

# Board Notes ... October - December 2006

from the GPCS board of directors

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Welcome to volume 1, issue 2 of "Board Notes".

The purpose of this newsletter is to let you know what issues the GPCS board is dealing with and to let you know specifically how you can pray for and help the school.

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## Highlights:

Here are some highlights of the October through December board meetings:

- Board Treasurer** - We are still looking for someone with an accounting background to fill this position.
- Staff Updates**
- Most of the teaching staff attended and enjoyed this year's ACSI conference in November.
  - Scott Keenan (alumni) has volunteered to teach a high-school level economics class next year.
- Budget/Finances**
- Our enrollment is at 169 students. Our budget is based on 190 students.
  - We are looking at options to refinance the building mortgage.
  - The magazine drive was very successful this year.
  - A number of families are at least one month behind on tuition payments.
  - The board has declared an immediate spending freeze on all non-essential expenses.
- Development**
- The Annual Fund drive letters have been mailed.
  - We have an ambitious development fund raising goal this year (\$135,000) that is going to be a challenge to meet.
  - The Tree63 concert was a good Public Relations event but did not yield any financial profit for the school.
- Committees**
- All of the working committees will be submitting their goals for next semester to the board.
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## Prayer Requests

- Wisdom and direction for how to deal with the issues listed above.
- Please continue to pray for a new school treasurer.
- Please pray for the families of the board members as they try to balance work and home with their board responsibilities.