

Winn Holt News

Parent and Community Newsletter

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November 17, 2023

Message from Ms. Glausier, our Principal

Dear Winn Holt Community,

I wanted to send one more message to you all this week before we head into our Thanksgiving Break. There is no school next week, but we will be excited to welcome the students back on Monday, November 27. Then we will have three short weeks before we are off for Winter Break from Monday, December 18 through Wednesday, January 3. We start our second semester on Thursday, January 4th, 2024! Wow! How has this first semester time gone so quickly?



I wanted to send a special shout out of recognition to one of our amazing ESOL/Multilingual Learner teachers, Mrs. Richelle Wildman. After 37+ years in education, Mrs. Wildman, one of our charter staff here at Winn Holt, will be retiring on Thursday, November 30. We are so happy for her but will miss seeing her every day! Please have your child say thank you or make her a card to tell her Happy Retirement before Thursday after break!

Thank you to all of our families who were able to join us this week for our traditional Thanksgiving Feasts! We had record numbers attending and we loved this time with you all!

Lost and Found: Is your child missing a coat, jacket, sweatshirt, hoodie or other article of clothing that you paid good money for? Please have them check the lost and found for any items that you know they have lost at school. As the temperatures drop, we know that they will need these items

to keep warm on the way to school and here during recess. Also, we have several pairs of children's glasses that have been found in the building. If you recognize one of them as being your child's, please have them come see Ms. Bailey in the front lobby. You may also call Ms. Bailey to ask her to get them to your child! Please see picture of the found glasses!

Please be on the lookout for PTA events coming up! I met with our PTA Executive Board recently and they have so many exciting things planned. They also need your help to support these events. Please email Akeia Klay at winnholtppta23@gmail.com if you want to help with one or more events.

Save the Date! Winn Holt is having its 20th year anniversary celebration on Tuesday, March 19, 2024 starting at 6:00pm. We hope you'll join us for the celebration and walk down memory lane of the highlights of our school's history!

I am thankful this week and always for each of our Winn Holt families!
I hope you all have a wonderful week and Happy Thanksgiving!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Lisa Glausier, Principal
lisa.glausier@gcpsk12.org

Want to see pictures of all the fun? Click here!

Thank you for attending the ESOL workshops this week!

Thank you to everyone who attend the very informative ESOL(English program for those who speak another language)workshop. As you know we raffled three laundry items baskets during the ESOL workshop and here are the winners:

- Daisy Cabrera
- Astrid Chavez
- Stefany Jaime

Click here to join PTA



PTA Holiday Shop

Students will be visiting the PTA Holiday Shop with their classes on Dec. 4-9. This is an opportunity for the students to purchase gifts for loved ones for the upcoming holiday season.



Event Information

Winter Spectacular: A Pirate Christmas

Join the Chorus and Drama Club as they present this year's:

Winter Spectacular: A Pirate Christmas!

There will be festive songs and performances to get you in the holiday mood!

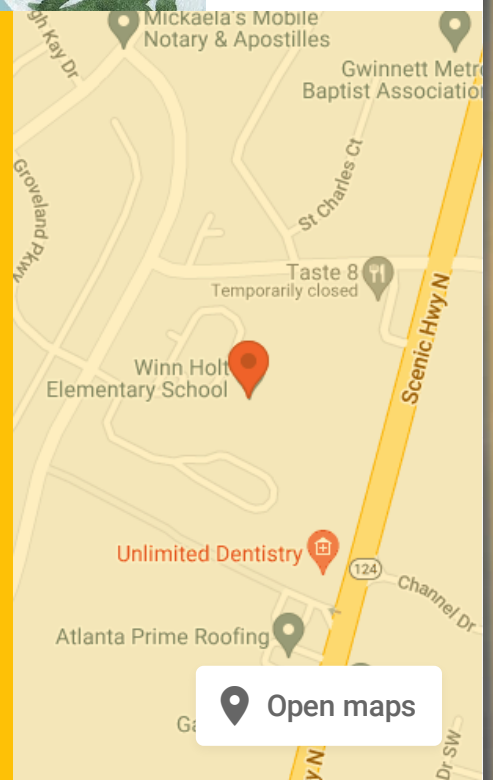
There will be a brief PTA meeting just before the performance.

When?

Thursday, Dec 7, 2023, 05:45 PM

Where?

