



# Weekly Newsletter

10/07/2018

## Crazy Hair Day – This Friday, October 12th

To celebrate our school surpassing our \$20,000 Walk-A-Thon goal, there will be a crazy hair day on October 12<sup>th</sup>. Spike it, puff it, slick it, braid it, color it, or use your imagination with your own unique hairstyle that shows off your school spirit! Attached is the letter that was sent home.

## Fall Harvest Party – This Friday, October 12th

The Fall Harvest class parties are this Friday, October 12th! If you are planning to attend, please make sure your lead parent is aware, and arrive at **2:30** (lead parents arrive at **2:15**) with your completed volunteer form (see attachment if needed). Morning Kindergarten parties will be at **10:30**, lead parents arrive at **10:15**. As a reminder, please coordinate with your lead parent to send any non-food items ahead of time so they have everything they need to set up. Also, per the new school policy this year, younger siblings will not be allowed to attend the parties so please make sure you have childcare if needed.

## Start Gathering Your Box Tops - Fall Contest Has Begun!

The Fall Box Tops Contest has begun, so make sure to send in the Box Tops you've been collecting all summer! Contest details were sent home on October 5<sup>th</sup>. The contest runs through Thursday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. Thanks in advance for your participation! Attached is the flyer for your reference.

## PTO Restaurant Night - Max & Erma's on Wednesday, October 17th

On Wednesday, 10/17, the PTO is partnering with the Westerville Max & Erma's for a Restaurant Night! A flyer will be sent home this week. To participate, show your server the flyer or you may simply show the electronic version of the flyer to them when you're paying for your meal. Max & Erma's will donate 20% back to our school! Thank you for your support!

## Fouse Foxtrotters - Fouse's New Walking Club

Two weeks ago, an exciting new walking club called the "Fouse Foxtrotters" started, thanks to the generosity of the **Westerville Sunrise Rotary**. It takes place on Wednesdays during each grade's recess time. The goal of this program is to work on the Leader in Me Habit 7: Sharpen the Saw – to work on health and Habit 4: Think Win-Win-as we all work toward a goal. In the first 2 weeks, the students collectively walked **924** miles!! A huge thank you to the Westerville Sunrise Rotary who awarded Fouse with a grant to purchase the materials needed to run the program!! A flyer was sent home last week with more details about the program.

## Fall Book Fair - Volunteers Needed!!

Our Fall Book Fair is Monday, October 22nd through Thursday, October 25th. The operation and success of our Book Fair is totally dependent on volunteer participation. If you are able to assist us, please use this link to sign up for a shift: <https://m.signupgenius.com/#/showSignUp/20f0a44aaa92eabf94-october>.

## ESL Students Assistance - Volunteers Needed!!

Ms. Price is looking for volunteers willing to work one on one with some of our 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade ESL students for 30 minutes. You will work on Rosetta Stone and math. Volunteers are needed any day and time except during lunch (12 – 1 pm). If interested, please contact Ms. Price at [pricet@westerville.k12.oh.us](mailto:pricet@westerville.k12.oh.us).

### Schedule for the Week

10/8 (Mon) ---- A Day  
10/9 (Tues) ---- B Day  
10/10 (Wed) ---- C Day  
10/11 (Thurs) ---- D Day  
10/12 (Fri) ---- E Day

### Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

- Fall Harvest Party: October 12
- Fall Book Fair: October 22 – October 25
- Ms. Price is looking for volunteers willing to work one on one with some of our 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade ESL students for 30 minutes. Please see above for details.

**Next PTO Meeting: 11/14 at 7pm**  
**A discussion with Mrs. Schone.**

### Important Fall Dates

- October 12 - Fall Harvest Class Parties, 2:30pm (10:30am for AM-K)
- October 12 – Crazy Hair Day for reaching our WAT goal
- October 17 - Max and Erma's restaurant night
- October 17 - Last day of 1st Grading Period
- October 18 – First day of 2nd Grading Period
- October 18 - Early Release (2:30pm)
- October 19 - Central Ohio OEA/NEA Day (No School)
- October 22-25 – Fall Book Fair
- October 25-26 – Parent Teacher Conferences
- November 6 – Westerville Education Day (No School)
- November 10 – Pancake Breakfast, 8:30 – 11am

### Ways to stay connected

Facebook: Fouse Elementary PTO  
Website: <http://fousepto.weebly.com/>