

Guadalupe Home & School Club



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September 9, 2026

TODAY'S AGENDA

Greeting

Treasurer's Report

Communication's
Report

Volunteer's Report

Teacher's Report

Principal's Report

Committee Reports

Tonight's Agenda is Available
@ [GHSC.NET/AGENDA](https://ghsc.net/agenda)

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GHSC is a non-profit org.
Our sole purpose is to provide enrichment opportunities to all of Guadalupe Elementary students - supplementing the school's core curriculum and making the school experience richer for both students and families.

26/27 Goal:
Building stronger connections and a more connected, supportive school community.

PREVIOUS Mtg MINUTES

Approval – Meeting Minutes
MAY 2026

YOU CAN FIND ALL MEETING MINUTES
<https://ghsc.net/meeting-agenda-minutes/>



GRIZZLY SHOUTOUTS



**Thank you,
Program & Event
Chairs for all your prep
to start the year
strong!**

**Our kids benefit all
year because of you.
We are grateful!**

Treasurer's Report

- Approve 2026-2027 Budget
(See next slide)
- Motion to approval Accountemps to manage GHSC books



(\$ '000s)	26-27 Budget	% of Fundraise	25-26 Actuals	Delta to last year actuals	Whats in here?
Classroom Giving Drive	65	22%	62	3	Your donations - much appreciated
Matching	47	16%	33	14	Your matching - thank you for the extra effort
Walkathon	70	24%	63	7	\$s for steps!
Donations & Sponsorships	6	2%	34	(28)	
Surplus from prior year	28	10%		28	Balance carry forward
Other	5	2%	0	5	
Direct Fund raising Total	221	76%	192	28	
Hospitality	4	1%	0	4	Fall Fling
Indirect-HSC Programs & Events	67	23%	96	(29)	yearbook, bookfair, winterfest, carnival etc
Total indirect HSC	71	24%	96	(25)	
Total fundraise	\$292	100%	\$288	3	
Classroom Giving Drive	65	22%	60	5	All funds directly into classroom
Walkathon	15	5%	9	6	Walkathon expenses
Other	5	2%	0	5	
Indirect-HSC Programs & Events	86	30%	48	38	yearbook, birthdaybook, family dance etc
Student programs	43	15%	116	(73)	Starting arts, ceramics, art vista, intl fair etc
Hospitality	19	7%	12	8	Teacher/volunteer appreciation, Teacher lunch, parent coffees etc
Admin	23	8%	25	(2)	Bank, accounting, subs
Special programs	35	12%	3	32	Recess coach, Principles fund etc
Total expenses	\$291	100%	\$272	19	
Surplus	0		16	(16)	Our buffer

