GREENTREE GAZETTE

Happy 40th Anniversary, Greentree!

NOVEMBER 2021



Greentree Elementary

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IMPORTANT DATES:

Nov. 2-Nov. 12 - Food Drive

Nov. 9 - Skeeter's Spirit Night from 3:00p - 9:00p

Nov. 11 - Veteran's Day Car Parade (info below regarding our drive-by parade)

Nov. 16 - PTA General Meeting at 6:15p; 1st Grade Turkey Show at 6:30p

Nov. 18 - 5th Grade Patriot's Day

Nov. 19 - Relatives Raising Relatives

Nov. 22-Nov. 26 - Thanksgiving Holiday

Nov. 29 - Elementary Holiday/Staff Workday

Dec. 1 - Picture Re-takes

Dec. 2 - Winter Wonderland from 6:00-7:30p



Food Drive begins November 2nd!

Calling for All Non-perishable Food Items!

Please consider donating items for our Annual Food Drive beginning Tuesday, 11/2 and ending Friday, 11/12! Your donations will go to the Society of St. Stephens to help those in need. There will be a grade-level competition for most donations.

The PTA Fall Online Auction is NEXT WEEK!

The greatly anticipated Fall Online Auction will kick off **at 8am on November 8th** and will run through the end of the week. This year's online auction will include all of your favorite items, including but not limited to the following:

- Teacher Time Winners will spend special time with their teacher beyond school hours
- **Birthday Marquee** Winners will have their child's name displayed on the marquee during the week of their birthday
- First in Line Winner will have a special spot dedicated to be first in line to pick up their child at the back door
- Principal for the Day
- Plus more!!!

*Items and details subject to change

Auction link will be announced closer to the event time.

All proceeds will go to the Greentree Elementary PTA to support programs for our school, students and teachers. Some of our wonderful programs include Art Masterpiece, Parent Education, Reflections, Everybody Counts, Gifts to School, Class Parties, and many more.



Skeeter's Spirit Night

When

Tuesday, Nov. 9th, 3-9pm

Where

4121 West Lake Houston Parkway Humble, TX

More information

Be sure to mention Greentree when you stop by and we will get a percentage of the profits.

From the Library:

Thank you everyone who shopped or helped with the book fair! It was so fun to see students looking at the books and talking about them. If you had money left in your e-Wallet you will have a chance to use that at the Spring Book Fair in April. Make a note on your calendar what email you used to set up the eWallet!

Battle of the Books:

Students in 4th and 5th grade will learn about Battle of the Books this week. Students interested in participating in this competition need to complete and return their application to the library by Wednesday, November 10th. Selected students will meet on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 in the library. Students will need to be picked up at the back door following our meetings. Our first meeting will be on Monday, November 15th. One team of students from Greentree will advance to the district competition on Saturday, April 9th at 10:00 AM at Atascocita Middle School.

CALLING ALL MILITARY VETERANS

Please join us for a Veterans' Day Car Parade Thursday, November 11th @ 8:30 a.m.

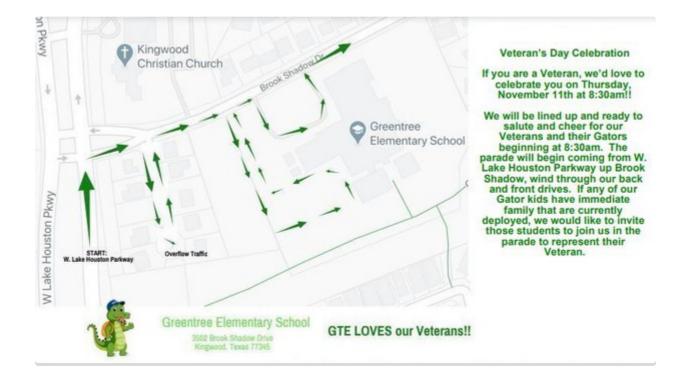
We are so saddened that we cannot hold our annual Veteran's Day Breakfast. However, we still want to show our appreciation by inviting all Veterans to ride with their Gators in a *Car Parade* in your honor. We will be lined up ready to salute and cheer for our Veterans and their Gators beginning at **8:30am**. The parade will begin coming from West Lake Houston Parkway up Brook Shadow at our Back Parking Lot. It will then follow through the back parking lot and wind through to our Front Driveway. See the attached parade route. If any of our Gator kids have immediate family that are currently deployed, we would like to invite those students to join us in the parade to represent their Veteran.

We are putting together a photo slideshow to post on our website. Please email a photo of your Veteran to <u>katherine.mitchell@humbleisd.net</u>. *If you sent in a photo in the past, you do not need to resend it.* We archive all photos. Please include your Veteran's name and Military information below.

Deadline for pictures is November 9th.

Information to include with the picture:

Name:	
Military Branch:	
Gator student(s):	
Relationship to students:	
Teacher's Name:	



** You do not need to bring your student to school prior to the parade. There will be NO tardies counted. You can enjoy your leisurely morning together! After the parade, you can drop them off for school at the end of the parade route by the playground. Staff members will be there to safely escort them into the school after the parade has ended. Feel free to decorate your car! We look forward to celebrating you all.

Nurse 🖾 Notes

Parents:

November is here and so is fall illness. We've had strep throat, colds, and stomach bugs. Please remind your children to cover their mouths with their sleeves when coughing or sneezing. Getting lots of rest, exercise, and eating healthy helps them to stay well.

<u>COVID-19</u>: Please let me know if and when your child has tested positive.

<u>**Other Illness:**</u> Please keep your child home if she/he has had a fever (100 degrees or over), vomiting and/or diarrhea in the last 24 hours. Certainly consider observing symptoms at home before sending them to school if you have any doubts or concerns. Feel free to contact me for questions about coming to school.

Feel free to contact me for any questions or concerns at 281-641-1905.

Katy Wilson, RN



GTE Counselor Newsletter

Please click on the link below to access the GTE Counselor Newsletter from Mrs. Cannon.

https://www.smore.com/s3tdz





Child Absent? Here's what to do:

Email: <u>Cynthia.alford@humbleisd.net</u> Or call Attendance line: 281-641-1919 Or click on this link to report online: <u>Report an Absence</u> Fax: 281-641-1917 Phone: 281-641-1903

Cindy Alford Registrar

