

OCTOBER 16, 2020



TIGER TOWN NEWSLETTER

SAY CHEESE!



Picture Day Reminder

Class Pictures are next Monday & Tuesday! See the attached flyers for details & schedule.

"Eye" Scream Sundaes

Make your Halloween extra spooky with these fun "eye" scream sundae kits from McCools. Order at www.caspto.com. Pick up on Friday, October 30th.



Virtual Welcome Coffee - save the date!

Our New Family Welcome Team will be hosting a **Virtual Coffee Meet-up on Monday, October 26th at 7:30pm** for parents who are new to CAS. This year's "coffee" has been scheduled during the evening so that more parents can attend our traditional event.

Meet the Welcome Team, engage with other new families, ask questions, learn how to navigate school resources, & get connected to our CAS community! **Our Invitation Flyer is included below.**

We're looking forward to meeting you!

The New Family Welcome Team

(caswelcome@gmail.com)

Courtney Supple, Stephanie Mori, Vanessa Porter, and Dolores Salaberri

Upcoming Dates

- See attached calendar

Attached Flyers

- CAS Scholastic Book Fair
- 1st Special Areas Newsletter
- "Eye Scream" Sundae Fundraiser
- Picture Day Info & Schedule
- New Family Welcome Coffee
- PTO Dues (English & Spanish)
- Pizza Wednesdays
- Walk to School October (3pgs)
- ShopRite - Bonus Box Tops

Pizza Wednesday

Make Wednesday super easy!

Order from Romanelli's Pizza on Wednesdays, mention CAS and a portion of the sales goes to 4th-grade fundraising.



Keep them coming! We've raised approximately \$5,500 so far! Our goal is a 75% participation rate, but at this time we are only at 42%. **Please help us reach our goal!** You can donate online at www.caspto.com or Venmo @CASPTO

Stay Connected to CAS

- CAS Facebook Page: http://bit.ly/CAS_FB
- Sign-up for the Remind APP <https://www.remind.com/join/caspto>
- Weekly Tiger Town News



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UPCOMING DATES

OCTOBER

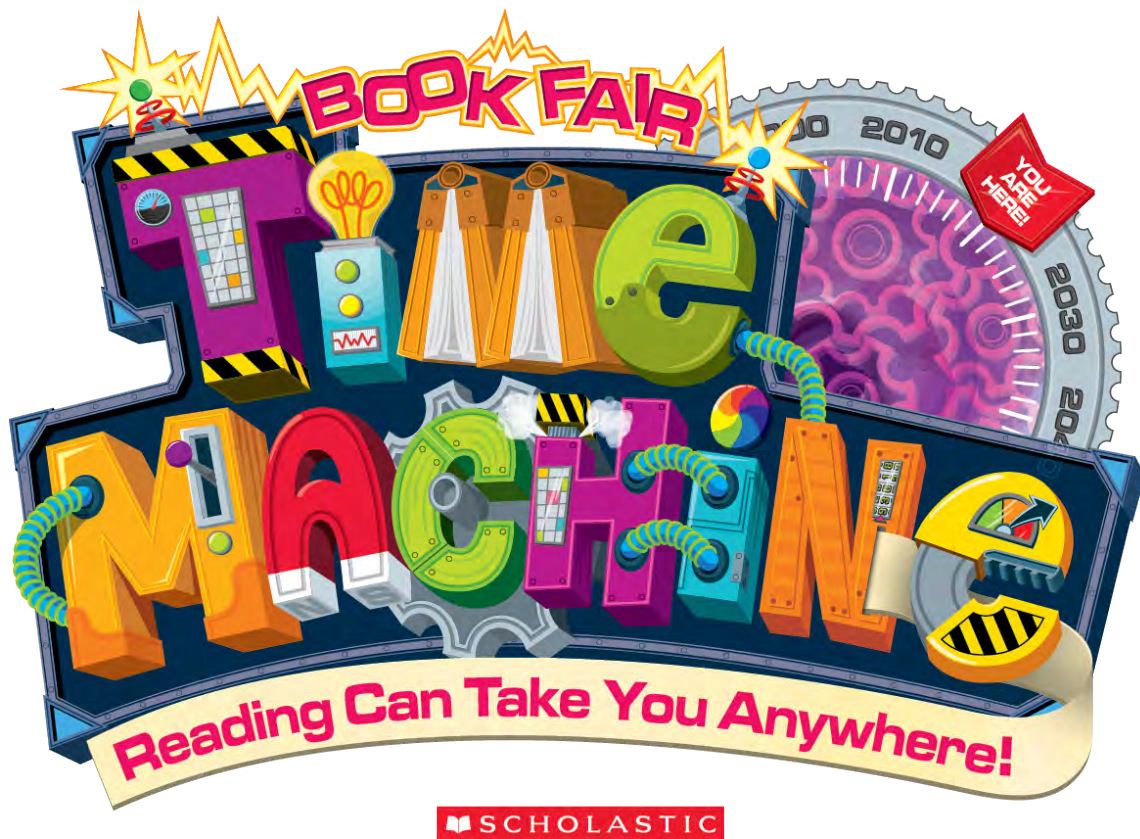
19 - 20	Mon - Tues	CAS Picture Days	
26	Wednesday	New Family Virtual Coffee	7:30pm
26 - 30	Mon - Fri	Red Ribbon Week	
28	Wednesday	Assembly – Mummy at Mystery Mansion	1pm & 2pm
30	Friday	Halloween Celebration	11:30am – 12:45pm
30	Friday	Eye Scream Sundae Pick-Up	