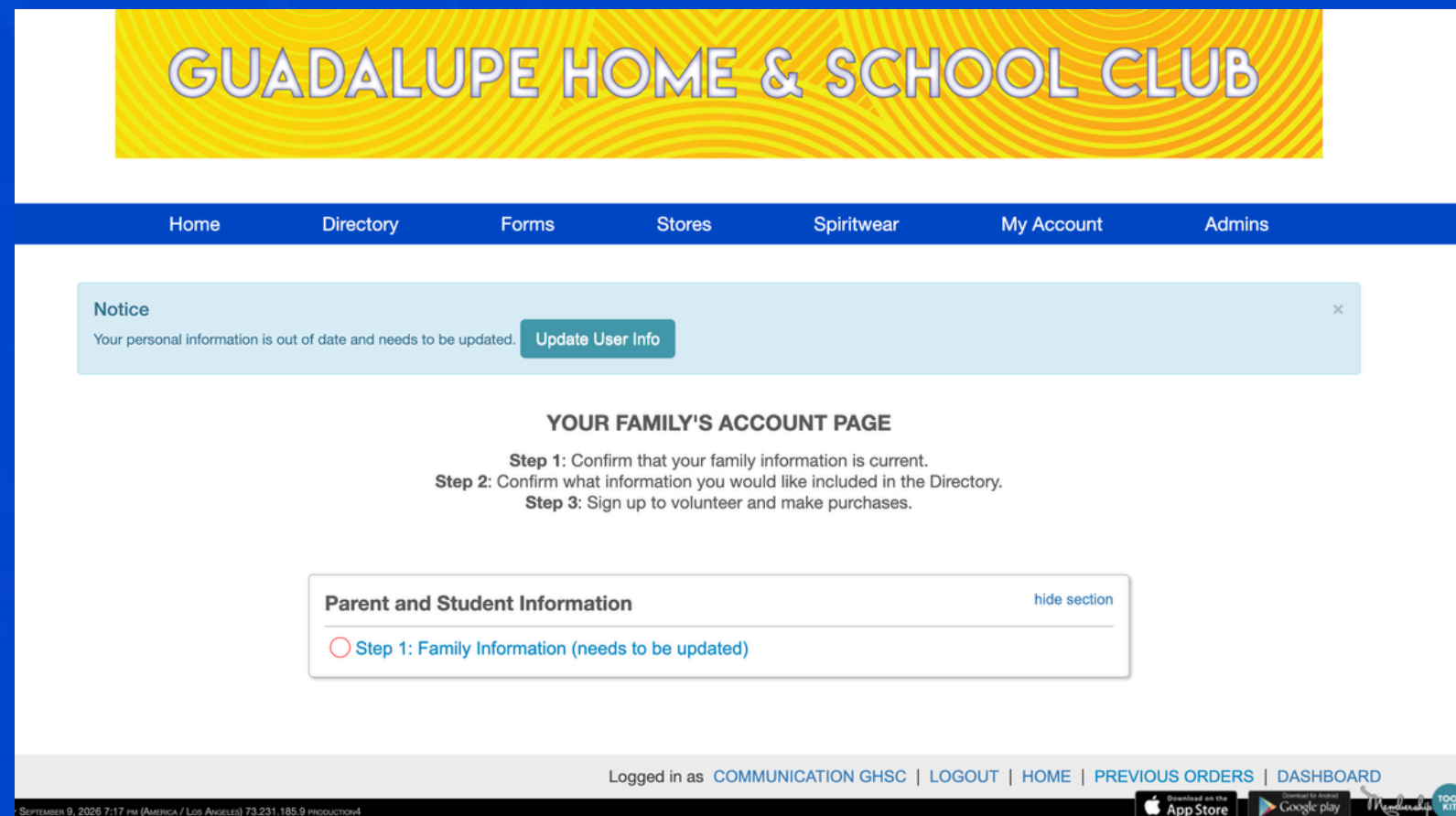
- We have a budget of ~\$300K annually
- Detailed budget available on the GHSC website
- Fundraising all goes directly into school programs
 - ~60% of our budget comes from CGD, matching and walkathon
 - Reminder from HSC programs and sponsorships
- We spend our funds directly on programs that benefit classrooms and the school
 - We have close to no buffer and spend what we raise each year
 - Without YOUR donations, we would not be able to fund these important programs



