith, Brock Taylor, Eliot Thiel, Briston Ulch, Jackson Wyant, Reed Wetzel; **SECOND GRADE:** Charlotte Arther, Jack Arther, Eli Ashton, Cohen Barnes, Ford Bodnyk, Faith Breeding, Kadon Brewster, Reid Brown, Camden Brummett, Kenzie Campbell, Audrey Crawford, Alyvia Douglas, Lilly Edwards, Charlotte Egger, Isabella Esparza, Bear Fieszel, Ridge Fletcher, Madison Gibbs, Korra Gray, Tag Harden, Parker Hough, Quinn Jacques, Cami James, Maddie Johnson, Dash Key, Jace Lacour, Katy Lopez, Kamden Lynch, Hadely Maiden, Eleanor Martin, Caroline McDaniel, Halston McGinnis, Briella McGowan, Emiliano Mendoza, Kyle Moore, Zayden Navarro, Charlie Newton, Aroldo Porras, Carter Ramon, Cohen Robson, Gentry Russell, Krew Sheridan, Isai Sierra, Darcy Sikes, Reese Stinton, Sloane Stington, Titus Thiel, Ethan Tuckett, Joaquin Valadez, Bellamy Woods; **3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE:** Julia Adami, Michael Atyia, Daniel Avendano, Reagan Barnard, Landon Bowen, Imani Carroll, Declan Dorsey, Myles Douglas, Grant Douglass, Gray Eckenrode, Jaxson Fugett, Skylar Gibbs, Karis Gortmaker, Jaxson Hale, Avery Hoang, Alayna Hulsey, Nash Jones, Leighton Lemberg, Max Maldonado, Hazel Martin, Adam McBride, Ashtin Miller, Kase Myers, Tatum O'Daniel, Maddox Piaschyk, Gabriella Quillen, Gunter Reed, Joshua Robinson, Madilyn Rowe, Emily Smith, Jadeyn Taylor, Kallen Toney, Maddox Verden, Nathan Wallis, Cash Weber, Elise Wright, Rayleigh Wright, Arthur Wyatt, Jackson Zielinski; **4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE:** Jaxen Applewhite, Andrew Badiello, Callen Barnes, Brynn Breeding, Nodyn Briggs, Mason Clowers, Mason Dainauski, Nora Dainauski, Calvin Drummonds, Raylan Eckenrode, Stella Fuller, Kennedy Gartrell, Mason Gibbs, Abby Hilton, Bobby Hough, Layla Jacques, CJ James, Colt Kennemer, Mason Layton, Auggie Lee, Brooke Lewis, Alia Maldonado, Bo Martin, Jagger Martin, Ivan Martinez, Melody McBride, Valeria Mendoza, Makenlee Millsap, Brielle Moore, Ellie Needum, Lucas Nelson, Anna Nichols, Sylvie Pace, Brantley Rice, Declan Riffe, Brylee Rodges, Emry Smith, Jadalyne Velasquez, Rylee Watson, Brittyn Wilcocks, Whiteight Wyant, Hayden Zey

**A/B HONOR ROLL: 1<sup>st</sup> Grade:** Valentino Arrellin, Anzlyn Babcock, Mason Bennett, Isaias Castaneda, Phoenix Craig, Zane Duarte, Audrey Fiorletta, Harper Foster, Derick Goodwin, Micah Goodwin, Nathaniel Haker, Weston Hughes, Jayden Kays, Kquinley Kincannon, Don Mercado, Karlie Mixon, Brisa Rodriguez, Tania Rodriguez, Gabriella Roten, Reagyn Ruiz, Odette Thomas, Laureli Toney, Abbott West, Morgan Williams, **2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:** Lizzie Anderson, Ryan Base, Mikey Booth, Quin Coglietti, Marc Cornejo, Camila Escalante, Cristal Escalera Solis, Gavin Foster, Sebastian Fraire, Titus Gage, Tatum Halley, Kolton Hindsley, Adelynn McComb, Luis Mendoza, Bradley Murray French, Max Olsen, Easton O'Steen, Avery Richardson, Julia Ruiz, Ayson Rutherford, Billy Joe Stewart, Price Verdi, Georgia Voto; **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade:** Camilla Anderson, Tristan Beckley, Harper Biros, Max Booth, Arabella Christian, Decklan Davis, Bennett Dorsey, Oliver Garza, Ariyana Gomez, Julia Grzywacz, Isabella Guerrero, Cade Johnson, Kaedence Kirkpatrick, Grace Kruzie, Ryder Lacour, Kreed Lanham, Rylan Leonard, Witt Linnell, Nicholas Lorusso, Mox Martin, Logan May, Amelia Paben, Bryson Richardson, Keynan Rogers, Sadie Romo, Clark Smith, Ava Turner, Caroline Ulch, McKay Williams, Carter Wright; **4<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Mason Acha, Noah Alfarue, Selena Almendarez, Crystal Barrientos, Carson Berry, Dylan Bowden, Grayson Burtsfield, Ethan Craig, Jemma Dix, Miranda Fraire, Payden Friday, Kingston George, Hayes Henry, Hunter Holloway, Calie Maxey, Aaron Mejia Gonzalez, Estevan Mercado, Myckynzie Olsen, Kennedy Owen, Hannah Perkins, Kolston Piaschyk, Olivia Rigdon, Peyton Rippamonti, Jacob Roten, Jackson Scott, Tristan Smith, Ryder Standerfer, Chance Stovall, Kanie Sweet, Jaxson Tuckett, Silas Turner, Elliot Velazquez, Presley Walden

