

TWIN CITY ELEMENTARY TIGER TALES



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October 7, 2016

Upcoming Events

October 12 & 13 - Fire Safety Presentations

October 13 - PTA Movie Night, Hotel Transylvania 2 at 6:30 p.m. (Doors open at 6:00)

October 14 - No School, Teacher Technology Inservice Day

October 18 - ELL Parent Night at 6:00 p.m.

October 25 - PTA Costume Dance at 6:00 p.m.

October 26 - Picture Retakes

October 27 - General PTA Meeting at 3:45 p.m.

School Hours

- School starts at 9:00 a.m. and our doors open at 8:35 a.m.
- On Late Start Wednesdays school starts at 10:20 a.m. and our doors open at 9:55 a.m.
- Dismissal time is 3:30 p.m.
- Please be sure your students are here at least 10 minutes prior to school starting
- If you must change students go home plans please call the school before 2:45 p.m.
- Please call (360) 629-1270 to report your child's absence

School Counselor

I am excited to introduce our school counselor for this year, Cindy Taggart-Deffinbaugh. She will be at Twin City one day a week to work with our students. If you are interested in counseling for your child or social group opportunities, please contact her at ctaggartdeffinbaug@stanwood.wednet.edu.

Jog-a-Thon

Our first fundraiser for the year was a huge success! Thank you to the volunteers that helped out. Please work on collecting your pledge donations and turn all money in by Wednesday, October 12th.

Volunteer HIB Training

In order to volunteer in our school you must complete Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying training each year. If you need training, please stop by and ask! We are happy to accommodate you.

The following is a list of upcoming trainings:

Thursday, October 13th at 6:00 p.m. (This is PTA Movie Night too!)

Thursday, October 27th at 4:15 p.m. (Following our PTA meeting)

Tuesday, November 1st at 8:00 a.m.

Growth Mindset

We are continuing to work on our growth mindset both as a staff and with our students. There is a bulletin board in the main hallway posted with growth goals from our staff on the Power of Yet. We will be introducing the same concept to our students over the next couple of weeks.

Attendance Policy Letter

Thank you for adhering to our new attendance policies this year. We appreciate your efforts in getting your child to school on time each day and minimizing the number of days they miss. Every minute of instruction is important, so thank you for partnering with us to make school a priority. If you have not returned your signed attendance letter, please do so as soon as possible.

School Photos

School photos should be sent home in the next week or so. Picture retake day is planned for Wednesday, October 26th.

Costume Dance

The PTA is hosting our Costume Dance on Tuesday, October 25th from 6-8 p.m. Students are encouraged to wear their costume and come enjoy an evening of fun! Costumes must be school appropriate and many not include any weapons, blood, or scary masks.

General PTA Meeting

We will have a general membership PTA meeting on Thursday, October 27th at 3:45 p.m. in the Library. If you are not a member yet of our PTA, it is not too late to sign up. We encourage all families to join and appreciate the support you provide to our school.