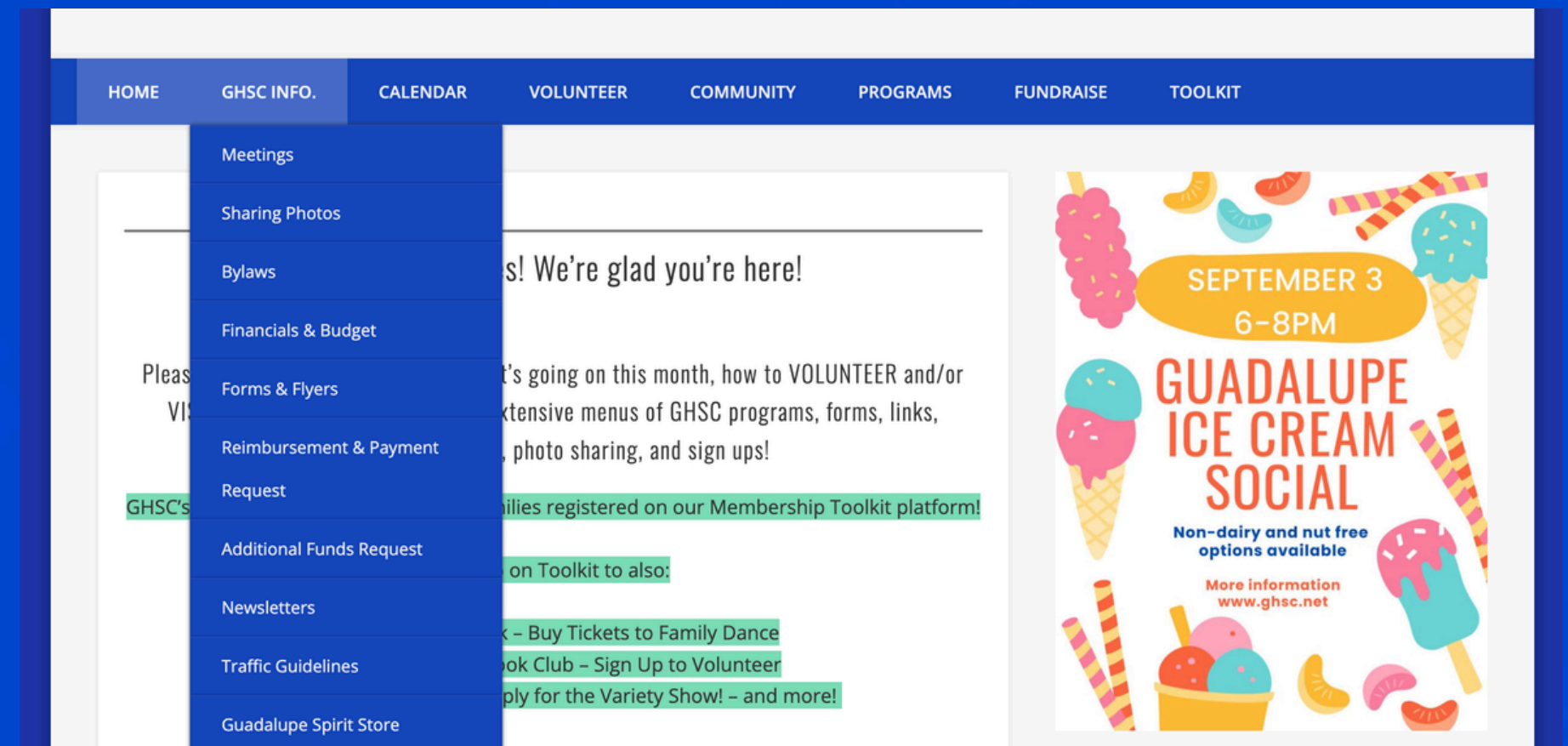
Communication Report

- Newsletter
- GHSC website
- Toolkit
- Photos
 - (Guadalupe Home and School Club)
- Phishing Scam Emails

Toolkit Platform



GHSC.NET



Volunteer Report



- Event Leads Orientation
- Vacant Volunteer Spots
- Room Parent Orientation
- Traffic Update and Needs

Room Parent News



Welcome back!

Room Parent Orientation Meeting

September 17 @ 8:30pm

Meeting on Zoom

Details will be emailed to you!



Traffic updates and Needs

- AM Volunteers needed for **M/W/Th/Fr (7:55 to 8:15AM)**
- PM Volunteers needed for **W/Fr (2:40-2:55PM)**
- trafficsafety.ghsc@gmail.com
- Reminders:
 - Please don't drop off in middle of road (dangerous)
 - Stop on all sides when traffic guard is in crossing
 - Please use the crosswalks.



Thank you, Traffic Team



Not pictured: Sid Phanse /
Martin Prabian



Union District Board Meeting Report

Jennifer Petroff

– Board of Trustees –

Meeting was on August 17, 2026

Meeting updates via email & ParentSquare



[https://www.unionsd.org/about/
board-of-trustees](https://www.unionsd.org/about/board-of-trustees)