**A Honor Roll: 5th Grade:** Catalina Almanza, Presley Balak, Brody Barnett, Brinley Beavers, Sydney Bodnyk, Landry Bortzfeld, Jude Coglietti, Harper Dorsey, Tinsley Ehret, Hudson Gentner, Landon Gentner, Berkley Graham, Kinslee Gray, Zane Highlen, Ragen Jeffs, Cayden Johnson, Nolan Langley, Elizabeth Leonard, Kasen Leonard, Fielding Lewis, Gus Maldonado, Brayden McGowan, Angie Mendoza, Matilda Miller, Krissah O'Brien, Tess O'daniel, Benny Pena, Cadence Ploch, Ian Ramirez, Payton Richardson, Makenzie Rizzo, Isabella Seay, Ava Thedford, Joshua Todd, Allison Villagrana, Dakota Waligura, Rebecca Wallis, Brooklyn Wilcocks; **6th Grade:** Gina Aiken, Tyson Bailey, Tylie Beckley, Cole Bolt, Caleb Bowen, Connor Caffarel, Kendrew Campbell, Aiden Christian, Caroline Damon, Briley Esnard, Knox Gage, Alyson Gann, Grant Gartrell, Weston Goetz, Paxtyn Graves, Catherine Green, Anna Kruzie, Madalyn Lang, Emersyn Lytle, Jett Martin, London McDonald, Austin Miller, Jackson Neufeld, Will Rainer, Talen Sadler, Emily Saindon, Noah Saindon, Chloe Terpstra, Yulissa Torres Del Rio, Charli Whitney; **7th Grade:** Analeia Aleman, Karson Bernal, Blake Boland, Brody Bracewell, Camden Campbell, Kynlee Chalker, Coleman Cobb, Rhys Dainauski, Colt Elvington, Atalaya Fenner, Glory Ferguson, Erick Fraire, Grace Geisendorff, Kyla Gortmaker, Blake Hale, Zachary Hales, Landon Harris, Braden Hilton, Hailey Hoel, Elijah Johnson, Hudson Kelly, Jake Langley, Jaxson Leonard, Reid Lotspeich, Ethan Marks, Tristan May, Landri McDaniel, Sullivan Newton, Tucker O'daniel, Lia Parnell, Michelle Perez, Joshua Roane, Elyson Schafer, Caleb Siler, Sarah Smith, Maci Verden, Zac Wilde; **8th Grade:** Taylor Badillo, Karlee Beavers, Legend Bounds, Tony Castro, Delyla Dahle, Nicholas Damon, Ally Dodd, Luzcero Escalera, Parker Harris, Jacob Krupa, Wilson Marks, Braeden McDaniel, Jonas Paben, Presley Pace, Creed Rainer, Hayden Rodges, Riley Rogan, Kaitlin Stephan, Shannon Stephens

**A/B Honor Roll: 5th Grade:** Kole Acha, Carly Barrow, Wolfgang Bettes-Asbell, Gisele Booth, Bryan Brewster, Noah Burtsfield, Madeliene Cisneros, Jacob Culverhouse, Jackson Davis, Kirstyn Dupler, Jose Escalera, Alexia Falcon, Raynee Hayes, Alexa Falcon, Korbey Kelley, Riley Krajnak, Kohen Lanham, Phoebe Layman, Ayden Perez, Finnley Pines, Fatima Rodriguez, Edgar Rodriguez Solis, Rhett Roller, Lincoln Saenz, Blake Thigpen, Max Zielinski; **6th Grade:** Makaila Brewster, Rylee Cassidy, Rosee Davis, Ava Doty, Maliya Farrell, Vianay Fuentes, Evelyn Galvan, Kylie Hughes, Ryder Kelley, Amani Kiiru, Sofia Lowery, Isabela Maldonado, Melanie Martinez, Piper Newton, Lauren Nichols, Axel Otvos, Sophia Roten, Ryder Ruiz, Stone Ramage, Will Schafer, Melissa Torres Del Rio, Brayden Waite, Ireland Waite, Shane Waite, Brayden Walden, Corbin Waligura, Ethan Waltz, Seth Wilde, Layla Williams, Jayden Wright, Riley Zey; **7th Grade:** Julia Beltowski, Zaiden Choate, Jordan Decker, Aydan Falcon, Alex Fenner, Cyleigh Floyd, Cale Foster, Milly Fraire, Taylor Gaston, Esmeralda Gonzalez, Wren Henry, Aeris Herman, Alex Hernandez, Levi Hite-Payne, Jake Ivey, Eva James, Sadie Jones, Harlee Keel, Mason Klawinski, Garron Lorusso, Molly McMahon, Daniel Munoz, Chase Nichols, Lathan Pecina, Ashton Pinkernell, Kail Richey, Brynley Rippamonti, Millana Smith, Nora Thomas, Grayson Turner, Jace Wade, Samuel Waggoner, Tyler Woods; **8th Grade:** Parker Aleman, Alexa Almanza, Sadie Buckalew-Lewellen, Brody Colvin, Cash Costen, Cali Dodson, Tolle Ferguson, Micah Fisher, Mackenzie Foster, Ajay Gawande, Justin Grayard, Jonathan Jahan, Levi Koonce, Jackson Maiden, Emma Marks, Lilly Martin, Jackson Mazey, Ava McComb, Camila Mendoza, Gisselle Mercado, Gavin Meyers, Hayden Nelson, Brooklyn Neufeld, Mo Porras, Rey Ramirez, Augustin Robledo, Ty Rodges, Benji Rodriguez, Angel Roman Hurd, Brendan Roten, Mia Smith, Jasmine Tapia, Cooper Thomas, Emily Todd, Braxton White, Olivia Williams



