



GES Athletics Newsletter

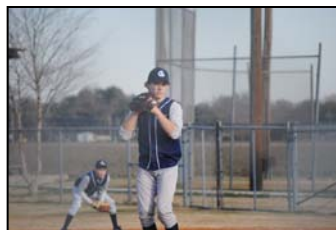
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Grace Baseball



The Grace Gator Baseball Team was faced with a tough February baseball schedule. The gators faced Lee-Gold, St. Freds, OCS, Ouachita Junior High, and Lee-Black. Rainouts forced the cancellation of games with Darbonne Woods Charter and Delhi Christian.



This year's team was composed mostly of 6th-graders who did an outstanding job of playing on a larger baseball field than what they were used to playing on before. The gators were able to hold their own against an outstanding lineup of seasoned junior high baseball teams across northeast Louisiana.



In the final game against Lee, the gators played an outstanding defensive and offensive game. Lead by Nolan Parker on the mound, the gators were able to score 10 earned runs, while holding the Lee team to no runs. Except for one walk, Nolan pitched a perfect game. Next year we will miss our four 8th grade stars: William Clausen, Mitchell Mobley, Nolan Parker, and William Tosten.

Congratulations to the Grace Baseball Team! We look forward to next year with 6 returning, experienced starters.

GES Softball

The Lady Gators Softball team, under the direction of Bob Coons, finished second in the Annual Polar Bear Classic behind Woodlawn. Beating out teams such as Morehouse, Lee, and Start. Coach Coons knew that going into the year that this was going to be challenging year because the Lady Gators included athletes from the 4th grade to the 8th grade, and mainly 6th graders. However, because of their hard work and their desire to win, the Lady Gators were able to finish the year with a 4-4 record. Congratulations to the Lady Gators for a great year.

Tennis



Congratulations to our Girl's Competition Tennis Ladder, who won 3 out of 4 matches against OCS. Congratulations also to our Boy's Competition Tennis Ladder, who played extremely well!

Representing GES for the Girls:
Singles Players: Layne Fincher and Kiley Fincher;
Doubles Players: Sade Lapite/Chicka Ifediora

and Amaka Ifediora/Ashlyn Hilburn.

Representing GES for the Boys:

Singles Players: John Cunningham and Nolan Parker;
Doubles Players: Brockman Brunini/Cole Cagle and William Clausen/William Rath.



Currently, there are four more tennis matches schedule for this year. The schedule for 3 are shown in the Upcoming Events column. A 4th match will be announced in the March newsletter. Come out an support our team!

Upcoming Events

Tennis

Wed. Mar. 16th @ 4:30
Vs. St. Fred's
@MAC

Tue. April 12th @ 3:30
Vs. River Oaks
@MAC

Wed. April 20th @ 4:30
Vs. St. Fred's
@MAC

Tennis Clinic

Mar. 2, 9, 16, and 23
3:30 - 4:30
@ BDCC

Golf

Parents Meeting
March 15 - 5:30
Lowery Hall

Spring Break
March 28-April 1

Easter Break
April 22-25

Athletic Banquet
Sat. May 7, 2011
6:00 PM

Booster Club Meeting
Wed, May. 11, 2011
6:00 PM

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