

EMERSON ELEMENTARY

TIDBITS FROM THE TEEPEE

AUGUST 30, 2019



SCHOOL PICTURE DAY IS TUESDAY, SEPT 3! All students will have a picture taken for the yearbook. If you wish to order a picture package, please send in the picture order form with payment on that day. You may also order online, as per the instructions on the order form. **THANK YOU FOR ORDERING SCHOOL PICTURES!** Proceeds from the sales go into our Student Activities, to be spent directly on Emerson students for special events, incentive rewards, birthday prizes, etc.

IF YOUR STUDENT IS GOING TO BE ABSENT, please call the office by 9 AM to let us know; otherwise, it will be an unexcused absence. You may also email us at emerattend@scsc.k12.in.us. When going for an appointment, ask for a note from their office for our records.

NEW INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANTS THIS YEAR: Mrs. Rachel Fontanez, Mrs. Barb Castetter, Mrs. Shirley Roberson, Mrs. Monika Dishman, Mrs. Tanya Eidman, Mrs. Meisha Grigsby, and Mrs. Keisha Lewis; and also Mrs. Clara Cockerham in the cafeteria. Welcome to Emerson! We are happy you have joined our tribe!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the annual EMERSON PTO WALK-A-THON, September 20. This is our PTO's only fund raiser for this year. Money raised is used to pay for all field trips, Donuts for Dad and Muffins for Mom, perfect attendance lunches, field day expenses, testing snacks, etc. Details will be going home soon regarding Walk-a-thon.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION is changing their procedures. Clipping box tops from packages is being phased out, but you may still find some on packaging for awhile. Please clip and turn in as usual. For the new process, download the new Box Tops mobile app on your phone, and follow the instructions. It's as easy as taking a picture of your grocery store receipts.....your Box Tops items will be picked up, and Emerson will receive the credit. It's amazing how much it adds up....PTO receives over \$1,000 each year from Box Tops. Hopefully this new process will make it easier for you!



INTRODUCING A NEW GROUP FOR EMERSON DADS

ALL PRO DADS

The first meeting will be Sept. 18, 7:30-8:30 AM, in the art room, and will continue on the third Wednesday of each month. You'll enjoy a quick, fun breakfast....and take away some great tips and resources to help you be the best dad you can be! Mark your calendars for this special time; you'll strengthen your relationship with your kids by attending. Please RSVP so that we may have enough supplies and food.

APPLICATIONS FOR FREE/REDUCED MEALS AND TEXTBOOK ASSISTANCE are available at any time in the office, or you may apply online at: <https://frapps.horizonsolana.com/welcome>

LOOK AHEAD:



- *Sept. 2-Labor Day (No School)
- *Sept. 3-School Picture Day
- *Sept. 13-Gr. 5 to Spring Mill
- *Sept. 18-"All Pro Dads", 7:30-8:30 AM
- *Sept. 20-WALK-A-THON!
- *Sept. 23-PTO Meeting
- *Sept. 30 & Oct.1- Parent Teacher Meetings, 4:00-7:30
- *Oct. 4-No School
- *Oct. 17-18-Fall Break (No School)

EMERSON ELEMENTARY has a FACEBOOK PAGE: Click "LIKE" on the page to receive postings regarding Emerson activities on your newsfeed. This is a great way to stay informed!

RECEIVE TEXT MESSAGE ALERTS ABOUT SCHOOL CLOSINGS, delays, and other emergency situations by going to our web site at www.scsc.k12.in.us to register.