NOVEMBER

2 - 15		Scholastic Book Fair	
3	Tuesday	REMOTE LEARNING DAY*	
5 - 6	Thurs - Fri	SCHOOLS CLOSED – NJEA Convention	

***Tuesday, November 3rd**

This is a Remote day for ALL Students due to the Governor's Executive Order. Students will have virtual classes on this day!



CAS Book Fair

* ONLINE ONLY *

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Monday, November 2 - Sunday, November 15, 2020

- * All book-only orders over \$25 ship for FREE directly to your home!
- * All sales benefit our school!

Any questions? Contact
Angela Peterson petersonfamily00@gmail.com
Megan Brodbeck meganhobbs00@yahoo.com

Thank you for your support!!!!

MADISON ELEMENTARY SPECIAL AREAS

OCTOBER 16, 2020

The Latest News in Art, Music, PE, STEAM and Media

Welcome to the first edition of our Madison elementary special area newsletter. Madison Public Schools believes that a well-rounded education includes access to courses outside of the four core content areas. The district has a long history of supporting a diverse educational experience for students and has made it a priority to continue that support during the 2020-2021 school year. This year, our special area teachers will be shared among the three elementary schools, providing consistency in each grade level while teaching and learning in this virtual format. We hope this newsletter will provide a glimpse into the amazing work being done by our special area educators!



Important Links

[Guide to the Special Areas](#)

[Special Area Classroom Codes](#)



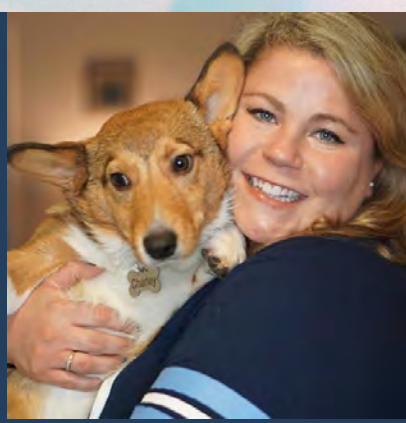
Questions or comments? Reach out to Stacy Snider,
K-5 Instructional Coach of Special Areas
sniders@madisonnjps.org

Teacher Spotlight

Each week we will highlight one of our many amazing special area teachers. This week we spotlight Donna Ward. Miss Ward is the general music and chorus teacher at Torey J. and Kings

Road Schools! A lifelong Madisonian, Miss Ward participated in all sorts of activities growing up, especially arts activities like band, chorus, and musical theater. After graduating from Madison High School, Miss Ward studied theater and vocal performance at Muhlenberg College. Since 2013, Miss Ward has been the lead singer of Mama D & the Vexations, a local cover band that performs all over NJ.

