



THE GATOR GAZETTE

The Official Gator Newsletter

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February

February 26th: End of 2nd Trimester

February 26th: PSP Restaurant Night, Blaze Pizza

February 28th: Lottery Application Period ends

March

March 1st: Minimum Day (TK-6th) Held Virtually, Professional Learning

March 4th: PSP Meeting, 6:30pm

March 5th: Picture Make-Up Day

March 8th-12th: Minimum Days (TK-6th) Held Virtually, Conference Week

March 12th: End of Quarter 3

March 15th: Minimum Day (TK-8th) Held Virtually, Professional Learning



HYBRID STUDENTS MOVE TO A MODIFIED DAY SCHEDULE ON APRIL 5th

Thank you to the hybrid families, staff, and students for providing input to the Board on moving to a modified day schedule or remaining in the current hybrid model. We had our highest response rate for a survey and greatly appreciate your engagement. At Monday's board meeting, the Board approved moving to a modified day schedule for Grades K-6 on April 5. You can view the Board meeting and presentation [here](#). As you can see by the presentation, there are many details and implications to consider and address. Principals at each site will be working closely with staff over the next few weeks to develop the modified day schedule. Please know this will take some time, and details of the plan will be communicated as they are finalized.

MINIMUM DAY- MARCH 1ST (TK-6TH)

Monday March 1st will be a minimum day for grades TK-6th. Students in these grades will be on the [Minimum Day Distance Learning Schedule](#) and will not come to school.



PICTURE MAKE-UP DAY

Picture Make-up Day will be on Friday, March 5th. Pictures will be taken in the Rocklin Academy Gateway gym. Parents will need to sign up [here](#) for a timeslot for their child(ren) to come to campus to have their picture taken. (*Make sure to write the child's name in the comment section.) Each child will need to have their own time slot. In accordance with our current safety procedures and guidelines, social distancing will be expected and face coverings must be worn. (Masks can be removed while the picture is being taken.)



UPCOMING CONFERENCE WEEK

We wanted to remind families that conference week for grades TK-6th grade is right around the corner, scheduled for March 8th – March 12th. During this week, students in these grades will be back on the [Minimum Day Distance Learning Schedule](#). Conferences will be held virtually.

REMINDER- LUNCH ORDERING PROCEDURES

As a reminder, this week is the start of our new, revised lunch ordering procedures for **ALL** students! Parents will need to pre-order lunches for their children, a week in advance. All orders, will need to be placed through the Lunch Portal, (found on the [Food and Nutrition Services page](#) on our website) on **Wednesdays and Thursdays**.



1. Click on “Lunch Portal.”
2. Create and account (if you do not already have one)
3. Click on “Meal Pre-Order.”
4. Choose student
5. Click on dates you wish to order.
6. Click on “Save Selection.”



KEYS OF EXCELLENCE CHALLENGE- COMMITMENT

Last call for submissions in the February Commitment Challenge! Here are some ideas:

- Keep our commitment to kindness rolling by completing 20+ random acts of kindness during the month of February. Not sure where to start? [Here’s a list of 30 random acts!](#)
- Find a creative way to keep track of your acts of kindness! Try not to miss a day. Not sure how to show it? Try making a calendar, poster, chain, scrapbook page, or even a [kindness flower](#)
- Send in a picture or description of how your kiddo stayed committed to their kindness challenge of the month to bcarli@rocklinacademy.org by Friday February 26th to have your kiddo celebrated in the end of the month Gator Gazette!

TECHNOLOGY HELP

For all technology issues, whether it’s a need for a password reset or your child’s device is not working, visit the Technology Help page [here](#), found on our website, and fill out the 2020-21 RAFOS Technology Help form.





ABSENCES

Thank you for reporting your child's absence through [Student Absence Form](#). If the absence is related to illness with COVID symptoms or a COVID-19 quarantine or exposure in the last 14 days, you will receive an email and Symptoms Notice from our attendance office. This notification will inform you of your child's need to stay home from school and the date on which they may return to campus.



