

# MOORE'S MESSAGE

August 2022

## Welcome to the 2022-2023 School Year!

Welcome to our new and returning MES families! Moore Elementary is committed to providing a quality education for every student every day! We are devoted to building strong relationships between students, teachers, and parents. MES has a high level of parent involvement and it is truly appreciated! We look forward to seeing YOU at school as we partner together!



## PTO Membership Drive

Please join the PTO and help us appreciate our amazing teachers! Your \$10 donation will go towards teacher appreciation this year. This is not a volunteer commitment! If you would like to join, you can send in \$10 cash or check (payable to MES) with your child in an envelope indicating your child's name and homeroom teacher or you can join online at [mooreelementary.fssd.org](http://mooreelementary.fssd.org), click on students and families, then PTO.

We appreciate your support of our teachers!



## Parent Orientation Nights

**Kindergarten**  
Wednesday, August 10 @ 6:00

**1st - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
Thursday, August 11, 6:00-7:30

The 1<sup>st</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup> teachers will present two identical sessions at 6:00 and 6:45 p.m.

Parents only need to attend one session to hear the information.

All orientation meetings will take place in the teacher's classroom unless teachers communicate otherwise.



## What's happening at Moore?

Follow us on Twitter

<https://twitter.com/fssdMES>

Like us on Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/Moore.Eagles>

View the MES website

[mooreelementary.fssd.org](http://mooreelementary.fssd.org)

**Welcome to Moore!**  
**Join us for our Butterfly Breakfast**

**When:** Monday, August 15  
@ 8:30 a.m.

**Where:** MES cafeteria

**Who's Invited:** Kindergarten parents  
Parents new to MES



**Save the date! Mark your calendar!**  
**Moore Miles is October 6th!**

One of the best days of the school year, Moore Miles is a fun run where our students run, skip, or walk as many laps as they can around the school track in a 30 minute period. Besides trackside motivation, parents will want to see the grade level cheer competition and visit the bake sale and silent auction.

More information will be coming soon. If you have questions, email the PTO at [mooreelementaryschool@gmail.com](mailto:mooreelementaryschool@gmail.com)

If you are interested in providing an auction item, email [MooreEaglesSilentAuction@gmail.com](mailto:MooreEaglesSilentAuction@gmail.com)

If you are interested in becoming a Moore Elementary Community Partner, email [fellows@montrose.net](mailto:fellows@montrose.net)

**WELCOME**



Join us in welcoming the newest members of the Moore family!

**Kindergarten:** Rebecca Mead, Emily Rollins, Heather Soder

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade:** Kristen Bischoff

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:** Bailey Beckham

**Speech/Lang. Therapist:** Madison Gunter

**Special Education Para:** Jordan Prince, Jessica Brown

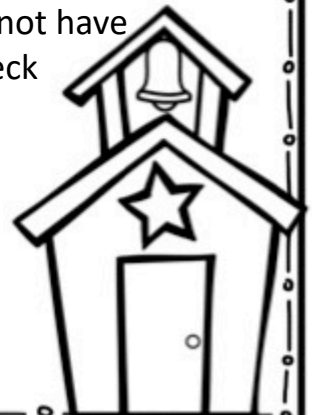
**PE:** Phil Thomas

**Custodian:** Lewis Piloto



**Transportation Changes**

All transportation changes during the school day must be communicated to the front office by 3:00 p.m. This gives us time to inform your child's teacher. If you know in advance, please send transportation changes in writing to your child's teacher. Please do NOT email the teacher during the school day, as teachers may not have an opportunity to check email.





## PTO MEETING

All parents are welcome to join us for the first PTO meeting of the year!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30  
8:45 a.m.

TEACHER CENTER @ MOORE

### Notes from Nurse Sanders:

We are so excited to start our new year! Even though it looks a bit different, there are still many fun and exciting things to learn and do.

A few notes for parents:

Please make sure that you have an Emergency Contact listed in your Skyward account that is someone other than yourselves. I will always contact parents first but in the event I cannot reach a parent, I need an emergency contact who can act on your behalf.

State law prohibits students from carrying medications with them on school property. This includes any over the counter medicines like cough drops. Please contact me to complete the required form for medication at school.

