



September 7, 2018

Mark Your Calendars

Monday, September 10th - Spirit Week - Neon Day

Tuesday, September 11th - Spirit Week - Patriotic Day

Wednesday, September 12th - Spirit Week - Silly Sock Day

Thursday, September 13th - Spirit Week - Favorite Team Day

Friday, September 14th - Spirit Week - House Shirt Day - Students will receive their shirts in homeroom the morning of House Shirt Day.

Friday, September 14th - Hawk Olympics during Encore Class

Please visit our CGIS website at www.maryville-schools.org/cgis to find information regarding all our activities, clubs, school calendar, classroom information, and more.

Digital Citizenship Announcements Week: Digital Footprints and Reputation 9/7/18

Here are a few words of wisdom regarding digital citizenship. This week, we are focusing on Digital Footprints & Reputation. As the first vice-president of the United Farm Workers of America, Dolores Huerta spent a great deal of her life serving others by working on behalf of American farm workers. Listen to what she had to say about purpose: "We must use our lives to make the world a better place, not just to acquire things. That is what we are put on earth for." At Maryville City Schools, we recommend that each person:

Consider your own thoughts. Do you think we are here to see who has the most material possessions or to see who can contribute in a positive way? Do you think too many people are more concerned with acquiring things or acquiring values?

Tech Support: Securly

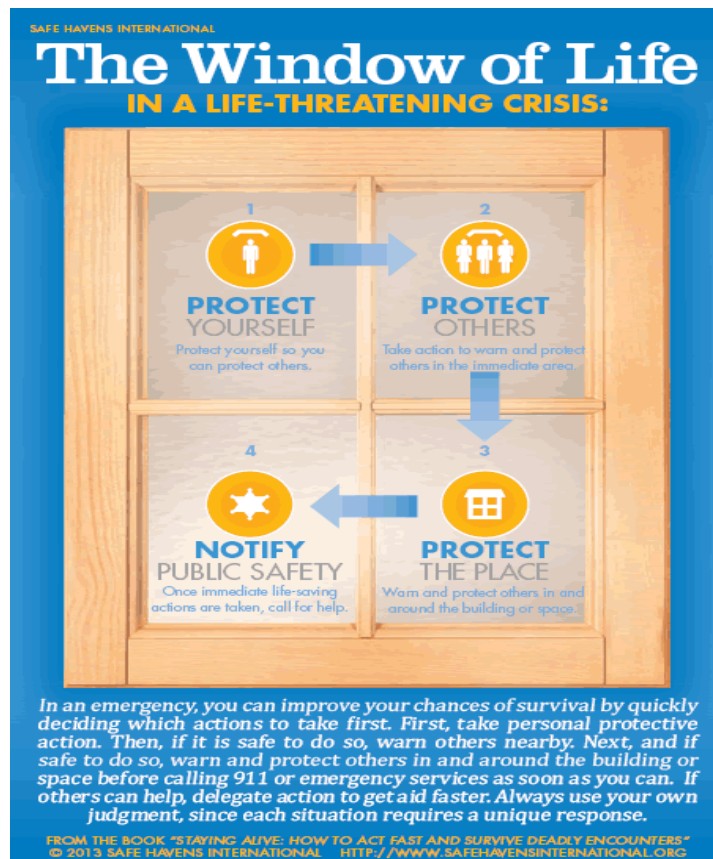
Securly is the internet filter for our student devices-- at home and at school. Securly has many different features that can be accessed and utilized by parents, including receiving emails of student traffic and making the filter more strict at home. To learn more, please watch the following video. <https://vimeo.com/217680234> (or you can access it directly on the CGIS website under Parents & Students, Tech Support, Securly)

If you are not receiving the weekly emails, please go here for assistance: <https://www.maryville-schools.org/central-office/technology/securly>

School Safety Update

We have conducted many Safety Drills during August at CGIS. We thought this information might be useful so you can discuss these safety drills with your student. We will continue to conduct various drills throughout the school year to do our best to enable students and staff to respond in the best way possible to various potential emergencies. We certainly don't want to scare our students but we do want them to be prepared and know how to respond. Here is a video about The Window of Life that has been viewed with staff and the protocol has been shared with students. We thought you might want to view this short, 5 minute video as well! Thank you for your partnership! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YeGmlTwu7Kw&t=9s>

- Drills & Sessions conducted without students present for staff only
 - Safety Procedures Overview
 - Training with Window of Life Protocol
 - Scenario Training (Window of Life)
 - Hard Lock Down
 - Soft Lock Down
 - Reverse Evacuation
 - Building Emergency Scenarios (Gas leak, fire, etc.)
 - Medical Emergencies including use of CPR, AED, Epi-pen, etc.
 - Off site evacuation drill
- Drills conducted with students present
 - Fire Drills
 - Tornado Drill
 - Reverse Evacuation (by grade level groups)
 - Hard Lock Down and Soft Lock Down Informational Announcements



CGIS Parent Reminders

- Box Tops for Education is a very successful program that CGIS utilizes for our technology needs within the school. Please send in all your Box Tops to the office. Thank you!!
- Our 4th & 6th Grade Students will have health screenings scheduled on Wednesday, September 12th and Thursday, September 13th.



HAWK OLYMPICS

COMING FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

More information can be found in your child's Friday Folder today.
LET THE GAMES BEGIN!



There have been some strange creatures seen in the library lately...trolls, unicorns, even gnomes! What can all these strange sightings mean?? It means the BOOK FAIR is coming! Come check out all the new books in the **ENCHANTED FOREST** this fall!

The Book Fair will run from **September 17-21** this year, and it will be open from **7:40 a.m.-4:00 p.m.** each day. (The only exception is on Friday the 21st, when we'll close at the last bell of the day.)

Come see what's new!

Coming to Eat Lunch with Your Child????

Here's our procedures that should be followed!

- When a student has a visitor for lunch, he/she may take no more than 2 friends to eat in the upper seating area.
 - Students are expected to remain seated and follow the same lunch procedures as usual with the only exceptions being where they are eating and who they are eating with.
 - Lunch procedures are posted in the café and in the student handbook.
- If the upper seating is full, visitors may join students in the lower cafeteria area.

Coulter Grove Cares
Creative Community Outreach
Fall 2018



Coulter Grove Cares will meet every second and fourth Monday starting September 10.
Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 12, 26 and Dec. 10.

We will create various art projects to benefit members of our community. Specific projects and benefitting agencies are chosen by the participants and may include Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity, First Responder Agencies, Military Personnel, Animal Shelters and Haven House

- **Cost:** \$30.00 (for snacks and materials)
- **Form: Please return bottom portion to the office.**
- **Time:** 2:45 – 4:00 PM (meet in the science lab)

Please cut on dotted line and keep this portion as a reminder.

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Send the bottom portion to the Coulter Grove Cares advisor, Jaquie Stiver
_____ has permission to attend CGC meetings. Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

Signature: _____ Date _____

During the meetings I can be reached at this phone number _____

My student has the following allergies: _____

Please check all that apply:

- _____ I have enclosed \$30.00 to cover the cost of snacks and materials for the semester.
- _____ I will pick up my child promptly at 4:00 in the parking lot in front of the school.
- _____ My child attends Adventure Club and will go there after meetings.
- _____ My child will walk home after the meetings.