



News from the Nest

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Dates to Remember

Sept 26-Oct 7	Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences
Oct 6-7	Early Dismissal – 2:30 p.m.
October 10-21	Fall Break – NO SCHOOL
Oct 27	Picture Retakes
Nov 3	4 th & 5 th Grade Music Performance
Nov 21-25	Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL
Dec 15	2 nd & 3 rd Grade Music Performance
Dec 22-Jan 6	Winter Break – NO SCHOOL
Jan 9	School Reopens
Jan 19	Winter Ball, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

PTO News

Mark Your Calendar!

Fundraiser pick up is scheduled for **Thursday, September 29, from 3:30-6:00 p.m.** in the cafeteria. Because the items are frozen, it is crucial that ALL orders be picked up during this time. We will not have freezer storage to keep the items frozen. If you have any questions please contact Lisa Beiter @ 317-850-8582 or lisa.beiter@att.net
 A special thank you to all families for making our fundraiser a success.

Principal Kempton is Serving Dinner!

Join the PTO and your ECES friends for dinner at Fazoli's restaurant (2374 W. 86th St) on Sept 28. Mr. Kempton, Mrs. Guevara, Mrs. Lawrence, and others are scheduled to be 'Breadstick Ambassadors'. A portion of sales will go to the PTO so be on the lookout for a flyer to come home or attached to this newsletter. You must use the [flyer](#) to let them know you are with ECES.

The Book Fair is Coming!

The PTO is looking for volunteers to help staff the book fair during the first week of October. If you would like to help out, please contact Karla McLaughlin - karlamclaughlin01@gmail.com

Like our page at, [Facebook.com/EagleCreekPTO](https://www.facebook.com/EagleCreekPTO)

Textbook Rental

Final payment for all textbook rental fees will be due by December 1, 2016.

Grade	Book Rental & Student Supply Fees	HA Book Rental & Student Supply Fees	(Free/ Reduced) Consumable Fees
Kindergarten	\$138.56	n/a	\$60.00
Grade 1	\$146.84	\$146.84	\$50.00
Grade 2	\$138.60	\$138.60	\$48.00
Grade 3	\$144.01	\$144.01	\$48.00
Grade 4	\$141.07	\$141.07	\$48.00
Grade 5	\$138.75	\$138.75	\$48.54

Pike Township News

Homecoming 2016 - Celebrating 125 Years of Greatness

Elementary & Middle School Pike Pride Dress up Days:

- Monday, September 26th – Colts Gear Day
- Tuesday, September 27th – Crazy Socks
- Wednesday, September 28th – Dress for Success Day (Best uniform or business attire)
- Thursday, September 29th – College Gear Day
- Friday, September 30th – Pike Pride (Red & White)

Wednesday, September 28th – Multicultural Festival -

6:00 to 8:00 p.m. - Experience the world while celebrating our community's wonderful diversity at the **Pike Township Multicultural Festival**. This free event, which is sponsored by our PHS Key Club, will feature informative displays, interactive performances, fun games, and delicious foods. *(This event will be held in the Pike Freshman Center Cafeteria).*

Thursday, September 29th – Annual Powder Puff Game - 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

- Visit our Stadium to cheer on approximately 100 young women representing each PHS Class as they compete for bragging rights in this flag football competition, a deep-seated tradition in Pike Township.



Friday, September 30th – Pre-Game Carnival - 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. – Get ready for the big game by having big fun with food, games, and prizes for everyone! Admission is free and carnival game tickets can be purchased five for \$1. Proceeds will be donated to charity. We promise family fun for everyone! Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Register now for the Red Devil Dash and you might win Colts tickets!



October 1, 2016 - Pike Freshman Center - 9:00 A.M.

5K (all ages) \$20
 1 Mile Fun Run (14 and under) \$10
 1 Mile Walk (All ages) \$15
Can't attend? Love to sleep in on

Saturdays? Register as a Snoozing Devil \$15
Prices increase 9/30!

Register by 9/29 and be entered for a chance to be one of three lucky winners who will receive a pair of tickets to the Colts v. Titans game on Nov. 20!

