



GJE Crane Monthly



Gladys Jung Elementary

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Principal's Thought of the Month

My staff and I are continually working on ways to make Gladys Jung a safe, fun, exciting place to learn at. We have many activities happening at our school both during the day and after school. One new after school opportunity we are going to be starting is a conversational Yupi'k class that will be open to students from all Bethel schools. We are in the beginning stages of designing this but we hope to have the first sessions in early December. If you are interested in learning more, please contact me at 907-543-4440.

GJE Achieves Highest Ranking of all LKSD Schools

The state of Alaska has a new ranking system for determining academic growth and proficiency. It is called the System for School Success and it considers a number of factors. Gladys Jung Elementary achieved the highest overall SSS rating of all LKSD schools this year. Great Job to our students, parents, and staff!

LT. Governor Visiting GJE

This Thursday, November 15th at 2:45, Alaska's Lt. Governor Valerie Nurr'araaluk Davidson will be visiting the students of GJE.

Income Verification Forms

Due to changes at the Federal level, many of our students have lost their free and reduced lunch eligibility and we believe this is an error. About 1/3 of our families were asked to complete income verification forms. We are still attempting to track down a few of these forms.

Monthly Transportation Forms

I want to thank all the parents in Bethel who were so good about transporting students to and from school before the busses arrived. If you have not filled out reimbursement forms for this, they are still available at each Bethel school.

Asbestos Notification: Please see the attached annual asbestos notification for the most recent GJE Asbestos declaration.

November's Activities

Clubs: Every Wednesday from 1:30 to 2:20 PM, our teachers and students do fun enrichment activities. Everything from running a trap line to programming to archery to music class to survival and orienteering with compasses and many other fun things are going on. Parents are always welcome to come join their child's club and see what they are up to.

Parent Teacher Association Creation

Invitations for joining our brand new PTA will be coming out very shortly. If you are interested in joining our PTA, please plan to attend our first meeting. The date has not been set but invitations will be going out sometime this week to all GJE parents.

Wrestling Practice: 3:30 to 5:00 daily

NYO Practice: 3:30 to 5:00 PM daily

Archery Practice: Check with Mr. Johnson

Family Night: November 15th from 5:00 to 6:30 PM

LT. Governor's Visit: Nov. 15th at 2:45 PM

ASB Meeting: November 20th at BRHS at 6PM

Early Early Release Wednesday Nov 21 at 2:00 PM

Thanksgiving: No School Nov. 22nd and 23rd

SOAR: November 28th at 1:30 PM

Robotics Practice:

Arno Tues & Wed 7 AM

Smith: Mon & Thur. 5:00 to 6:15 PM

Jones: Tues & Wed 5:15 to 6:30

