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## GMS NEWS

Official Publication of the Gulf Middle School

Gulf Middle School is currently looking for PTO board members for the 2022-2023 school year.

President\*Vice President\*Secretary\*Treasurer
If you are interested, please email Lori McCarthy at loriamc@leeschools.net with your information.

\*The president of PTO for the 2022-2023 school year will receive a special parking permit\*

Yes! Avoid the parent pick up line!

\*please note that any volunteer position listed above is not a time- consuming position and you will receive support from Gulf Middle School as well as the former president of PTO \*

Be informed, be a leader, and help make GMS a continued success.

MESSAGE FROM MR. MORELAND

### Gulf Middle

#### **GMS Family**,

Well...we are down to 18 days left in the 21-22 school year. It's hard to believe in just 3 weeks we will be saying goodbye to our 8th graders for the final time. I know they are leaving prepared for high school.

As the school year comes to an end continue encouraging your student to come to school each day ready to learn. Teachers are teaching until the last day of school. Behavior is also very important, we know as the year finishes up everyone gets antsy for summer, but during school hours, we need all students on their best behavior.

Also, if interested, there are plenty of summer learning opportunities for your child. Please visit our website and click on the banner entitled Summer Learning Opportunities to explore what is available for your student. Providing your student with summer learning is a great way stave off summer regression.

#### Welcome TO GMS.

- PTO board recruitment
- Message from Mr. Moreland
- Teacher Appreciation Week
- Important Dates
- Staff and Student Recognition
- Dodgeball Tournament

Shout out our Amazing Teachers and Staff!!

May 2nd- May 6th was Teacher Appreciation week and we spent the week showering our teachers and staff with gifts and treats of appreciation. Thank you to our PTO, our PBIS committee, Publix, WaWa, Dunkin' Donuts, and The Mix for donating treats that made the week even better.



## IMPORTANT DATES

May 3-4- FSA Reading Assessment

May 10-11- FSA Math Assessment/Algebra EOC

May 17- FSA Science (8th grade only)/Civics EOC

May 20- PBIS Field Trips- All Grades

May 27- Staff/Student Badminton Tournament

May 30- Memorial Day- NO SCHOOL

May 31-June 2 Early Dismissal Days

June 1- Dodgeball Tournament

June 2- Last Day for students

#### End of Year Fun!!

#### Dodgeball is Back!!

As you can see from the important dates above, there is still quite of bit of activity until the very end of the year. We want students to be able to celebrate all they have accomplished this year, academically and socially. Keep encouraging your student to come to school each day ready to learn and participate in the fun that we have planned as well. We will be having our very first badminton tournament, and Dodge ball is back! So encourage your student to find a partner or team and join in on the fun.



# All we do is win, win, win...

Congratulations to
Mrs. Susan Gower for being
named GMS's 2022 Cape Coral
Chamber of Commerce's
Teacher of the Year!



Congratulations to
Emma Atkinson for being
named GMS's 2022 Cape Coral
Chamber of Commerce's
Student of the Year!

