

Stillwater School Newsletter

————— OCTOBER 2, 2020 —————

**NEXT WEEK WILL BE WEEK 1 FOR
SPECIALS**

**EVERY FRIDAY WILL BE REMOTE FOR ALL
STUDENTS BEGINNING OCTOBER 9TH**

**FULLY REMOTE LEARNER MATERIAL PICK
UP FOR GRADES K-3: 10/9, 12:30-2 IN THE
SCIENCE ROOM**

**TUESDAY 11/3 WILL BE A FULLY REMOTE
DAY FOR ALL STUDENTS AS PER GOV.
MURPHY'S EXECUTIVE ORDER 177**

IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS:

Board of Education Meeting: 10/13 at 7pm. Check school website, under Stillwater School Announcements, for more information.

Fully Remote Learner Material Pick up for Grades 4-6: 10/16, 12:30-2 in the science room

Attendance: If your child will be absent for either in person learning or remote learning, please call the attendance line at **973-383-3227**. It is imperative that you report your child absent prior to the start of the school day if they are unable to participate in remote learning due to illness or other reason. Those students who are not called in absent will be expected to complete their remote learning assignments. A failure to do so will be reflected in their marking period grades.


If your child is absent from their in person cohort, they will be marked absent. If they are able to complete work remotely, the work will be considered as their make up work for the day but the absence will still be marked.

WEEK OF RESPECT OCT. 5TH – OCT. 9TH

Throughout our Week of Respect Stillwater students are encouraged to emphasize ways in which we respect others and our community. During Week of Respect students will learn to respect the community they live in by contributing to a service project throughout the year. Our initiative this year is to donate to Benny's Bodega to help local families in need. Some of the items Benny's Bodega collects are clothes, food, school supplies, cleaning supplies and hygiene products. Be sure to show your respectful spirit by participating in each daily theme below!



Week of Respect Flyer 2020.pdf

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CHILD CARE TUITION ASSISTANCE:

Families can now apply for child care tuition assistance to help with the care for children who have remote learning schedules due to the COVID-19 public health emergency through the NJ Department of Human Services. Eligibility requirements, how to apply, and more information about the program can be found at: www.ChildCareNJ.gov or by clicking [here](#).

This program ends December 30, 2020 and applications will be considered until funds for the program are exhausted. In order to meet eligibility you must:

- Be a NJ resident with a school-age child 5-13 years old
- Your household income does not exceed \$75,000 a year
- Your child is attending school with either a part-time or full-time remote learning schedule

This is state-sponsored program. All applications and questions about the program should be submitted to the NJ Department of Human Services by visiting www.ChildCareNJ.gov

Please click on the below flyer for more information:



Child care tuition assistance.pdf

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PRESCHOOL NEWS:

Happy Fall! The preschool classes have happily adjusted to their school routine. Meeting their teachers and making new friends has been fun! The children have been busy hearing stories, learning new songs and dances and exploring the creative centers in their classroom and outside. One of their favorite outdoor centers was fishing for letters! The new play equipment was also a big hit with the children. Everyone loved the new parachute and pogo stick! The children are anxiously awaiting the completion of the new preschool playground which will be done soon. Wishing all of our preschool friends and families a happy and safe Autumn season!



KINDERGARTEN NEWS:

Happy Fall! We just completed our first month of hybrid and remote learning. The kindergarten classes have been learning color words, the four seasons and talking about apples. We are having fun meeting with our remote learners everyday for our morning meetings and math. We love seeing our friends at home. We will be learning about fall, fire safety and pumpkins in October. Enjoy the beautiful fall colors of Sussex County!

FIRST GRADE NEWS:

We have completed our first unit in Foundations. In Foundations, we reviewed all the letter sounds. Now we are starting to tap out sounds to read and spell. We are on our way to become great readers and writers.

FALL IDEAS TO DO TOGETHER AS A FAMILY:

Budget Friendly

<https://www.everydollar.com/blog/budget-friendly-fall-activities>

50 Must do Fall Activities for Families

<https://www.todaysparent.com/family/activities/family-fall-activities/>

Autumn Bucket List!

<https://www.womansday.com/life/g2618/fall-activities-for-families/>

COMMUNITY SECTION – THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENTS:

FAIRVIEW LAKE YMCA VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

Fairview Lake YMCA Camps is hosting a virtual open house for parents to learn more about our School Year Day Camp remote learning program. The Open House will be a zoom webinar on Thursday, October 8 at noon. Parents can register for the webinar here:

<https://forms.gle/31nXPxvMujZC4AsYA>



Fall Programs at Fairview Lake - for schools.pdf
Upcoming Programs at Fairview Lake YMCA Camps

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KITTATINNY TRAVEL BASKETBALL INFORMATION

Click on the link to learn about Kittatinny Travel Basketball Registration and Tryouts

KITTATINNY PLAYERS BOOSTER CLUB INFORMATION:

"It's Pizza Fundraiser Time And We Really Knead The Dough"

October is National Pizza Month! Please celebrate with us as a community and visit one of these 6 amazing local restaurants. They will generously donate to our program for each Pizza Pie sold! Support local business, for a great cause! Take-out, Dine-in or Delivery! **Tues Oct. 6th, 4pm-9pm**

Participants this year:

Carlos Pizza and Catering- Fredon

Cescos - Fredon

Dominicks- Newton

Jimmy's Pizza- Branchville

Layton Hotel Tavern- Layton/ Sandyston
Villa Capri- Newton

The KPBC is a not for profit organization, which raises funds for the Theater Program at Kittatinny Regional High School. This allows for future performances and an enriching experience in the theater arts for our student population at Kittatinny Regional High School.

" Bringing The Community Together One Spoonful At A Time "

We are excited to announce **The Kittatinny Community Cookbook** will be available for pre-purchase on 9/21/02, at \$13 each these make a great keepsake and gift idea for the Holidays! Please visit www.theKPBC.org for easy checkout via PayPal or send payment and form attached to **KRHS Main Office. Attn: KPBC 77 Halsey Road, Newton NJ 07860**



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The Kittatinny Community Cookbook Information

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PTA INFORMATION:

Stillwater PTA

Please check this section of the newsletter weekly for PTA news, updates and special events*

You can also visit our websites at <https://stillwatertwp.memberhub.com>

like us on Facebook: "Stillwater Twp. PTA"

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Box Tops for Education update: Box Tops are moving to a completely digital format! You can still cut out and send in any remaining paper box tops however the program is moving to a digital format. You can download the Box Tops for Education app and scan your receipts right from your smart phone. Please continue to support this excellent programs which has raised over \$20,000 for the PTA over the years!