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### **Gretna School Mission Statement**

*We, the parents/guardians, students and staff of Gretna School work together to create a positive and safe environment which fosters academic, social and extracurricular achievement.*

### **Dates to Remember:**

Nov 8 - GES Remembrance Day Ceremony  
Nov 11 - No School: Remembrance Day  
Nov 15 - No School: Pd Day  
Nov 19 - Picture Retake Day  
Nov 22- Half Day PD - No school in the afternoon  
Nov 28 - Parent Teacher Conferences (after school)  
Nov 29 - No School: Parent Teacher Conferences

### **Picture Retake Day**

Picture Retake day will be held at Gretna Elementary School on Tuesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>.

If you were not satisfied with your child's pictures that were taken on October 10<sup>th</sup>, and would like your child's picture to be redone, please check off the **Retake Request Box** that is on the picture order form. The proof package can then be brought back to school before or on Retake Day. This will help us know that retakes are needed.

A new proof package will then be sent home. Please call the school with any questions.

### **Junior High Volleyball Schedule:**

Oct 31 - GES at Prairie Dale School  
Nov 12 - GES Girls at Altona  
          - GES Boys host at Gretna  
Nov 19 - GES hosts  
Nov 26 - GES Girls at Plum Coulee and  
          - GES Boys at Border Valley  
Nov 30 - Final Tournament (more info to follow)

### **Recess Breaks**

As the weather is turning colder, we want to remind parents that students will continue to spend recess breaks outdoors. Please make sure your children are dressed to play outside!



### **Breakfast Club News**

Gretna School would like to thank Access Credit Union for their donation of \$888.00 to the Gretna School Breakfast Club. The Access staff raised money through their Jeans for Charity fundraiser where staff pay \$3.00 to wear jeans on Fridays. Access matched whatever was raised by their branches and it is donated back to community organizations. Thank you Access Credit Union. We are very grateful for your donation.

### **Billets for Town and Country Students**

A billet is the home where your child would go to if either an end of day bus cancellation was called, or if you as a town parent were unable to be home for your child at the end of the school day. If you have not already done so, please contact the school with your child's billet information as soon as possible. Parents are asked to discuss this information with their child so that our students know who their billet is.

### **Gretna School Parent Council**

Our school's Parent Council will be meeting on Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the school staff room. Everyone is invited to attend so please feel free to drop in! 😊

### **Gretna Elementary School Facebook Page**

Please remember to check out our new school Facebook Page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/gretnaelementaryschool/>

Check back often as we keep adding to the site!