# Classroom Sneak Peek HIGH SCHOOL

## 2nd 9 Week Grading Period

**Principal Honor Roll: 9th Grade:** Caitlin Badillo, Peyton Beavers, Bryce Biros, Brock Boddie, Kane Bolt, Burkleigh Coats, Chloe Johnson, William Kanouse, Juliana Moore, Mary Nichols, Jorge Sanchez, Preston Tarpley, Isabela Thomas; **10th Grade:** Shelby Blansett, Ryli Bracewell, Berkeley Caple, Kase Carlile, Makena Fady, Alexis Gann, Parker Hoel, Kinley Johnson, Kendall Jolly, Cannon Lemberg, Brelee Mauldin, Shey Menkhoff, Houston Rehmet, Hayden Rippamonti, Jackson Rue, Bailey Watson; **11th Grade:** Samantha Aiken, Peyton Aleman, Zachary Boland, James Bullard, Paige Daniel, Aubrey Duarte, Lindsay Esnard, Viviana Galvan, Adilynn Henry, Tiana Jeffs, Reagan Long, Alexis Marks, Kendel Marks, Michael McDowell, Nathan Nelson, Kamber Puebla, Cameron Roller, Mason Sadler, Briley Singleton, Jonathan Smith, Katelynn Smith, Kiana Swinfen, Madison Thigpen, Kailey Tokarz, Aubrey Walton, Elle Whitteker, Lizzie Williams; **12th Grade:** Kenneth Burkholder, Laura Caperton, Audrey Curtis, Lane Dophied, Blakely Esnard, Malison Fisher, Jillian Hobbs, Kaden Keller, Cole Lemons, Sean McClure, Sophia Mendoza, Tegan Swinfen, Alyssa Tarpley, Jaymison Voto

## 2nd 9 Week Grading Period

**A Honor Roll: 9th Grade:** Carter Balak, Grace Dainauski, Beckett Lytle, Colin Peacock, Dylan Tokarz, Jordan Villagrana, Alexa Zielinski; **10th Grade:** Luke Dodd, Brady Harris, Collin Vest, Colson Wood; **11th Grade:** Jack DeWitt, Ethan James, Alayna Jeffs, Benjamin Wilde; **12th Grade:** Sarah Denton, Roy George, Abigail Green, Ryann Menser

**A/B Honor Roll: 9th Grade:** Keira Ashton, Rhianna Befort-Walters, Luke Bullard, Colton Candelaria, Ava Cundiff, Kendal DeWitt, Cristian Escalera, Hayden Farrell, Mitchell Gage, Garrin Goetz, Jaxon Graham, Christianna Grayard, Avery Hale, Jason Henry, Logan Hill, Tate Howard, Mason Jeffs, Kylee Keller, Reanna Kiiru, Landon Langley, Alexander Maldonado, Madelyn Martindale, Brody McDonald, Jesus Mercado, Juan Munoz, Braeden Nelson, Emilee Padgett, Ella Pinkernell, Skylar Pogue, Kayla Rizzo, Cash Ramage, Wendy Salazar, Samantha Scano, Colten Terpstra, Karl Watkins, Luke Wilde, Karson Williams, Raiden Windlow, Trevor Wright; **10th Grade:** Aubrey Burchfield, Jackson Burkholder, Avery Diers, Jeremy Dodson, Daniel Dominguez, Abigail Elmore, Jonah Ferguson, John Gage, Taylor Galarza, Courtney George, Brooks Griggs-Bell, Brayden Hinton, Adyson Hubbard, Bailey Ivey, McKenzie Jones, Carter Layton, Marshall Magers, Avery Parrish, Casey Ploch, Jake Rathbone, Joseph Rathbone, Kendyl Sikes, Hayden Standerfer, Ethan Stephens, Keeli Sweet, Emelie Yosten; **11th Grade:** Nolan Backschie, Isabella Beltowski, Ashton Bennett, Kaden Bernal, Ava Cantrell, Ryan Cassidy, Christopher Cundiff, Saxon Dahle, Jose Fraire, Alana Garcia, Roman Garcia, Finlee Gibson, Marlee Harden, Ivy Hellman, Allie Jahan, Lexi Koonce, Nathan Kriechbaum, Antonio Latham, Connor Lenderman, Dakota Lowery, Abby Marks, Dylan Marsh, Caroline Marshall, Mackenzie Martindale, Rayanna Mauldin, Brody McDonald, Emma McIlroy-Silva, Bianca Mercado, Samantha Neufeld, Allison Padgett, Mason Peacock, Kaiden Pines, Quaid Pines, Cassie Pope, Miranda Putnicki, Adam Reed, Hanna Rubis, Laney Russell, Ethan Sloan, Drew Smith, John St Clair, Collier Stovall, Austin Trevino, Landon Waligura, Donnie Walton III; **12th Grade:** Riekkhen Bostick, Baylee Brackeen, Mario Cuevas, Harper Culp, Olivia Eft, Bennett Fady, Mark Garrison, Hudson Graham, Hailie Harrison, Maura Hicks, Logan Hubbard, Mackensie Ivey, Skylar Jones, Turner Kimball, Grace King, Hunter Kruzie, Helena Martin, Kiley Meadors, Trey Oblas, Dalton Payne, Rhyann Pogue, Shaelyn Pruiett, Nicholas Ramirez, Jared Rathbone, Kaden Rigsby, Saul Rodriguez, Lana Saenz, Jake Schafer, Erin Seiberling, Nicholas Stephan, Hunter Tackett, Breanna Taylor, Morgan Waltz, Brenden Watson



