

# A Welcome Note from Mrs. Pratt

Hello again families,

We made it to 2017. I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas break and a Happy

This month is packed with lots of exciting activities for GCS. The biggest event of the year is Homecoming and of course, SPIRIT WEEK.

Spirit Week will be January 23-27th. A list of theme days will be going home this week. Please make sure your child participates. The class with the highest participation wins a prize. There will be many activities this week. GUESS WHAT?! LINKS ARE BACK.

We will sell spirit links for 10 cents a link. This year, the link contest with not just be per homeroom, but with Big Buddy / Little Buddy class pairs. For example, Kindergarten AND Sixth grade will combine their sales since they are buddy pairs. The Big Buddy/Little Buddy groups with the most links sold will win a prize.

Please participate and celebrate this New Year! Sincerely ~ Mrs. Mandy Pratt

# star of the Week

Welcome New Students

Jared Miller Scarlett Duncan Rivers Hicks Locke Hicks Makayla Reeves

## **Report Cards:**

Please check Parent Web starting Friday, January 6<sup>th</sup>, at 3:00 PM to see your student's report card! ©

#### **Spirit Week Theme Days:**

Monday ~ Jersey Day (Fave Team) Tuesday ~ Super Hero / Villain Day Wednesday ~ Pajama Day (ES only) Thursday ~ Throwback Thursday (Retro) Friday ~ Spirit Day

# Other Elementary News:

- If you are having trouble ordering lunches via Parent Web, please contact the school office. All lunches need to be order via RenWeb in order for your student to receive a hot lunch. Thank you!
- Lunch ordering via Parent Web will be open each weekend for parents to order student lunches.
- We want to welcome all the new Elementary students who started January 3rd. We are excited to have you join our GCS family.
- Be on the lookout for Spirit Week information coming home in your student's folder this weekend.

## ~ Future Dates to Remember ~

January 6 - Report cards available via Parent RenWeb

January 11 - Dress Down Day

January 16 - NO School / HOLIDAY

January 23-27 - GCS Spirit Week

January 27 - Homecoming

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