Highlights of Miss Ward's time teaching in Madison include directing the KRS choruses as well as "The Little Mermaid Jr.", "A Midsummer Night's Dream", and a virtual production of "Alice in Wonderland Jr." Miss Ward resides in Fanwood, NJ with her fiancé, Guy, and their two corgis, Charley and Lily.



Madison Music & Arts

Have a student involved in band, chorus, orchestra or theatre? Visit the MMA Swag Shop for all the latest gear-- just in time for the holidays! Visit

<https://sfstrat.com/mma-2020/> to place your order. Shop closes November 8 and orders will be received before the winter holidays. While you're online, please consider joining the MMA as an active member!

Update from the Library: Spotlight on 3rd Grade

Ms. Karen Bessin reports that third graders in all three elementary schools are continuing to share stories about people's names in our weekly Library / Media classes. We have read *The Name Jar*, *Alma and How she Got her Name*, and *My Name is Sangoel*. This week, we will read *Your Name is a Song*. For our last class of the unit, students will have an opportunity to create a digital story (true or fictional) about their own name.



McCools Ice Cream & Frozen Yogurt PRESENTS



IT CAME FROM THE S!

SUPPORT CAS 4TH GRADE CLASS BY BUILDING YOUR OWN
"EYE SCREAM" SUNDAE

KIT AT MCCOOL'S ICE CREAM PARLOR

PICK UP YOUR ORDER FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

A PORTION OF THE PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT CENTRAL AVENUE SCHOOL'S 4TH GRADE CLASS

COUNTRYSIDESTUDIOS

PORTRAITURE

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Countryside Studios is grateful to be offering Central Avenue Picture Day on **October 19th and 20th**. We will be photographing outside this year and adhering to all school health and safety guidelines. We are extremely excited to offer you something different, even if it is because of the circumstances. We plan on photographing rain or shine, but it is after all, 2020

Some things to know:

1. We cannot have parents help with preparing the children to be photographed, we cannot make any adjustments or fix any misplaced hair six feet apart. We will do our best to help from a distance. As for now, there will be no retakes this year. We may be able to offer something in the spring for those who miss picture day, it all depends on circumstances currently out of our control.
2. Remote Students will be contacted by the school to schedule their pictures. You will be able to bring your children in after school on October 19th and 20th by appointment only. Please come at your scheduled time so there is no back up or wait. Parents will be asked to adhere to social distancing and to stay off to the side while we take your child's portrait.
3. Class photos will be composites of picture day pictures.
4. We are taking one photograph of every child with their masks on to mark the 2020 school year. They will take their masks off for actual pictures.

We look forward to working with your children!



Central Avenue School
SCHOOL PHOTOS
October 19 and 20
Monday and Tuesday

Monday, October 19* (see note below)

Class	Class
Shaw/Cyrana	Alkhalidi/Doran
Lubin/Naldzin/Chambers	Piscitello/Chioffe/Samuelsen
Herring/Natale	Burke/LeCocq
Trilling/Dacey	Mastaglio/Zahtila
Mullins/McKee	Delli Paoli/Baron
Anderson/DuRie	Attilio/Manley
O'Brien/Duffy	Jackson/Buonocore

Tuesday, October 20

Class	Class
Shaw/Cyrana	Alkhalidi/Doran
Lubin/Naldzin/Chambers	Piscitello/Chioffe/Samuelsen
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***NOTE: 4 and 5 day students will have pictures taken on Monday, October 19th**

There is no form to fill out prior to picture taking. Proofs will be sent home in November with instructions on how to order or retake.

Questions, please contact Mrs. Streit, smdstreit@gmail.com



Welcome to Central Avenue School

The New Family Welcome Team invites parents and caregivers who are new to Central Avenue School to join us for a **Virtual Evening Coffee Meet-up**.

Meet our Welcome Team, ask questions, engage with other new families and connect with our school community!

DATE: [Monday, October 26th](#)

TIME: [7:30pm](#)

LINK: [Link to Zoom Meet-up](#)

Courtney Supple, Stephania Mori, Vanessa Porter & Dolores Salaberri*

[CAS New Family Welcome Team](#)

** Spanish-speaking Member available to translate*



Central Avenue School PTO

50 Central Avenue Madison, NJ 07940

Support CAS with PTO Dues!