Teacher's Report



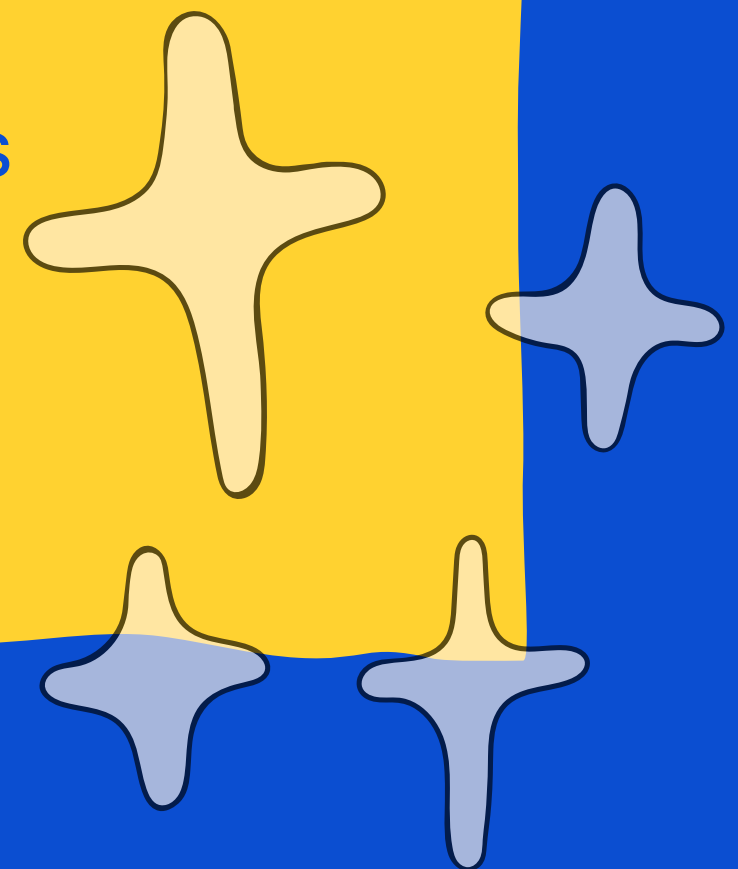
Principal's Report



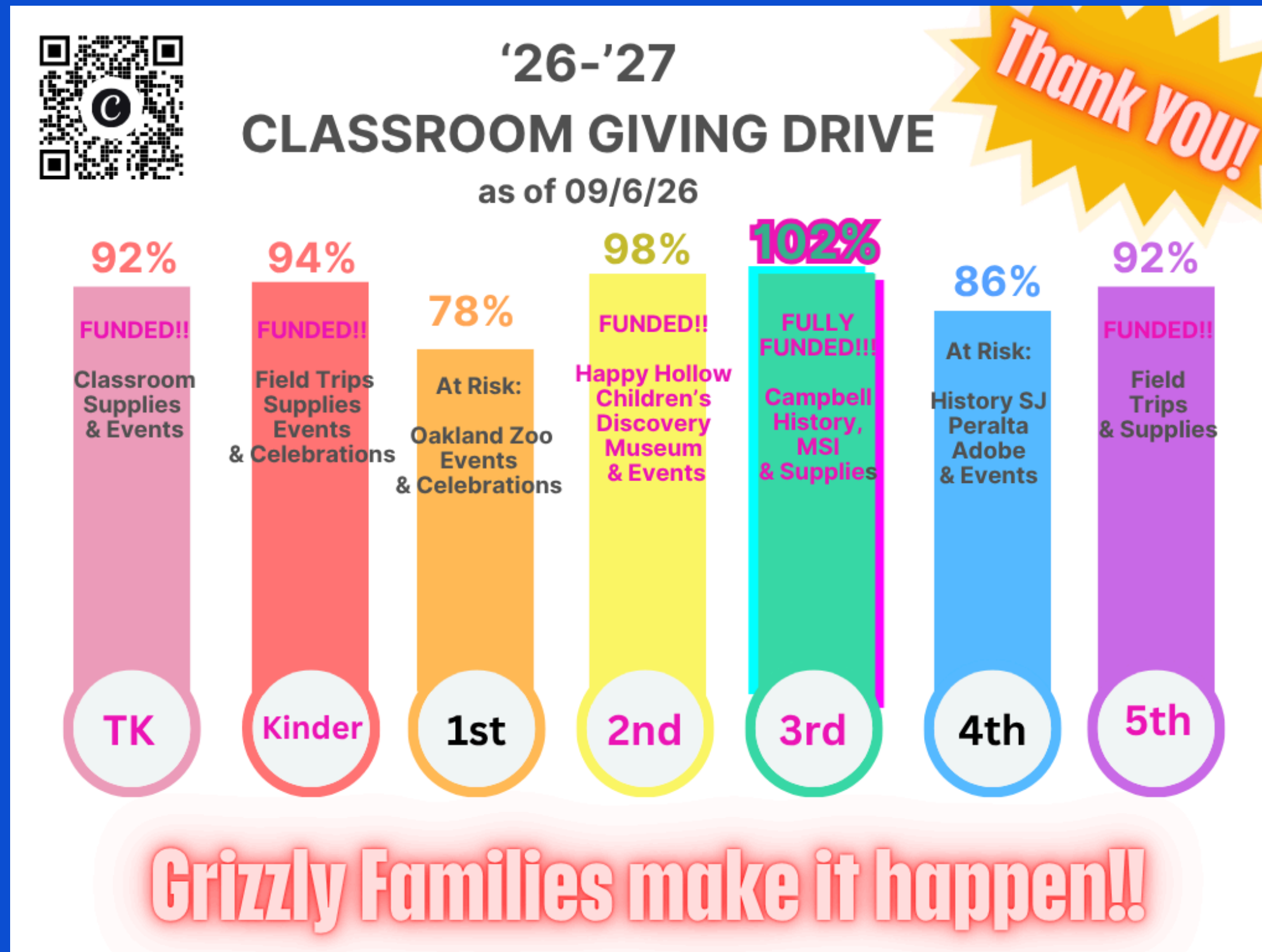
Committee Report



- Fundraising
- New Family Meet & Greet
- Yearbook
- 5th Grade Updates
- Starting Arts – Fall Show Grades 3rd–5th
- Ice Cream Social
- Mileage Club
- Academic Challenges
- Chef’s Night Out
- Fall Family Picnic
- Fall Fling



Classroom Giving Drive & Walkathon



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FUNDRAISER 1 CLASSROOM GIVING DRIVE



Your donation goes
directly to your child's
classroom needs.

CGD
Fundraising
Window



8/1 - 9/4

Field Trips

Expenses for activities on and off campus.

Classroom Fund

Each teacher can purchase classroom supplies.

Grade Level Fund

Expenses for grade-level activities on and off campus.

Classroom Events

Celebrations tied to the end of a curriculum unit.