Please call the office as soon as possible if your student is going to be absent to report their symptoms.

Thanks for helping us keep everyone safe and healthy! If you have any questions or concerns regarding student health, please don't hesitate to reach out to me.

Thanks,  
Sherry Sanders, RN  
MES School Nurse, [sandersshe@fssd.org](mailto:sandersshe@fssd.org)

**Welcome MES!! WAHOO ... how exciting!!**

For those new to MES, I am Bruce Coberly ("Mr. C") your School Counselor. I view my role is to "support student success!". In fact, as I tell the students, my mission is for MES to be "**the most supportive school in the world, baby!!**". Therefore, everything I do is based on two fundamental goals:

**"EVERYONE has the right to come to school and feel SAFE and RESPECTED!"**.

**"Students are here to LEARN, LEARN, LEARN, and teachers are here to TEACH, TEACH, TEACH!"**

In order to reach these goals and fulfill this mission, I need to know how to support. Please take a moment and talk with your child(ren) about my role and how important it is for them to "advocate" and let me know what they need so I/we can make sure they feel "safe and respected" and are always ready to "learn, learn, learn".

Please feel free to contact me whenever you have a question or a concern, whether your child is feeling anxious, you need some supplies, you need a resource, or anything else. I/we want your child to succeed academically, socially and emotionally!!

Here's to a great year,  
Mr. C -- Your MES School Counselor  
[coberlybru@fssd.org](mailto:coberlybru@fssd.org), 615-790-4700 x. 3307

### Fridays = Spirit Day!

Every FRIDAY is spirit day at Moore Elementary! Staff and students are encouraged to wear a Moore Elementary shirt on Fridays to show their school spirit!

If you would like to purchase a 2022-2023 MES shirt or other Moore items, they will be available to purchase online shortly! Be on the look out for information to come home soon!





## Arrival Procedures

Our first priority is the safety of our students. Students should enter the school through the main entrance beginning at **8:00 a.m.**

Please do not drop off your child before 8:00. Teachers are not on duty until this time. If you need to drop off your child before 8:00, you may enroll them in our MAC program.

Children are tardy at 8:31. If you arrive after 8:30 you **MUST** come into the front office and sign in your child. They will be issued a tardy slip to enter the classroom.



### August Events:

- 10<sup>th</sup> - Kinder parent orientation
- 11<sup>th</sup> - Grades 1-4 parent orientation
- 15<sup>th</sup> - Kinder first full day, Butterfly Breakfast, PTO membership drive begins
- 24<sup>th</sup> - Scout parent meeting
- 25<sup>th</sup> - Advisory Council meeting
- 26<sup>th</sup> - PTO membership drive ends
- 30<sup>th</sup> - PTO meeting
- 31<sup>st</sup> - College/University Day (wear favorite college attire)

## Dismissal Procedures

Dismissal begins at 12:25 (early dismissal days) 3:25 p.m. (regular days). If you are picking up your child from school, please pull to the designated car area. Remain in your vehicle and wait for your child to be sent to your car. We ask that you turn off your car engine and refrain from using cell phones during dismissal. **NO CAR SHOULD MOVE UNTIL ALL CHILDREN ARE IN THEIR CARS AND A SIGNAL IS GIVEN.**

If you are walking to pick up your child, please wait in the designated area on the sidewalk. We will send your child to you. Thank you for following the dismissal guidelines for the safety of our students!

**Note:** For safety reasons, walkers and car riders will no longer wait outside on the porch during dismissal. They will now wait in the gym.



There will be a fundraiser yard sale for Moore Elementary again this year in the Maplewood subdivision. Any items that you wish to donate to the cause will be sold to raise funds for Moore Elementary's Fill the Nest campaign! Donations will be accepted until September 18, 2022.

If you have items that you wish to donate in good working order and clean condition email Danielle Nunnery at [DLNunnery@gmail.com](mailto:DLNunnery@gmail.com) to arrange drop off/pick up. We could also use two or three volunteers to help run the sale. Email Danielle if you wish to help out during the sale.

Don't forget to come shop the sale on September 23rd and 24th. Rain date September 30/October 1.