Kincheloe Elementary School

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Building Schedule of Events 2022-202

2022-2023 Newsletter 7, October 14, 2022

- Oct 17 NO SCHOOL Staff Professional Development
- Oct 19 PTO meeting
- Oct 24 Fall Picture Day
- Oct 26 Pumpkin Social
- Oct 27 Popcorn Thursday
- Nov 2 & 3 Fall conferences

In a couple of weeks, we will hold parent teacher conferences. We believe that communication between home and school is critical in providing an effective instructional environment for our children. We look forward to your insights regarding your child's education and input about the school year. As a parent/guardian, you provide valuable information for your child's classroom teacher, so they are better able to address your child's needs. Our teachers truly appreciate your support that you give to your child in his/her education while at home. During your conference, your child's teacher will be sharing information about district curricula, your child's achievement, work habits, and peer relationships. Please feel free to write down any questions and bring them to the conference. Sign up forms came home today.



PTO: We encourage all of our parents to be involved with our PTO. Our meetings are at 4:00 in our media center. The next meeting will be October 19th. The PTO needs many volunteers to organize and coordinate the Pumpkin Social. Please attend the PTO meeting on October 19th. We will discuss the Pumpkin Social. You will need to have a volunteer form on file to help at any school event. We are asking for donations of candy, snack cakes and any other Halloween trinkets.

Our Fall Fundraiser started last week. Forms were sent home.

Dismissal car riders: We have sent home signs to hang in your car with your child's name on it. If you didn't get one contact the school office. To facilitate our line moving along we would also like you to load your car on the passenger side next to the sidewalk. Please remember to use the pick up line and not the parking lot, and buckle up for safety. If you are picking up your child early you must sign them out in the office.

Students should bring their own refillable water bottle for the school day.

<u>Reminder:</u> We are into Fall now so please watch the weather and dress your child appropriately. Mark coats and jackets with names.

We've Been Asked to Announce:

Trunk of Treat Sunday October 23rd 5-7PM. Join us for our annual Trunk or Treat, Bounce Houses, Hot Chocolate, Hayrides, & More. Bring your own Treat bucket. Free Admission, prizes for the most creative trunk. Apostolic Lighthouse Church 30402 M-62 Dowagiac, MI.

Halloween Daddy-Daughter Dance, presented by the Young Professionals of Greater Dowagiac. October 23rd 4-6PM at Marion Magnolia Farms. Costumes welcome. Advance tickets available \$5 and \$10 the day of the dance. Flyers came home today.

SMC Spooktacular Trunk or Treat will be held Oct. 31st 5-6:30 PM at the S.A.C Parking lot @ the Dowagiac campus. Organized by the Nursing Department. All ages welcome.