Town Center Elementary School Weekly Update

PTA News

- WE NEED YOUR HELP on Oct. 31 Fall Fest We have an amazing day planned for the children. Activities will include crafts, games and a scavenger hunt... and we need a TON of volunteers to ensure a smooth and easy day for the kids and staff. Our volunteer sign up list follows. PLEASE SIGN UP: https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/20f0544a9ad23a1fc1-fall8
- Nov. 6 Bollywood Dance Night at 7 p.m. Join the TC crew for a fun night of learning to Bollywood dance while burning calories! Ticket order forms will be sent home soon.
- Nov. 13 is the due date for submissions for **Reflections 2019-2020.** This year's theme is "LOOK WITHIN." All TC students are encouraged to participate and submit their entries by Nov. 13, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. A flyer/form has been sent home with the students.
- Nov. 18-22 Book Fair
- **Masquerade Ball** was amazing...thank you to everyone who volunteered and helped make it an awesome night!!

Useful links: <u>PTA Website</u> | <u>Email</u> | <u>Facebook Page</u>

SEPTSA

- SEPTSA is a districtwide PTSA supporting parents, guardians and students who receive special education, related services and accommodations for physical, emotional and or learning challenges.
- If you have a student with an IEP or a 504 plan and you missed our table at Back To School Night, click <u>here</u> for the membership form.
- SEPTSA's First Parent Workshop is Nov. 14, 7 p.m. at Community Middle School. Dr. Teresa Herrero Taylor, Ph.D. BCBA-D, will present on the evaluation referral process and assessments (educational, psychological, speech-language) conducted by the child study team. Learn more about how testing determines special education eligibility and shapes IEP development.

Useful Links: <u>WW-P SEPTSA Facebook</u> | <u>WW-P SEPTSA Website</u>

School News

- Reminder that schools will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 7 and Friday, Nov. 8.
 Check out the <u>Academic Calendar</u> to see upcoming dates.
- Our Masquerade Ball was a huge success! Many thanks to our PTA, the WW-P Education Association, and to all our families who supported the fun-filled event. A great time was had by all!
- Our food drive for the Plainsboro Pantry is in full swing and will extend through Fall Fest before concluding on Nov. 1. If you would like to donate, please bring a canned good and drop it off in the box near the front office.
- The Media Center is turning into a Storybook Pumpkin Patch! If your child wants to bring in a storybook character pumpkin to help decorate the media center, please check out this link for more details: <u>TC Pumpkin Patch 2019</u>. Please note that pumpkins should NOT be carved.
- As the weather gets cooler, please be sure your child has proper layers to keep them comfortable throughout the day inside or outside.

Around the District News

- Parents and students (ages 11 and up) are invited to join HSN and Community Middle School student organizations **HEAL and NuYu**, TONIGHT, Oct. 25 at 6 p.m. at High School North for a one-of-a-kind seminar on mental wellbeing with renowned speakers and mental health advocates. Click <u>here</u> for more information.
- Join us at the High School North National Honor Society's **Trunk or Treat** 4-6 p.m. Oct. 26 in the HSN stadium parking lot. Click <u>here</u> for more information.
- Village and Millstone River Schools are holding a **coat drive** for a local charity. The schools will be accepting clean, gently worn winter jackets and coats as well as NEW hats, scarves, gloves and mittens. Donations can be dropped off Saturday, Oct. 26 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Millstone River School.
- You're invited to the 11th induction ceremony of the **WW-P High School South Hall of Honor** on Nov. 2! The hall of honor was founded to connect the past to the present and the future; in recognizing those who have brought honor to our school we keep alive the spirit of South. These honorees are an integral part of our history. Check out the <u>website for this year's inductees and to purchase</u>

 $\underline{tickets}$ or send a check (for \$25 made out to WWPHSS Hall of Honor) to Cathy Tantum at HSS.

• **WW-P United Pink-Out Football Game - Nov. 1.** October is breast cancer awareness month! Come out and support the WW-P United Football Team by wearing pink and black for the last home game at High School North on Friday, Nov. 1 at 7 p.m.! Show your support for breast cancer awareness by wearing pink and black!

District Updates

• District Website | Academic Calendars | Event Calendar

Counseling and Wellness

• Check out the upcoming <u>Parent University Events</u> for the 2019-20 school year.

Community Education

- Winter After School Enrichment is now open for registration. Spaces fill fast, so do not delay! Download the brochure from the district <u>website</u>. Registration closes Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2020.
- <u>Check out</u> some exciting Family Fun Nights and Upcoming Adult Program available through Community Education.
- Extended Day Program registration is ongoing throughout the school year! <u>Sign</u> <u>up when you need it.</u>
- Space is still available in the morning and afternoon Kindergarten Extension. Register through <u>Community Education</u> under 2019-20 Extended Day, KE, Pre-K.

Community Events

• Are you looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the <u>community event section</u> on the district's website!

Food Services

• Make sure to download <u>Sodexo's So Happy app</u>! Download the app to view nutritional information, allergens and more. Check out the <u>menus</u> for October!

WW-P Board of Education

• Check out the upcoming <u>Board of Education Meetings</u> and materials.

Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.

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