Eagle Vision News — October 6th, 2021

Centerville Families,

Happy Fall, y'all!

I hope you are enjoying this time of year. We have some plans for the month ahead and there will be more information coming as we continue to make and refine these plans. Meanwhile there are 2 important things you may want to know!

First, we are planning to hold a Fun Run in place of the traditional 5K we have held at our school. There are multiple reasons for this change, however, the biggest reason is because we feel a need to pull our community closer together. This major fundraiser is taking place of the Wasatch Savings Books we have traditionally sold in the past. We are moving forward with the expectation that this fun run will be a success and if so, we will not need to hold another fundraiser this year. This fun run will be held on September 25th and details of the event will come in newsletter and fliers soon.

Second, Halloween is a super fun holiday. This year Halloween comes on a Sunday. The Friday before is a Professional Day without students. That means Thursday, October 28 will be our early out day that week. It will also be the date for classroom celebrations, parties and one of the favorite traditions, the Halloween Parade. Weather permitting, we will be holding the parade at 1 p.m. outside. Parents and patrons may BYOC (bring your own chair) if you choose and set it up the east side of the back playground to view the parade.

Which brings me to costumes. We all love to dress up and have fun. Students may wear costumes if they can do so without parent assistance during the day. This is to minimize disruptions during class time. Costumes are NOT Required at the parade or any event (including the Fun Run). However, we do encourage those who are so inclined to wear costumes for the parade and the fun run if they wish to do so. We do have a few guidelines concerning what is acceptable for costumes worn at our school at these or an any other time.

- No weapons
- If signs are part of the costume, the message must be within school guidelines (nothing that may go against our safe school policy).
- Do not wear costumes that are overtly political or involve dressing like a different culture or race.
- Nothing bloody, gory or scary to little children.
- Do not dress with anything that could be interpreted as hate speech.
- Masks? We do allow masks that cover the mouth and nose and head coverings that cover the
 top of the head, but we need to be able to tell who the student is, so the eyes and enough of
 the head needs to be clear for identification purposes.

"Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere." – Chinese Proverb

Mr. Holmes.



Are you looking for a Say Boo to the Flu clinic where you can get vaccinated against the flu AND support your local school at the same time? CNS will donate \$2 per eligible immunization back to our school. The dates for our school clinic are November 3 and 4 from 3:30-7:00 each day. These are also the dates for our Parent Teacher Conferences.



Halloween Fun Run

Coming up on Monday, October 25 is our Fun Run. It will be held from 4:00-6:00 p.m. There will be all kinds of fun activities in addition to the run which will be held at the school. This year our route will be exclusively at the school and crosses no intersections. One of those fun activities includes a Pumpkin carving/decorating contest. More information will be coming soon! This event supports the needs of our school that the budget can't be stretched to cover and goes directly into helping teachers. We are also looking for volunteers to help. Call the office for details.

ILP –Parent signups

Parent Teacher Conferences (ILP) will be held the week of November 1-5. Beginning October 15, parents may begin scheduling appointments. To sign up, you will sign into your DSD Guardian Account. The scheduler will be available the morning of October 15. Please communicate with your teacher regarding meeting preferences. And as always, please call the main office if you have any further questions.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

Many of you know that this year there has been an unusual shortage of teachers across the entire state, and it is no different for substitute teachers within the school district. We need substitute teachers and many of our school's best substitute teachers are our parents! If you are a local community member that has at least a high school diploma, then we encourage you to register as a substitute teacher! It's as easy as applying online at Home | DSD Careers (dsdjobs.net) and completing a \$40-dollar background check. Please contact our main office for more details.

Reading Volunteers needed:

We are looking for parents, grandparents, or community members who could spend an hour twice a week to help a student strengthen reading skills. Outside people who read with students make such a difference in their young lives. If you could help us out, contact nawood@dsdmail.net.

Important Dates:

October 6 - Community Council: 4 p.m.

October 14-15 - Fall Break - No School

October 25 – Halloween Fun Run 4 – 6 p.m.

October 28 - End First Term - Early Out

October 29- Professional Day – No School

November 1-5 -Book Fair

November 2 - Grandparent Breakfast

November 3 – Picture Retakes

November 3 & 4 – ILP conferences (Early Out)

November 3 & 4 - Boo to Flu: 3:30-7:00

Lunch:

Thursday 7th: Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Green Peas, Peaches

Friday 8th: Sloppy Joes OR Tuna Scoops, Fries, Baked Beans, Apricot, Cookie

Monday 11th: Mini Corn Dogs, Mac & Cheese, Breadstick, Green Beans, Applesauce, Juice slush

Tuesday 12th: Popcorn Chicken Smackers, Hashbrown patty, Maple Waffle, Peaches

Wednesday 13th: Taco Soup, Cornbread muffin, Pears, Apple Crisp

Thursday 14th: No School

Friday 15th: No school

Monday 18th: Diced Ham, Cheesy potatoes, Muffin, Green Beans, Applesauce, Slush

Tuesday 19th: Pepperoni or Cheese Piza, Corn, Peaches, Jello

Wednesday20th: Taco Meat, Tortilla Chips, Cheese sauce, Refried Beans, Canned Pears

Thursday 21st: Popcorn Chicken Smackers, Mashed Potatoes, Chicken Gravy, Roll, Peaches

Friday 22nd Grilled Cheese AND Tomato Soup OR Tuna Scoops, Carrots, Apricots, cookie

Thank you,
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