## Fun & Games

Mrs. Wade's art students are working on a project to bring smiles to the GHS campus. They are making game tables for the students to enjoy before school, during break and after school. Two tables have been completed and the next one is in progress.

### Table Designers:

- (left) Viviana Galvan and Hailie Harrison
- (right) Alexis Marks, Kendel Marks, and Samantha Neufeld.
- (Not pictured) Marlee Harden - Table in progress :)



## National Compliment Day

Hormones... can we control them? Oxytocin is our "feel good hormone" and Cortisol is our "stress hormone". Cortisol stays in our body much longer than Oxytocin, so it makes sense that in order to reduce the cortisol levels (stress), we need to increase the oxytocin levels A LOT ... and complimenting people is one way to do that!



On National Compliment Day (January 24th) GHS Student Council raised the oxytocin levels for many people with some uplifting sticky notes. We'd love to challenge everyone to compliment at least one person every single day. Doing this will raise your oxytocin levels as well as the person you compliment.





# What's Happening in AG & FFA?



44 students in Mr. Crilly's Ag Mechanics class completed their OSHA 30 hour certification. This is an industry-based certification recognized by the TEA. The OSHA Outreach Training Program provides workers with basic and more advanced training about common safety and health hazards on the job.



## Preparing for Competition

The Rabbit Team spent some time in line to tattoo and validate their meat pens and breed rabbits at Loy Lake. Holding a bunny still for tattooing is part of the responsibility!



Caillin Woods, Director of Marketing at Osprey Safari visited the Gunter Ag classroom. They learned about the importance of the wildlife industry, wildlife conservation and about firsthand experiences with both Texan and African wildlife. She also brought some awesome exotic items for students to put their hands on!

## Knife Forging

Shout out to Brody McDonald who competed at the Ft. Worth Ag Mechanics show and brought home a blue ribbon for his knife.

Brody created this knife by forging the metal himself! What does that mean? It means that he didn't just purchase a piece of metal already the width he needed to create the knife, he hammered hot steel himself! In the picture, you will see an object on the table that looks like a purple coil. That is a piece of steel from an automobile that he has heated and transformed into the knife you see laying next to it. Together with his father, they built a forge at their home where he completed this project. The process takes a very long time, and Brody showed great workmanship, patience and grit.



It's competition time for the floral team! We have seen the skill these students have in all of the beautiful arrangements they have created throughout the year, but did you know they are also tested on identification, marketing, budgeting, and more? They must study and prepare for the written exam as well as practice their skills in floral arrangement.

## Klein Invitational

Team: 7th out of 65 teams | Individual Results: Malison - 10th

## Magnolia West Contest

Team: 2nd Place | Individually: Malison - 2nd, Aubrey - 8th, Breanna - 9th, and Bella - 20th



Thank you to Martha our rep and Botanica Wholesale for letting us walk through the coolers and practice ID on our way to Houston area competitions.



# Gunter Middle & High School BAND DEPARTMENT

## All-State Band

On Saturday, January 8th, seven of our Gunter Tiger Band members auditioned at their Area contest. If they rank high enough in competition, they earn themselves a spot in the All-State Band. For a school to have one student make All-State is a huge accomplishment, and Gunter was able to have THREE! Approximately 10,000 students auditioned in the 22 ATSSB regions for a place in the All-Region Band. The top chairs of each region qualified for Area auditions. There, more than 2,100 students compete across the state for a place among 280 students who are then selected for the All-State Band. That means the percentage of making all-state is 2.8%! Congratulations to Samantha Neufeld (clarinet), Dylan Marsh (trombone), and Hayden Rizzo (euphonium) on such a high honor!



### *A note from Mrs. Katz*

This year for the Gunter Tiger Band has been amazing! We beat our very lofty goals that we set for ourselves in the fall. To start off the new year, we had three students make the All-state band!!! These kids continue to exceed expectations! Congratulations to Samantha, Dylan, and Hayden! Your hard work paid off!! This accomplishment is absolutely a reflection of your grit and work ethic!! A huge thank you also to their families and lesson teachers for their continued support of their goals! #GTB #GoBand #AllStateBand #TheFutureIsBright

The All Region Clinic & Concert was a great success for the Gunter Tiger musicians!



### New Baritone Sax

We'd love to introduce you to our newest member of the GHS Band. No, it's not Grey, it is the new Baritone Sax! It arrived this morning and we have the official "unveiling and transfer" in pictures. We know it will be well taken care of and loved!

We would like to give a special shoutout to Ron Kuykendall at SAIED Music Company for always finding us the best deals on instruments.