STEAM Lab Support

Supports STEAM teacher-led classroom programs.

Grade Level Enrichment

Assemblies, Safety Patrol, Mileage Club and more.

Class Celebration Fund

Each classroom has funds for in-class events.



For more info visit:
ghsc.net/givingdrive

GUADALUPE NEEDS YOU!

**GHSC's 2 Major Fundraisers
support ALL Students
in 2 different capacities!**

Every donation makes a difference!

Starting Arts

Programs include dance, music and theater.

Art Vistas

In-class art lessons.

Community Events

Winterfest, Variety Show, Spring Carnival and more.

Kimochi Program

Supports social-emotional learning.

Project Cornerstone

School-wide life skills and literacy program.

Ceramics Program

Each grade creates multiple projects each year.

After-School Enrichment

Spelling Bee, Math Olympiads and more.



For more info visit:
ghsc.net/walkathon

FUNDRAISER 2 WALKATHON FUNDRAISER



Your donation
goes to the
general fund
and benefits
ALL STUDENTS
through programs
& events.

Walkathon
Fundraising
Window



10/1 - 10/23

Classroom Giving Drive & Walkathon

FUNDRAISER: WALKATHON DONATIONS

Your donation
goes to the general fund &
benefits these programs.

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- Art Vistas
In-Class Art Lessons
- Community Events
Winterfest, Variety Show, Spring Carnival & more
- Kimochi Program
Program to Support Social Emotional Learning
- Project Cornerstone
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Walkathon 2026 !!

Fundraising Drive

\$82k GOAL

Goal Per Student: raise \$200
Family & Friends donate

Company Matching often can
fully fund Starting Arts costs!

Walkathon Fundraising

Window:

10/1/26 - 10/23/26

School-Wide Event

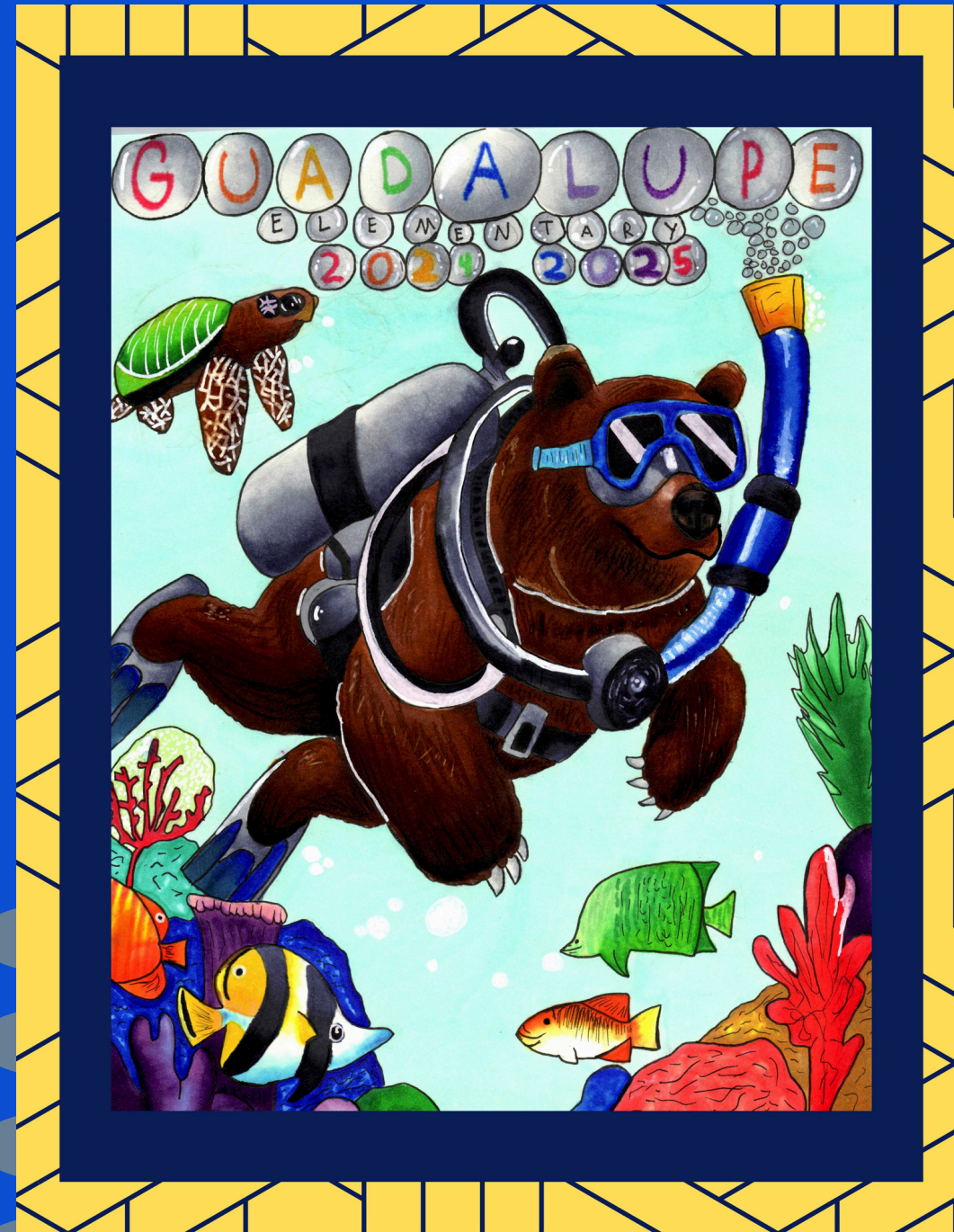
Wednesday 10/22

- Upper Field Celebration
- Fun New Theme!
(revealed at our Kick-Off Assembly)
- Walking, Running, Lawn Activities,
Music, Cold treat,
- Volunteers Needed (day of: lap
markers & activity stations)**
- Spectators Welcome!

Walkathon Info Packets
will be sent home 10/1/26



Yearbook

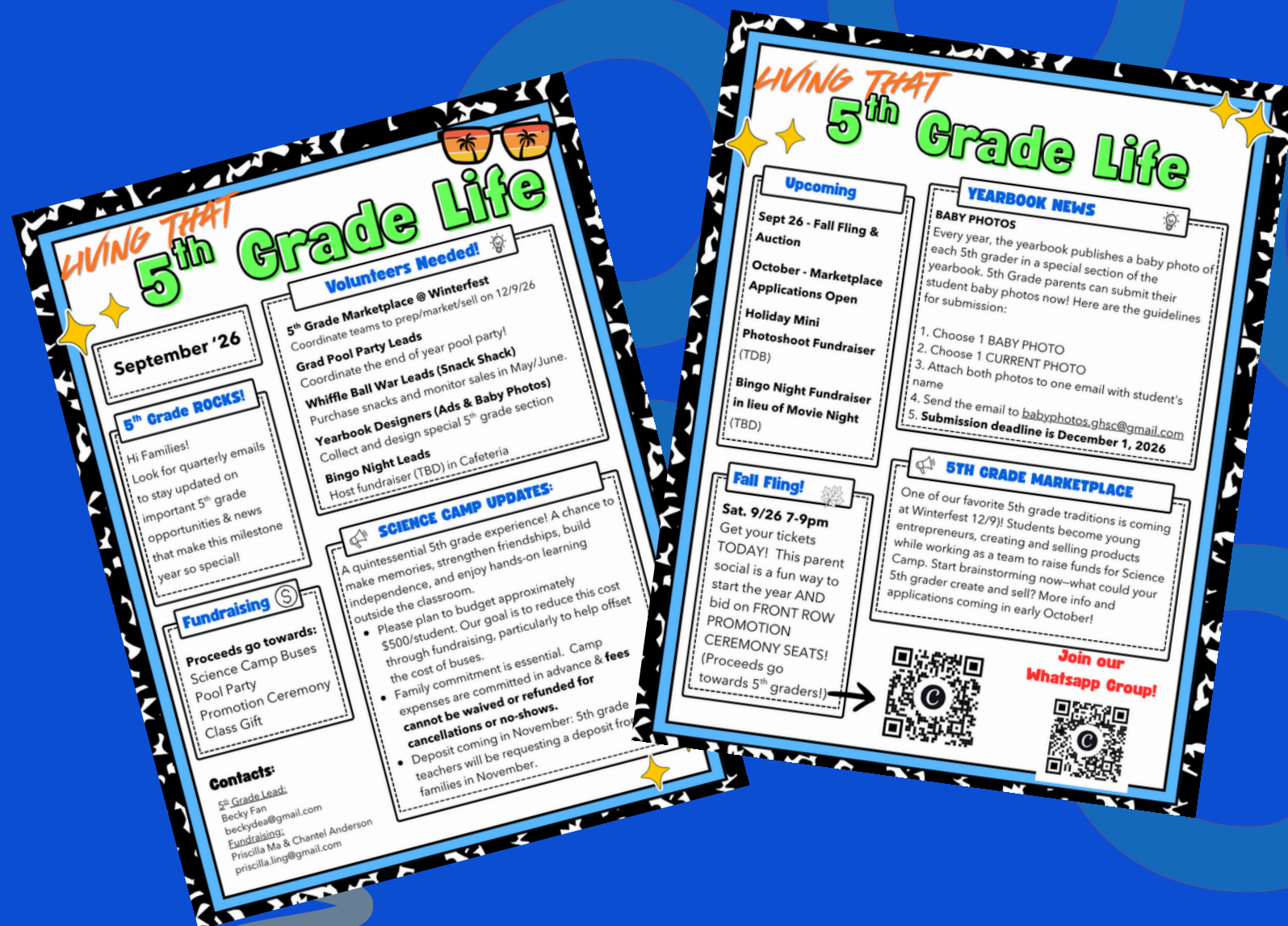


- BUY YOUR YEARBOOK!
(on GHSC Toolkit)
- Take and share photos:
<https://ghsc.net/photos>
- Volunteer to help design the yearbook