PSP Parent News

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Calendar

FEBRUARY

12 • Virtual Family Fun Night – Movie Night Edition

26 • Blaze Pizza Restaurant Night

MARCH

4 • PSP General Meeting 6:30 pm

12 • Virtual Family Fun Night – Dance Party Edition

25 • Skipolini's Restaurant Night

APRIL

8 • PSP General Meeting 6:30 pm

BLAZE PIZZA NIGHT

Our next restaurant night is this Friday, February 26th, from 4-9 pm, at Blaze Pizza on Fairway Drive. Enjoy some yummy pizza and help raise funds for the school. Orders can be placed in person, online or through the app. Show the flyer at the end of this newsletter, or on your phone to credit our school. If ordering online, enter the code "1044A" in the promo code field at checkout for your purchase to be applied to the fundraiser. Thank you and enjoy!

**Pizza Night,
Friday!!**

PSP BOARD LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

We are looking for volunteers to work with a group of fun, motivated parents on the PSP Board for the 2021-2022 school year. Would you like to help make the important decisions that guide the enrichment programs and community events at our school? Please contact us at gatewaypsp@rafos.org if you are interested. We look forward to hearing from you!

MASKS FOR SALE

Only 1 left!!

We are selling these until they run out! \$6 for one (1) mask. Go to this [link](#) to purchase a mask or find them on our website. Thank you to all who purchased masks! We are happy to have provided this practical item for our Gators. Enjoy sporting these around town!



YEARBOOK PREORDER

Yearbooks are still available for pre-order! Go to the following link to pre-order a yearbook: <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 [flyer](#) for instructions.

ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN

Thank you to all in our Gator community who have contributed to the AGC! These funds help create a vibrant school culture, academic enrichment programs, classroom assistance, and school projects. Donations to the AGC are **tax deductible!** Visit [RallyUp](#) or text **GIVE2AGC to 855-202-2100** to receive a link to make your donation today!

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<https://www.facebook.com/RAGatewayPSP>

INSTAGRAM

<https://www.instagram.com/ragatewaypsp/>

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

<https://forms.gle/43EJdETAowv6wDaN6>

ANNUAL GIVING

<https://go.rallyup.com/gatewayagc-2020>

SPIRIT WEAR

<http://bit.ly/2ocTI2s>

AMAZON SMILE

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-4449502>



CAUSE A SCENE FOR A GOOD CAUSE

Enjoy yourself and support our cause at a special fundraising event for:

Organization name: Rocklin Academy Gateway PSP

Date: Friday, February 26th, 2021

Time: 4PM-9PM

Location: Blaze Pizza, 10325 Fairway Drive, Roseville

Order Mode: In-Restaurant, Blaze Pizza App, Blazepizza.com

Blaze Pizza will donate 20% of proceeds from your meal back to our organization.

TWO WAYS TO SUPPORT OUR ORGANIZATION:

In-Restaurant: Bring in this flyer or show it on your phone before paying.

Online Orders: Orders must be placed online via the Blaze Pizza App or blazepizza.com. Enter code **1044A** into the 'Promo Code' field at checkout to have your transaction count toward the fundraiser. If entered correctly, you'll see a \$.01 discount applied to your check which confirms that 20% of your transaction will be counted into the total donation.

VALID FOR PICKUP, CURBSIDE & CARRYOUT ONLY.

For orders on blazepizza.com or [Blaze Pizza App](#)

PROMO CODE: 1044A



VALID FOR DINE-IN, PICKUP, CURBSIDE & CARRYOUT ONLY THROUGH THE BLAZE PIZZA APP & WEBSITE. For online orders, only transactions that have the promo code applied during the time and date specified above will be counted toward the donation total. Donation amount excludes proceeds from tax and gift card purchases. Excludes 3rd party delivery or phone orders. Alcoholic beverages excluded. Event proceeds void if flyers are distributed in or near the restaurant.