

This month @ Garfield Elementary

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For the Month of September 2018

Upcoming events at Garfield Elementary School:

- **September 27** Author - Jonathan Rand
1st-5th grade Assembly
- **September 28** Student Half Day
11:48am dismissal
- **October 3** Picture Day!
Bring your smiles!
- **October 31** Student Half Day
11:48am dismissal

[View the complete calendar](#)

Hug and Go

The “Hug and Go” program will still be implemented at Garfield Elementary. “Hug and Go” will be implemented starting September 10th. We will have Garfield staff available every morning to ensure that students walk to their correct classroom. Wiggle Walk will last from 8:00-8:15 am in the gymnasium for the 2018-19 school year. All students dropped off between 8:00 am and 8:15 am will come into the gymnasium until the bell rings at 8:15 am.



Social Media

We hope you check us out on social media! We love to show off what the students are working on within their classrooms.

Facebook: PHS - Garfield Elementary School

Twitter: @GarfieldLEADS

Instagram: @garfield_elementary_ph





Attendance Matters

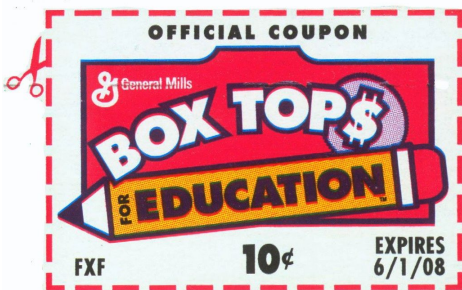
Our school day starts at 8:15am, and the tardy bell rings at 8:25am. Thank you for your partnership ensuring that your student is at school every day and on time. We appreciate you! If your child is going to be late and needs a hot lunch *please be sure to call us (810-984-6509) before 9:00 to let us know.*

Gator MVPs

This year, we will be starting a parent group, called the **Gator MVPs**. **M**arvelous **V**olunteer **P**arents or **P**eople

No cost to join - No required meetings - No huge commitments

We just need your willingness to help when you can, to make the year GATORIFIC for the kids. If you didn't sign up during open house, you may do so by sending an email to gparentg@gmail.com stating that you would be willing to be contacted with possible volunteer opportunities.



Box Tops

Please continue to collect and send in Box Tops throughout the school year! Box Tops gives us 10 cents for each one we send in. These funds benefit all Gator students and are used for special equipment, supplies, assemblies, etc. Your student can give their Box Tops directly to their classroom teacher. Thank you!



Garfield Gators of the Month

We are pleased to announce that each month one student will be chosen from each classroom as the Gator of the Month. Students will be chosen based on their Respectful, Responsible and Ready behaviors that they show daily in school. Students will have the opportunity to show their achievement by displaying a **borrowed** yard sign from the school in their yard and will receive recognition at our monthly assemblies, as well as a coupon for a personal junior pizza provided by Hungry Howies. We love celebrating awesome citizenship and inspiring leaders for life.

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