5th Grade updates

- Check your emails! Our first Newsletter was sent Tuesday!
- Fundraising
- Special Events
- Science Camp
- Yearbook (baby pics & ads)
- 5th Gr Marketplace

**** In need of Holiday Mini Photoshoot Photographer!**



Starting Arts



- Fall Production
Grades 3-5
- Performance Dates
October 29 & October 30
2 Shows per night
Show times TBD
- Show Tickets
On sale early October

Ice Cream Social



- PLAYGROUND RIBBON CUTTING
- PROGRAM & EVENT BOOTHS
- MEET THE TEAMS
- Academic Challenges, Art Vistas, Book Fair, Spring Carnival, Ceramics, Garden, Hospitality, International Fair, Math Challenge, Olympic Day, Project Cornerstone, Starting Arts, Walkathon, Winterfest

Ice Cream Social...building community



Mileage Club

**REGISTER FOR
MILEAGE CLUB!**

**7:40 AM-8:05 AM
ON THE UPPER TRACK**

(ADULT SUPERVISED!)

visit GHSC.net/milestone/



PURPOSE...

We are a community that supports students eager to explore their academic interests while having fun.

All programs are designed for student enrichment.

The program is fully led by parent volunteers.

Academic Challenge Programs

GUADALUPE ACADEMIC CHALLENGES '26/'27

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Encouraging the power of words through spelling.
Grades 1-5
11/4 - 11/6
Screening to participate begins September



Teaching strategies for out-of-the-box problem solving to develop mathematical creativity.
Grades 4-5
Mon.@
2:45-3:45pm
Begins October



Problem solving using logic, word problem based learning.
Grades 1-5
Fri.@
2:45-3:45pm
Begins October



Uses drawing or modeling to look for patterns to solve math problems.
Grades 2-5
Thurs.@
2:45-3:45pm
Begins October



Buzzer based competition challenging student knowledge in all concentrations of science.
Grades 3-5
Tuesdays.@
2:45-3:45pm
Begins October



Exploring science concepts through project building
Grades K-5
Spring Fair

Registration Period
September 3 - September 18

Registration form at--->
ghsc.net/after-school-enrichment

For More info.
ghsc.net/after-school-enrichment
Our programs are led by parent volunteers. We hope your child will join us for an engaging school year.

Registration Period
September 3 - September 18

Registration Information
is located @
www.ghsc.net

Programs Offered...

Spelling Bee (Grades 1-5)
Math Kangaroo (Grades 1-5)
Math Challenge (Grades 2-5)
Math Olympiad (Grades 4-5)
Science Bee (Grades 2-5)
Science Fair (Grades K - 5)



Chef's Night Out



Wednesday, Sept.
16th All day!

Guadalupe Chef's Night Out @ Panda!

**VIRTUAL COMMUNITY
FUNDRAISERS**



When

Wednesday, September 16, 2026

Place your order for pickup or delivery
on Wednesday, September 16!



Where

**Available at Panda Express
locations nationwide**

www.pandaexpress.com



How

Online orders only

Apply code **9017696** in the Fundraiser
Code box during online checkout at
www.pandaexpress.com or via App

Family Picnic



PLEASE JOIN US FOR
GHSC PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

FALL Fling

TICKETS ON
SALE NOW!

Saturday, September 26

7-9pm

@ Mr. Mojitos Bar & Grill
5925 Almaden
Expressway
San Jose, CA 95120



\$45/tix
\$80/couple
\$35 staff

FOOD | DRINKS | LIVE AUCTION!

