

October 13th, 2017

Wednesday, October 18th is an early dismissal Wednesday. Students will be dismissed at 12:45.

Thank you to the PTO for paying for Marc Levitt, Author in Residence this week at PRS. Marc connected with all of the classes at least three times throughout the five days he was here. He told stories and helped students understand the process of writing as well as generating ideas and elaborating on those ideas. Thank you PTO Board for supporting this program for our students.

We truly enjoyed our Annual walk to school this morning! While cool out, it was a beautiful autumn morning. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped and for parents who allowed their children to participate. Mrs. Beeler, we are grateful that you organize this for use each year!

This week is Fire Safety Week and our K-2 students enjoyed a visit from the SWFD on Thursday. The report from our guests was that the kids were amazing and well behaved. The students enjoyed spraying water from the fire hose, learning about fire safety and the fire fighters even brought a bounce house this year!

Julie Rataczak will host a 3-5 Math Morning for Parents on Oct 25 at 7:40. The focus will be on supporting Fact Fluency at home. Please come out and learn more about fact fluency, its importance and strategies to help your 3-5 child at home. See the flyer attached.

Attached please find Mrs. Heneghan, our School Nurse's newsletter!

Please join us on Thursday, October 19, 2017 for our second annual STEM Night. Drop in anytime between 6:30-8:00. We will have tables set up by grade level so students can showcase their current STEM modules. Families should feel free to visit all tables, and enjoy the hands-on STEM activities. Don't forget to grab an engineering bag for more STEM fun at home.

This year Unity Day is scheduled for Wednesday, October 25th. We are encouraging students to wear orange and stand up against meanness and bullying.

This year International Mix it Up Day is scheduled for Tuesday, October 31st. During lunch students will be asked to mix things up and sit with someone they ordinarily would not sit with.

On Monday, November 13th we will host our annual Veteran's Day Tiger Time assembly from 9:00-9:30 a.m. It is a lovely ceremony. Please see the attached flyer with more information.

The fifth grade teachers have asked that parents of students in grades K-4 save pictures over the next several years so when the students get to grade 5 there will be a nice archive of pictures from through their PRS years that can be included in the grade 5 yearbooks!

Please note that the Shared Leadership Team meeting met last week and made some adjustments to our Tiger Time Dates/Times. Here are the dates/times for the 2017-2018 school year. Monday, October 23rd at 2:30, Monday, November 13th at 9:00, Tuesday, December 19th at 2:30, Tuesday, January 23rd at 9:00, Monday, February 26th at 2:30, Monday, March 19th at 9:00, Tuesday, April 24th at 2:30, Tuesday, May 22nd at 9:00 and Friday, June 8th at 2:30.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Upcoming Dates

STEM Night-October 19th

3-5 Math morning-October 25th

Fondly, Michelle