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*August 30th*

# Principal Preper's PACK NEWS

## WEEK HIGHLIGHTS

This week we welcomed our K-2 and CCD classrooms to learn about the year to come during Curriculum Night. We are so grateful for your support and appreciate your dedication to your children and their educational journey!

## NEXT WEEK

Monday we do not have school, as reserved for Labor Day.

Wednesday we have our Step it Up Fundraiser kick-off assemblies. Families you will receive lots of information about our fundraiser on Wednesday so please keep a lookout for information sent by classroom teachers.

## IMPORTANT DATES

**Sept. 11-13-** P/T Conferences  
Early Release  
**Sept. 9-13-** Book Fair  
**Sept. 19-** Bahama Bucks FDN  
**Sept. 30- Oct. 15-** Fall Break

## REMINDERS

- Avoid the bike lane
- Walk Up Parents wait under blue ramada
- Drive Up families stay in your car and we will help load children

## OUR PACK HAS YOUR BACK

We are working on improving student attendance as a school-wide goal this year. Did you know? Students who attend school regularly:

- Build relationships with teachers and peers
- Have higher self-esteem
- Achieve or exceed grade level standards
- Build lifelong attendance and punctuality habits

*Weekly Avg %  
Present*

**93%**



# INFORMATION

## COLINA

- Parent-Teacher conferences are right around the corner. We will be holding conferences from 9/10-9/13. On Tuesday, September 3rd at 3PM all staff will email their sign-up invitations to you. Please work with your teacher to determine the best time to meet and discuss your child's progress so far.

## KYRENE DISTRICT

- Beginning of the year district assessment reports have been posted to ParentVUE. Families are able to access the results through ParentVue in the documents section. Need help accessing the reports? ... See the attachment for directions with screenshots. Need help understanding the reports or how to support your child? ... See the family guide for each assessment or reach out to your child's teacher.

## Principal Message

Happy September! We have spent most of August sweating and on heat advisory -- we are hoping September brings a bit of cooler weather so students can have a full 20 minute recess! We all are looking forward to embracing better weather and getting outside more. I hope you have an amazing long weekend and check out the PTO section below for upcoming events.

*Mrs. Preper*

# Kyrene de la Colina

# PTO NEWSLETTER

P A R E N T T E A C H E R O R G A N I Z A T I O N

## IMPORTANT DATES!

9/4 Step It Up Fundraiser Kickoff  
9/9-9/13 Book Fair & Conferences  
9/19 Bahama Bucks Fundraiser  
9/28 Fall Break Begins  
10/16 Kids Return To School  
10/23 Day of Awesomeness  
10/23 Zzeeks Family Dinner Night  
11/15 Harvest Festival

## PLEASE SIGN UP!

### BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

DOWNLOAD the app!



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## PTO'S MESSAGE

**Thank you to everyone who attended our PTO community meeting! Next meeting is on ....**

ARE YOU READY FOR IT?! We are excited to kick off our  
👉STEP IT UP Fundraiser 👉  
in early September!

PTO will set up snacks and a dinner for our teachers during conferences (9/11-9/13)  
**LOOK FOR OUR SIGN UP GENIUS (COMING OUT SOON) FOR DONATION OPTIONS. WE APPRECIATE ANYTHING YOU CAN PROVIDE TO SUPPORT OUR AMAZING STAFF!**

## SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

Thanks to our AMAZING FAMILIES, our Peter Piper Pizza Family Dinner Night on 8/9 brought in \$1,191.97 for Colina!!

Winner of the Rush Xtreme gift card was **Sophia Sparks!** She guessed 86 mints (actual: 85) were in the jar- WAY TO GO!

## HELP MAKE OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY STRONG!

Please email Colina's PTO President, Jessica Perry

[KyrenedelaColinaPTO@gmail.com](mailto:KyrenedelaColinaPTO@gmail.com)

or scan the QR code and fill out the form to learn more about how you can help!

SPREAD  
THE  
WORD!



## WE'RE LOOKING FOR HARVEST FEST VOLUNTEERS

PARENTS,  
GRANDPARENTS,  
STAFF &  
COMMUNITY MEMBERS  
can volunteer!!



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## REMINDER

**We love to hear your voice!  
Please reach out to us with  
any ideas and/or feedback.**

<div>  <div> <b>2024-2025</b>  <b>COLINA PTO</b>  <b>EVENT CALENDAR</b> </div>  </div>		
 <b>JULY</b>	 <b>AUGUST</b>	 <b>SEPTEMBER</b>
07/18 WELCOME BACK BREAKFAST for Teachers  07/19 <b>KINDER ICE CREAM SOCIAL</b>  07/22 MEET THE TEACHER 5PM - 6:30PM  07/24 First Day of School 🍎	08/09 PETER PIPER PIZZA Family Dinner Night 4:00-8:00pm  08/20 <b>WATCHDOG KICKOFF</b> and <b>PTO COMMUNITY</b> 5:30-6:30pm	09/04 STEP IT UP KICKOFF  09/09 - 09/13 <b>BOOKFAIR</b> AND <b>PARENT TEACHER</b> <b>CONFERENCES</b>  09/19 Bahama Bucks Fundraise ALL DAY! JOIN US!  09/28 <b>FALL BREAK STARTS</b>
 <b>OCTOBER</b>	 <b>NOVEMBER</b>	 <b>DECEMBER</b>
09/28-10/15 FALL BREAK (KIDS RETURN ON THE 16TH)  10/23 <b>DAY OF AWESOMENESS</b>  10/23 ZZEEKS Family Dinner Night ALL DAY! JOIN US!	11/15 HARVEST FESTIVAL  11/26 <b>Chipotle Family Dinner Night!</b> <b>JOIN US!</b> 4:00-8:00pm	12/21-01/06 WINTER BREAK (KIDS RETURN ON THE 7TH)  TBD <b>FAMILY HOLIDAY</b> <b>PARTY/ BINGO</b>
 <b>JANUARY</b>	 <b>FEBRUARY</b>	 <b>MARCH</b>
01/06 WINTER BREAK ENDS (KIDS RETURN ON THE 7TH)  01/15 <b>ZZEEKS FAMILY DINNER</b> <b>NIGHT ALL DAY! JOIN US!</b>	TBD FAMILY DANCE  02/05-02/07 <b>BOOK FAIR</b> and <b>PARENT TEACHER</b> <b>CONFERENCES</b>  02/20 DQ Family Dinner Night ALL DAY! JOIN US!	03/08-03/24 SPRING BREAK (KIDS RETURN ON 25TH)  <b>READ ACROSS AMERICA</b>  BOOK-A-THON
 <b>APRIL</b>	 <b>MAY</b>	 <b>JUNE</b>
TBD BIKE/WALK TO SCHOOL WATCHDOG EVENT  TBD <b>FAMILY DINNER NIGHT</b>	05/05-05/09 TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK! 🍷 5/6 <b>PTO COMMUNITY MEETING</b> <b>JOIN US!</b> 05/13 In & Out Family Dinner Night JOIN US! 3:30-7:30pm 5/21 <b>PETER PIPER PIZZA Family Dinner</b> <b>Night Yearbook signing</b> 4:00-8:00pm 05/29 Last Day of School!	<b>Enjoy</b> <b>your</b> <i>SUMMER!</i>

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