



Gershaw Gator Gazette

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Design Unveiling Dinner and Auction:

The evening was an unbelievable success. We raised over \$60,000 towards our renovations. This gives a total of \$100,000 that has been donated or pledged towards our goal of \$150,000 as we continue to work towards our target. Thank you to everyone who made this evening an overwhelming success. Our project is also entered into the Aviva Community Fund Competition The project can be voted for by clicking on the website below to register and vote. You can vote once a day. Send the link to a friend. More votes will increase our chances. Thanks for your support.

<http://www.avivacommunityfund.org/ideas/acf12772>

School Fees: Please make payment as soon as possible. Thanks.

School Council

The next meeting starts 7:00 pm on January 26th, 2012. All parents are encouraged to attend.

Athletics

Congratulations to Mr. Phillips and Mr. Angle on their teams' strong showing at provincials. The girls returned with a 3rd place finish, while the boys team finished in 4th place. Congratulations to our junior high teams as well. Players are reminded to return their uniforms to their respective coaches. Many thanks, to all of our players, coaches, and parents for your dedication and hard work this season.

Student Council Days:

December 1-16 – **JOY OF GIVING**
December 2 – Gatorman

December 6 -16 – Candy Sales

December 6 – 16 – Locker decorating

December 8 – Taco Time, Caps for Causes

December 15 – Subway, Tacky Sweater Day

December 16 – Chamber Santa Hayride 6-8pm

December 20 – Christmas Concert

December 21 – Comfy Day – Smurf movie

December 21 – Last Day of Classes

December 22 – Jan 4 – Christmas Break

Jan 5 – Welcome Back Classes Resume

Christmas Concert

This year the grades JK-6 students will perform "I Need A Little Christmas Vacation". The play will be held on December 20th @ SGS small gym. **DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM** start time 7:00pm. Donations to the food bank will be accepted at the door.

Basketball Season has started. Please check the website athletic calendar for dates and times.

Drama

Mrs. Tiffin, Mrs. Flower and the Grade 11's are making preparations for March's presentation of "Hillbilly Hankerin'" Dinner Theatre.

Student Council Candy can be purchased from the Gershaw Student Council and BIE Office. Hot Chocolate \$1, Candy Canes 50c December 6th – 16th.

Enhance Your Child's Sense of Belonging

Create opportunities in the home or community where your child can help out with completing tasks or providing guidance to others. Make them aware of their potential as a positive role model to younger children.