TICKETS

→ ghsc.net/parentsocials

Fall Fling

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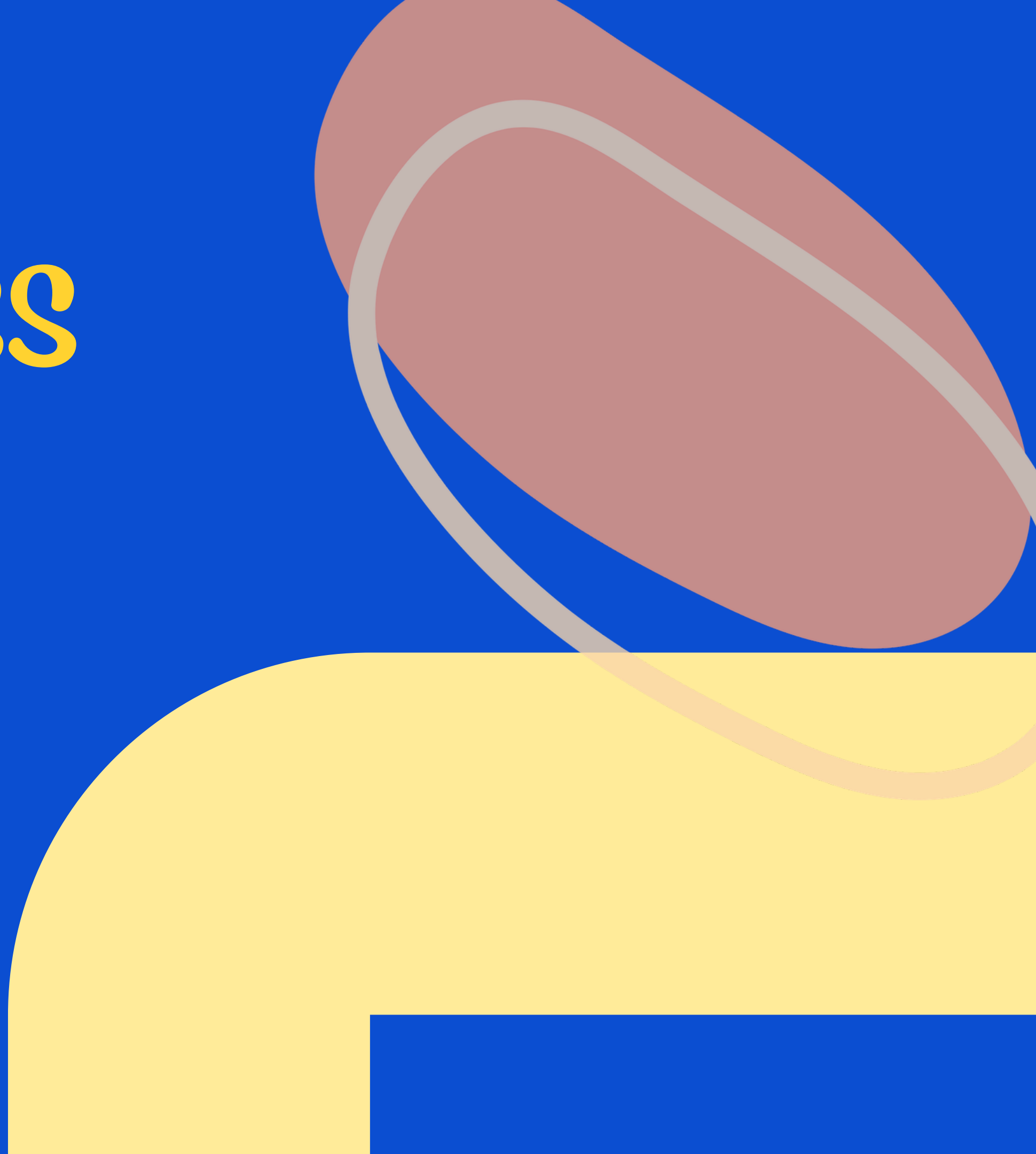
AUCTION ITEMS:

- PRINCIPAL FOR THE DAY (FALL & SPRING!)
- FRONT ROW SEATS TO STARTING ARTS PERFORMANCES!
- SPECIAL ACTIVITY W/ MRS. BAROCIO TBD!

TIME WITH TEACHERS ! (PREVIOUS OFFERINGS BELOW)

- AFTERNOON HIKES
- GOLFLAND
- HOT COCOA/ COOKIES/ CAROLS
- AFTERNOON SLIME PARTY
- SLIME PARTY W/ FRIENDS
- ICE CREAM SUNDAY PARTY
- AMATO'S PIZZA DINNER

New Business



President's RePortS



- **Principal's Coffee**
- **October GHSC Meeting**

GHSC's Monthly



Friday Sept 18th

8:15AM

JOIN US NEXT TO THE FRONT OFFICE!

- Catch up on the latest news
- What's going on in the coming months
- Hang out with the Guad community
- Free coffee and donuts!

See you next month!



GUADALUPE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

GHSC

**ALL MEMBER
BOARD MEETING**



**OCTOBER 7th
8:00 PM**



**ZOOM ID:
83812436766**



**GET THE LATEST
GUAD INFO AT OUR
PARENT MEETING**

All Members of the
Guadalupe Community Are Welcome



Meeting Adjournment



September 9, 2026

