

TIGER NEWS

OCTOBER 5TH, 2023

TIGER TROT COLOR RUN

Thank you to EVERYONE who made our Tiger Trot Color Run a huge success! It was an amazing day and everyone had a great time.



GRANDPARENTS/ SPECIAL GROWN UPS DAY

We would like to thank all Southside Grandparents or Special Grownups because you rock! We enjoyed welcoming you to our school and enjoying breakfast. A Special thank you to Hardees for donating breakfast sandwiches and our Amazing PTO for our coffee and treats.

ANGEL TREE

Information was sent home this week with your child about the Angel Tree. If you are in need of Holiday Assistance, please make plans to attend one of The Salvation Army's registration dates. You will need an ID, proof of address, phone number, and birth certificate for your child. This year children 13 years or younger are eligible.



ANGEL TREE

SHELBY COUNTY REGISTRATION

WHO IS ELIGIBLE:
Shelby County children ages 13 and under (DOB on/before Dec 31, 2023)

WHERE:
Station Center
215 Washington St., Shelbyville

WHEN:
Tuesday Oct 3rd – 10AM to 2PM
Thursday Oct 12th – 10PM to 8PM
Wednesday Nov 1st – 10AM to 2PM

DOCUMENTS NEEDED TO APPLY:
1. Parent's ID (drivers license or passport)
2. Proof of Address (bill, state mail, or lease)
3. Phone number of parent & one alternate number
4. Child's birth certificate OR Immunization certificate OR Letter from school

*Show your child's clothing sizes and 2 gifts they would like to receive
**Children are welcome but not necessary for application. If you bring your child they must remain with a parent at all times for everyone's safety. We can not provide childcare services.



BOOK FAIR

Southside's Book Fair will be October 23rd-27th. A portion of the sells helps us to purchase databases and books for our library. If you would like to look at what will be at the fair, here is the link to preview:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/southside728>

Students can pay for books with cash or a check, please make it out to Southside Elementary School. If you don't want to send cash to school with your student, set up an eWallet. It spends like a gift card.

Directions are here:

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/content/fairs/how-ewallet-works.html?fairId=5403755>

VOLUNTEERS FOR BOOK FAIR

We will need a few volunteers on the day of the fairs, but you must be an SCPS approved volunteer. If you are not sure if you are on that list, please email

Tiffany.roberts@shelby.kyschools.us to check your status.

Here is the link to sign up to volunteer:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4DADA923A7FF2-44868141-fall>

TIGER CUB CLUB

Join the Tiger Cub Club! If you are a new or expectant parent and would like resources on parenting and/or child development age birth to 5, please fill out this [form](#). Your family will receive a free book, that your school age child can read to their new sibling.

Red Ribbon Week

Be Kind To Your Mind. Live Drug Free!®

October 23rd-27th, 2023

Dress-Up Days

Monday-Pajama Day

Dream Big & Aim for the Stars!

Wear appropriate sleepwear & slippers.

Tuesday-Beach Day

Our Futures Are Too Bright for Drugs!

Wear sunglasses and appropriate beach wear.

Wednesday-Wear Red Day

"Red"-y to Be Drug-Free!

Wear red to celebrate the end of Red Ribbon Week!

Thursday-Favorite Team Day

Cheer Others On to Be Drug-Free!

Wear a jersey or your favorite team's apparel.

Friday- Costume Day

Hocus Pocus- Drugs Aren't Our Focus

Wear a school appropriate costume with no masks/face paint.

JOIN US FOR
SOUTHSIDE ELEMENTARY'S



TRUNK — OR — TREAT

FRIDAY

OCTOBER
27

6:00 PM TO
8:00 PM

BRING YOUR FAMILY FOR SOME FALL FUN! ALL
STUDENTS MUST BE WITH AN ADULT.

WEAR YOUR COSTUME, BUT NO SCARY ONES!



CANDY — MUSIC — BOOK FAIR



Junior Rockets Tryouts!!! Boys Grades 2-5

7 week league hosted at Collins High School on Sundays in November and December. The Junior Rockets will play teams that represent Collins, Spencer County, Anderson County, and other youth feeder programs. The price is \$75 for returning players and \$125 for new players to our program. This includes the price of the league and a Junior Rockets jersey. There will be two practices a week for each grade level.