Registration forms in school office or register online:
www.getmeregistered.com/PikeRaceForEducation

All proceeds stay in Pike to fund classroom programs and college scholarships for Pike seniors!

School Board Candidate Forum



The Pike Township Educational Foundation will host a School Board Candidate Forum at Central Elementary School, 7001 Zionsville Road, on Wednesday, October 12 at 6:00 p.m. All eight candidates have been invited to participate in the forum, which will provide voters with

an opportunity to listen to the candidates participate in a moderated discussion about why they want to serve and what they propose to do to help our district reach the next level of excellence.

Invited Candidates: Alonzo Anderson, Kathy Cooper, Veronica (Roni) Ford, Ricky Hence, Eric Huffine, Larry Metzler, Nancy Poore, and Cherlisa Richardson

The Pike Township Educational Foundation is an organization dedicated to enhancing the educational experience of every Pike student by providing resources for innovative, high quality approaches to education.

PHS to Proudly Present *The Highest Heaven*

The Pike Performing Production Troupe (3PT) will produce *The Highest Heaven* on October 6 and 7 at 7:00 p.m. in our Pike Performing Arts Center's Studio Theatre. The play features the stories of Monarch butterfly migration back to Mexico and the forced migration of hundreds of thousands of Mexican Americans in the 1930's as America suffered through The Depression. The playwright Jose Cruz Gonzalez wrote the play to spark discussion within the family and the audience about our history and how we must face the change, our fears and move on when it is time.

Tickets are \$5 (\$3 for children under 10). They may be purchased online by searching *The Highest Heaven* at brownpapertickets.com or at the door.

Swimming & Diving



The Pike Aquatic Center is proud to offer youth and adult swimming lessons as well as youth competitive programs. Fall Swim Lesson Registration is now available online at pikeswimlessons.com.

If you are interested in youth competitive Swimming & Diving, please visit Pike Township Swim Club at swim4pike.com for competitive Swimming information and iisdiving.org for competitive Diving info.

Dates to Remember:

Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences:

Elementary - September 26 - October 7
 Middle & High School - October 6

Early Dismissal - October 6 & 7

Fall Break:

Continuous Calendar - October 10 - October 21
 Traditional Calendar - October 17 - October 21

Safe Trick-or-Treat - October 27 @ PFC 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving Break - November 21-25

Did You Know?

- Pike High School was named one of “America’s Most Challenging High Schools” by *The Washington Post* in 2013, 2014, 2015 & 2016 and *Newsweek* has recognized PHS as one of “America’s Best High Schools” for two years in a row.

MSD of Pike Township Mission Statement

The Metropolitan School District of Pike Township aims to develop students who:

- develop an intrinsic passion for learning in and beyond school
- take ownership and develop independence through choice and participation in authentic learning environments
- challenge their intellectual curiosity using inquiry, critical thinking, multiple perspectives and problem solving
- communicate their thoughts and ideas effectively through shared dialogue and collaboration
- develop global understanding and respect of various cultures
- reflect on their learning and see innovative possibilities

Universal Breakfast is served to all students each morning in the classroom (No Cost)
Student Lunch - \$2.20 – Reduced Price - \$.40

Lunch Menu	
Sept 26	A-WG chicken nuggets w/breadstick OR B-Blueberry muffin & goldfish fun lunch, seasoned peas, garlic-parmesan roasted wedge potatoes
Sept 27	A-Soft beef taco w/soft WG tortillas OR B-Turkey & cheese sandwich, Mexicali corn, refried beans
Sept 28	A-Homemade WG macaroni & cheese w/dinner roll OR B-Ham & cheddar cheese chef salad w/dressing, seasoned green beans, baked tater tots
Sept 29	A-Homemade cheese pizza on WG crust OR B-Strawberry parfait w/granola, roasted Italian vegetables, tossed salad
Sept 30	A-Beef lasagna w/WG breadstick OR B-Crispy ranch chicken sandwich on WG bun, roasted broccoli, mashed sweet potatoes