588 Old Snellville Highway, Lawrenceville, GA, USA



Make-Up Picture Day

Tuesday, December 5, 2023



Forgot it was picture day?
Not Smiling? Had a rough day?
Eyes closed? Not Happy?
Register using this QR code and
come have your pictures re-taken.
Must register by 12 noon the day
prior to picture day.



Did you miss picture day?
No need to register, just
show up on make-up day
and have you on the
schedule.

Event Information

Make-Up Picture Day

Forgot it was picture day? Eyes closed? Not smiling? Not happy with your picture?

Register using this [link](#) and come have your pictures re-taken.

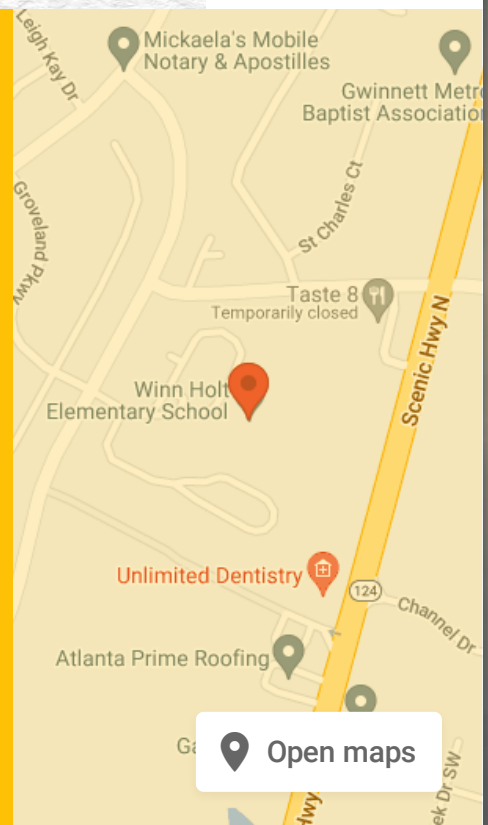
Must register by 12 noon the day prior to picture day.

If you were absent, no need to pre-register, just show up!
When?

Tuesday, Dec 5, 2023, 07:30 AM

Where?

588 Old Snellville Highway, Lawrenceville, GA, USA



Día de Fotos con Maquillaje

Martes, 5 de diciembre, 2023



¿Olvidaste que era el día de la foto?

¿No sonríes? ¿Tuviste un día difícil?

¿Ojos cerrados? ¿No feliz?

Regístrate usando este código QR
y ven a que te vuelvan a tomar fotos.

Debe registrarse antes de las 12 del
mediodía del día anterior al día
de la fotografía.



¿Te perdiste el día de la foto?
No es necesario registrarse,
simplemente preséntate el
día de recuperación y tenlo
en el horario.

ALL PRO DAD CHAPTERS

Event Information

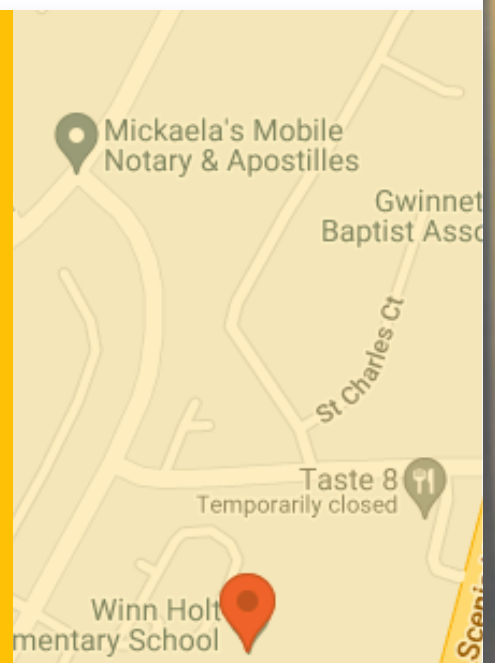
All Pro Dad Meeting

Hi, parents! Our next All Pro Dad meeting is coming soon,
Wednesday November, 29th 2023 11/29/2023 at 7:00AM.

Join us for this month's topic: **Creativity**. We will spend intentional time encouraging our kids with fun activities and character-strengthening conversations! We would love to see you and your kids there!

Chik Fil A Biscuits will be on sale for \$4.00. Proceeds from biscuit sales go to our All Pro Dad Winn Holt Chapter.

