Greekside Connections

Check out the latest news from Creekside!

September 30, 2022



- Oct. 5 and 6 Parent Teacher Conferences Early Out Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
- Oct. 10 Reflection Entries Due
- Oct. 11 7:30am Robotics
- Oct. 11 4th Grade Field Trip (Mrs. Willard and Mrs. Schoneman) to Shoreland Preserve
- Oct. 13-14 Fall Break, No School
- Oct. 19 Boo to the Flu 3:30 in the Gym
- · Oct. 19 School Martin Luther King Jr. Speech Contest



Assistant Principal's Corner

Welcome Fall!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you for taking the time to read our Creekside Connections newsletter!

We loved seeing all of the beautiful smiles around the school for picture day! We are looking forward to seeing even more smiles at Parent Teacher Conferences on October 5 and 6! Thank you for making time to meet with your students and their teachers to celebrate accomplishments and look ahead to future goals. We are excited to highlight all of the things our students are learning.



Thank you for reminding your children to walk their wheels on school property. There are a lot of blind spots in and around the parking lots and on the street in front of the school. It is difficult for drivers to see our students when they dart into the street on their wheels. Please also take the time to remind them about cross walk safety- looking both ways, and making eye contact with the driver before crossing.

My own children are already working on their Halloween costumes. As your children start to plan their costumes for Halloween, please make sure they follow the guidelines listed below in this newsletter. We are excited to see what they come up with.

Stay Connected!

Sincerely, Mrs. Geisler

Creekside Foodie Fundraiser is Here!

CREEKSIDE FOODIE

FUNDRAISER

Sale closes on Oct. 21st.

Cards will be sent home with

students on Oct. 28th





Cost \$10 - \$8 stays at Creekside!

TO PURCHASE A CARD OR MAKE A DONATION SCAN CODE OR GO TO



Cost \$15 - \$11 stays
at Creekside!

HTTPS://DSDGIVE.NET/EVENT/2240

Thank you for your support!

Halloween

Expectations:

- No weapons or fake weapons
- No masks
- No face paint of any kind
- No costumes that display words, images, or content that violate district or school policy
- If students are not in compliance, parents will be called and student will be brought to the office to change what's not in compliance (or have parent pick up, depending on offense)



District Guidelines for Halloween:

- Be Respectful: Avoid stereotypes. Be racially sensitive and culturally appropriate. Students may not dress up as an ethnic or cultural groups (i.e., a Mexican, a Geisha, a Native American, etc.). Skin color must not be altered in any way.
- Be Responsible: Recognize that students in a wide age range will see the costumes.
 Costumes should be family friendly. Masks may not be worn. Costumes may not be gory or threatening. No make-up is allowed.
- Be Safe: No hand-held accessories real or pretend (i.e., wands or weapons) are allowed. Crown or hats may be worn.
- Be Kind: Costumes should be fun and exciting, not political, or offensive.
- Be Understanding: Students may dress up as fictional characters if they follow the above guidelines.
- Be Timely: All celebrations should be limited in time and held at the beginning or end of the school day.
- Dressing up as Pocahontas or other Native American Leaders is inappropriate. Culture
 is not a costume. In respect to the Native American view, please advise students to
 refrain from dressing up as Native Americans (i.e., Pocahontas, Sacagawea, Sitting
 Bull, etc.). This is cultural appropriation and is unacceptable.

Thank you for taking the time to ensure students are following the guidelines with their costumes. We want to make sure that we maintain a fun and appropriate environment for all students. We also want our celebrations to be a positive experience that leads to a building up of community rather than division. These guidelines were shared with our school's Community Council and approved.

We will continue with the tradition of having a **Halloween Parade**. To limit distractions and ensure learning continues, the parade will be limited to students and staff only.



We love our custodians!

Davis School District

Custodial Appreciation Week

October 2nd - 8th 2022

Please help us recognize our Facility
Managers and Custodial Team for
keeping our schools safe and clean for
our students!



Come join the team!

Did you know that some of the most awesome kids at Creekside are in our **Pre-school** classrooms!? If you think you would like working with children and would enjoy working with an **amazing team**, please consider applying to be a Teacher Assistant in our Special Education Pre-school classroom. To apply, <u>click here.</u>

We are also hiring for the following positions: Part-time Custodian - Call the school for info. Substitute Cooks - See Deb in the kitchen for details!



Come work at the best school around!



Dogs Are the BEST... but Not Allowed on School Property

Please see the attached information reminding our families of the Davis School District policy on <u>animals on school property</u>. Thank you for helping us BE SAFE!

Free/Reduced Price Meal Application

- Please remember that school meals are no longer free for everyone.
- Parents are invited to consider applying for Free/Reduced meals in their myDSD account.
- Please contact the office for assistance.



• Please also remember that students who qualify for free or reduced meals are also eligible for free or reduced student fees.

PTA Corner



PRICES STARTING AT \$12

THERE ARE A VARIETY OF SIZES, COLORS, AND DESIGN OPTIONS FOR

YOUTH AND ADULTS!

ORDERS CAN BE PLACED ONLINE BETWEEN

SEPTEMBER 15 AND OCTOBER 6

A PORTION OF EACH PURCHASE GOES TO THE PTA TO ALLOW US TO GIFT EVERY STUDENT AT CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY A SCHOOL SPIRIT SHIRT.

YOUR PURCHASE ALLOWS OUR VISION TO BECOME A REALITY!



https://creeksidepta22.itemorder.com/





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Show your school spirit! Order Today!



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