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Due to 100% chance of rain on Saturday

Trunk or Treat

Friday, October 26

6:00 – 8:00

Community Room Parking Lot

We are looking forward to Trunk or Treat tomorrow night. As of last night, there were 37 confirmed decorated cars coming – it is going to be a fun event!

A HUGE thank you to everyone who sent in Box Tops! Last week, four thousand three hundred thirty-six were mailed in for a total of \$443.60 towards our goal of \$2,000 this year. Please keep clipping and collecting box tops. Classroom tallies of box tops are being kept and updates on the leading classroom box top collectors will be shared.

Today our kindergarteners are traveling to the Denison Pequotsepos Nature Center in Mystic, Connecticut. While on their trip, they will be completing an outdoor exploration on the nature trails to learn about plant and animal adaptations. We can't wait to hear about all of their adventures when they get back.

Message from the Health Room, Alice Mecca, RN

There have been several cases of Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (Coxsackie Virus) in the school. Coxsackie Virus is a common childhood illness that is mild and lasts for a week or less. Symptoms of this virus appear 3 - 5 days after exposure and include sore throat, sore mouth, loss of appetite and fever. Small sores on hands, feet, or in the mouth are a major symptom of the illness.

There is usually no treatment for Hand, Foot, and Mouth Disease. Students should remain home from school until they are fever free for 24 hours. Good hand washing is the best way to prevent the spread of Coxsackie Virus.

If you have any questions, please contact the Health Room at (860) 295-6225.

Dan & Kim

Upcoming Events:

10/25 – Board of Education Mtg – 7:00 pm

10/26 – PTO Trunk or Treat – 6:00 pm

10/30 – Think Pink Day

10/31 – PreK Field Trips

11/1 – Grade 1 Field Trip

New Fliers:

Park & Rec:

[CPR/First Aid](#)

[Lego Robotics](#)

[Carter Hill Fall Festival](#) – ***New Date***

PTO: [Election Day Bake Sale](#)

Marlborough Elementary School's "Think Pink Day"

What is it?

Our school's "Think Pink Day" is one day to wear as much pink as you can find!
Socks, sneakers, shirt, shorts, pants, bandana, anything!!

Why do we do it?

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, so our school is participating in "Think Pink Day" to raise awareness for not only Breast Cancer, but Cancer as a whole, because it impacts too many lives!

Who can do it?

Anyone can participate in our school's "Think Pink Day" teachers, staff and students!

When is it

Our school's "Think Pink Day" is Tuesday, October 30, 2018



PTO Election Day Bake Sale - Tuesday, November 6th 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

We will be selling coffee and baked goods on the morning of the elections in the cafeteria. Please consider buying something yummy for your home or office!!

You can help the PTO by donating your favorite bake sale items. Some suggestions include: quiches, breads, cakes, pies, jellies, pickles, flavored oils, stuffed breads, cookies, muffins. Some ideas to consider:

* If you were planning to bake cupcakes, consider baking a Bundt cake with a glaze instead.

* If you were planning to make cookies, consider packaging them up in smaller bundles of 3 or 4 cookies per bag!

**Not a baker* but you want to help, we'll take monetary donations to help cover the cost of the other supplies we need.

Any questions please contact: Karen Sawyer, kkonatich@yahoo.com, 860-295-1104

*** Drop off is Monday night, November 5th, 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria or call to make other arrangements. We are offering drive up and drop off! Drive up to the door and call or text 516-987-7390 and we'll run out to your car and get the donation!

PTO Bake Sale

- Yes, I can volunteer to help Tuesday, Nov. 6, 6:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
- Yes, I can volunteer to help Tuesday, Nov. 6, 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
- Yes, I can bake or donate an item.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

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