

THE GATOR GAZETTE

The Official Gator Newsletter

November 10, 2020 • Rocklin Academy Gateway • 6550 Lonetree Boulevard, Rocklin, CA

November

November 11th: No School – Veteran's Day

November 16th: RAFOS Board Meeting

November 16th-29th: Virtual Scholastic Book Fair

November 19th: Boys Basketball Information Meeting, 3:30pm

November 20th: No School – Professional Learning

November 23rd – 26th: No School – Thanksgiving Week

December

December 1st: Winter MAP Testing Window Opens



NOVEMBER 11TH AND 12TH

Don't forget that there is no school on November 11th in observance of Veteran's Day. School will resume on Thursday, November 12th, as indicated in the recently revised RAFOS 2020-21 calendar <u>here</u>.

MIDDLE SCHOOL "PAUSE DAYS"

Thursday and Friday, November 12th and 13th, will be virtual days for **ALL** 7th and 8th grade students. These days are designed so students have the time to re-perform and extend on assignments. During the regularly scheduled class periods, teachers will be able to reteach, assess and



provide feedback to students in a timely manner. All students are still required to log onto Zoom for each class period. The Zoom only schedule is listed below:

- Wednesday: No school
- Thursday: Periods 1-3
- Friday: Periods 4-3



WELCOME MRS. LANE

Mrs. Parrett is excited to announce that she is expecting a baby in the next few months! As she prepares to take some

time off to spend time with her growing family, we are thrilled to have Mrs. Lane step into the Substitute Assistant Principal role for the second half of the year. Make sure to say hello when you see her during arrival and dismissal.





KEYS OF EXCELLENCE CHALLENGE- SPEAK WITH GOOD PURPOSE

Challenge your superstars to share their thoughts and feelings with clarity, kindness, and positive intentions. Create a tracking method such

as a tally chart or graph, sticker chart, some sort of incentives tracker, or even a game board where kiddos can level up to earn prizes like picking the movie for family movie night, earning 5 extra minutes of park or game time, etc. Have them track their success in speaking with good purpose throughout the month and send in photos of your kiddos' progress or great success to Mrs. Carli at bcarli@rocklinacademy.org by Friday November 27th so we can celebrate your kiddo and their great growth in our Gator Gazette!

ATHLETICS

Boys Basketball Information Meeting

Our middle school boys basketball season is scheduled to begin December 2nd, 2020. If your student is interested in playing boys basketball at Gateway, we highly encourage you to join us for an informational meeting on November 19th, at 3:30 pm. *For this meeting, 6th grade families are*



welcome to attend to get information about the season. In the event that we are not able to fill our middle school (7th/8th grade) boys basketball team with the minimum number of 7th and 8th grade students, we have the option to offer open positions to 6th graders. During this meeting, we will discuss league status, requirements, the tryout process, and the practice/game schedules. We hope to see many interested families there!

If you have questions, or are unable to attend the meeting, but would like the information provided to you in another way, please contact Karin Georgeson: <u>Kgeorgeson@rafos.org</u>. Thank you!

Boys Basketball Information Meeting

- Date: Thursday, November 19th
- Time: 3:30 pm
- Meeting Type: Zoom: Boys Basketball Zoom Meeting Click Here
 - Meeting ID: 884 5121 5471
 - Passcode: 468130



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NOVEMBER

16-29 • Scholastic Book Fair (Virtual)

DECEMBER

- 3 PSP General Meeting 6:30 pm
- 18 Virtual Family Fun Night Holiday Edition



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https://forms.gle/43EJdETaowv6wDaN6 ANNUAL GIVING

https://go.rallyup.com/gatewayagc-2020 SPIRIT WEAR

http://bit.ly/2ocTl2s

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VIRTUAL AUCTION

Thank you so much to all the families that participated in the First Ever Virtual Auction last weekend! It was incredible and fun to see families engage with the auction items. Our school community



raised close to \$3,000. We'll announce a final tally once all invoices are paid!

