9/2/19

Good afternoon Sterchi families!  I hope that you have had a great 3-day weekend and have enjoyed this extra day off.

The PTA’s annual membership drive continues through this Friday, September 6.  Mrs. Heatherly’s 1st grade class has the top % of membership so far. Please consider joining the PTA and supporting its efforts and all the ways that it supports our school, our students, and our classrooms.

The link is on our school website for parents to be able to pay your student’s school fees online.  Just follow the directions on the link. We will also be using this link for field trip payments.  You will receive more information when your students bring home field trip information and permission slips throughout the year.

We will be celebrating Grandparents/Hero Day on Wednesday, September 11.  Our grandparents and heroes are invited to join our students during their class’s lunch time.  In order for our cafeteria staff to plan for food to feed all of our students and guests, please return the reservation form that students brought home last week.

Our 1st, 2nd, and 3rd graders have a field trip coming up on September 10 to Farm Day at the Tennessee Valley Fair.  The cost of this field trip is completely covered by the fair, but students must return their permission slips.  Also, please indicate whether your child will purchase a sack lunch from the cafeteria or bring a lunch from home.

The 4th and 5th graders have a field trip to the Knox County Schools food show on September 12.  This cost of this trip is paid for by KCS, but students must return their permission slips.  They will eat lunch at school when they return.

Remember, “with great power, comes great responsibility,” and most importantly, “in a world where you can be anything, BE KIND.”

Have a great week!

~Lynn White

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

September 2             Labor Day – NO SCHOOL

September 5             End of 1st 4 ½ week grading period

September 10           Field trip for 1st, 2nd & 3rd grades to TN Valley Fair

September 11                        Grandparents/Hero Day

September 12           Field trip for 4th & 5th grades to KCS Food Show

                                    Midterm progress reports go home

September 13           Coupon Book sales begin

September 20           Wear purple for Alzheimers

September 27           School picture day – individual and class

September 30           PTA meeting

October 4                   Class t-shirt day

October 7-11              Fall Break

October 20                60th Anniversary Celebration, 2-4pm

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