

Good morning, Gateway! Today is Wednesday, November 2.

_____ The votes are in! Gateway has selected their favorite two-sentence horror stories. Congratulations to Tori for her story, "A chill breeze escaped the freezing closet as the PE teachers dragged in another child, exhausted to death from fitness days. I know this because I was one of them." Congratulations to Diana with her story, "When I opened the trunk, I found one body. Which is strange because I remember putting two in there." Thank you to everyone who entered their stories!

_____ Calling all Gateway Chefs! We will be cooking this afternoon at 4:00. Check your email for the recipe we will be preparing. Please reach out to Mrs. Weber if you have questions.

_____ The Prodigies for Peace Writing and Art Contest helps students draw connections between the people and events that shaped the civil rights movement and the social issues that influence their lives today. Participation in this contest helps our local community celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Check out the announcement on the Gateway website homepage for more information. The deadline for entries is December 16.

_____ This is Spirit Week. Tomorrow is Crazy Hair Day and Friday is PJ Day. Show your school spirit!

_____ PRIDE Club will not meet this week.

_____ This is a reminder that 8th grade PE Waiver Activity Logs are due on Friday. They can be emailed to Mrs. Olson or turned into the counseling office.

_____ There are no after school clubs nor sports practice this week and no activity buses.

_____ Boys Basketball and Girls Volleyball tryouts start November 7. Complete the required documents on Final Forms and make sure you have a current physical on file by next Friday, November 4. If you've already registered, check your email that begins with your student ID number for next steps.

_____ Softball Team and Cross Country Teams: Please return your uniforms to Mrs. Trachte at the Office as soon as possible.

_____ In fundraising news, we are so close to our goal. You all have raised \$15,916.85 dollars! Nice job. The top three classes today are Mrs. Richards in 3rd place with \$1345, Mrs. Walsh in 2nd place with \$1375 and in first place and winning breakfast from Mr. Bennett is Mrs. Griffin with \$1546!! Special recognition to Mrs. Weaver's class who raised a ton yesterday and is in 4th place with \$1295!! Only three more days to get your money in!

And remember, Gateway, to GUARD your character!