Principal Message 10/21/22

Stevenson Families,

Our Third and Fourth grade students are well underway with preparations for their musical, Winnie the Pooh. I have seen bits and pieces of costumes, songs, dances, the set and I am so excited to see the outcome of all their hard work. The instruction that Mr. Yoh, Mrs. Sonberg, Ms. Whitney, Coach Dwyer, and Mrs. Canada provide to our students is second to none! We are truly blessed to have such an amazing Arts team here at Stevenson.

Speaking of the Autumn Lights production, we have some volunteer opportunities for you to assist with chair set up and break down for the show and checking people in as they arrive for the show next week. The signup link is: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B054FABAC2CA1FF2-volunteer1</u> Also, due to the production of Autumn Lights, the Out of Uniform SciFi/Fantasy Theme will be on November 4th <u>NOT</u> on October 28th. This way it won't interfere with the show.

We will be hosting our first book fair of the school year beginning Nov. 7 and ending on Nov. 10. Mrs. Monroe is looking for volunteers to assist. Please click the link to sign up if you are interested. <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0B45A5A72BA3F94-book1</u>

Tomorrow is our outside beautification day from 7:30am to 1:30pm, if you would like to get some volunteer hours in. Also, don't forget to bring in your nonperishable food items for our Food Drive. We can't wait to see what K-2 and 3-6 grade class will win the pizza party for most food donations!

Remember Awareness Week begins Monday. Each day we will focus on bringing awareness to a specific cause. Please see the attached flyer for specific color t-shirts to wear each day with your uniform bottoms.

We have had a few questions regarding attendance recently. If you have any questions regarding BPS Attendance policies and procedures, please check our website for more information. You can also find this information in the Code of Student Conduct document on our website. That document also contains a multitude of other important information.

One last reminder, if you do not have your car tag with you at dismissal, regardless of your location (penguin walk or school), you must park in the school parking lot and take your driver's license into the front office to verify your identity and retrieve your child. Also, please know that there is no check-out of students after 3:00 pm Monday through Thursday and after 1:45 pm on Fridays. If you are walking from the parking lot to the school or from the school to the parking lot during arrival or dismissal, you MUST use the crosswalk located on the East side by the red Book Box. I have personally witnessed, on several occasions now, individuals almost getting hit because people are crossing in front of the school during that busy time. Please, please, please use the designated crosswalk by the red Book Box. That is the area that is identified as a crosswalk and drivers recognize and are aware of individuals crossing at that location. I thank you for your assistance with following these procedures for everyone's safety.

Well, that's it for this week. I hope you all enjoy your weekend. I'll see you Monday in the car loop!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Fleeger