Tryouts will be held on the following dates:
2nd and 3rd Grades: 10/17 at Wright Elementary from 6-7:30
4th and 5th Grades: 10/16 at Wright Elementary from 6-7:30

If you have any questions, email Shelby County High School Head Basketball Coach Blake Traylor blake.traylor@shelby.kyschools.us

ALL FOR THE ROCKETS

LOST AND FOUND-PLEASE LABEL ALL JACKETS AND SWEATSHIRTS

If your child is missing a jacket, sweatshirt, water bottle or any item, please have them check Lost and Found. Lost and found is located just across from the office next door to the Family Resource Center. At the end of the month, any items remaining will be donated. If you have any questions, please reach out to Tiffany Roberts at tiffany.roberts@shelby.kyschools.us or (502) 633-6082.

SHELBY COUNTY CELEBRATES MANUFACTURING



**Over 80
Industries!**



**Over
6,261 jobs!**



**Average wage
of \$24/hour**



Manufacturing Connects to SCPS

Every CTE Pathway connects to Manufacturing in Shelby County! Our Industries are full of Engineers, Industrial Maintenance, Business, BioMed, and MORE! We can tell you how you can use your pathway after graduation and stay in Shelby County!

Plan a Visit

YOU and your family are invited to take a tour inside a Shelby County industry! Fill out the QR code if you are interested!

www.scidf.com

P-EBT Applications Open 8/7 for Most Eligible Students

**Public and private school students can apply Aug. 7;
Homeschool and virtual students can apply Sept. 4**

P-EBT provides a reimbursement to households with students that attended school in-person, virtually or through homeschool and had any COVID-19 related school absences between Sept. 1, 2022, and May 11, 2023. This reimbursement is meant to cover the cost of at-home food purchases made because the student was unable to participate in school learning due to a COVID-19 related reason.

The benefit amount varies for each approved student due to the number of days missed. The daily amount for each school day missed is \$8.18.

The application will roll out in phases. The first application phase begins Aug. 7: Beginning Aug. 7, public and private school students who received free or reduced price meals at school AND were absent from school one or more days due to COVID, may apply for P-EBT for the days missed. The applicant will need the student's State Student Identification Number (SSID), dates of school days missed for COVID-related reasons for Sept 1, 2022, through May 11, 2023, and other personal identifying information for the student.

Beginning Sept. 4, homeschool students and students who attended school virtually may apply for benefits. The applicant will need the student's personal identifying information and, if a benefit recipient, the household's case number. Applicants may also need household financial information to complete the application for homeschool and virtual students.

Parents must apply at <https://www.kypebt.ky.gov/> to determine if their child is eligible for a reimbursement.

Summer P-EBT

Enrollment in Summer P-EBT is automatic for public and private school students who received free/reduced-price meals during May 2023.

SNAP recipients under age 6 (aka Child Care P-EBT), homeschool, and virtual students are not eligible due to the end of the federal Public Health Emergency on May 11, 2023.

For more information on P-EBT, call 1-833-501-5297.



**TEAM
KENTUCKY**
CABINET FOR HEALTH
AND FAMILY SERVICES

BACK TO SCHOOL

FAMILY CHECKLIST:

- ☒ **DON'T LOSE HEALTH COVERAGE!**

Is your family covered by Medicaid or KCHIP? Your renewal letter could be coming soon!

- Make sure your address is up to date in kynect!
- Check your mail. We may need to contact you!
- Complete and return requests for information.
- No longer qualify? Shop kynect for an affordable plan!

(855)-4kynect
www.kynect.ky.gov/healthcoverage

FREE HELP!



UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

October 6th- No School
 October 9-13th- Fall Break
 October 20th- Report cards sent home
 October 23rd-27th- Book Fair
 October 23rd-27th- Red Ribbon Week
 October 26th- Picture Day
 October 27th- Trunk or Treat

SOUTHSIDE ELEMENTARY FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

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