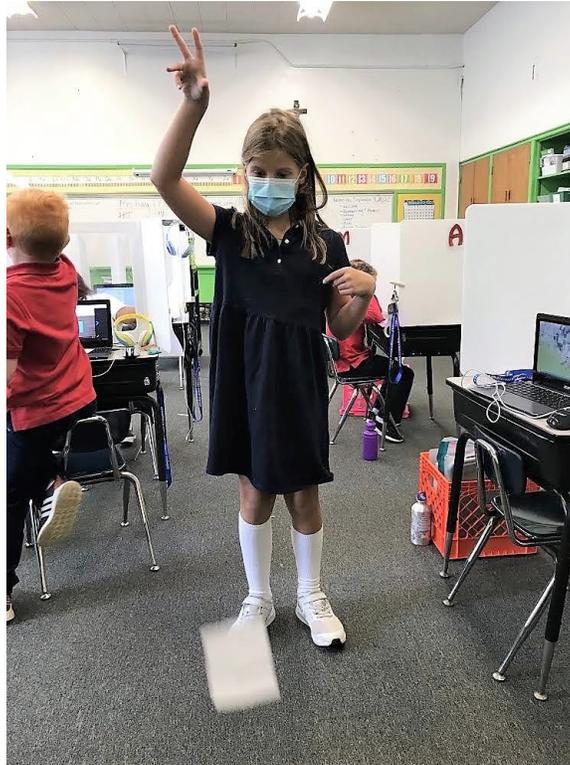


News from the Bears' Den



November 4, 2020

From the Principal . . .

Our Booster Club has kicked off their Annual Wreath and Garland sale this week. Order forms went home with students on Monday and can also be found on our school website and Facebook page. These are beautiful wreaths and garlands that are coming from Armintrout Nursery. Please spread the word!

A letter about traveling domestically and internationally was emailed to all families on Monday. This letter outlines important information for those who may be considering travel soon or in the future. Please read it over carefully; we ask that everyone do their part in helping us keep our staff, students, and families safe. A copy of this letter can be found on our school website.

Don't forget parent/teacher conferences are this Thursday and Friday, from 4 PM-7 PM. If you have not yet signed up for a time and wish to do so, please contact your child's teacher.

Have a great week and enjoy the beautiful weather (while it lasts)!

Blessings, Camille DeLano



Upcoming Events . . .

- Wednesday, Nov. 4 - Report cards go home
- Friday, Nov. 6 - Regular Color Day
- Thursday & Friday Nov. 5 & 6 - Parent Teacher Conferences
- Wednesday, Nov 11 - Booster's Meeting
- Friday, Nov. 13 - "GLOW" Color Day

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on Thursday, Nov. 5 from 4 PM-7 PM and on Friday, Nov. 6 from 4 PM-7 PM. We are doing conferences in-person, but you are welcome to schedule a virtual meeting with your child's teacher. Since we are still limiting access to the building, we ask that you please do not bring your children with you to conferences.

Remote Learning Plan

Families will soon receive an updated version of our remote learning plan just in case it is needed this year. Please watch for it in your email soon!

Picture Retakes

Picture retakes will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 24. More information to come.

Thanksgiving Feast

Our next holiday celebration is coming up later this month-Thanksgiving! The staff and I would like to once again hold our traditional Thanksgiving Feast with our students. Like Halloween, there will be some changes to how we do this. Instead of volunteers prepping foods and helping serve, the staff will do the food prep and serve the students. All we ask from our families is the following: \$3 per student to cover the cost of the food and the possible use of some crock pots. Please start sending money in soon so that we can begin shopping for this event. Thank you!

Thanksgiving Break

There will be a half day on Wednesday, Nov. 25 (no aftercare). There is no school on Thursday, Nov. 26 and Friday, Nov. 27. School will resume on Monday, Nov. 30.



Wreath and Garland Orders

Our fabulous Booster Club is selling beautiful wreaths and garlands just in time for the holidays! Order forms with descriptions of the items were sent home Monday. Please be sure to have orders and money turned in to the school office by Monday, Nov. 20. Thank you in advance for your support!

A few notes from the office

Many students have been forgetting water bottles at home. Please make sure your child has a water bottle with their name on it with them as they head out the door in the morning.

We could use some more “cases” of bottled water to have on hand for those who forget to bring their own. If anyone wouldn't mind donating to the cause, we would greatly appreciate it.

Thanks to parents for being cautious and keeping sick students at home. I know we are in the middle of allergy season, but if your child exhibits symptoms not related to allergies or another known chronic illness, keep them home. If a child has a fever, they are required to stay home, along with their siblings, until fever free for 24 hours without fever-reducing medications.