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On behalf of the Gentry High School faculty and staff, I want to extend our appreciation to all who were able to attend parent/teacher conferences on October 29th and 30th. We always enjoy meeting and visiting with the parents of our students and want each of you to feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns that you may have.

Report cards were sent home with the students whose parents were unable to attend the conferences. If your child has a library fine, they should contact Mrs. Hawkins to clear up the matter and pick up their report card. Progress reports for the second quarter will be sent home the week following Thanksgiving with the semester ending on Friday, December 21st, before we leave for Christmas break. Time is passing quickly!

Judy Winslett, Gentry High School Principal

GENTRY HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCES HONOR ROLL FOR THE 1ST QUARTER.

PRINCIPAL'S HONOR ROLL:

9th grade: Brody Rigney, Maryia Storie.

10th grade: Sarah Barnes, Lacy Davis, Carmen Krien, Rachel Tisdale.

11th grade: Kelsey Duncan, Amanda Duncan, Ashley Oliva, Brandi Ward.

12th grade: Katie Bowman, Jory Christensen, Stephanie Gray, Justine Newlun,
Matthew Pierce, Alecia Trentham, Jed White, Merissa Wiand.

PIONEER HONOR ROLL:

9TH GRADE: Kendra Boyd, Cassidy Brown, Justin Bryant, Gunter Dezurik, Brent Dorn, Marcos Gutierrez, Sarah Hogan, Sara Huckleberry, David Isbell, Kayla Jackson, Nicholas Killgore, Jennifer Magana, Courtney Millsap, Austin Millsap, Trevor Monreal, Kristina Palmer, Eathen Ramsey, Jarrod Runyan, Brandon Stricker, Richie Thao, Victor Tao, Jewelry Vang, Steve Vang, Xee Vang, Linay Walker, Brent Williamson, Mee Xiong.

10TH GRADE: Randall Butler, Blake Calkins, Chase Coonrod, Dan Davis, Jacob Davis, Ausha Griffin, Robert Henderson, Dania Herrera, Shealyn Hutcheson, Jessica James, Elisha Patterson, Marly Pierce, Kalia Vang, Robert White.

11TH GRADE: Kaytie Aushman, Chelsea Barker, Jaime Christiansen, Kymberly Christiansen, Christopher Hale, Kristen Hardbarger, Landon Harwell, Hillary Henson, Megan Hodges, Adrienne Lakey, Derek Monreal, Kathryn Nuttle, Matthew Savage, Robert Switzer, Tony Thao, Connor Willett, Anthony Xiong, Brittany James, Heather Reading, Kevin Rushing.

12TH GRADE: MaryBeth Benton, Emily Burrus, Lauren Cook, Hannah Hawkins, Karn Homdee, Breanna James, Caleb Jech, Tou Lee, Sarah Miller, Brittany Patterson, Isaac Ribeiro, Ayla Smartt, Colton Smith, Subrina Smith, Beau Straubing, Doni Switzer, Annie Thao, Dustin Thompson, Trenton Tisdale, Mai Vang, Thomas Vang, Jennifer Vanhook, Danielle Wahl, Jeremy Watanabe, Micaela Wilkerson, Tou Bee Xiong, Tou Shoua Xiong, Sophia McKirch, Aaron West.

The Pioneer Press would like to thank the Gentry United Way for their continuing support.



Multi-Cultural Club

It has been an interesting year for MCC. We have a total of 65 members this year and are already busy planning for the winter formal. Tickets for this "Tree Trimming" event will be on sale shortly. We ask that you buy your tickets early so that we can make decorating arrangements. MCC is currently selling Gentry Pioneer Christmas tree ornaments. They are \$6.00 each. Order forms are available at each campus. As always, we thank you for supporting MCC.

The Jr. class will be hosting a Powder Puff girls football game on Thursday, Nov. 1 @ 1:30. They will be charging \$1 for admission. Everyone is invited to attend!



Booster Club

The Pioneer Athletic Booster Club will hold its monthly meeting on November 6th at 7:00 p.m. in room 112 of the high school.

YEARBOOK NEWS

Retakes and club pictures are November 1st. We will start first thing with retakes and move onto club pictures around 9 a.m.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF SENIORS

On Thursday, Nov. 15th we will have senior parent night. This will be at 6:00 p.m. in the high school library. Mrs. Pipkin, our counselor, will be there to share college and scholarship information. Graduation information will also be shared. If you have any questions please call me at 736-2667.

**Martha Hawkins
Parent Involvement Facilitator**

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November

29 Corn dogs w/mustard/ ketchup pkg. pork-n-beans Fresh fruit	30 Oven BBQ Chicken Corn Roll Gelatin w/ Fruit	31 Beef Shepherds Pie Green Salad Bread Slice Fruit	1 Eggrolls Broccoli/Cheese/ Rice Casserole Applesauce	2 Hamburger on bun Lettuce and Pickle Smiling Potatoes Cookie
5 Chicken Fajita Wrap Refried Beans Seasoned Corn Royal Brownie	6 Grilled Cheese Vegatable Soup Dill Pickle Slices Gelatin w/ Fruit	7 Tuna Salad Sandwich Pretzels Dill Spear and Fruit Whole Wheat Cookie	8 Ground Beef and Macaroni Garden Salad Apple Wedge Roll	9 Hamburger on bun Lettuce and Pickle French Fries Choc Cake w/ icing
12 Hot Dogs on Bun Relish and Mustard Tator Tots w/ Ketchup Pork-n-Beans	13 Ham & Cheese on Wheat Carrot Fruit Yogurt Dill Slice	14 Nautical Fish Shapes Green Beans Cornbread Fruit	15 Spaghetti w/ meat sauce Cheezy Broccoli Gelatin w/ Fruit Garlic Toast	16 Pizza Cali Mixed Veggies Pears Brownie
19 Chili Frito Pie Garden Salad Fruit Cinnamon Roll	20 Turkey Hot Rolls Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Sweet Potato Pie	21 No School	22 No School	23 No School
26 Chicken Noodle Soup Cheese Sandwich Green Peas Fruit	27 Corndog Potato Salad Pork-n-Beans Fruit	28 Shrimp Poppers Macaroni & Cheese Green Beans Fruit	29 Sloppy Joes Carrot Stick Coleslaw Choc Chip Cookie	30 Hamburger on bun Lettuce and Pickle French Fries Frozen Fruit Bar



Happy
Thanksgiving!