Also we are in need of **Donations** and **Assistance** as our APD Chapter begins to grow. Please contact the team



captain if you are interested in joining the APD Winn Holt Team.

Please RSVP here.

<https://allprodadchapters.com/chapters/14203>

For more information or questions, contact our team

captain, Ronald Ulceus, at this email:

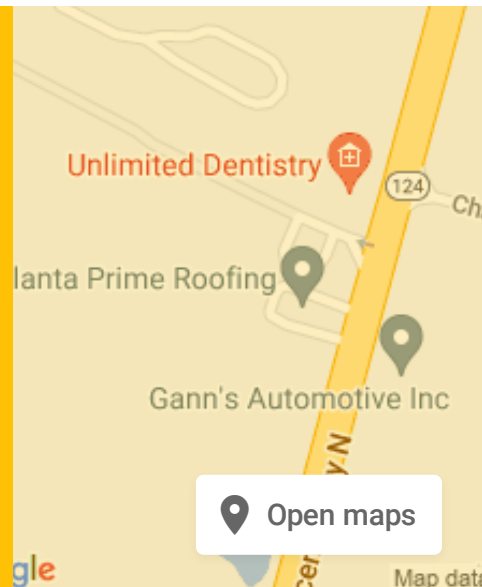
RonaldUlceus@gmail.com .

When?

Wednesday, Nov 29, 2023, 07:00 AM

Where?

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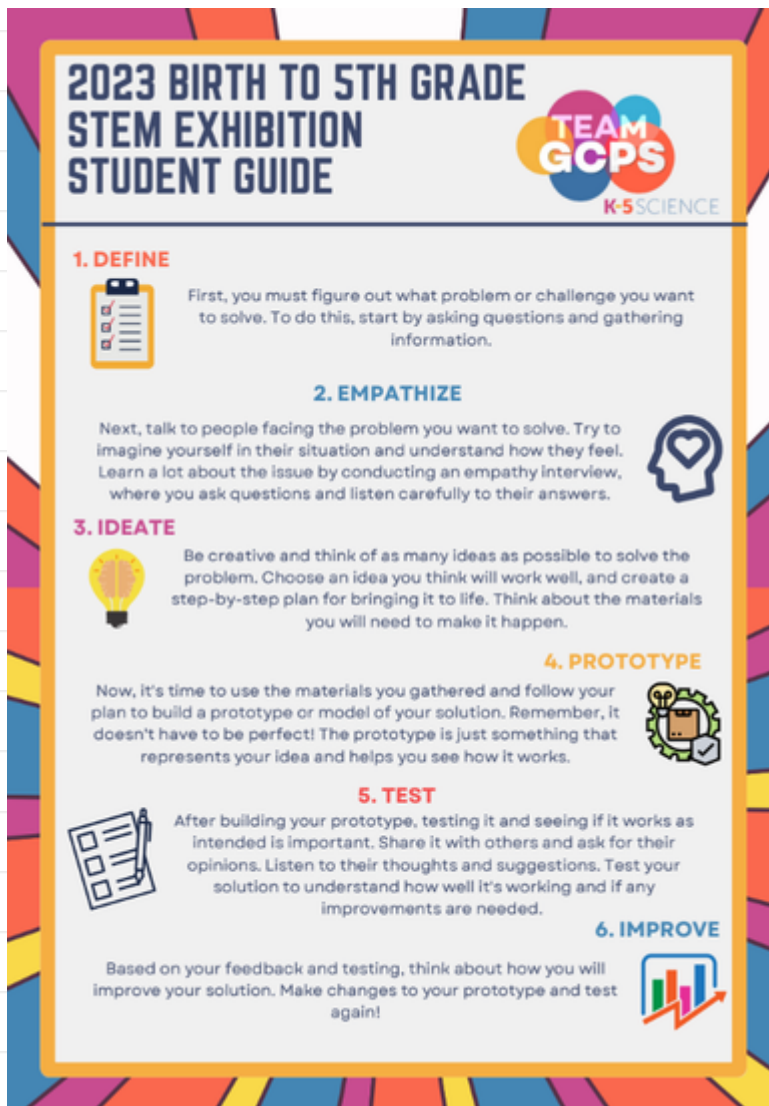
Ready By 5 Program

Ready by Five is a free, nine-week program for families with children birth-age 5 that takes place on Saturday mornings from 1/27-3/23. The Ready by Five program will be held at Ferguson Elementary each Saturday morning from 9:00-11:00 a.m. The program will include read alouds, music and movement, play-based activities, creative expression (art), and special guests from Gwinnett County parks, libraries, and more. There will also be giveaways for families at each session.



