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## PLEASE SUPPORT THE BUSINESS' THAT SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

Dominos Pizza, Texas Roadhouse, Chick-Fil-A, Whit's Frozen Custard, Long Doggers, American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 117, Storaway Self Storage, Jersey Mike's, Geico of Melbourne and Sign Gypsies

November 2023

11/1 - 11/15

Silver Graphics Artwork Fundraiser

11/2

Parent Conference Night 5:30-7:00PM

11/3

Cookie Man Fundraiser Ends

Early Release

11/7

Individual Pictures
Retakes

Boy Scouts Presentation 6:30PM

11/8

Domino's Spirit Night 4:00 - 8:00PM

11/9

3rd Grade Math Night 5:30PM

11/10

Veteran's Day No School

11/12 - 11/18

Anti-Bullying Week

11/15

Silver Graphics Orders Due 11/16

2nd Grade Math Night 5:30PM

11/17

Hat Day 50¢ donation

Early Release 1:15PM

11/20 - 11/21

Texas Roadhouse Roll Fundraiser Pickup at restaurant

Thanksgiving Holiday No School

11/28 - 12/8

PTO's Holiday Shop

11/28

SAC Meeting 3:00PM

4th Grade Parent Night 5:30PM

Interims Published to FOCUS

11/30

5th Grade Parent Night 5:30PM



# THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!

A HUGE thank you to all of the families that donated bags of candy for our Trunk or Treat event this year!! This fun family event would not have been possible without these very generous candy donations. We very much appreciate your kindness! We loved seeing all of the families come out to enjoy the evening and there were so many creative and fun costumes! We hope everyone a great time, because we certainly did! Check out our official Facebook page for some of the pictures taken at the event: facebook.com/ChristaMcAuliffeElementary



# **Holiday Festival**

Mark your calendars for Thursday, December 7th from 5:30-7:30PM for a fun, holiday event for all McAuliffe families! Kindergarten and 1st grade classes will be singing holiday songs, there will be crafts, hot cocoa, cookies and more!! More details coming soon!



## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

If you are a **BPS registered volunteer** and able to help with any of the volunteering needs listed below, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Chris Bell, via email at: <a href="mailto:bell.chris@brevardschools.org">bell.chris@brevardschools.org</a>

Without our wonderful volunteers, many of our events, and fundraisers would not be possible.

Holiday Shop Set-Up: 3-4 volunteers are needed to help set up the annual holiday shop on Thursday, 11/16 and Friday, 11/17 in room 202.

Holiday Shop: 3-4 volunteers are needed per day to help students shop, restock shelves, organize items, etc. This event will be held in room 202 from Tuesday, 11/28 through Friday, 12/8.

<u>Holiday Shop Night Event:</u> 2-3 volunteers are needed to help run this event on **Thursday**, **December 7th from** 5:30-7:30PM in room 202.

Silver Graphics Artwork Fundraiser Order Delivery: 2-3 volunteers are needed on Monday, 12/4 to help sort & deliver the orders to students in their classrooms.





# Thanksgiving Texas Roadhouse Rolls

Pre-order some yummy Texas Roadhouse rolls & honey cinnamon butter for your Thanksgiving meal for only \$10 per dozen, frozen. Order forms came home last week, but extras are available in the office. Orders and money are due by 11/9, order pickup is 11/20 & 11/21 from 4-8PM at the Palm Bay Texas Roadhouse. (Pre-Orders Only)

#### **IMPORTANT REMINDERS**

- CHANGE IN TRANSPORTATION: Changing the way a child goes home MUST be done in writing. We have to have a signed (parent or legal guardian), dated note with the change (bus, walk, etc.). Be sure to include the date(s) in which the change will be in effect. Changes can not be made over the phone, via email, text or messaging app, they can only be made in writing by the parent/legal guardian.
- **FREE BREAKFAST & LUNCH:** Every student at McAuliffe can receive a free breakfast AND lunch. Breakfast is served from 7:30-7:55AM, so students should arrive by 7:45AM at the latest to get breakfast so they have plenty of time to eat and get to their classroom by 8:00AM.
- CHANGE OF CLOTHING: Please be sure to pack a spare change of clothing in case of an accident, for your PreK, VPK, Kindergarten & 1st grade students. Place them in a sealed baggie labeled with their name. If a student needs a change of clothes and doesn't have any or our clinic does not have their size, you will need to bring some to school. Be sure to check your child's backpack daily for dirty clothes and replace them with clean set of clothing for next time.