NOVEMBER BAND

1st- Group Pictures/Jr. High Football Game

2nd-Huntsville Football Game

6th- Perform at Jr. High Parents Night

BAND CONTEST SCORES

Charleston Marching Invitational

Band-Excellent Rating

Drum Majors- Superior Rating

Percussion-Superior Rating

Color Guard- Superior Rating

Elkins Marching Invitational

Band-Superior Rating

Drum Majors- Superior Rating

Percussion-Superior Rating

Color Guard- Superior Rating



Rewarded Outstanding in our division for the following:

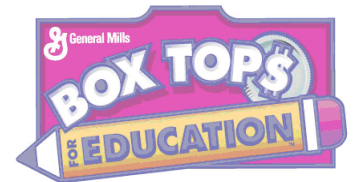
Outstanding Color Guard

Outstanding Woodwinds

Great Job Band----It was another successful year.

Hard work pays off!

The Primary and Intermediate schools are collecting plastic bags. If you would like to help with this please send them to the high school office and we will take them to the schools. Our school receives cash for recycling these bags. Also, please save box tops for education. These are on top of different food products and our school receives .10 for each one collected.



PARENT INFORMATION CONCERNING AR BOOKS

- The students in 9th grade English are required to read and test over 10 AR books this school year.
- The students in 10th grade English are to read and test over 1 AR book every nine weeks.
- The students in 11th grade English are to read and test over 1 AR book per semester and read 1 book each month.
- The students in 12th grade English are to read and test over 1 AR book every nine weeks.

November Basketball Schedule

- 3rd Decatur Jr. G and B 10a.m.
 5th-10th Pioneer tip-Off Classic Jr. & Sr. G and B TBA
 12th @ Decatur Jr. G and B 4:30 p.m.
 13th @ Siloam Springs Benefit Game Sr. G & B 6 p.m.
 16th Lincoln Jr. & Sr. G and B 4 p.m.
 17th Lincoln 7th & JHJV G & B 9:00 a.m.
 19th Huntsville JHJV & Jr. G & B 4 p.m.
 20th Decatur JVG & Sr. G & B 5 p.m.
 26th-Dec. 1st Benton County Tournament Jr. & Sr. G & B 5 p.m.
 Dec. 3rd Huntsville JHJV G & B, Jr. G & B 4 p.m.

Drama/Forensics

The Forensics team has a tournament right around the corner.

Nov.16-17, Russellville hosts the ASCA qualifying tournament. As to date, we have three students qualified for the state tournament in April. They are Jory Christensen, Jessica James, and Ashley Turner. The Drama department will also be performing Pat Cook's, "If the Good Lord's Willing and the Creek Don't Rise" on Nov. 27th at 10:00 a.m. for the middle & high school, and 7:00 p.m. for the public.

Admission is \$1.00 for students and \$3.00 for adults. This is a two act comedy guaranteed for a few good laughs with an important message we all need to take to heart. Thanks for your support!

CHOIR

The Choir department will be hosting the annual Fall Follies talent show on Friday, November 9th, at 1:00 p.m. The talent show will include middle and high school students. Everyone is invited to attend and there will be no charge.

ACT Prep Course Schedule

Date	Time	Subject Area
October 29	4:45-8:00	ACT Pre-Test
November 2		<i>Mailing Deadline for December ACT</i>
November 5	4:45-6:15 / 6:30-8:00	English & Math
November 12	4:45-6:15 / 6:30-8:00	Reading & Science
November 19	4:45-6:15 / 6:30-8:00	English & Math
November 26	4:45-6:15 / 6:30-8:00	Reading & Science
December 3	4:45-8:00	ACT Post-Test
December 8		<i>ACT Test Administered</i>



November



- 1 7th Football v. Huntsville 5:30pm---Jr. Football v. Huntsville 7pm
- 1 Powder Puff Football Game @ 1:30
- 2 Sr. Football @ Huntsville 7pm
- 3 Basketball v. Decatur 7G, 7B, JG, JB 10am
- 5-10 Pioneer Tip-Off Classic
- 9 Fall Follies Talent Show
- 10 All-Region Choir Clinic
- 12 Basketball @ Decatur 7G, 7B, JG, JB 4:30pm
- 13 Basketball @ Siloam Springs 6pm
- 13 Academic Booster Club Meeting @ 3:30pm in Library
- 14 Basketball v. West Fork 7G, 7B 4pm
- 15 Golf/Volleyball Banquet-Cafeteria 6pm
- 16 Basketball v. Lincoln JG, JB, SG, SB 4pm Coronation
- 17 Basketball v. Lincoln 7G, 7B, JVJG, JVJB 9am
- 19 Basketball v. Huntsville JVJG, JVJB, JG, JB 4pm
- 20 Fashion Show 1:00-2:45pm
- 20 Basketball v. Decatur JVSG, SG, SB 5pm
- 21-23 Thanksgiving Break-No School**
- 26-30 Benton County Basketball Tournament**

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