



## Fall Food Drive!!

The Fall Food Drive is under way and we are still looking for your food contributions! This year the classes are taking on the task of putting together a Thanksgiving dinner and stocking the pantry for our families. For any questions or to make arrangements please contact AJ Otto at [ajjbo@comcast.net](mailto:ajjbo@comcast.net).

Please keep in mind the following:

- If providing canned/non-perishable food, bring in any time before 11/25.
- We ask that perishables are brought in on Tuesday, the 24th.
- If providing a turkey- please make sure it is already thawed and bring in Wednesday morning

## "Save the Dates"

Green Gables will be hosting its first ever **Barnes & Noble** book fair the weekend of **December 11th, 12th, & 13th**. The choir will be singing and there will be story time from our teachers. Because we know you are already out holiday shopping, stop by!

Watch for more details to come!

### Chess Club News!

**There will be no chess club on November 24<sup>th</sup>. Please make a note of this.**

### Multi-Cultural Night

Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> 6 – 8 pm

Come enjoy the delicious food, wonderful costumes and entertainment!!



## The Giving Tree

*This holiday season we have the opportunity to help Green Gables families facing financial hardships through our Giving Tree. The Giving Tree will be located in the school foyer on December 7<sup>th</sup> and will have ornaments describing the needs / gifts for the children of these families. Each tag will specify details such as gender, age, and gift to donate. If you are able to help, please stop by and pick up a gift ornament or two.*

*Don't have time to shop? We will do the shopping for you. Cash or check donation are gladly accepted in the PTA or School office (please try to have cash or check donations in early to allow time for shopping). Checks must be made payable to Green Gables PTA.*

*Please return **unwrapped** donations to the PTA room starting 12/07/2009. Don't forget to attach the ornament that you selected back on the gift so we know what family it belongs to. All gifts must be delivered to the PTA office **no later than 12/17/2009** to allow delivery to the families in a timely manner.*

*Remember all items donated go directly to children in our school!*

*If you have any questions please feel free to email Julia Dillon at [juliad@clearwire.net](mailto:juliad@clearwire.net)*

Thank you for your support.