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Happy Holidays Gator Families!

Hope this newsletter finds you in the holiday spirit! As 2020 comes to a close, here is a some information about resources that help all of our students and an AGC update. We also wanted to make sure that you had information handy for those wanting to make year-end gifts to the AGC!

This school year has presented us with so many challenges and our whole community has risen to the occasion. Our teachers have been innovative, our staff has been steadfast, our school administration has been strategic and phenomenal, our parents have been gracious and our students have grown in resilience. The PSP Board has worked hard to thoughtfully discuss how we can best partner with our community so that we can remain connected during this time.

PSP has worked hard towards better connecting and nurturing our sense of community virtually, even though we do not see each other in person often this year. Our hope is that even while apart, our families would know that they are part of a larger community that is persevering together.

We have worked on several campus community connection projects including increasing our social media presence, the newly released Parent Directory, the new PSP website, and virtual events.

This is not the reality that any of us chose, however our



A new, cleaned up Gabby, ready to take on the year!

families have risen to the occasion and are showing our community is Gator strong!

Happy Holidays, From the PSP Board (Daniela Miranda, Krystl Burleigh, Sabina Khan, Kay Bass, and Reshma Alam)

PSP Highlights This Year:

- Social Media Connection
 Increasing our presence on
 FaceBook and Instagram to better
 connect and inform our campus
 community.
- Parent Directory
 Facilitating opportunity for families to connect directly with other families who have opted into the Directory.
- ♦ PSP Website

Providing a one-stop shop for all things related to PSP activities in our campus community.

- Virtual Events
 Exploring ways to engage school families, support our local community, and raise support for our school.
- Yearbook Capturing our school's story and connecting students to each other.

Don't Forget!

For more connection with Gator Families, don't forget to do the following: **VIRTUAL EVENTS**

Check out our virtual events! Join in on the activities and post pictures sharing your participation. Our next one—Holiday Edition—starts December 18th! Connect here!

PARENT DIRECTORY

Sign up for the Parent Directory! Find friends to set up virtual playdates or to open up communication outside of class. Winter vacation will be a great time to connect! Sign up for the Directory at https://gatewaypsp.org/directory/

Annual Giving Campaign 2020-2021 Updates:

Adapting to this year's needs, PSP plans to prioritize funding to educational platforms and technologies and classroom accounts. These funds allow our students to use subscription services such as Raz Kids and SeeSaw, so that they can engage with their lessons electronically. Classroom accounts allow teachers to submit for reimbursements from items they purchase as educational tools or for the classroom. These funds are available for all classrooms and supplemental educational services.

This year, PSP has increased funding to \$15k for educational platforms and electronic subscriptions, \$250 to classroom accounts (totaling \$14,250), \$2.5k towards athletic league fees, \$2.5k for band musical instruments, and \$3k towards teacher appreciation, as well as some additional items.

As of writing this, the AGC has raised 5% of our goal, which is \$7,101. If you are in a position where you are interested in donating funds to benefit our students, donate at <u>https://go.rallyup.com/gatewayagc-2020</u>. We are planning a special letter in January to highlight our donors. Donate by **December 31, 2020** to be included in this letter.

How to Donate:

PAY ONLINE

Gateway uses RallyUp to collect online contributions. Use the following link to donate: <u>https://go.rallyup.com/gatewayagc-2020</u>. You can find all our RallyUp info at <u>https://</u>GatewayPSP.RallyUp.com

PAY BY CHECK

Fill out an AGC donation form, attach your check and submit in a sealed envelope to the front office staff. The form can be found <u>here</u>.

TEXT TO GIVE

Text 'GIVE2AGC' to 855-202-2100 to get a link to contribute.

CORPORATE MATCHING

Check if your employer will match your charitable donation to Rocklin Academy Gateway.

Thank You!

The Covid19 Pandemic has affected all of us on various levels and presented us with unanticipated challenges. Thank you for continuing to stay engaged, for adapting to all of the challenges that have come our way, and for being supportive of our campus community. Your generosity makes our community stronger. Go Gators!





PSP Virtual Family Fun Nights— Halloween and Camp Out Editions.



Student enjoying Globe Trot Scott Activities.



Questions?

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