

Gibbsboro Home and School Association

November 13, 2025

- I. Sign attendance/Ice Cream Sheet
- II. Call to order
- III. Review of Minutes (Oct 2025)
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Treasurer's Report
 - a. General Account- \$8,560.58
 - b. Bingo Account- \$9,237.00
 - c. Santucci's Dine & Donate - \$150
 - d. First Place Spirit Wear - \$64.57
 - e. Trunk or Treat - \$99.55 profit
- VI. Chat with Administration
 - a. Please email any additional questions you may have to
jcordery@gibbsboroschool.org; ksommers@gibbsboroschool.org
- VII. Funding Requests
 - a. \$700 for Teacher & Staff Holiday luncheon (Elementary and Pre-K)
 - b. \$350 for secretaries & maintenance staff holiday gifts
 - c. \$300 for Character Education Award nominee bags
- VIII. Membership Drive - Ended October 31st
 - a. 78 total Members
 - i. 54 parents/guardians
 - ii. 24 Staff
 - iii. \$820.33 total
- IX. HSA Student of the Month/Character Education Award- established Sept 2021
 - a. Expanded the program - 2 Winners from K-2, 3-5, &6-8
 - b. Different Characteristic Each Month
 - c. November is Integrity
 - d. Nominated by Teachers and Staff
 - e. Anonymously chosen by the HSA Board Members based on nomination
 - f. All nominated students receive a letter and a small prize pack
 - g. Selected students receive a school supply bundle, Sprinklz giftcard & certificate

September - Service

Grades K-2	Grades 3-5	Grades 6-8
Isabella Ramos-Hawkins: Izzy showed she was a person who serves others before we even discussed the meaning of this trait as a class. She sees that something needs to be done and she does it without being asked. Izzy is aware of her surroundings and helps to make them better. One example of a simple act of service is when she saw that I had scrap paper from cutting all over our floor. When I went back to clean it up, Izzy was picking up the final piece. I never announced that I needed help, yet she noticed the need and did it.	Ryan Nicol: She is a great example of service, in helping a fellow classmate participate in recess activities (wall ball). When she gets the ball, she often walks it over to a specific student so that they are able to participate. When he throws the ball, she applauds him. I feel there are not many acts of service greater than inclusion.	Cara Russell: Cara is always willing to lend a helping hand. If she has a classmate that needs help carrying supplies from class to class, Cara is right there for them. She also offers her assistance with many things around the classroom. I hope Cara knows that her willingness to help others doesn't go unnoticed!
Elijah Hovell: Elijah is always looking for ways to be of service in the classroom. He takes pride in being a teacher's helper. Elijah is often trying to help when he has not even been asked! Elijah tries his best to help his friends and his teachers as much as he can. When Elijah might be having a hard day, letting him know he can be a helper often helps turn his mood around. Thank you for being the helper you are Elijah!	Phoenix D: He recognizes the needs of students around him. He is diligent in completing his work, and offers to assist classmates who need help. Specifically, a student who struggles with handwriting and spelling, Phoenix offered to write on the worksheet and the student would determine what should be written. It helps the student get done in time, and I hope that Phoenix feels good about helping his peers.	Jacob Schmidt: Jacob helped another student who had dropped everything out of her pencil case.

October - Respect

Grades K-2	Grades 3-5	Grades 6-8
Zoey Coulter: Zoey demonstrated respect for another student by helping a classmate at recess organize his backpack so all of his items could fit inside. She demonstrated this act of kindness without anyone noticing. This student always shows respect to her teachers and the students around her. She always offers to help her teachers and peers as well.	Alexander Radie: Alex shows respect throughout the day at Gibby. He is always helping another student when they need it--without judgement. His ability to show kindness and respect to his teachers, friends, and peers is a strength that will serve him well as he continues throughout this school and beyond.	Kadija Bah: Kadija is always polite and respectful. She has wonderful manners. She is the first person to greet me with a good morning, and she leaves each day saying, "Have a great night!" She also treats her classmates and the classroom with respect.

Owen Crowley: Owen always treats his peers, teachers, supplies, books, and himself with the utmost respect. It is clear, every day, that Owen cares about the feelings, needs, and well-being of others. His heart is pure gold! Our classroom, school, and community are so lucky to have someone like Owen showing respect and love for others.	Amira Alaoui-Ismaili: Amira is someone who is so caring of others. She not only takes care of her own belongings, but the classroom as well. She treats both her peers and teachers with such kindness and respect. If someone is having a difficult time, she goes out of her way to try and cheer them up. She always follows directions and is respectful of those around her who are trying to learn and focus. She strives to succeed in all ways!	Abigail Aguilar: Abigail consistently demonstrates respect in everything she does. She is kind to her classmates, always uses her manners, and treats others with care and consideration. She is a wonderful example of what it means to be respectful!
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X. Ongoing Fundraisers

- a. Box Tops for Education
- b. Apparel Fundraiser- 1st Place SpiritWear
- c. Walmart Spark Good
- d. Flip Give

XI. Upcoming Events & Fundraisers

- a. Dine & Donate at Chipotle November 15th - 4pm-8pm
- b. Rev it Up!
 - i. November 21st 6:30-9pm (Drop off event!)
- c. Dine & Donate at Red Robin Deptford December 11th- All Day!
- d. Event Committees
 - i. interested in helping with an event or fundraiser- email hsa@gibbsboroschool.org
 - ii. Bingo - March 7th, 2026
 - iii. Kid Bingo - June

XII. Sunshine

- a. If you know of someone who is need of Sunshine please contact the HSA hsa@gibbsboroschool.org

XIII. New Business

XIV. Adjournment

- a. Our next meeting will be January 8th at 7pm.

Mission Statement: The mission of this organization shall be to coordinate the efforts of parents, teachers, staff members, students and community members to further enhance the academic education, character education and recreational needs of Gibbsboro School through financial support.