# Tiger CHEERLEADERS

## UIL Spirit State Championships

- 1st Place - Band Chant
- 7th Place Overall - 3A Division 2

<-- Photo Credit: Frederick Geisendorf -->

- 44 teams competed in the 3A D2 UIL Spirit State Championships on January 13th.
- 20 teams are selected to advance and then compete in the State Finals.

While many teams they compete against have several more weeks to prepare, our girls do not. Why? You might ask... well, our football team advanced to the State Tournament and the cheerleaders were busy with the preparation for post district pep rallies and cheering at the playoff games. The football season ended right before the holiday break leaving the cheerleaders less than a month to prepare for this competition.

Even with less prep time than other teams, YOUR Gunter Cheerleaders flew through the qualifying round and brought home the 1st Place - Band Chant and 7th place STATE trophy for 3A Division 2!



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# Lady Tiger BASKETBALL

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## January Scoreboard:

### Girls Varsity Basketball:

1/4 vs Pottsboro	32-24	WIN
1/7 vs Howe	67-24	WIN
1/11 vs Leonard	67-15	WIN
1/14 vs Whitewright	43-30	WIN
1/18 vs Blue Ridge	83-17	WIN
1/21 vs Bells	39-30	WIN
1/25 vs Bonham	60-20	WIN
1/28 vs Pottsboro	36-51	LOSS

### Girls JV Basketball:

1/4 vs Pottsboro	LOSS
1/7 vs Howe	LOSS
1/11 vs Leonard	WIN
1/18 vs Blue Ridge	WIN
1/21 vs Bells	WIN
1/25 vs Bonham	WIN
1/28 vs Pottsboro	LOSS



### Middle School Basketball

Jan 6: vs Leonard  
B Team - Lost  
7 A - Lost, 17-19  
8 A - Won, 34-17

Jan 13: vs Bonham  
B Team - Won  
7 A - Lost, 25-27  
8 A - Won, 56-8



Jan 15: Van Alstyne Tournament  
7 A Went 2-1, Won 2nd Place  
8 A Game 1: Won, 48-15 over Prestonwood  
Game 2: Won, 42-5 over Howe  
Game 3: Won, 41-12 over Van Alstyne  
Tournament Champs

Jan 20: vs Pottsboro  
B Team - Lost  
7 A - Lost, 22-29  
8 A - Won, 34-3



## Teacher Appreciation Night





# Tiger BASKETBALL

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## January Scoreboard:

### Boys Varsity Basketball:

1/4 vs Pottsboro	37-60	LOSS
1/7 vs Howe	28-46	LOSS
1/11 vs Leonard	35-45	LOSS
1/14 vs Whitewright	44-42	LOSS
1/18 vs Blue Ridge	49-38	WIN
1/21 vs Bells	38-36	WIN
1/25 vs Bonham	45-57	LOSS
1/28 vs Pottsboro	39-37	WIN

### JV Boys Basketball

#### JV Blue

Vs. Pottsboro	32-37	Loss
Vs. Howe	45-26	Win
Vs. Leonard	29-26	Win
Vs. WW	41-17	Win
Vs. BR	46-48	Win
Vs. Bells	45-24	Win
Vs. Bonham	47-17	Win
Vs. Pottsboro	41-33	Win

#### Celina Tournament

- Vs. Callisburg	51-11	Win
- Vs. Decatur	28-39	Loss

#### JV White

Vs. Pottsboro	- Win
Vs. Howe	- Loss
Vs. Leonard	- Win
Vs. BR	- Loss
Vs. Bonham	- Win
Vs. Pottsboro	- Loss (double OT)



### Middle School Basketball

Jan 6 B team (L) 10-17

Jan 13 B team (w) 13-12

Jan 15 A team Tournament:

- Game 1: Prestonwood (w) 19-12
- Game 2: Howe (w) 38-8
- Game 3: Pottsboro (L) 42-11



## Teacher Appreciation Night





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### Senior Day - January 8

Congratulations to: Payton Garrison, Roy George, Grace King, Bennett Fady, Erik Tapia



### 12/18 - Wylie High School

#### 1st place

Grace King  
Roy George

#### 3rd place

Courtney George 3rd Place



### 1/8 Gunter Wrestling Meet Varsity Tournament

#### 1st place

Roy George  
Bennett Fady  
Payton Garrison  
Courtney George  
Kendyl Sikes



#### 2nd place

Hayden Farrell  
Braden Robinson  
Colten Terpstra  
Erik Tapia  
Joe Rathbone  
Nick Bullard  
Romina Maldonado  
Savannah McQuillan



#### 3rd place

Jordan Villagrana  
Tate Howard



### 1/15 - Hwy 5 Invitational

3rd Place - Payton  
3rd Place - Courtney  
4th Place - Fady  
5th Place - Roy  
5th Place - Farrell  
6th Place - Tapia  
6th Place - Terpstra  
6th Place - Sikes



### 1/22 Youth Team - McKinney Mayhem

Jay Campiti - 1st Place  
Val Campiti - 2nd Place  
Wes Goetz - 2nd Place  
Tristan May - 1st Place  
Stone Rummage - 3rd place



### 1/24 - GMS - Whitesboro

All did well with at least 1 win

### 1/26 - Lovejoy

Nick Bullard. Luke Bullard,  
Bennett Fady. Joe Rathbone all  
had wins.



