

# Fielder eNews for week of 10-23-17

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#### **Trunk or Treat**

Trunk or Treat is THIS Friday from 6-8 pm. The kids have such a blast at this event but it cannot be successful without help from you! Please sign up to decorate your car and hand out candy to our adorable trunk or treaters!! If you are able to decorate your car and hand out candy please send an email with your name/phone number/email address to fundraising@fielderpta.org Thank you and hope to see you all there!

#### **BOOKFAIR October 23-27**

Saddle Up and Read during our fall Scholastic Book Fair! The hours are set to accommodate learning times. Parents will not need to come with students in the morning, but the library staff and volunteers reserve the right to turn away students after 8:10 if the lines are too long. This will insure that all students will make it to class by 8:20. Classroom teachers will get a schedule as to when to send their students for purchasing throughout the day.

Monday October 23 and Tuesday October 24 will be **preview only - no purchasing** during school hours. We have about 1,100 students that will be coming to the library to make their wish lists these two days. All library workers will be helping the students make their wish list selections. There will be no registers open during the day.

Wednesday, October 25 (7:55-3:15)

<u>Thursday</u>, October 26 (7:55-3:15)

Friday, October 27 (7:55-6:00) - Come shop our special after school hours, then stay for Trunkor-Treat!

You can also shop online anytime October 18-October 31st at

http://www.scholastic.com/bf/fielder. Anything bought online will be shipped to the school after the fair concludes.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Mrs. Counterman at 281-237-6478 or email at <u>katherinefcounterman@katyisd.org</u>,. Happy reading!

## Information from the PTA

**New Announcements:** 

#### Trunk or Treat

Thank you so much to everyone who has been bringing in their candy for parents to hand out at Trunk or Treat! Please keep those donations coming! We also need volunteers to decorate their cars and hand out candy in the parking lot during the event. There will even be a contest for the best decorated car! Flyers should be coming home today in the Monday folders but I've also attached the flyer to the e news for you to fill out and send back in to the school.

#### Volunteers Needed

Our workroom needs YOU! If you can spare an hour on Monday mornings to come and help put information into the students Monday Folders - please sign up on the link below! <a href="http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4CA9AE28A3FE3-monday">http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4CA9AE28A3FE3-monday</a>

#### Yearbook

Yearbooks are on sale right now for only \$30.... This amazing price won't last long so take advantage of it today! Order your Yearbook online at <a href="www.balfour.com">www.balfour.com</a>. Yearbooks are only available online through pre-sale.

### Submit your pictures today:

We are collecting pictures right now for First Day of School, Hurricane Harvey, Walk to School and Grandparents Day.

Don't forget to take pictures at Truck or Treat and Field Trips.

Your photos can be submitted online at <a href="http://images.balfour.com">http://images.balfour.com</a> or download Balfour Image Share app today and start uploading photos directly from your phone! Project Code: 821252

### Spirit Wear

Get your spirit wear orders in now. Shirts are great to wear on Fridays, Spirit days and your student will need a shirt for field trips. DO NOT WAIT until the week of your fieldtrip to order your shirt. We need time to pull and process the orders. Orders are pulled once a week. The

best way to order is going online at <u>www.fielderpta.org</u> when we run out of sizes they will be removed from the website.

### Homeroom Party Fund

Let's talk about the Homeroom Party fund. As of now it is very low. The PTA hosts 2 parties per year for each class. This year we will have a Winter party and End of the year party. These parties are funded by a donation of \$8/student which covers everything needed for each party including treats and activities. We request all parents to please help contribute to the festivities for your children! Please take a moment and think about whether you have contributed to the Homeroom Party fund this year. If you have we appreciate it but if you have not, it is not too late!!! We are about to begin planning for the first party but will not be able to provide the level of parties we have in the past without more contributions! We realize the school year was off to a rocky start and it may have slipped your mind so please contribute now online at <a href="http://www.fielderpta.org/store">http://www.fielderpta.org/store</a>. Please contact homeroom@fielderpta.org if you have any questions, thank you!!

### Membership

Are you a Fielder PTA member? No? Well, what are you waiting for???? Join today at <a href="www.fielderpta.org">www.fielderpta.org</a> The goal of our PTA is to have 1 member per student at Fielder. We are close to being ½ way there with 434 members!

Texas PTA has announced their Fall scholarship for PTA faculty members and high school seniors. For more information go to <a href="www.txpta.org">www.txpta.org</a> Essay and registration deadline is early December.

### PTA Reflections Program 2017-18

Please support and encourage your child(ren) to participate in the PTA Reflections Program. This year's theme is "Within Reach". Students are encouraged to use their imagination to create projects about this theme in visual arts, dance choreography, film production, literature, music composition and photography. A special artist category is also available. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.txpta.org/reflections">http://www.txpta.org/reflections</a>. Artwork entries are due November 3th. Please contact Claudia Supelano for any further questions at <a href="mailto:csupelano@sbcglobal.net">csupelano@sbcglobal.net</a>

### After School

KIDS! It's time to get your little hands a little (ok maybe a lot) dirty with Nutty Scientists after school classes. Lots of super fun, super messy awesomeness in each class, guaranteed! Ooey Gooey Science is a 6-week session every Monday from October 23-December 4 from 3:45-4:45 PM.

Register here: <a href="https://nuttyscientists.com/fortbend/blog/events/nutty-scientists-club-at-fielder/">https://nuttyscientists.com/fortbend/blog/events/nutty-scientists-club-at-fielder/</a>

#### WATCH D.O.G.S.

Watch Dogs signup is open! Please check out the signup at tinyurl.com/FielderWatchDogs2017 to sign up for a day that would work for you. Please sign up for as many days as you like and if you need a Watch Dogs shirt please purchase that at Fielderpta.org/Store. If you have any questions, please contact Andrew Brown at <a href="mailto:andrewfbrown@outlook.com">andrewfbrown@outlook.com</a>

### **OFF Campus Volunteer Hours**

Please remember to log your <u>OFF CAMPUS</u> volunteer hours on the PTA website <u>http://www.fielderpta.org/</u> by following these tabs:

- About the PTA
- Log hours

Volunteer hours are important at Fielder!!

Off Campus hours include activities such as planning time, meetings, emails, and time spent for babysitting while you volunteer (this can be added to your total volunteer time for that event, or recorded under the babysitter's name). You can log hours as you go or log the total number at the end of the month.

#### MAD Lab is Here

MAD (Mom And Dad) Lab is off to a great start. The dates are set for the 2017-2018 school year. This year the schedule, activity guides and volunteer signups will be located on the Fielder PTA website. Please click on the Fielder PTA link below to volunteer for MAD Lab.

http://fielderpta.org/m-a-d-lab

The **Sign UP Genius Links** for each grade level will be located on this page. Please find your child's grade level and click on that link. Follow the instructions in Sign Up Genius to volunteer for your child's class. This year the 4 lab dates for each grade level will be in the same Sign Up Genius.

Labs for each grade are:

- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Friday, October 27, 2017
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Friday, November 3, 2017
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Friday, November 10, 2017
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Friday, November 17, 2017
- 1st Grade Friday, December 1, 2017
- Kindergarten Thursday, December 7, 2017

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