

Jack R. Lamb Elementary **School Newsletter**

Important News and Events

Principal's Message

Thank you for your support of our PTA candy bar fundraiser. We raised over \$4000 for school events. Please consider joining our PTA by visiting the front office.

Parent Teacher Conferences-October 21

Teachers are in the process of scheduling Parent Teacher Conferences for October 21. Please contact your child's teachers for more information.

Phone System Maintenance Continues

Thank you for your continued patience with our phone system. We are aware that incoming calls cannot access the phone directory or leave messages. District maintenance continues to work on this software-related problem.

Appropriate Footwear

Please make sure that your child wears shoes with closed toe and closed heels at school to avoid injuries. We have had several slips and falls due to students wearing crocs or sandals to school.

Mask-Wearing Opt-Out

The link to the online opt-out form can be found

here: http://web.hillsboroughschools.org/maskoptout

Welcome Our New Staff Members

Ms. Juanita Smith - Principal's Secretary

Mrs. Krizia Moser- Access Points Teacher, K-2 (Starting 10/25)

Breakfast Ends at 7:50 am

Breakfast ends at 7:50 am so that we can begin our learning for the day. Please make sure that your children arrive before 7:50 am so that they can eat. Also note that late arriving bus riders will be served breakfast once their school bus arrives. Also remember that students are not allowed to eat outside breakfast including drinks at the school.

1st Quarter Awards Ceremony

We will host a virtual awards ceremony for students on November 5 who have earned the following awards during the 1st quarter of school:

A Honor Roll, A/B Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, Citizenship, Most Improved

Here Every day Ready On-Time (H.E.R.O.)

Please help your child become an attendance H.E.R.O. by having them come to school every day, on time by 7:40 am! Good school attendance is an important strategy for your child's success in school.

Book Character Costume Day-October 29

On October 29, students will be allowed to dress up as their favorite book characters. Please do not have your children wear scary costumes (e.g., monsters, blood). Students will also be allowed to exchange store bought candy at the end of the school day. Please look for details from your child's teacher.

Federal Impact Surveys

Please complete the Federal Impact Surveys that were sent home on October 12. They are due back at the school on October 18. Each year the federal government provides funding to schools based on the numbers of families who live on federal property or work for the federal government including the military. All students who return their forms will earn bolt bucks.

Breakfast ends at 7:50 am

Early Checkouts End at 12:15 pm (M); 1:15 pm (T-F)

Dismissal Begins at 12:50 pm (M); 1:50 pm (T-F)

Important Dates

October 18: Federal Impact Surveys Due; 5th grade Math Monthly Test; 2nd grade Science Progress Monitoring Assessment (PMA)

October 19: 4th grade Science PMA

October 20: 3rd grade Science PMA

October 21: Parent-Teacher Conferences, 3-8 pm; 3rd grade Math **Monthly Test**

October 25-29: Red Ribbon Week

October 26: 1st grade Math Monthly

October 27: 2nd grade Math Monthly

October 28: 4th grade Math Monthly

October 29: Book Character Day

November 1: Report Cards Available Online to Parents

November 5: Virtual 1st Quarter Awards Ceremony