### 1/29 - JV District Tournament

- Placed 5th out of 12 teams  
- Braden Robinson - 2nd Place  
- Hayden Farrell - 3rd Place  
- Luke Bullard - 3rd Place  
- 4th Place: Villagrana, Goetz,  
and Rathbone







# Gunter Independent School District Board Briefs

Thursday, January 20, 2022

## GISD T.A.P.R. HEARING - 6:00pm

Public Hearing to discuss the 2020-2021 Texas Academic Performance Report "TAPR" was called to order by Scott Meyerdirk, Board President. A quorum was established. Dara Arrington, Director of Curriculum and Instruction presented the TAPR Report.

The Hearing adjourned at 6:19pm

## GISD Regular Board Meeting - 6:19pm

The Regular meeting was called to order by Scott Meyerdirk, Board President. A quorum was established.

Pledge of Allegiance was conducted by Scott Meyerdirk, Board President

**ATTENDANCE:** Board members: Shelli Hales, Dr. Gary Harris, John Jonas, Gabe Johnson, Scott Meyerdirk, Jason Padgett and Lynn Reed; District attendance included: Mr. Scott Martindale, Dara Arrington, Caleb Bell, Brittany Floyd, Melissa Kelly and Kensie Woods.

Steve Davis of Morgan, Davis & Co presented the 2020-2021 School Audit.

## **SCHOOL BOARD RECOGNITION**

- Students and Staff presented items prepared for the board showing their appreciation for all that they do.
  - Mrs. Woods, Kamber Puebla, and Ashton Bennett presented wrapped gifts (a book and puzzle) from the high school
  - Wendy Osburn, Jordan Crilly and the FFA Officer Team presented flower arrangements and gavels from the Ag Department
  - Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Wetzel presented gift baskets from the elementary
  - The Middle School delivered gift baskets

## **SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

- A full Financial Report was provided
- Communications –
  - Enrollment Update
    - Elementary School 420
    - Middle School 348
    - High School 357
    - TOTAL 1125
  - Upcoming Events / Meeting Dates were shared with Board
  - A summary of student attendance from January 4<sup>th</sup> through January 20<sup>th</sup> was presented
- Board Member Report
  - Election Update – Gabe Johnson and Lisa Marks have turned Application for Place on the Ballot for May 7, 2022 election. February 18<sup>th</sup> is the last day to sign up.

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

December 13, 2021 F.I.R.S.T. Hearing Minutes and December 13, 2021 Regular Meeting Minutes  
December 2021 Bills  
Budget Amendments  
Order May 7, 2022 School Board Trustee Election  
Joint Election Agreement with the City of Gunter for the May 7, 2022 Trustee Election  
Agreement with the Grayson County Election Administration for May 7, 2022 Trustee Election  
2020-2021 Audit Presented by Steve Davis

## **REGULAR BUSINESS**

- The Board approved the Order Calling a Bond Election.
  - Mr. Brian Grubbs with SAMCO Capital discussed the district's bond capacity
  - Mr. Caleb Bell presented the proposed plan that was developed and agreed upon by the district's Collaborative Visioning Committee
  - Members of the Collaborative Visioning Committee were in attendance for the presentation
- The Board approved the Request to Spend of \$50,000.00 with BSN for Athletic Needs.
- The Board approved the Region 10 Multi-Region Purchasing Cooperative Interlocal Agreement for Food Service.

## **CLOSED SESSION**

- Land
- Personnel
- Safety

## **OPEN SESSION**

- Land – No Discussion
- Personnel –
  - The Board approved extending Superintendent Martindale's contract through 2025.
  - The Board approved hiring a Coordinator of Family & Community Services Administrative Position for 2022-2023.
  - The Board approved hiring Laura Rodgers as a School Nurse for the remainder of the 2021-2022 school year.
- Safety – No Discussion





