



MATAWAN-ABERDEEN CONNECTIONS

CLIFFWOOD NEWSLETTER

November 3, 2024

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Message from Mrs. Cherence

Dear Cliffwood Families,

We hope this message finds you well! Our students had a fantastic time participating in the Halloween Parade and enjoying their class parties filled with Halloween fun. A heartfelt thank you to all the families who volunteered their time, contributed treats and games, and cheered on their little ones during the parade. Your support truly made the celebrations special!

We also have an exciting event coming up, **save the date for Lanterns and Literature on November 14th from 6:00 to 7:00 PM!** Join us for a magical evening in the Cliffwood Garden under the lights, and feel free to come in your pajamas! Check out the flyer below for more details.

As a reminder, we will have an early dismissal this Wednesday, November 6th, at 1:20 PM. Please note that school will be closed on Thursday, November 7th, and Friday, November 8th.

We look forward to a wonderful week ahead!

Congratulations Star Students



Cliffwood Counseling Newsletter from Ms. Pietrangelo



Parent/Teacher Conferences

Save the Date! Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences 12/3 Afternoon, 12/4 Evening

Halloween Parade & Party Fun at Cliffwood School!



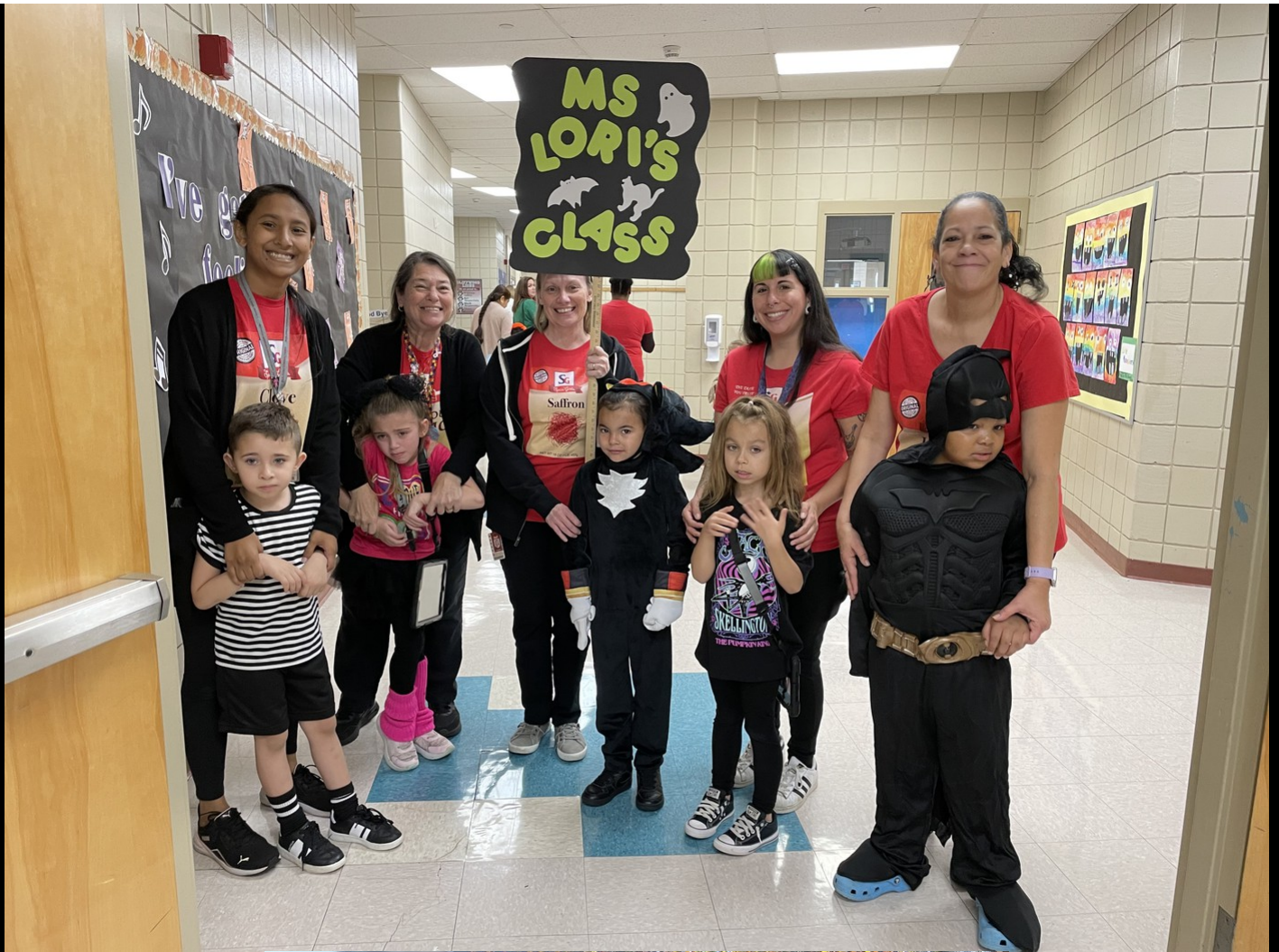














Cliffwood PTO- Stay In The Know

Cliffwood's Garden Club is happy to present

Lanterns and Literature



Children and families are invited to join us for a special night time event full of reading, crafts, and fun. We will be reading in our beautiful garden so come in your pajamas or something comfortable and be sure to bring a blanket to sit on during the book.