Please support the CAS PTO (Parent-Teacher Organization) with your voluntary annual dues donation. We are a volunteer-run organization focused on enriching the CAS learning community. Your generous contribution allows the PTO to carry out activities for CAS students and teachers such as lessons in the garden, checking out books, participating in assemblies, International Day, STEM activities, family events, playing chess or many other PTO programs.

We are asking for \$35 per family donation.

Please contribute more or less as your circumstances allow. Questions about Dues or anything PTO? Please contact your PTO Presidents at caspto@gmail.com

Thank you for supporting CAS!

**SCHOOL YEAR 2020/2021
4 OPTIONS TO DONATE!**

1. **Pay online through Square** at www.caspto.com
2. **Pay by Venmo: @CASPTO**
3. **Corporate Matches.** Log onto your Corporate Giving/Match/Volunteer site and Search for Central Avenue School PTO or ID: 22-3147065. Your donation will be directed to Central Avenue School and your Company may Match.
4. Use the form below and send in Cash

Where do my PTO Dues go?

- ✓ CAS Learning Gardens
- ✓ Library Books and support
- ✓ Assemblies and enrichment programs
- ✓ Family events such as Ice Cream Social, Bingo Night, Family Fun Fest
- ✓ International Day, STEM Fair
- ✓ Teacher supplies and much more!

If paying cash, please enclose this slip and \$35 cash per family, or what you can pay, in an *envelope addressed: "PTO Dues"*. Send dues to school with your child or put it in the PTO mailbox in the office.

FAMILY NAME: _____

STUDENT NAME(S) & GRADE: _____

EMAIL: _____

2019-2020 Dues	\$
Additional Donation	\$
Total Enclosed	\$

Thank you!!



Asociación de Padres de la Escuela Central

50 Central Avenue Madison, NJ 0740

El PTO es un grupo de padres voluntarios y hacemos muchas actividades para la escuela Central. Este año deseamos su ayuda y colaboración para que podamos enriquecer a nuestra comunidad educativa. Su generosa contribución permite que podamos realizar actividades como lecciones en el jardín, ayudar en la biblioteca, participar en las asambleas, actividades en el día internacional, actividades de STEM, eventos familiares, juegos de ajedrez y muchas más actividades.

Estamos pidiendo una colaboración de \$35 dólares por familia como donación, contribuir es completamente opcional y es dependiendo a sus circunstancias económicas (puede ser menos si usted lo desea). Si tiene alguna pregunta o duda acerca de PTO (asociación de padres) no dude en contactarnos directamente al caspto@gmail.com

¡Gracias anticipadas por su apoyo a CAS!

AÑO ESCOLAR 2020/2021 ¡Hay 4 OPCIONES PARA DONAR!

1. Pague en línea www.madisonpublicschools.org/caspto
2. Paga con Venmo: @CASPTO
3. Nuevo este año: partidos corporativos. Inicie sesión en su sitio "Corporate Giving / Match / Volunteer" y busque el PTO de Central Avenue School o ID: 22-3147065. Su donación se dirigirá a Central Avenue School y su empresa puede donar la misma cantidad.
4. Utilice el formulario a continuación y envíe en efectivo

Si paga en efectivo, adjunte este comprobante y \$ 35 en efectivo por familia, o lo que pueda pagar, en un sobre con la dirección: "Cuotas del PTO". Envíe las cuotas a la escuela con su hijo o póngalas en el buzón del PTO en la oficina.

APELLIDO: _____

NOMBRE (S) Y GRADO DEL ESTUDIANTE: _____

CORREO ELECTRÓNICO: _____

Cuotas 2020-2021 \$ _____

Donación adicional \$ _____

PIZZA

WEDNESDAYS

at *Romanelli's*

Support

CAS 4TH GRADE CLASS

Every Wednesday with Romanelli's Pizza & Italian Eatery!

