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Subject: Gilbert Chess Club Last Meeting and Celebration

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Hope you had a great weekend.

Time flies! This Thursday is the last meeting of our Gilbert Chess Club for the spring.

You are welcome to join us to celebrate our kids' growth. In addition to snacks provided by parents, Gilbert PTO will also provide some fantastically decorated cookies. From 4:00pm to 4:30pm, Principal Griffin will present each student with a medal and certificate of achievement to recognize their efforts throughout this spring semester. If your kids need to leave for sports practice earlier, please email me when they will leave so that we can try to accommodate their schedule.

I want to take this opportunity to express my gratitude for all the generous help from school administration, Gilbert PTO and many of our volunteers. Principal Griffin has provided us with the library for free and she visits our club frequently (In comparison, Fellows Elementary charges their chess club with rental fees). Ms. Annie Bjustrom from PTO has provided numerous administrative support. Mr. Ian McKilligan has spent so much of his time helping our kids learn chess. Our assistant coach Emma came to our chess club every week. Kendra and Matthew Kruse helped to create the sign-up sheet and organize our chess sets. Not to mention all the parents who have donated snacks and drinks for all the meetings. Thank you very much for your support!

Have a great week and we look forward to seeing your kids (and possibly you) on Thursday.

Best,

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