



~ Team Disney Update ~

Mission: Our mission is to educate for life, so every child acquires the knowledge and skills to succeed in school and beyond.

October 29, 2009

Team Disney:

- Parent-Teacher conferences are the week of November 2. If you need a reminder of your date and/or time, please let us know. If you have not scheduled a time, yet, **please do so!!** When you are in the building for your conference(s), take a minute to notice the tremendous student work on the walls!
- Parents and students, please do not plan to go to classrooms after the school day, unless prior arrangements have been made. Due to confidentiality, safety, and theft issues, classroom doors are now all locked at the end of the day. This makes it even more important that students remember to take what they need with them when they leave after school.
- Tardies are a real problem. Please listen to the weather and allow extra time in the morning if needed, lay out clothes and backpacks the night before, etc., to make every effort to have students at school on time. This prevents lost learning, interruptions in instruction, and helps set good lifelong habits for children.
- When your child brings a lunch, please make sure the items are 'kid-friendly,' so they can open them. Adults will assist as they can, but 'tough tops' are becoming a problem.
- If you need to have a message delivered to your child, or wish to request homework for a sick child, please make every effort to call as early in the day as possible, particularly before lunchtime. Thank you!

TEAM DISNEY APPRECIATION DAYS!

Domino's Pizza on W. Republic Road is teaming up with Disney this Thursday-Sunday (Oct. 29 - Nov. 1) for TEAM DISNEY Appreciation Days.

Food items are worth points. For every point accumulated, Domino's gives \$1 to Disney.

In addition, during the Appreciation Days, if 400 points or more are accumulated, they will donate the pizza to be sold at Disney's Fall Festival on November 13, in hopes of helping us reach our donation drive goal, so that TEAM DISNEY students can go to the DISNEY OLYMPICS in February! On a regular Domino's Night, Disney can average 150 points. Surely, we can meet the 400 goal in a four-day period!!! Look for the flyer sent home in your child's backpack with coupons and more information about this great way to support Disney!

- Children will soon bring home information regarding Fall Festival (November 13, 6-8 p.m.) This is always a fun time, and is a last hooray to reach our Donation Drive goal—plan to come have dinner with us!
- Watch for special themed 'hat days' coming soon! On those days (and on outdoor field trips, with teacher approval), the TEAM DISNEY hat is a perfect fit. These hats were sold by Student Council for \$8.00 each, and are still available at the office. Student Council will also sell these hats at the Fall Festival on November 13, and additionally will have McDonald's cookie cards for \$5.00. These are great to use during the Holiday season.
- If our nurses loan your child clothes, please remember to return them. Their stock of sweats is very low, so if you have any of these gently-used/outgrown items of clothing, they would be very grateful if you would be willing to donate them to their office.

- Looking ahead:

November 1:	Daylight Savings Time begins. Move your clocks back one hour.
November 3:	No-tax-increase bond issue election—Please vote!
November 3-7:	Parent-Teacher conferences
November 6:	No school
November 12:	Domino's Night Third-Grade dress rehearsal at 2:20 p.m./Program at 7:00 p.m.
November 13:	Fall Festival, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m./Boxtops and other labels due
November 25 - 27:	Wednesday through Friday - No school (Thanksgiving vacation)

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