Each student attending will receive their own flashlight to use during the read aloud and will receive a grab and go snack before they leave. We cannot wait to see you and your family there!

Cost of event: \$5.00 per family, CASH only paid in advance- please send payment in a sealed envelope with your child's name, grade level, and teacher name.

When: Thursday, November 14th from 6:00-7:00.

Doors open at 5:50 for registration.

Please use Door 16 when entering and exiting the building.





Cliffwood Elementary PTO

COIN WAR FUNDRAISER



STARTS 11/3 THRU 11/14

EACH CLASS WILL BATTLE IT OUT TO FILL UP JUGS WITH COINS!
CLASSES WITH THE HIGHEST AMOUNT OF COIN POINTS WILL WIN!



THE PRIZES:

1ST PLACE: CLASS ICE CREAM PARTY
2ND PLACE: CLASS PIZZA PARTY
3RD PLACE: FREE SCHOOL STORE
ITEM



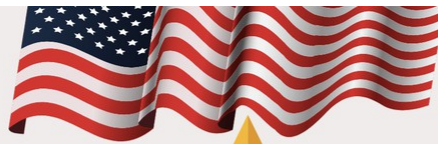
ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS OUR LIBRARY FUND,
WHICH WILL HELP FILL UP OUR LIBRARY WITH NEW
BOOKS, STEM MATERIALS, AND BOOKS FOR EACH
CLASSROOM.



**PLEASE SEND YOUR DONATIONS IN
A ZIPLOCK BAG LABELED WITH
YOUR CHILD'S NAME, TEACHER,
AND AMOUNT ENCLOSED**



HOSTED BY THE
CLIFFWOOD PTO



TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2024

JOIN US TO HONOR ALL WHO HAVE SERVED

**BRING A SPECIAL VETERAN OR ACTIVE MEMBER
OF OUR MILITARY FOR A PINNING CEREMONY,
SWEET TREATS, & REFRESHMENTS**

6:30-7:30 PM

CLIFFWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA

\$1 PER PERSON ATTENDING

VETERANS ARE FREE!

**STUDENTS HONORING THEIR VETERAN MAY BRING A PRE-
WRITTEN, BRIEF SPEECH (OPTIONAL)**

PLEASE COMPLETE FORM BELOW AND RETURN TO TEACHER WITH PAYMENT BY 11/4/25

OF GUESTS ATTENDING: _____

STUDENT/STUDENT'S NAME(S): _____

NAME OF YOUR SPECIAL GUEST(S): _____



*Need to get rid of extra
Halloween candy?*

Cliffwood Elementary
will be collecting candy
to donate to our troops!

Please send candy
donations in with
student or drop off to
Main Office by 11/8/24,
labeled "Treats for
Troops"

Join Us this Month for Our November PTO Meeting

**Who?:**

Parents/grandparents, teachers,
administrators, support staff

**When?:**

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

Where?:

Cliffwood Elementary School Cafeteria

Find ways to get involved with your child's school!
There are many opportunities to volunteer and we
are always welcome to hear your concerns, questions,
ideas, and feedback.

We are looking for volunteers to help with our holiday
events!

You do not need to be a member to attend meetings!



Email questions to cliffwoodpto422@gmail.com

Save the Date for the
Cliffwood PTO's Annual

WINTER FESTIVAL

Friday, December 13, 2024

We will be collecting donation items for this event,
including new/unused toys & games, household items, gift
cards/cash etc. These items will be used as prizes for our
gift auction. If you are able, please drop off any donations
to the main office labeled "PTO Donation"
Please contact us if you have a local business that would
like to donate products or services!

Email cliffwoodpto422@gmail.com for more information!



Dates to Keep in Mind

11/6- Early Dismissal- School Dismisses at 1:20 PM
11/7 & 11/8- School Closed
11/12- Veterans' Pinning 6:30-7:30 in the Cliffwood Cafeteria
11/14- Lanterns and Literature 6-7 PM in the Cliffwood Garden
11/20- Cliffwood PTO Meeting 6:00 PM in the Cliffwood Cafeteria



CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITIES



Matawan-Aberdeen Regional
School District