**ADJOURNMENT:** Regular meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:11pm





# February 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Golf Tournament- Girls Only @ Twin Creeks GC, Allen 4:30p HS Girls Basketball @ Gunter vs Howe 5p Boys Basketball @ Gunter vs Howe 5p Softball Scrimmage @ Gunter vs Anna	2 V District Wrestling Meet @ Wylie East HS  <b>Groundhog Day</b>	3 V District Wrestling Meet @ Wylie East HS 4:30p MS Boys Basketball @ Howe 4:30p MS Girls Basketball @ Gunter vs Howe	4 4:30p HS Girls Basketball @ Leonard 5p Boys Basketball @ Leonard	5 MS Boys District Basketball Tourn. MS Girls District Basketball Tourn @ Bells 11a Baseball Scrimmage @ Ponder 11a JV Baseball Scrimmage @ Ponder 6p Daddy/Daughter Dance - Sponsored by GIFT 
6	7	8 Varsity Golf Tnmt @ Woodbridge in Wylie 2p Grayson County Spelling Bee 4:30p HS Girls Basketball @ Gunter vs Whitewright (Sr. Night) 5p Boys Basketball @ Gunter vs Whitewright 5p Softball Scrimmage @ Frisco Liberty	9 2:45 5th Grade Living Museum	10 Tennis Tournament @ Princeton	11 Regional Wrestling Meet @ Anna 4:30p JV Baseball Scrimmage @ Aubrey 5p Boys Basketball @ Gunter vs Blue Ridge (Senior Night)	12 10a Softball Scrimmage @ Gunter vs Sanger/S&S 7p 7th and 8th Grade Valentine's Day Dance  <b>Lincoln's Birthday</b>
<b>College and Career Week - February 7-11</b>						
13	14 4:30p Baseball Scrimmage @ Aubrey 4:30p JV Baseball Scrimmage @ Melissa  <b>Valentine's Day</b>	15 B & G Golf Tournament @ Heritage Ranch Club, Fairview 4:30p Softball @ Ponder 5p Boys Basketball @ Bells	16	17 4:30p Softball @ Carrollton-Farmers Branch	18 <b>Health / Safety Day (AKA Bad Weather Day) - Possibly No School</b> Tennis Tournament @ Sanger State Wrestling Meet @ Cypress	19 11a Baseball Scrimmage @ Sherman 11a JV Baseball Scrimmage @ Sherman
20	21 Girls Golf Tournament @ Gainesville Municipal  <b>School Holiday</b>  <b>President's Day</b>	22 MS B/G Track Meet (Run Only) @ Pilot Point Boys Golf Tournament @ Stone Creek, Sherman 5p Softball @ John Paul II 6p Board Meeting	23	24 JV/V Track Meet (Run Only) @ Pilot Point Tennis Tournament @ Princeton	25	26
				Baseball Tournament @ Anna		
				JV Baseball Tournament @ Aubrey		
				V Softball Tourn @ North TX Class Tourn		
27	28 B&G Golf Tournament @ Brookhaven Country Club, Farmers Branch	1 MS Track Meet @ Whitesboro 5p Softball @ Gunter vs Bonham	2	3 JV/V Track Meet @ Whitesboro	4 Tennis Tournament @ Melissa	5
				Baseball Tournament @ Aubrey		
				JV Baseball Tournament @ Ponder		
				Softball Tourn @ Burnet		





## Gunter Lady Tiger Softball 2022 Schedule



<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Time</u>
Saturday, Jan. 29th	(S) JJ Pearce	Away	JV/V	10:30/12:00
Tuesday, Feb. 1st	(S) Anna	Home	JV/V	5:00/6:30
Saturday, Feb. 5th	(S) Pilot Point/McKinney North	Celin	V	11:20/12:40
Tuesday, Feb. 8th	(S) Frisco Liberty	Away	JV/V	5:00/6:30
Saturday, Feb. 12th	(S) Sanger/S&S	Home	V	10:00/1:00
Tuesday, Feb. 15th	Ponder	Away	V	5:00
Friday, Feb. 17th-19th	Carrollton-Farmers Branch Tourn.	Away	V	TBD
Tuesday, Feb. 22nd	John Paul II	Away	JV/V	5:00/7:00
Thurs.-Sat., Feb. 24th-26th	North Texas Class Tour.	Away	V	TBD
<b>Tuesday, Mar. 1st</b>	<b>Bonham</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
Thurs.-Sat., Mar.3rd-5th	Burnet Tournament	Away	V	TBD
<b>Tuesday, March 8th</b>	<b>Pottsboro</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Saturday, Mar. 12th</b>	<b>Howe</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>11:00/1:00</b>
<b>Friday, Mar. 18th</b>	<b>Leonard</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>11:00/1:00</b>
Saturday, Mar. 19th	John Paul II	Home	V	12:00
<b>Tuesday, Mar. 22nd</b>	<b>Whitewright</b>	<b>Home**</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Friday, Mar. 25th</b>	<b>Blue Ridge</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>6:00</b>
<b>Tuesday, Mar. 29th</b>	<b>Bells</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Friday, April 1st</b>	<b>Bonham</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Tuesday, April 5th</b>	<b>Pottsboro</b>	<b>Home***</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Friday, April 8th</b>	<b>Howe</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Tuesday, April 12th</b>	<b>Leonard</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Friday, April 15th</b>	<b>Whitewright</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>
<b>Monday, April 18th</b>	<b>Blue Ridge</b>	<b>Home*</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>6:00</b>
<b>Friday, April 22nd</b>	<b>Bells</b>	<b>Away</b>	<b>JV/V</b>	<b>5:00/7:00</b>

### Playoffs

April 30th	Bi-District
May 7th	Area
May 14th	Regional Quarter Finals
May 21st	Regional Semi-Finals
May 28th	Regional Finals
June 1st-4th	State Tournament

Head Coach: Leigh Vickery  
Assistant Coach: Casey Frost  
Superintendent: Scott Martindale  
Athletic Director: Jake Fiesel  
High School Principal: Kensi Woods  
Assistant Athletic Director: Katie Stinton

### **Bold- District**

\*- Senior Night

(S) - Scrimmages

\*\* - Youth Night

\*\*\* - Teacher Appreciation

Schedules are subject to change. Please check the GISD Website - Event Calendar for the most up to date information.



