



Hillsboro Elementary
 www.hcs-k12.org
 937-393-3132

November 09

School hours 8:55-3:30

"Pick-ups" are at 3:25

Our Mission is to: Challenge students to be responsible learners.

November

1. Daylight Savings Time (Fall back one hour)
2. Teacher Parent Conf (4-8)
3. VOTE
4. Teacher Parent Conf. (4-8)
7. PTO Carnival (3-7)
9. **No School for students**
11. Veterans Day
- 15-20 American Ed. Week
18. Hillsboro City Schools Board of Education Meeting (7:00 @ HES)
24. Interim Reports go home
- 25-30 Thanksgiving Break (No School)**

TIME FOR SCHOOL

Our school day starts at **8:55**. Tardy is 9:00. We are having a lot of students that are coming late to school. Please help us with this issue. Students can be dropped off at 8:35.

Expectations for learning.

Homework is a critical part of the academic process. HES is setting the standard that students have homework time each night. (K-1: 20 minutes; 2-3: 30 minutes; 4-5: 45 minutes). Reading should be at least half of the homework time.

Need to know:

Breakfast:

Served from 8:35—8:55
 Cost: \$1.00 (reduced .30)

Lunch: cost \$2.25 (red. \$.40)

K-1: 12:05-12:35
 2-3: 11:00-11:30
 4-5: 11:35-12:00

Milk is \$.40

The FASTRAC system allows parents to pay weeks in advance.

Indian of the Week

When your child is chosen as the "Indian of the Week" they will be asked to fill out a poster and return it to be displayed outside their classroom door. **Indians of the week may bring a parent/guardian to lunch**

ONE CALL NOW

If you have not received a call about teacher parent conferences and wish to receive calls about events happening at HES please go to our web page and sign up on One Call Now.

MENU

We hope you received the new menu. If you did not, it is now online. It is color coded and is good for the rest of the school year.

PTO Carnival

The PTO will be hosting a carnival at HES on Nov. 7, 2009. Please mark your calendar for this event. There will be a craft fair, food, games and fun. The Fall Carnival is from 4:00 –7:00 p.m. If you are willing to donate items for the silent auction, or your time to help with the booths, please contact HES. The Leo Club (a high school organization) is sponsoring a costume contest at 3:00 at HES.

Book It

Pizza Hut is sponsoring the Book It program. Help your child earn a free pizza!

Nurse's Corner

Please see the reverse side of this newsletter for a flu update.

one time during their special week.

Please call before 9:30 so the café can reserve a lunch (\$3.00) for you. Please do not bring "fast food" to this special luncheon.

Pick-up badges

Remember to use your pick-up badges to get your children out of the pick-up area. Please call ahead, by 2:30, if you need to get your child before 3:30

Medications

All medications need to be given to the nurse and the proper forms filled out. We have a nurse or aide on duty at all times. The medication form you re-

Operation Christmas Child

Your child should have received a notice about this service learning project at HES. Shoe boxes are being filled with items for underprivileged children. If your family wishes to participate in this project, please let your child's teacher know so we can send a shoe box home to be filled. We must have the boxes back by Nov. 23.

A special THANKS to:

- DOMINO's PIZZA for sponsoring a coloring contest for our students. The winning class won a pizza party
- The Hillsboro Fire Department for hosting the coloring/poster contest and giving our winners a ride in the fire truck.
- The Hillsboro Post Office for inviting our student to write letters to our troops overseas.

VETERAN'S DAY

THIS YEAR'S PROJECT IS TO MAKE A "HAND" WREATH. HAND PATTERNS WILL BE SENT HOME SO STUDENTS CAN WRITE NAMES OF VETERANS ON THEM AND RETURN THEM SO WE CAN DISPLAY THE HANDS ON OUR GIANT WREATH.

Director of Elementary Schools
Diane Michael

Early Childhood Center Pk-1
Kathy Hoop

Primary Pod 2-3
Jacob Zink

Intermediate Pod 4-5
Lew Ewry

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Pam Pitzer
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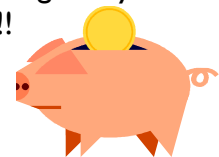
Celebration Corner

PTO Carnival Nov. 7
 4:00-7:00 p.m.
 Leo Club sponsoring a costume contest at 3:00 (before the carnival)

We collect:

Box Tops for Education, 
 Soda pop tabs,
 Nestle Pure Life water labels
 Campbell Soup labels

Banking Every Thursday!!



Word of the Month

Cooperation