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Gladstone High athletes learn CPR

This week, athletes from Gladstone High School gathered for hands-on CPR instruction from the Gladstone Fire Department. The goal of the effort is to ensure that each team has students trained to respond in the event of a medical emergency during practices or games.

“We teach a lot of life skills in Gladstone Schools,” explained Athletic Director Ted Yates. “CPR could save a life, and it reminds our students that taking care of each other is one of the most important parts of true teamwork.”

PHOTO: Kirk Stemple of the Gladstone Fire Department instructs Gladstone High School athletes on cardio-pulmonary resuscitation.

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Gladstone students gather donations

The auditorium was packed with dancing children, who thronged around the stage during a recent Culture Crew performance. The acoustic soul pop band performance for John Wetten Elementary carried their message of love, happiness, and acceptance.

Concertgoers filled a truck with donations of clothing and household items for the thrift shop Value Village, raising \$500 for science and technology programs at the school.

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Burgerville night to raise funds for John Wetten students

A dine-out night at Gladstone Burgerville is planned to raise funds for the positive behavior support program at John Wetten Elementary and the Gladstone Center for Children & Families.

The event will take place from 5 to 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 5 at 19119 SE McLoughlin Blvd. A portion of sales will support a school program that encourages students to behave safely, responsibly, and respectfully.