Message from Dr. Moll 💙💚

Hello, Gator Families!

What an incredible week we had with **Gator Dash!** 🐊🏃 Every day was filled with excitement as our Foundation surprised classrooms with rewards and celebrated our daily trophy winners! It was especially wonderful to see so many of you cheering on our Gators during Thursday's Fun Run!

Thanks to our amazing Addison community, **we raised over $47,000!** These funds will support our STEM Lab, reading initiatives, and campus improvements, including enhancements to our back field where so many of our children love to play!

A HUGE thank-you to everyone who registered their child, donated, shared our fundraiser with friends and family, or came out to cheer! And a special thank-you to our **incredible Foundation volunteers** who worked tirelessly to make this week so memorable. Your dedication makes such a difference for our students and school!

Mrs. Taylor and I can't wait to celebrate with our Gators at **Picnic with the Principals on November 9!** Everyone will enjoy lunch outside with me and Mrs. Taylor, treats, and music!

🏆 **Way to go, Gators! Congratulations to our Top 3 Fundraising Classrooms:**

🥇 4th grade Ms. Carbajal's Class

🥈 2nd grade Mrs. Durham's Class

🥉 4th grade Mrs. Phillip's Class
Get ready to celebrate with Evolution X Bounce Houses and an epic DOUBLE RECESS on Friday, November 20th!

And the fun isn't over yet! **Gator Fest is coming up this Friday, November 6!** 🎡 We hope to see all our Addison families there for another wonderful evening together!

Be sure to check out the rest of this week's newsletter for details about Gator Fest and all the exciting things happening at Addison.

I hope you've had a wonderful weekend! We can't wait to see your children back in the morning!

Dr. Chris Moll
Principal 💙💚

🐊💚💚 Gator Fest is Almost Here, and We Need YOU! 🎉

Get ready, Gator families! **Gator Fest is right around the corner!** Join us on **Friday, November 6th, from 4:00–7:00 PM** for an exciting evening filled with fun, laughter, and wonderful memories with our Addison community! With so many amazing activities, delicious food, and exciting vendors, this is an event you won't want to miss! 🎉

🎟️ **Wristband Pricing: Presale:** $13; **Day of Event:** $15✨ **CLICK HERE to Purchase Your Wristbands!**

Already purchased a wristband? You're all set! No need to purchase another one. Your wristbands will be available for pickup at the event!

🎉 **Activities Included with Admission:** Bounce Houses, Foam Party, Inflatable Slides, Face Painting, and SO much more!

🍿 **Food & Treats Available for Purchase!** Come hungry! We'll have chips, popcorn, drinks, and delicious options from food trucks available for purchase!

🙋💙💚 We Need Volunteers to Make the Magic Happen!

It takes a village to make Gator Fest a success, and **we need YOUR help!** We have volunteer opportunities for **both adults and students**, and every helping hand makes a difference! Whether you can give a little time or a lot, we would LOVE for you to join us in making this an unforgettable evening for our Addison families!

💙 **CLICK HERE to Volunteer – Adults** 💚 **CLICK HERE to Volunteer – Students**

Have questions about Gator Fest? Please reach out to Ginger Johnson, Aly Clift, or gatorfest@addisonpta.org.

🐊 **We cannot wait to see our Gator families there!** Thank you for continuing to support Addison and helping us make these special events possible. **Let's make this the BEST Gator Fest yet!** 💙💚🎉

🥫 Thanks for Giving Food Drive!

Let's show our Gator generosity with two fun days this week!

- 🎃 Monday, November 2 – Costumes for Cans! Wear a costume and bring a can!
- 🧢 Friday, November 6 – Caps for Cans! Wear a hat and donate a can!

We're collecting nonperishable food items through November 13 to support Cobb County families in need. Donation boxes are in the lobby, café, and near ASP.

⚾ The school collecting the most points wins a visit from BLOOPER, the Atlanta Braves mascot! Every can counts! 🐊💙💚

❤️🤍💙 Calling All Veterans! **Please RSVP by Friday, November 6th!**

Join us for our **Veterans Day Breakfast on Wednesday, November 11, from 7:15–7:45 a.m.** in the café.

- **Submit a photo:** Email a picture of your veteran in uniform to Jennifer.Powers@cobbk12.org.

- **RSVP:** Click here to reserve your spot!

Attendance is limited to veterans and their Addison student(s). We look forward to honoring our Addison veterans!

🦃 Thanksgiving Luncheon Schedule and Check-In

We are excited to host Thanksgiving Luncheons. We typically welcome many guests for our Thanksgiving Luncheon, so please arrive early to allow time for check-in. We don't want you to miss any special time with your child! Click here for the lunch schedule. ***There have been changes to Thursday's schedule. Please open the link if your child eats lunch on Thursday to see the new times.***

All guests must check in using our front office computers and present a driver's license. At least one guest must be listed as a contact for the student in ParentVUE.

🎃 In the Community

- MUST Ministries Neighborhood Pantry Click here for more information.

🗓️ Mark Your Calendars

- November 2- PTA | Reflections entries due
- November 2 – Costumes for Cans
- ***November 3- Election Day | Student Holiday***
- November 6- STEM Showcase | Information to come
- November 6- Gator Fest | 4:00-7:00 p.m.
- November 6- Caps for Cans
- November 10- Thanksgiving Luncheon | Pre-K, Kinder & 5th
- November 10- Zones at Home | 9:00-10:00 @ Addison & 6:30-7:30 online
- November 11- Veterans Day Breakfast | 7:15-8:15 am Cafe
- November 11- Thanksgiving Luncheon | 2nd & 3rd
- November 12- Thanksgiving Luncheon | 1st & 4th
- November 17- Coffee and Conversation | 7:30-8:00 a.m.
- November 21-29- Thanksgiving Break