## 2022 GUNTER VARSITY BASEBALL

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
Feb 5	Sat	Ponder Scrimmage (turf)	11:00 JV / V 1:00pm	Ponder
Feb 11	Fri	Aubrey Scrimmage (turf)	4:30 JV / V 7:00pm	Aubrey
Feb 14	Mon	Melissa Scrimmage (turf)	4:30 JV / V 7:00pm	Melissa
Feb 19	Sat	Sherman Scrimmage (turf)	11:00 JV / V 1:00pm	Sherman
Feb 24-26	Thur-Sat	Anna Tourney (turf)	TBA	Anna
March 3-5	Thur-Sat	Aubrey Tourney (turf)	TBA	Aubrey
March 10-12	Thur-Sat	Windthorst Tourney	TBA	Windthorst
March 15	Tue	Bonham	7:30pm	Gunter
March 18	Fri	Bonham	7:30pm	Bonham
March 19	Sat	Off	Off	Off
March 22	Tue	Pottsboro	7:30pm	Gunter
March 25	Fri	Pottsboro	7:30pm	Pottsboro
March 26	Sat	Off	Off	Off
March 29	Tue	Howe	7:30pm	Gunter
April 1	Fri	Howe	7:30pm	Howe
April 2	Sat	Muenster	12:00pm	Gunter
April 5	Tue	Leonard	7:30pm	Gunter
April 8	Fri	Leonard	7:30pm	Leonard
April 9	Sat	Sherman (turf)	11:00am	Sherman
April 12	Tue	Whitewright	7:30pm	Whitewright
April 15	Fri	Whitewright	7:30pm	Gunter
April 16	Sat	Off	Off	Off
April 19	Tue	Blue Ridge	7:30pm	Blue Ridge
April 22	Fri	Blue Ridge (Sr Night)	7:30pm	Gunter
April 23	Sat	Off	Off	Off
April 26	Tue	Bells (DH)	5:00/7:30pm	Gunter

## 2022 GUNTER JV BASEBALL

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
Feb 5	Sat	Ponder Scrimmage (turf)	11:00 JV / V 1:00pm	Ponder
Feb 11	Fri	Aubrey Scrimmage (turf)	4:30 JV / V 7:00pm	Aubrey
Feb 14	Mon	Melissa Scrimmage (turf)	4:30 JV / V 7:00pm	Melissa
Feb 19	Sat	Sherman Scrimmage (turf)	11:00 JV / V 1:00pm	Sherman
Feb 24-26	Thur-Sat	Aubrey Tourney (turf)	TBA	Aubrey
March 3-5	Thur-Sat	Ponder Tourney (turf)	TBA	Ponder
March 10-12	Thur-Sat	Grayson JC Tourney (turf)	TBA	Sherman
March 15	Tue	Bonham	4:30pm	Gunter
March 18	Fri	Bonham	4:30pm	Bonham
March 22	Tue	Pottsboro	4:30pm	Gunter
March 25	Fri	Pottsboro	4:30pm	Pottsboro
March 26	Sat	Aubrey	11:00am	Aubrey
March 29	Tue	Howe	4:30pm	Gunter
April 1	Fri	Howe	4:30pm	Howe
April 2	Sat	Aubrey	11:00am	Gunter
April 5	Tue	Leonard	4:30pm	Gunter
April 8	Fri	Leonard	4:30pm	Leonard
April 9	Sat	Sanger	11:00am	Sanger
April 12	Tue	Whitewright	4:30pm	Whitewright
April 15	Fri	Whitewright	4:30pm	Gunter
April 16	Sat	Off	Off	Off
April 19	Tue	Blue Ridge	4:30pm	Blue Ridge
April 22	Fri	Blue Ridge	4:30pm	Gunter
April 23	Sat	TBA	TBA	TBA
April 25	Mon	Gunter	6:00pm	Bells



### Coaching Staff

#### Head Coach

Daryl Hellman  
dhellman@gunterisd.org

#### Assistant Coaches

Andrew Applewhite and Trey Carr



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## 2022 Gunter Track Schedule



### High School Boys & Girls

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Team</u>
Feb. 24 (Thursday)	Pilot Point (Run Only) (Boys 8:30 am / Girls 1:30 pm)	JV/Varsity
March 3 (Thursday)	Whitesboro	JV/Varsity
March 10 (Thursday)	Van Alstyne (10:00 am)	JV/Varsity
March 24 (Thursday)	Pottsboro (12:00 pm)	JV/Varsity
*March 25-26	Texas Relays	Qualifiers
March 31 (Thursday)	Gunter	JV/Varsity
April 13 (Wednesday)	District Prelims/F.E. - Pottsboro	JV/Varsity
April 14 (Thursday)	District Finals – Pottsboro	JV/Varsity
April 21 (Thursday)	Area – Pottsboro	Qualifiers
April 29-30 (Fri.-Sat.)	Regional – Whitehouse	Qualifiers
May 13-14 (Fri.-Sat.)	State – Austin	Qualifiers

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### Middle School Boys & Girls

February 22 (Tuesday)	Pilot Point (Run Only)	MS B/G
March 1 (Tuesday)	Whitesboro	MS B/G
March 8 (Tuesday)	Van Alstyne	MS B/G
March 22 (Tuesday)	Pottsboro	MS B/G
March 28 (Monday)	Gunter	MS B/G
April 11 (Monday)	District - TBA	MS B/G

\*All Dates/Location Subject to change\*

**Head Track & Field:** Jeff Egger

**Track Coaches:** Daniel Castorena, Eric Chavez, Katelyn Gill, Jordan Gill, Justin McDaniel, Vince Morgan, Jake Parker, Mikayla Watson

**Athletic Trainer:** Ryan Barham

**Athletic Director:** Jake Fieszal

**Asst. Athletic Director:** Katie Stinton

**HS Principal:** Kensie Woods

**MS Principal:** Chris Dodd

**Superintendent:** Scott Martindale