# **Title I Annual Meeting Presentation**

If you were not able to attend our Title I Annual meeting, you may access the presentation on our school website under Quicklinks and also under the Title I section. In this presentation you will find information on our 2023-2024 Title I budget, overall school FAST scores and how you as a parent can stay in the know, please check it out. Our official webpage is located here: brevardschools.org/McAuliffeES

# '23-'24 School Improvement Plan

On 10/24/23, the Brevard County School Board approved Christa McAuliffe Elementary's Schoolwide Improvement Plan, which also serves as our Title I plan. Please take a minute to review at <a href="https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161">https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161</a>. Copies the S.I.P. are available upon request and if you would like the document translated, please contact Mrs. Marshall (321)768-0465 ext. 47173.

El 24/10/23, la Junta Escolar del Condado de Brevard aprobó el Plan de Mejoramiento Escolar de la Escuela Primaria Christa McAuliffe, que también sirve como nuestro plan de Título I. Tómese un minuto para revisar en <a href="https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161">https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161</a>. Las copias del S.I.P. están disponibles a pedido y si desea que se traduzca el documento, comuníquese con la Sra. Marshall (321) 768-0465 ext. 47173.

Sou 10/24/23, Komisyon Konsèy Lekòl Brevard County apwouve Christa McAuliffe Plan Amelyorasyon Lekòl Elemantè nan lekòl la, ki sèvi tou kòm plan I nou an. Tanpri pran yon minit pou revize nan <a href="https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161">https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/2161</a>. Kopi S.I.P. disponib sou demann epi si ou ta renmen dokiman an tradui, tanpri kontakte Msye Marshall (321) 768-0465 ext. 47173.

### **Educational Materials Available for Check-Out**

We have a wide variety of materials available for check-out in our Title I Parent Resource Center. If you're interested in checking out materials such as math or reading games, children's books, parenting books, etc., please contact our Title I Coordinator, Mrs. Marshall, by phone at (321)768-0465 ext. 47173, or by email at: Marshall.Josena@brevardschools.org or send a note to Mrs. Marshall with your child.

## TREATS FOR BIRTHDAYS AND CLASSROOM CELEBRATIONS

If you plan to send in treats for birthdays or classroom celebrations, please keep in mind that all items must be **store bought and sealed in their original packaging.** We ask that you send them to school with your child instead of dropping them off later, this helps to reduce classroom interruptions. Please note that balloons, flowers, etc. are not allowed in the classroom as they are a distraction for students while trying to learn.

Another great option is to order snacks or sweet treats from our cafeteria. They have a large variety of items available for purchase. Orders must be placed one week prior to when you need them. To see the treat choices or print the order form, visit the cafeteria page of our official website located here: brevardschools.org/domain/6256.

## '23-'24 Parent & Family Engagement Plan

Our 2023-2024 Parent Family Engagement Plan is completed and ready for viewing. It is located on our official school website, https://www.brevardschools.org/McAuliffeES under the Important Documents section, Quick Links Section as well as on our Title I page. Translations and printed copies are available upon request, just contact our front office at (321)768-0465.

Nuestro Plan de Participación Familiar de los Padres 2023-2024 está completo y listo para su visualización. Se encuentra en el sitio web oficial \_de nuestra escuela, https://www.brevardschools.org/McAuliffeES en la sección de Documentos Importantes, la Sección de Enlaces Rápidos, así como en nuestra página de Título I. Las traducciones y copias impresas están disponibles a pedido, solo comuníquese con nuestra oficina principal al (321) 768-0465.

Plan Angajman Paran 2023-2024 nou an fini epi pare pou gade. Li sitiye sou sit entènèt ofisyèl lekòl nou an, https://www.brevardschools.org/McAuliffeES anba seksyon dokiman enpòtan yo, Seksyon Lyen Rapid yo kòm byen ke sou paj nou an. Tradiksyon ak kopi enprime yo disponib sou demann, jis kontakte biwo devan nou an nan (321)768-0465.