Principal’s Message

Here we are in October and fall is in the air. We are just returning from fall break. It is always nice to take a break and refresh. I hope you all enjoyed your time away.

Thank you for attending our fall SEP conferences and our Scholastic Book Fair. As part of our conferences each year, our PTA sponsors a Scholastic Book Fair. A percentage of the proceeds from the book fair go directly to the Emerson library. Ms. Nelson uses these funds to purchase new library books each year. Thank you for meeting with your children’s teachers during conferences and for supporting our book fair event.

Thank you to the Emerson PTA and for all they do for our school. The PTA provided dinner to our teachers during SEP conferences. Our teachers thank you!

PTA held their Move & Groove (see photos) annual fundraising event on Friday, October 7. Students enjoyed music, walking, and dancing.

Thank you to all of you who contributed to the fundraising event. All the proceeds go back to classrooms for field trips, transportation, classroom grants, and yearbooks. Your contributions and efforts make a difference for kids!

Halloween at Emerson will be celebrated on Monday, October 31st with our Halloween parade beginning at 9:00 a.m. Like last year, the parade will be take place outside. Look for a school messenger that will outline details regarding the parade. Kids are invited to bring costumes to school for the parade and
classroom celebrations. Remember, no gore, masks, weapons, or inappropriate dress.

Every year I am amazed at how everything comes together. Thank you for supporting our school and making Emerson such a wonderful place for all of us! --Ms. Reynolds
News from the garden:

**Recipe for Caramel Apples**

8-10 cold apples  
skewers for apples  
1 bag of kraft baking caramels  
4 Tbsp heavy whipping cream  
Pinch of salt

Happy fall from our Garden! This month we started learning about the parts of a plant in the KinderGarden Club. The 3rd and 4th graders in Ms. Mary Lou’s and Ms. Osto’s classes came to the garden to learn about the patterns of climate change and the functions of plants. It always amazes me how much students know about the garden and plant life and I think we might have a few future plant scientists in our community.

This summer the garden really came to life. We had a large crop of kale, apples, tomatoes, pears, grapes, corn, potatoes, and so much more. I am overly excited and looking forward to enjoying fall and all things pumpkin.
Garden Volunteers Needed. Looking for some volunteers to come for our Fall Clean Up work day. Please sign up to be a garden volunteer using this link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0548aaa72cabf49-sign

Keep updated on all things garden at our instagram @emersongarden1 or send me an email and say hi at emersongarden@hotmail.com.

There is more below.
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