Discount extended!!

YEARBOOK DISCOUNT EXTENDED

The school yearbook pre-sale 5% discount has been extended through Wednesday, November 18th! To pre-order this year's yearbook, go to the following link:

https://tr5.treering.com/validate The school code is: 1015676997573154

If you don't already have a TreeRing account, please look at the step-by-step <u>flyer</u> for instructions.

VIRTUAL SCHOLASTIC BOOKFAIR

Coming soon! The Virtual Scholastic Bookfair gets here on Monday, November 16th and will run for two weeks, through November 29th! Here's an <u>electronic booklist flyer</u>. Go to the following website to order your books!



https://www.scholastic.com/bf/rocklinacademygateway1

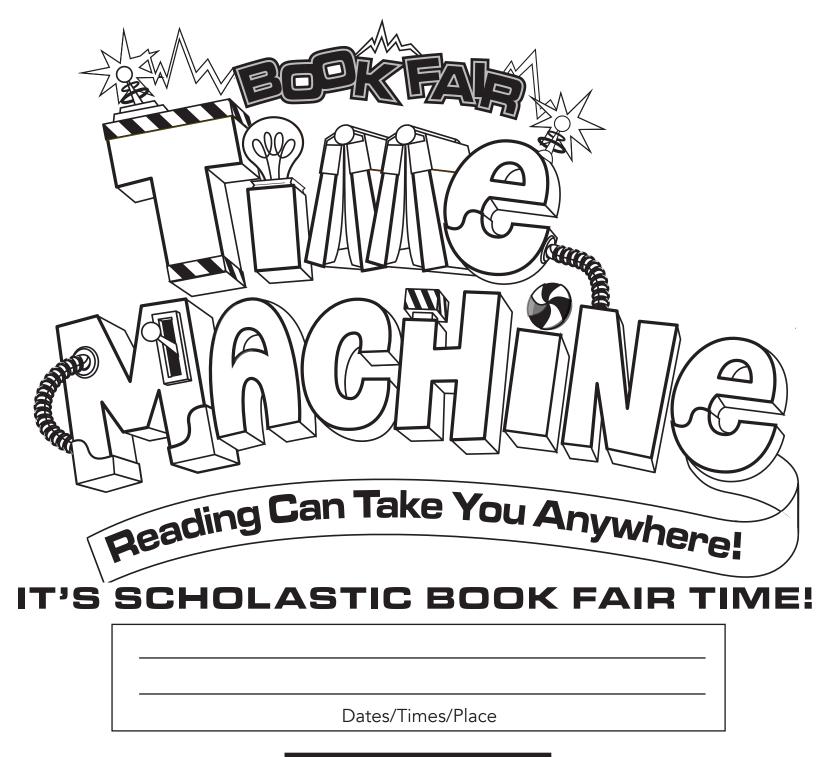
A few great things about this bookfair: 1) all orders will be shipped to your home; and 2) shipping is FREE to book orders over \$25. Another cool thing about this bookfair is that it is set up as a virtual360 fair. So, when you enter the website, you'll see a physical bookfair set up. You can navigate to go to book shelves, and to individual books. Check it out! Enjoy the coloring page at the end of this newsletter with your kiddos!

PARENT DIRECTORY

We are so excited to have released our Parent Directory! *There are now 221 students signed up for the directory!* Be sure to sign up so that your students can be found by friends. Check out the <u>FAQs</u> and Step by Step instructions if you have any questions. Here's the Parent Directory link: <u>https://www.gatewaypsp.org/directory/</u>

ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN

We know things have been tough lately, but we just want to remind you that your donations allow us to provide important materials, activities, and experiences for your Gator! Please Visit <u>RallyUp</u> to learn how your donation supports our Gateway community. You can also **text GIVE2AGC to 855-202-2100** to receive a link to make your donation today.



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