**JUST MENTION CAS WHEN ORDERING
OR PRINT AND BRING IN THIS FLYER!**

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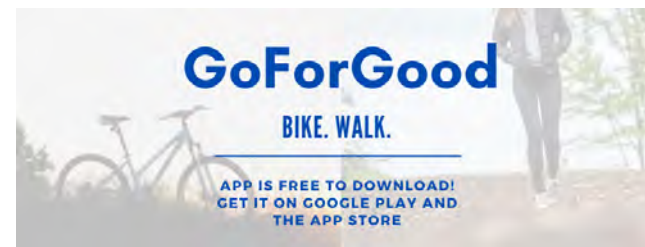
Walk & Roll Your Route



Celebrate all October by
Walking & Rolling Your
Route to School or
Around Your
Neighborhood!



Log your trip on our GoForGood app and see who else from your school is joining in too! Your trip enters you for a chance to win a raffle prize at the end of October. Trips must be 1/2 mile or more to be logged.



Don't forget to practice safe social distancing and only walk & roll with family



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GoForGood
BIKE. WALK.

APP IS FREE TO DOWNLOAD!
GET IT ON GOOGLE PLAY AND
THE APP STORE

October is International Walk/Bike to School Month!

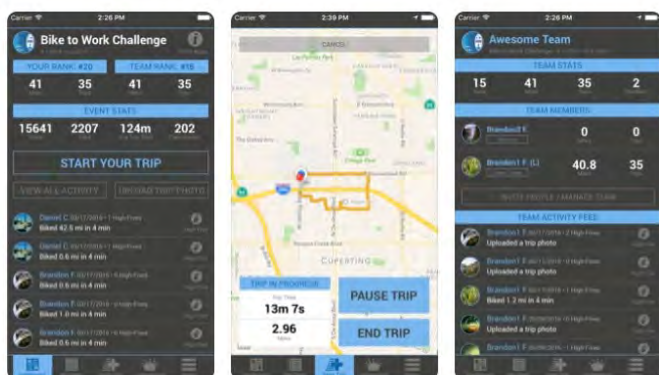
To celebrate TransOptions will be drawing a raffle at the end of the month for those who log their walking or biking trips. The more trips you log, the higher your chances of winning will be!



GoForGood
Travel

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Step 1: Download TransOptions' free GoForGood app from the App Store and Google Play

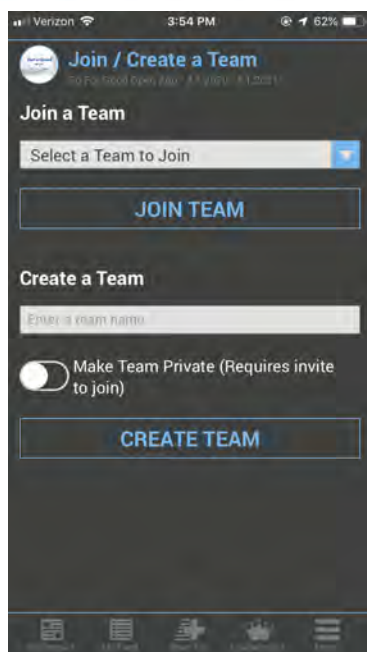
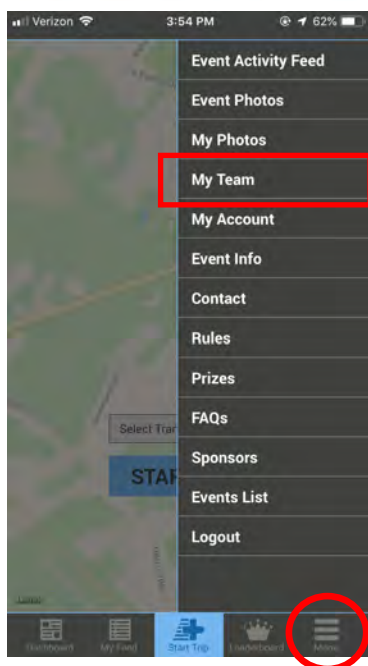


