

E News from the Nest

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Dates to Remember

Nov 10	PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
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.

Eagle Creek Attendance
Week of October 31-November 4
98%
Our Goal – 97%

PTO Meeting

Join us on Thursday, Nov. 10, at 6 pm for the next PTO meeting. This general meeting will include updates on PTO fundraisers, ways to get involved, & updates from school administration. Childcare is provided free in the gym.

The PTO is calling all Eagle Creek Family & Friends!

Please stop by for lunch or dinner on Wednesday, November 16 for our 2nd dine-out event of the year at Papa Murphy's Take 'N' Bake Pizza, 4875 W. 56th St. (56th & Georgetown). Stop in ANY TIME on 11/16 and mention Eagle Creek Elementary School. We earn 20% of regularly priced items. Stop in between 4 and 6 p.m. to witness some of your favorite teachers and staff show off their pizza making skills. Anyone can participate by mentioning Eagle Creek when placing their order, so remember to spread the word.

Like us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/EagleCreekPTO/

Background Information Release

If parents wish to volunteer in the classroom or accompany students on field trips, we must have a "Background Information Release" form on file. They are available in the office.

Attention Car Riders



Drop off: 7:50-8:10 a.m.

After 8:10 a.m. students should be dropped off at the front door.

Pick Up: 2:50-3:10 p.m.

Please stagger arrival time in the afternoon. We have a line right at 2:50 p.m., but by 3:00 p.m. the line is empty.

From the Cafe

Elementary School Meal Prices

Breakfast \$0.00 - Lunch \$2.20

Negative Balance Policy - A student whose account is in the negative will have a negative balance letter sent home with your child weekly. Students whose accounts are more than 2 meals in the negative will not receive a hot lunch; instead they will be served an alternative meal. This meal consists of a cheese sandwich, fresh fruit or vegetables and a milk at a cost of \$1.35 until the balance is paid in full.

Payments - MSD Pike Township accepts cash, check, credit and money orders. We strongly discourage sending cash with your child, however if you do, please make sure all payments are in a sealed envelope and it is labeled with their name, student ID#, teacher's name and mark if the payment is going towards an outstanding debt, or if it is a daily payment for lunch. All checks and money orders must be made out to "MSD Pike Township." For your convenience Pike has implemented an online payment system at www.myschoolbucks.com. This **Free** website allows you to view your child's lunch account as well as set up low balance alerts. You may also make payments to your child's account for a transaction fee of \$1.95.

Textbook Rental

Final payment for all textbook rental fees is 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

Pike to host Catch on to Fitness Clinic

Our district will have the privilege of hosting Tamika Catching's Catch on to Fitness Camp & Parent Wellness Clinic again this year. The clinic, which is open to boys and girls ages 7-14, will be held at Pike High School on Saturday, November 5, from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Camp admission is free with a 10 can donation per camper. Space is limited to the first 200 campers and that parents of participating campers are invited to take part in a Parent Wellness Clinic.

CATCH ON TO FITNESS REGISTRATION LINK:
<https://secureqgiv.com/for/catchthestars/event/773187/>

PARENT WELLNESS CLINIC REGISTRATION LINK:
<https://secure.qgiv.com/for/catchthestars/event/773187/>

Central Elementary Receives Educational Excellence Award

Central Elementary School was selected by the Indianapolis Urban League to receive the 2016 Educational Excellence Award. Central was chosen due to the school's dedication to serving underserved populations, its focus on providing enhanced educational opportunities for ENL students, and the utilization of an inclusionary model to meet the diverse needs of exceptional learners.

PHS Proudly Presents The Wedding Singer

Pike High School will proudly present *The Wedding Singer* at 7:00 p.m. in our Pike Performing Arts Center on November 11 & 12.

PHS Educator's Work Featured in Art Show

Last summer, PHS educator David Seward had the opportunity to travel to Europe on a Lilly Renewal Grant, which allowed him to paint on location and gain inspiration. The experience resulted in 20 incredible new works, which will be featured in his upcoming

show, *European Renewal*, at Gallery Two, 1332 N. Illinois Street, on November 4 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

PHS Baseball Holiday Poinsettia Sale

PIKE BASEBALL
Holiday Poinsettia Sale

Available in **Red, White, & Pink**
 6 inch pots; 5-7 Blooms per Plant; Long-lasting
\$12 Each (Case of 6 for \$65)



Cash or Checks payable to **Pike Base Hit Club** accepted or
Order Online @ www.prdbaseball.com/store
 Payment due when ordered, delivery will be **Dec. 1st & 2nd**
All proceeds benefit Pike High School Baseball
Contact Coach Andy Lawrence with Questions
and to Place Order by Friday, November 18
 alawrenc@pike.k12.in.us 216-5422

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 Lunch - \$.40 – Adult Lunch \$3.35

Lunch Menu	
Nov 7	A-Soft beef taco w/soft WG Tortillas OR B-Turkey & cheese sandwich, Mexicali corn, refried beans
Nov 8	A-WG turkey corn dog OR B-Ham & American cheese sandwich, Boston baked beans, seasoned home fried potatoes
Nov 9	A-Zesty meatball in marinara w/WG spaghetti & grated parmesan cheese OR B-Pretzel, Sunbutter & cheese fun lunch, seasoned collard greens, roasted cinnamon butternut squash
Nov 10	A-Homemade pepperoni pizza on WG crust OR B-Apple cinnamon parfait w/granola, glazed carrots, seasoned cauliflower
Nov 11	A-Crispy chicken tenders w/herbed breadstick OR B-Italian hoagie sandwich, seasoned green beans, seasoned corn