

#### Centre Elementary School

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#### October 2021 - Centre School - Newsletter

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The warm weather has helped to keep a *summer* atmosphere with us but the reality is that it is now the *fall* and that means it is time to get back into the swing of things. The school bell rings each morning at 8:30 and the day begins. I am happy to report that the school year is off to a great start and the children are truly enjoying each and every day!

For a school to be successful, we need teachers, parents, and students working together. Our recent virtual *Open House* was well attended as was our *Meet The Teacher Day* prior to school starting. I want to thank you for this great partnership! During our first full weeks of school, students have established routines, practiced emergency drills, and are fully involved in all aspects of learning. The 2021-2022 school year is truly off to a great beginning and we all look forward to a wonderful year. Please keep in close contact with teachers and don't forget to check our website at <a href="https://centre-school.sau90.org/">https://centre-school.sau90.org/</a> for updated information about school events, emergency situations, and curriculum information.

As part of our Responsive Classroom approach, teachers have been busy working with their students on their academic *Hopes and Dreams* for the school year. For more information, visit the website <a href="www.responsiveclassroom.org">www.responsiveclassroom.org</a> or call the Centre School Counselor, Samantha Connell. During the school year, Mrs. Connell will continue to visit all classrooms and conduct mini lessons.

Students and teachers discussed their *Hopes and Dreams* together and created rules for their classrooms. We also use the Responsive Classroom strategies to create playground rules. At Centre School we abide by the following rules:

#### Playground Rules

Walk near the equipment.

Go down slides sitting with feet first.

Wait for people to get off slide.

Use and get off equipment safely.

#### Centre School Rules

Stay safe and healthy with yourself and others.

Obey the Golden Rule: Treat others the way you want to be treated.

Always bring your best behavior to school every day.

Respect and take care of everything in our school and in our classrooms.

Planning ahead, please note that our fall parent/teacher conferences will be coming up early next month. These conferences are individual appointments with the teacher to discuss student progress. We are planning for the first week of November to begin these conferences. Teachers will be contacting you with information on this in a few weeks.

#### School Nurse Message

"SAY BOO to the FLU!" It's that time of year when viruses seem to circulate! To keep everyone as healthy as possible please remember these important steps:

- Get plenty of rest
- Ensure adequate water and fluid intake
- Eat a wide variety of fruits and vegetables
- Stay active and incorporate exercise into daily routines

- Stay home when sick- even with mild symptoms
- Wash your hands often with soap and water or use hand sanitizer
- Consider getting your flu shot- October is the ideal time to have it administered

#### **School Counselor Message**

The school year is off and running and you want to know about your student's day, but sometimes getting children to give you answers is impossible! Here is a list of some of my favorite conversation starters:

- What was the best thing that happened at school today?
- What made you feel happy at school today?
- What made you laugh today?
- Tell me one thing that you learned today.
- I always played soccer during recess. What do you and your friends like to do?
- Pretend you are your teacher. How would you describe your day?
- If you got to be the teacher tomorrow, what would you do?
- How did you help somebody today?
- How did somebody help you today?
- What word did your teacher say most today?

Asking open-ended questions and talking about your own experiences can help your child open up. Remember, questions should be asked in a natural manner, not all questions will result in long answers and some days your child may just not feel like talking.

I hope you enjoy some of these conversation starters with your child!

Samantha Connell School Counselor

#### IMPORTANT DATES/INFORMATION

Please refer to the following list of dates and upcoming events. Especially notice that on Mon., October 11<sup>th</sup> there is no school for Columbus Day and that Weds., Oct. 20 is an early release day (12:00 dismissal).

This newsletter is published at the end of each month. It is also published on the school's website.

#### October Events

Oct. 3-9 – Fire Prevention Week (walking trips to fire station)

Oct. 11 – NO SCHOOL – Columbus Day

Oct. 12 – Hampton School Board Mtg 6:00 PM

Oct. 19 – Hampton PTA Meeting 7 PM @ H. Academy café

Oct. 20 – Early Release 12:00

Oct. 23 – Halloween Town @ Marston 5:30-8:30 PM

Oct. 26 – Picture Re-Take Day

## LUNCH

# OCTOBER 2021

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without notice

Popcorn Chicken Steamed WG Rice Or Egg Salad Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	(2) Yogurt Lunch 8 Fresh Baked Pretzel Or Sun Butter & Jelly Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Bagel Cheese Pizza <mark>115</mark> Or Sun Butter & Jelly Veggie, Fruit, Milk	"Let go my Eggo" Waffle Yogurt & Cheese Stx Or Turkey Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Galaxy Pizza Round 20. Or Italian Hoagie Veggie, Fruit, Milk
Thursday	Pillsbury Maple Pancakes Cheese Stick Or Bologna Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Chicken Tenders 14 Smiley Potatoes Or Bologna Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Nacho's & Cheese 21 Warm Pretzel Or Italian Hoagie Sub Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Plain Bagel W/Cream Cheese (1) Yogurt & Cheese Stick Or Ham & Cheese Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk
Wednesday	Domino's Smart Slice, Pizza Or Sun Butter & Jelly Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Cheeseburger Bag of Chips Or Ham & Cheese Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Carnival Corn Dog 20 Creamy Cole Slaw Salad OR EARLY RELEASE DAY Sun Butter & Jelly Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Domino's Smart Slice 7 Pizza Or Cheese Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk
Thesday	French Toast Sticks Sausage Patti Or Ham & Cheese Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Max Pizza Sticks 12 Marinara Sauce Or Tuna Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Greamy Mac & Cheese C Honey Wheat Roll Or Bologna Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Chicken & Rice Honey Wheat Roll Or Turkey Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk
Monday	Chicken Patti on a B <mark>un.</mark> Or Turkey Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	NO SCHOOL Columbus Day	Crispy Fish Sticks 18 Bag of Chips Or Cheese Sandwich Veggie, Fruit, Milk	Ball Park Franks 25 Stuffed Cheddar Pretzel Or Sun Butter & Jelly Veggie, Fruit, Milk

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