



Trumble Park Elementary Newsletter

July 30, 2026

Roadrunner Reminders

Monday, August 3rd- PTO/6th grade TP Grounds Clean-up 6:00-7:00 pm

Friday, August 7th- Classroom Teachers emailed out

Monday, August 10th- Kindergarten Ice Cream Social 5:00-6:00 pm

Tuesday, August 11th- Back to School Open House 5:00-6:00 pm

Wednesday, August 12- First Day of School--Early Dismissal 11:40 pm

Tuesday, August 18- 6th Grade Instrumental Display/Rental Night 6:30-7:00 pm

August 26-27- Outdoor Education -6th Grade

Friday, August 28- 6th Grade- No School

Monday, August 31- School Picture Day

Principal's Corner

Hello Trumble Park Families,

It is a privilege to join the Trumble Park Community. I will be reading the book *The Reason for a Flower* to open our staff meeting this year. The author talks about the reason for flowers and all the different purposes, colors, shapes, sizes, etc and how important each one is to the ecosystem. We are much the same...different in so many ways,, but SO important to the world; especially our Trumble Park community. I look forward to meeting each one of you at Back to School Night on August 11, 5-6.

I would like to share a safety suggestion from personal experience. Bike riding is something my entire family enjoys. As a matter of fact, 3 of my grandchildren are in a mountain biking club. When my middle son was in 4th grade, as he was riding his bike down our hill to school his chain fell off. As he bent down to hook the chain back up, his bike hit the hitch on the back of a truck and he fell head first off the front of the handle bars and hit his head on the hitch. The doctor shared the fact that he was wearing a helmet saved his life. As a healthy habit, I would love to see our community bike and ride to school. If you bike, please wear a helmet; it could save your life.

My office door is open if you would like to schedule an appointment to come in and visit about any questions. Two way and open communication is the key for us to support your student's success here at TP.

Kindest regards

Pam Lowndes

Nurse's Corner

All health record updates need to be turned in to the office by Friday, August 7th.



Lunchroom's Corner

Lunch Menu

Kindergarten: 11:00-11:30

1st Grade: 11:25-11:45

2nd Grade: 11:40-12:00

3rd Grade: 11:55-12:15

4th Grade: 12:10-12:30

5th Grade: 12:25-12:45

6th Grade: 12:40-1:00

P.T.O. Corner



Arrivals and Dismissals

K-6 student arrival time - 7:50-8:05

No students or parents should be on school grounds before 7:50 unless going to Kids Club or riding District transportation.

When students arrive they will either go to breakfast through the cafeteria door, or to their classroom through the main entrance. Breakfast will begin at 7:50 and will be in the cafeteria.

All students will exit the building out their assigned door and walk around to gather siblings. If you have older siblings who will be picking up younger siblings, please discuss and practice a meeting

spot for them prior to the first day.

3:00 Kindergarten + siblings, Kids Club, Safety Patrol

3:05 All others

DROP OFF AND PICK UP IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL ON VALLEY

To keep our students safe and our traffic running smoothly, only families with the designated yellow passes may drop off or pick up in front of the school on Valley.

Valley Road in front of the school is **ONLY** to be used by PLCS transportation, daycare vans, and parents who have received permission from the school.

Please place your yellow pass on dash so staff can clearly see the pass.

Since 90th street is closed, yellow pass drivers will have to turn around in the circle drive further up Valley Road and return down Valley. See the map.

REMINDERS:

Valley Road directly in front of the school/main entrance is **ONLY** to be used by PLCS transportation, daycare vans, and parents who have received permission from the school.

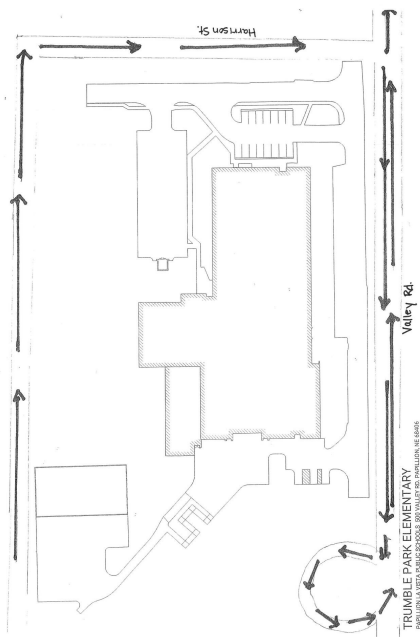
When stopped on Harrison for drop off/pick up, please don't stop in front of the parking lot entrances. Some of our staff arrive and leave at various times throughout the day.

Parents of walkers: If a student walks to school, it's recommended that the parent designate a meeting location to meet siblings/others for walking to and from school.

Parents Driving: please stay in your vehicle in the through lanes of traffic.

When dropping off or picking up, please wait off school grounds, which in most cases is just across the street. This supports student safety on the sidewalks and traffic flow.

If you need to pick up your student during the day, you can ring the doorbell, identify yourself and your student. Office staff will have you sign your student out in the front office. If your student is returning from an appointment, please walk them into the building and sign them in.



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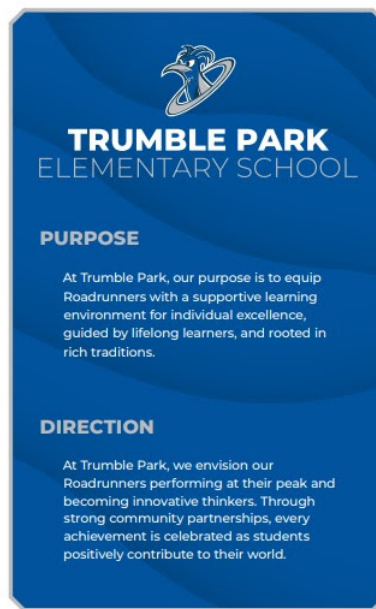
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