

Insider News from Telegraph

September 2018

Telegraph is Awesome!

September Notes:

Can you believe 1st Quarter is almost over?! September was a busy month of routines and five day weeks of learning. I am so proud of how much growth has already been shown by our students. In September we hosted Grandparent's Day with over 400 grandparents attending, PTO Fundraiser was a huge success, and we ended the month with our "Red" Week to show support for Coach Nagel and the American Heart Association.

As we look ahead to October please check folders and messages from teachers about events being held at school. We kick off October with our Homecoming Week. Each day of homecoming we will have dress up days, I can't wait to see the creativity of our students.

In the coming weeks we will be sending home letters about Parent Teacher Conference and we ENCOURAGE and WANT you to bring your child. The letter will give information for signing up for conferences so that it is most fitting for your schedule.

Mark These Dates On The Calendar!

October:

2nd-McTeacher Night 4-8PM Gannon McDonald's

3rd-CSIP Meeting 6PM

4th-Choir 4PM

7th-12th HOMECOMING WEEK! "Through the Decades"

9th-Fire Safety Day

10th-Character Council

11th-Choir 4PM

12th-End of the Quarter

15th-No School
17th-4th Grade MO Day/BOE Meeting 6:30PM
18th-4th Grade Field Trip to Eckerts
19th-Report Cards Home
22nd-25th BOOK FAIR
23rd-5th Grade Field Trip
24th-Fall Parties 1:00-2:00
25th-PTC Conferences 1:00-7:30PM
25th -26th No School
30th-Special Olympics
31st-Picture Retake Day

News From The Office

- Reminder daily **Parent Drop Off** begins at 7:05 am, if you require earlier drop off please speak with Coach Wilson about Kids Korner. We ask you maintain this time as we do not have staff in the building to supervise your child.
- If you have a change in transportation please contact the office prior to 2:00 each day. We know last minute changes occur, however we try to have all final transportation changes notified to the classroom by 2:00.
- If you plan to have lunch with your child please send a note or call in the morning to order a tray. We love having family visit with us but need to accurately prepare the food for our visitors.
- Students will have opportunity to enjoy extras and ala carte items. If your child is able to purchase extras please complete and sign the form from Food Services.
- When your child is feeling under the weather or is sick please call the Office or Nurse Mandy so we may document the absence. If we do not hear from you by 8:30 we will contact you. The office staff is available from 7:00-3:30pm daily. Reminder your child must be fever free for 24 hours without medication prior to returning to school after an illness.

Notes from Nurse Mandy:

Reminders:

- Friendly reminder if you child is sent home from school with a fever, they may not return until they are 24 hours fever free without medication.
- Wear school appropriate clothes and shoes; if you are cold natured bring a jacket or hoodie, sandals are not made for our playground.
- Breakfast is the most important meal of the day, students are welcome to eat here each day. I remind my frequent morning visitors of this each day.
- It's flu and cold season---wash hands often, cover mouth/nose with elbow when coughing, get plenty of rest each night, do not share food/drinks with friends, get your flu shot.

IT'S HOMECOMING AT JEFFERSON R-7

When

Sunday, Oct. 7th, 6pm to Friday, Oct. 12th,
9:45pm

Where

1250 Dooling Hollow Road Festus, MO

More information

It's Homecoming Week! This year the theme is "Through the Decades" Please allow for your child to participate in the fun dress up days to celebrate spirit week.

10/7-Bonfire

10/8-PJ Day

10/9-40/50s Day

10/10-60/70s Day

10/11-80/90s Day

10/12-Blue Jay Day "Wear Blue"-Parade at 1:30 on Blue Jay Way-Football Game 7Pm

Telegraph Book Fair

When

Monday, Oct. 22nd, 12pm to Thursday, Oct. 25th,
7:30pm

Where

1265 Dooling Hollow Road Festus, MO

More information

Be sure to join us at the Telegraph Book Fair. This year our librarian, Mrs. Blythe selected a new vendor to host our bookfairs. Follet Books will be offering new selections that our students will be able to purchase and take home that day!

The Book Fair will be open during Fall Parties and Parent Teacher Conferences.