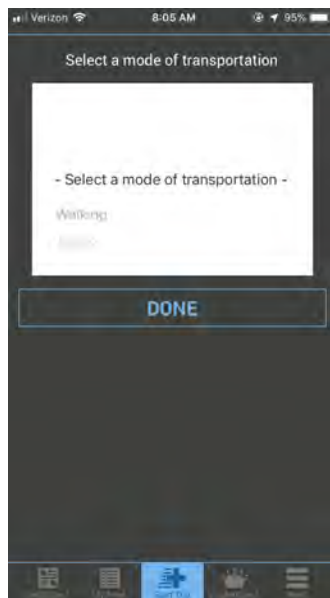
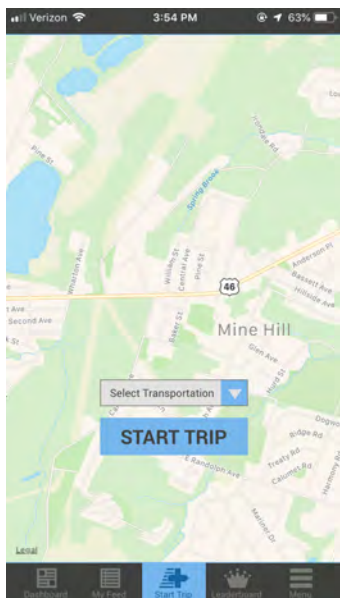
Step 2: Once in the app:

- Go to the Menu tab (3 bars)
- Click on "My Teams"
- If your school is participating you can find your school under the "Join a Team" drop down

**if you are your school's "leader" you will need to first create a team for your school and allow it to be public for people to join

**You do not need to be part of a team to participate

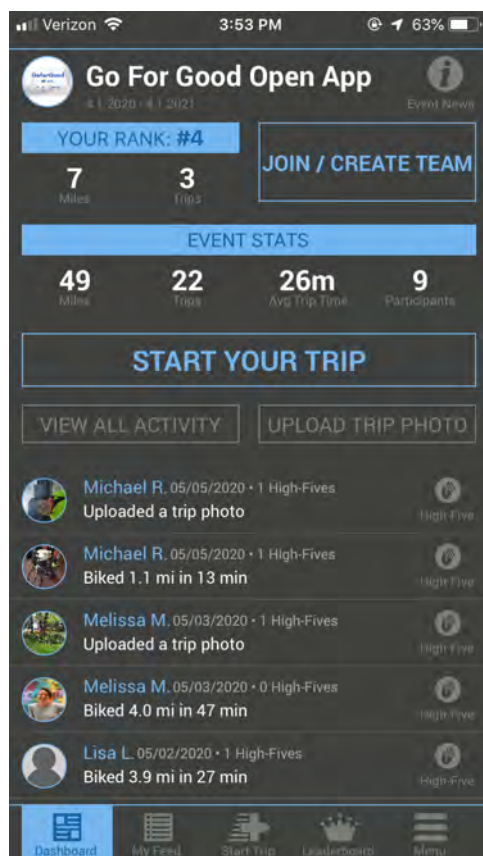




Step 3: When you are ready for your ride:

- Go into the “Start Trip” tab
- Select your mode of transportation (walking or biking)
- Make sure your location is shared with the app through your phone settings so it can track your trip
- Once your trip is completed hit “end trip”

** include a photo of you and your family on your walk or bike ride or share with us some inspirational messaging and views you passed



Step 4: Keep track of your trips and others in the dashboard.

For more information on GoForGood and how to use the app visit:

<http://goforgood.transoptions.org/goforgood>





Earn **BONUS** Box Tops for CAS!

Help us generate additional Box Tops points when you purchase participating products at ShopRite!

1. Register your ShopRite Price Plus® Club Card number at www.shopriteformyschool.com
2. Select Central Avenue School
3. Each time you purchase participating Box Tops products, BONUS Box Tops earnings will automatically be credited to our school!
4. These are **BONUS electronic points** – please remember to also scan your Receipt using the Box Tops App for regular earnings.

Take advantage of the following offers from ShopRite and Box Tops for Education to generate **BONUS** Box Tops for CAS – **NOW through December 31, 2020***:

BUY 1
participating product

EARN 1
Bonus Box Tops
(\$.10 value)

BUY 4
participating products

EARN 10
Bonus Box Tops
(\$1.00 value)

BUY 6
participating products

EARN 25
Bonus Box Tops
(\$2.50 value)

*All purchases must be made in store in a single transaction.

