



## Fielder eNews for week of 11-13-17

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### Notes from the Clinic

KISD Administrative Regulation FFAD is in place to ensure the health and safety of all students and states that students who exhibit vomiting, diarrhea, or a fever  $\geq 100$ , must be excluded from school. **Re admittance is allowable as follows:**

- **Free of fever (<100) for at least 24 hours without** the use of fever-reducing medications such as acetaminophen or ibuprofen. Common trade names of products containing these medications include, but are not limited to Tylenol, Motrin and Advil.  
All aspirin-containing products should be avoided.
- **Food and liquids have been tolerated for at least 24 hours without** vomiting and/or diarrhea, and without the use of medication to relieve symptoms.
- **Students diagnosed with a contagious illness** that is being treated with prescription medication, must complete a minimum of 24 hours of the prescribed medication dosage prior to returning to school.

**A DOCTOR'S NOTE DOES NOT SUPERSEDE THE "24 HOUR RULE"**

### International Festival!! Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Our next International Festival Planning Meeting will be **Wednesday, November 15 at 10 am in the Handprint Room**. Please come and help us get ready for this fun school event! We still need volunteers to help organize and solicit performances, organize the high school volunteers, create passports and brochures and help to manage the country booths. If you are not able to come and want to help out please contact Angela Rehquate at [gonzales9027@yahoo.com](mailto:gonzales9027@yahoo.com).

## *Information from the PTA*

New Announcements:

### ***Volunteers of the Month!!***

We are so pleased to honor our Volunteers of the Month for October:-

- ❖ Candace Perkins for doing an amazing job organizing our 'spooktacular' Trunk or Treat event. There were many hours that went into 'pulling this event off' and we appreciate every single one of them - it was awesome!!
- ❖ Jimena Shmidt for doing an amazing job coordinating both the Book Fair and our awesome library team of volunteers. Also for the countless hours spent translating documents for the school!

Congratulations ladies and thank you for the precious gift of your time and resources!

What a month! We have lots more exciting events and volunteer opportunities coming up.....

### ***Santa's Workshop***

Save the date, our annual Santa's Workshop is coming up on December 9<sup>th</sup> from 8-11 am! Santa himself will be at our school ready for selfies! We will have plenty of crafts, breakfast for pre-order, Santa Store, and the wonderful Cinco Ranch Stars will perform!!! It's going to be an event you won't want to miss!! Look for the flyer and pre-order forms coming home in Monday folders. Please consider volunteering for something - it could be as simple as wrapping boxes to put under our Christmas trees or volunteering to help set up/clean up. Please contact [fundraising@fielderpta.org](mailto:fundraising@fielderpta.org) or [VIPs@fielderpta.org](mailto:VIPs@fielderpta.org) for more information on how you can help make this event a success!

### ***Donations***

We are looking for donations to raffle off at Santa's Workshop. Do you have a new un-used Christmas yard blow-up decoration you'd be willing to donate for us to raffle? Or maybe you have or know of a Christmas decorating company that is willing to donate their services for us to raffle off? If you have any of these things or know someone who is interested in donating, please email [fundraising@fielderpta.org](mailto:fundraising@fielderpta.org) Thank you!!!

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### ***Auction Items***

We still have items, parties, musical and graduation seats, and MUCH more available for purchase from our Trunk or Treat Auction!! If you weren't able to make it or had to leave early and would still like to purchase something from our auction please head over to <http://www.fielderpta.org/store> and check out the complete list of items that are up for grabs!!

Also if you did sign up to purchase something at the event, you should have received an invoice that came home with your child as well as a PayPal invoice through email. Please feel free to send in cash or check with your child in an envelope that is clearly labeled, or pay through PayPal at [www.fielderpta.org](http://www.fielderpta.org) Thank you!!!

### ***Membership***

Congratulations are in order for Fielder PTA Members. Our PTA has been awarded the Early Bird and Head Start Awards. That means we have enrolled 100% of last year's membership and it was completed within the first 2 months of school. We are one of only 14 KISD schools to achieve this award. Thank you for making it happen! Our next goal is to recruit 100% of our Fielder Staff to join the PTA and we are almost there. Staff members who are PTA members are eligible to apply for a \$500 scholarship through Texas PTA. The deadline to apply is December 1<sup>st</sup>. If you would like to sponsor a faculty membership please go to our store at [www.fielderpta.org/store](http://www.fielderpta.org/store) and purchase the \$8.00 faculty membership.

I have learned that our membership cards were lots in transit so Texas PTA is working on getting us a new set. They will be distributed as soon as possible.



### ***Yearbook Corner***

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 [www.balfour.com](http://www.balfour.com). *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, Grandparents Day, Red Ribbon Week and Truck or Treat.

Don't forget to take pictures at Santa's Workshop and any upcoming Field Trips.

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

### ***Spirit Wear***

We are running very low on inventory for some shirts in size Small and Medium. If you send in a paper order and we do not have your shirt, we will send back your form and payment. The best way to make your purchase is by logging onto our school store at [www.fielderpta.org/store](http://www.fielderpta.org/store)

### ***5th Grade Quilt***

We will be having a quilt made as an auction item for 5th graders at the spring carnival. If you have Fielder shirts (spirit wear, field day, Funky Friday, RDR) that your student has outgrown and would like to pass on, please put them in a disposable bag, tie it closed and attach a note directing it to "5th Grade Quilt". Send it with your student and our quilt maker will pick it up. Thanks!

### ***5th Grade Party***

If you would like to help plan the 5th Grade Graduation Party, we need your help! We will meet once a month throughout the year to choose the location, theme, food, DJ, raffle prizes, decorations and more! The first meeting will be held on Sunday, November 5th from 2:00-3:30pm in the home of Heather Martin. Even if you can't make the first meeting, feel free to sign up on the Google Doc worksheet. Meeting notices, reminders and directions will be sent using this list. Questions can be sent to Heather at [5thgradeparty@fielderpta.org](mailto:5thgradeparty@fielderpta.org)  
<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1wAaltdIwNgChCsCWoIM6TX1kPkz0ukUHJOhRCNSSFs/edit?usp=sharing>

### ***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!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4CA9AE28A3FE3-monday>

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

Watch Dogs signup is open! Please check out the signup at [tinyurl.com/FielderWatchDogs2017](http://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](http://Fielderpta.org/Store). If you have any questions, please contact Andrew Brown at [andrewbrown@outlook.com](mailto:andrewbrown@outlook.com)

### ***OFF Campus Volunteer Hours***

Please remember to log your **OFF CAMPUS** volunteer hours on the PTA website <http://www.fielderpta.org/> 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 are 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 are 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 are in the same Sign Up Genius.

Labs for each grade are:

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade - Friday, November 17, 2017
- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade - Friday, December 1, 2017
- Kindergarten - Thursday, December 7, 2017

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