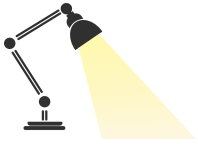




THE MUSTANG POST

February 24, 2023

Teacher Spotlight:



Mrs. Gifty Kessey

Front Desk

Attendance Secretary

Health Room

Born in Ghana, Gifty and her children joined her husband of 13 years who was already in Colorado almost a decade ago. Her two daughters attend Addenbrooke and her son attends D'Evelyn. They have been part of our community for four years.

Gifty attended the Teacher Training College (JOSCO), University of Education Winneba (UEW) and Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST.) She taught for 13 years in Ghana, primarily nature and science, math, and some computer and business classes.

Gifty enjoys hiking and traveling. She has visited India, South Africa, Togo, and before starting a family, moved around "a lot." We very much appreciate the job she does in keeping things humming around here.

PACS Snacks for Teachers

PACS Snacks: Wednesday, March 8th

Sign up to bring snack items in on Monday the 6th by typing the link into your web browser or scanning the QR Code:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090F4BABA23A7F85-march>



Upcoming Events

February 27 High School Spring Sports Try-Outs (Boys Volleyball and Girls Soccer)

March 1 Spring Pictures - Individual and Class (Order Form link in School Messenger)

March 3 Senior Capstone Deadline for Thesis and Outline.

PACS Meeting 8am - Grammar Commons

Sock Hop at Pk-8th Campus 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

March 14 High School Parent/Teacher conferences 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

March 15 Senior Capstone - Rough Draft Due, High School perform 20th Century concert pieces for the K-8 (8:15 a.m.) We will all walk down there.

March 17 - 24 Spring Break

March 31 MCR #4 in English (Seniors are exempt)

April 3 Shorts Return!!

April 6 Senior Capstone - Final Copy Due

April 7 - 10 No School

April 11 Board of Directors Meeting 6-8pm 3rd Floor - HS Building

April 12 SAT Only Juniors attend today from 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Free pizza will be served.

April 13 PSAT 10 Only Sophomores attend from 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Free pizza will be served.

CMAS Science Only Juniors attend from 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Free pizza will be served.

April 14 PSAT 9 Only Freshman attend today from 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Free pizza will be served.

PACS Meeting 8am - Grammar Commons

April 28 High School Social 11:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.

April 24 - May 2 Senior Capstone Presentations (more info to follow)

April 25 All School Field Study to Arvada Center - *Our Town* 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

April 29 Prom 8 - 11pm

Scholarships

Study.com wants to help empower BIPOC students by helping them reach their education goals. To do that, we're offering several [Study.com Student Scholarships](#) for students of color pursuing college degrees. Our scholarships award up to \$2,000 to provide some financial relief for the high cost of college. Our scholarships include:

- [Study.com Scholarship for Latin American Students](#)
- [Study.com Scholarship for Black Students](#)
- [Study.com Scholarship for Indigenous Students](#)
- [Study.com Scholarship for Asian & Pacific Islander Students](#)

These scholarships all have an application deadline of May 1st, so we're trying to get the word out to help as many BIPOC students as possible pursue their college dreams. Will you please help us by posting a link to some or all of them on your [Scholarships](#) page?

Your readers might also be interested in our resource on [College Scholarships for Underrepresented Students](#), which includes additional scholarship resources and tons of information about applying for and managing financial aid.

Thank you for your consideration of our [Study.com Student Scholarships](#) and partnering with us to make education accessible to all students of color.

Best regards,

Jackson | Academic Specialist

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Restaurant Night: Smashburger

Monday, February 27th; 11am-9pm
8100 W Crestline Ave, Littleton, CO
Dine in or pick up for lunch or dinner –
Addenbrooke PACS will receive 20% of
your total bill.



Skate City Night

Tuesday, March 7th, 6-8pm
Come to a private ACA party and skate with
friends and family!
\$7 Admission
\$3 Skate Rental
\$5 Trainer Rental
\$4 Dinner Special (*Hot dog, chips & a
drink OR 2 slices of pizza & a drink*)



It's BACK... You're Invited...

ACA's Family SOCK HOP

Friday, March 3, 2023

Break out your poodle skirts and leather jackets for the 2023 Sock Hop!

Come out for a night of Family Fun including...

4:30-6:00PM

Pinewood Derby Racing

Enter your Family's car or come cheer them on.
Join us for our 1st Pinewood Derby!

MUST purchase your Family's Pinewood Derby Kit on the registration form.

WEIGH-IN DAY: All cars/trucks **MUST** be weigh-in on Friday, 3/3 all day, no later than 4pm. Location: ACA gym
Sorry, no pre-owned derby cars allowed.

Only 75 car kits available! Get'em Now
(Includes: axles, wheels, pre-cut wood vehicle, & directions)

Car kits will be distributed by end of January

On your MARK, get SET, Go...



Specialty Races: ACA Teachers & Staff

PRIZES: 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place for both speed & creativity categories.

6:00-8:00PM

Dancing | Game & Activity booths | Hula hoop contest | Cotton Candy | Photo Booth | Balloon Creations, and so much more...

BEST DRESSED Family Contest with a Big Prize for the **WINNER**

Silent Auction: **OPENS** at 6pm

We are looking for donations for goods or services in the Denver metro area to auction off. If you are willing to donate or would like more info, please check off the box below.

GOAL: \$15,000

(funds will go towards student & staff enrichment)

* **Corporate sponsorships***

email pacs@addenbrooke.org for more info

Food Trucks - Times: 5:00PM-8:00PM

Don't forget to grab some dinner from our nifty food trucks.



Event PRICES: Get them NOW and SAVE

Pre-Sale Wristband & Pinewood Derby Order Form

Attach this order form with cash/check - place in an envelope and return to the Elementary or High School's front desk.

Family Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Sock Hop Activity Wristbands: Number of Family Members attending: _____ (for Wristband purposes)

\$ _____ **NOW** till March 1st - \$5/person or \$20/family (Night of event: \$6/person or \$25/family)

Derby Registration: **Price/kit- \$8:** ___ No ___ Yes

___ Indy Kit ___ Stock Kit ___ Truck Kit ___ Block Kit

Payment: ___ Cash ___ Check (Please make checks out to PACS)

Silent Auction: ___ Yes, I want to donate into the Silent Auction.



ALL order forms received by 3/1 will receive a confirmation email to verify your order submission.

For any questions, please contact Heather Davenport at heatherpacs@addenbrooke.org