



GARDEN HILLS ELEMENTARY FRIDAY FLYER | February 7, 2019

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CALENDAR

- 2/11:** 4th Grade Chorus Begins
- 2/12:** Parent Tour @ 9:30
Gifted Meeting @ 5:30 in the Auditorium
LOVE GHES (Art Show/Health Faire) @6
Spirit Night @ Moe's from 4-9
- 2/13:** PTA Brown Bag Lunch @ 12
Go Team Meeting @5 in Media Center
- 2/14:** Valentine's Day
- 2/15:** RLS Kindergarten

IB Learner Profile:

Risk-Taker

Staff Birthdays

- Amy Collins (10)
- Melanie Roman (10)
- Angela Kennebrew (11)
- Katie Carlson (12)
- Luciann Barry (24)
- Kyla Harris (26)

ATTENDANCE

96.8%

PK & K: 96.9%

3rd: 96.7%

1st: 95.9%

4th: 97.5%☺

2nd: 96.8%

5th: 97.1%☺

The state benchmarks daily attendance at 97%. The attendance rate counts towards our College and Career Readiness Performance Indicator (CCRPI) rating. Please make attendance a priority! School starts promptly at 8:00 am.

Uniform Reminders

Just as a reminder our students at Garden Hills are encouraged to wear a school uniform daily. The uniform is a solid color polo style shirt with solid color pants in khaki, navy, or black. For more information about the uniform see our school website <http://www.gardenhillselementary.org/about-us/dress-code/> Every Friday, we celebrate our school spirit with a GHES T-shirt and jeans.

Special Thanks...

To our PTA for hosting and organizing a fun family movie night last Friday. The popcorn was delicious and don't forget you can always ask questions about the characters, setting, and plot of a movie to make learning continue outside of school.

LOVE Garden Hills

LOVE Garden Hills is this Tuesday! Come out for a great night of exploring art, health, and literacy. The event is an open format where you and your family choose what activities to participate in! Light snacks and cookies will be served, but plan on supporting our school at Moe's (info below). **See you at LOVE GHES February 12th from 6 to 8!** For more questions email Dr. Erickson (sarah.erickson@atlanta.k12.ga.us) or Coach Johnson (tnjohnson@atlanta.k12.ga.us)

February Spirit Night

February Spirit Night will be at Moe's Southwest Grill (2915 Peachtree Rd) on February 12th, 4-9pm. Moe's has graciously agreed to extend the Spirit Night hours don't forget to drop your receipt in the bucket, so we can add up those dollars for our school!

Flashlight Fun Run

Register to be apart of the Flashlight Fun Run held on February 24, 2019 at 6pm in Garden Hills Park (335 Pine Tree Drive, Atlanta, GA 30305). Join us for the family-friendly fun run benefiting Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. Kids of all ages are encouraged to run the almost 1-mile course (.7) at dusk. Adults, dogs and strollers are welcome. After the run, join the pizza celebration donated by Blue Moon Pizza in the Garden Hills Recreation Center. The event is organized through adult and children volunteers for more info and pricing visit <http://www.choa.org/flashlightfunrun>

Read, Lead, Succeed

Every Friday from 7:30am-7:55am in the Library the PTA is leading an initiative to promote reading for our students called Read, Lead, Succeed (RLS). Parents choose a book, find a place in the library, and read to small groups of students. Students come and enjoy a story in the morning before school begins on your assigned Friday. Sign up here <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0d45a8aa28abfc1-garden1>

Calling All Rising Sutton Sixth Grade Cougars!

Are you getting excited to join Sutton Middle school, we have an event to help ornate you to the school. Join us this summer to learn about Google Classroom, schedules, and organization. We also cover dress code, how to open lockers, and tour the school...get all your questions answered! PLUS, you'll get to meet some of our fabulous teachers. For more information visit: https://gallery.mailchimp.com/28a5aa012aa129eae2ba3362e/files/b4286b3e-f83b-475f-9292-0209ee0c3bd0/Cougar_Premier_Flyer_2019.pdf

Our Mission

Garden Hills Elementary School will develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who are well-informed and respectful to others.

Our Vision

To be leading provider of the Primary Years Programme, preparing students for the intellectual challenges of further education, focusing on the development of the whole child as an inquirer, both in the classroom and in the world outside.

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