



# Gator Gazette

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## *Happy Holidays from the Alston Ridge PTA!*



The Alston Ridge PTA would like to wish all of our Alston Ridge families a safe and joyous holiday season!

We look forward to your continued partnership and support in the New Year!

## Join Alston Ridge PTA

### **Become a member of the PTA today!**

Partner with the PTA via MemberHub. The PTA aids with the book fair, movie night, Reflections program, Science Olympiad, teacher treats, etc.

Without parent help, these programs cannot exist.

### ARE Teachers Celebrating Birthdays in December

Jo Guerin, TA - Kindergarten  
Lisa Brandman, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Elaina Essey, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Jayanthi Neelamegan, TA - 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Tracy Atwater, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Chrissy Slavinsky, AG  
Lindsay Santiago, Media



### *Mark Your Calendars and Stay in the Know...*



- ❖ Wellness Fair and Art by Me coming soon
- ❖ Science Expo coming in March

- ❖ Gator Reader sign ups are coming in soon. Sign up with your child's teacher to read for 15 minutes about the current character traits. Materials are provided.





Thanks so much to the families who have donated to support early release staff treats!

We are working hard to partner with area businesses so that we can continue spoiling our fabulous staff.

Our recent partnerships include:  
Carolina Orthodontics and Stellino's Italiano



**NOVEMBER EARLY RELEASE STORYSHIP WAS A GATORIFFIC TIME!**





Remember to register at [rcityrocks.com](http://rcityrocks.com), visit [our local business partners](#), take a photo of your receipt and submit it to rcityrocks within two weeks, and they will donate 5% of your purchase to the PTA. Check out the latest contributing business partners, the list is growing!



If you shop at Harris Teeter, remember to **link or re-link your VIC card** to Alston Ridge Elementary. This must be done every year. Harris Teeter's **Together in Education** program helps raise funds for our school. It's easy and it's **FREE**. Simply give the cashier our code, **8396**, and your VIC card when you check out and your card will be linked for the entire school year. That's it! You only have to link your VIC card once each school year. Once your card is linked, Alston Ridge PTA will receive a percentage of your Harris Teeter brand purchases. This program does not interfere with your VIC savings or cost you.

VIC cards may also be linked at the customer service desk or online at [harristeeter.com](http://harristeeter.com).



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