Click here to enroll in the FREE program! <https://www.iceducates.org/m/67783/p/1156584>

Ms. Berg's Science Fair video



Science Fair

Science Fair is BACK!!

We are asking students to work on a Science Fair project at home and turn it into Ms. Berg at Winn Holt by **January 9, 2024**. Each student who turns in a scorable project will be entered into a raffle to win prizes like lunch with Ms. Berg or prizes from a grab bag! The class with the most projects will also win a prize.

[Watch this video to find out what you have to do if you're interested in working with your child to complete a Science Fair project.](#)

Here's how we will be supporting you:

- Support meetings (once a month starting in October) during the school day for students who are working on projects at home.
- Virtual support meetings (once a month starting in October) in the evening for parents who are supporting students at home.

Dec. 12th 5:00-5:30

Reach Ms. Yen Berg by email or through Parent Square anytime for any questions

All projects are due by January 9, 2024. We can't wait to see what our Champion Scientists are able to design!

At-Home Learning and Support Activities

Upcoming Dates

(Check out the calendar on Parent Square for all events)

Nov. 20-24- Thanksgiving Break

Nov. 29- All Pro Dad meeting

Dec. 4-8- PTA Holiday Shop

Dec. 5- Picture Make-up Day

Dec. 5 (2:45-5:30 pm)- Chorus Dress Rehearsal

Dec. 7- Winter Spectacular & PTA Meeting



Download the form below to have your child's name displayed on the digital sign out front on his/her birthday

Birthday on digital sign.pdf

[Download](#)

Ride Gwinnett's Newest Ride



Gwinnett Microtransit

Ride Gwinnett microtransit is an on-demand shared-ride service that you can order from your phone. All microtransit trips cost \$3 per trip and must begin and end within the microtransit zone. It's a convenient, flexible, and affordable way to get to more places.

How does it work?

1. **Request your ride:** Use the Ride Gwinnett app.
2. **Go to your pick-up location:** Your ride will arrive to you. Some locations like shopping plazas will have designated pick-up locations in the app.
3. **Hop on board:** Step into one of Ride Gwinnett's small shuttles or vans.
4. **Pay your fare:** Link your credit or debit card in the Ride Gwinnett app or use exact change.
5. **Arrive to your destination:** Go anywhere within the [Snellville zone](#) and [Lawrenceville zone](#).

Book your first trip!

Download the Ride Gwinnett app and get half-off your first trip with code **500FF**

Your ride doesn't have to stop there.

Ride Gwinnett microtransit also connects to our local fixed routes 40, 45, and 70 so you can travel beyond the microtransit zones.

Visit

<https://www.gwinnettcountry.com/web/gwinnett/departments/transportation/gwinnettcountrytransit/microtransit> for more information!

Teaching about GRATITUDE at home

Play 2 Learn



Play 2 Learn program

Want to LEARN how to be your child's first and best teacher through PLAY?

Winn Holt Elementary will be offering a **BIRTH** to **FIVE** program for you and your child that encourages **PLAYING, LEARNING, and GROWING** together. This program is FREE and available to all families in the Winn Holt district.

- Learn how to find the teachable moment in everyday activities
- Learn how to engage with your child in play
- Learn how to continue learning at home or anywhere
- Learn how to get your child READY FOR SCHOOL!

For the 2023-2024 school year, the Play 2 Learn classes will take place on Thursdays from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 12:30 PM or 2:00 PM in the Play 2 Learn classroom with [Ms. Kempner](#).

Little Learners Academy sessions will start on Friday, August 25 at 10:00 AM. These sessions will take place on the last Friday of each month. These are short Play 2 Learn sessions so parents can determine if they are interested in the program.

Read more about our Play 2 Learn program [here](#).

Free & Reduced Meal Application



Click [HERE](#) to create a My Payments Plus account

1:1 Support

Visit the county sites for support for your child's school issued Chromebook.

[Parent 1:1 site](#)

[Student 1:1 site](#)



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