

# GERONIMO ROAD CHILDREN'S SCHOOL

5727 Geronimo Road, Fort Sill, Oklahoma 73503

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December 1, 2011

Mikel Shanklin, Principal

Courtney Harter, Counselor

## ALL AMERICAN KIDS

Mrs. Hull	Karol Speina
Mrs. Jennings	Mica Douglas
Mrs. Owens	Andre Williams
Mrs. Pennington	Lily Nimmer
Mrs. Morstorf	Norman Burwick
Mrs. Stoll	Emilee Johnson
Mr. Shoemate	Samual Nimmer
Mrs. Wise	Damien Skarson
Mrs. Abshere	Chasity Lewis
Mrs. Urbach	Matthew Todd
Mrs. Hamilton	Ryan Pyles
Mrs. Ryder	Isaiah Bowie
Mrs. Gibson	Lizzie Kenny
Mrs. Wolverton	Ebony Finehart
Mrs. McCurdy	Dace Cline &

Marissa Rodriguez Reedy  
CONGRATULATIONS!!! TO OUR  
NOVEMBER All American Kids!!!

## CONCERNS AND ISSUES

Parents it is very important that our students go straight home each day before venturing out to visit a friend or to stop by Picerne for cookies and lemonade. We have had several students almost hit by cars because there is not a crossing guard further up the hill by Picerne. Please help us by letting your children know that they must come home first!!! Their safety is very important to all of us!!!

We have also had reports of our students and children going in the construction site also by Picerne. Please visit with your children about the dangers of being in a construction site and ask your children to please come straight home!!

Parents please call the school office if your child's after school arrangements change by 3:15 if at all possible. It is very busy around dismissal time and we want to make sure that all of our children get to the right place safely. Thanks!!!

Thanks so much for your support!!!! The safety of our students is very important to us!!! If you have questions or concerns please contact the school office at 248-7004.

Parents... we are in need of some winter clothing items for student's emergency use. sweatpants really work best because we can get a better fit in sizes 4,5,6,7. We also need socks and gently used or new underwear. Please bring items to the school office. Thanks!!!



Please join us for our annual  
Christmas Program



The Elves' Impersonator  
4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Thursday, December 8, 2011  
10:00 & 2:00

## PTA NEWS!!!

Your PTA would like to thank everyone who came out for Basket Bingo!!! It was so much fun, and the baskets were really great!! We are grateful to all our wonderful teachers for their work in putting the baskets together and to all the students who contributed to them. We also got a lot of support from local businesses who donated some great prizes. Together we raised over a thousand dollars for teacher grants. Super work! PTA wishes everyone a safe and happy holiday and we look forward to fun activities together in 2012!!

## Lost & Found!!!

We have lots of lost coats, sweaters, gloves, hats, pull over sweat shirts, and clothing items that need to be found!! Please have your children look for lost items in the gym!!!!

## SALVATION ARMY FOOD DRIVE

The students at Geronimo Road are collecting food items for the Salvation Army Food Drive. The drive will run from now through December 9<sup>th</sup>. Students in Mrs. Hamilton's class will be taking a count each day as a math project and keeping a total per class and then for the school. We hope that you will encourage your children to participate so that Geronimo Road Elementary can help those families less fortunate. Thanks so much for your support!!!

## ACCELRATED READING

November Goal Setters  
Jade Castillo - Mrs. Abshere  
Jacob Dye - Mrs. Urbach  
Alexander Zaragoza - Mrs. Ryder  
Jasmine Foley - Mrs. Hamilton  
Elizabeth Myers - Mrs. Gibson  
Adam Rice - Mrs. Wolverton  
Danielle Zaragoza - Mrs. McCurdy

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

## FUTURE EVENTS

December 9 <sup>th</sup>	Assembly
December 15 <sup>th</sup>	Class Parties
December 16 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of the Semester
December 19 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Vacation
January 3 <sup>rd</sup>	School Begins Report Cards go Home!

## COUNSELOR'S CORNER

This week I shared the story A Bad Case of Tattle Tongue, written by Julia Cook, with the primary students. Students learned about the appropriate times to tell an adult a warning! They also learned about when they tattle they are using a tattle tongue! Ask your child about being a Danger Ranger and about the Tattle Tongue!! We ask that you please help reinforce appropriate "telling" at home so that all of our students may