

Dilworth Dragons

A MONTH AT A GLANCE

October, 2019

LOOKING AHEAD to OCTOBER

Oct. 3 – 11	Parent/Teacher Conferences – Dismissal at 1:10 pm
Oct. 10	HSC Meeting 7:00 – 8:00 pm
Oct. 14	Non-Student Day – NO SCHOOL
Oct. 16	5 th Grade Math Club starts today
Oct. 17	4 th Grade Math Club starts today
Oct. 28	SSC Meeting 7:45 am
Oct. 31	Halloween Parade 1:00 on the blacktop

WALKAROUND 2019 TROPICAL TREK - SAVE THE DATE!!

Our annual Walkaround Fundraiser is scheduled for Saturday, November 2nd, from 1:00 - 6:00 pm. We need your help to make the day a success. We really need parents to help with set up and working the various stations throughout the day. These include lap card punching, registration, silent auction, snack shack and more. Please consider volunteering for just an hour or two. If you can help, please use this volunteer link to sign up

<https://signup.com/go/rbhHVBG>

YEARBOOK 2019 – 2020

Online ordering is now available for our 2019 - 2020 school yearbook. If you have an account from last year simply log in at www.treering.com to place your order. To set up a new account: Log on [//to www.TreeRing.com/validate](http://to www.TreeRing.com/validate) and enter our school's passcode 1013461755883829. If you have any questions or are interested in helping to create yearbook pages, please contact Nicky Sardar at sardar.nicky@gmail.com or Susan Gauthier at gauthier_susan@cusdk8.org For flyer information

<https://www.treering.com/validate?PassCode=1013461755883829>

HALLOWEEN

Halloween is fast approaching! On Thursday, October 31st at 1 pm we will hold our annual Halloween Parade on the blacktop. Parents are welcome to attend. Please make sure your child's costume is safe and school-appropriate. Outfits that are scary or violent are not allowed at school; toy weapons, masks that completely cover your face, and fake blood are not allowed. Students are welcome to wear their costume to school that day. Please make sure students have comfortable shoes and a layer underneath in case they want to take off their costume for recess/lunch. If your child will not be participating in Halloween events, please let your child's teacher know so they can prepare alternate activities.

DILWORTH BIRTHDAY BOOK CLUB

Thanks to all that have joined the Birthday Book Club. It's such a great way to celebrate your child's birthday and encourage the love of reading. Your \$20.00 donation covers the cost of a hardbound book that will be added to our library collection. Each birthday book will include a special nameplate recognizing the child and his/her birthday. A thank you is also printed in the school newsletter recognizing the child's special day and their gift to the school library. Our August, September, and October birthdays will be recognized very soon. Thanks, Mrs. Gauthier

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VOLUNTEERING AT SCHOOL - If you would like to volunteer at Dilworth, you must have completed the following things; please pick up the forms from the school office.

- Volunteer Agreement Form
- Provide TB Test, within the last 4 years
- Fingerprinting completed

LUNCH DELIVERY

If you are bringing lunch for your child, please make sure you deliver it to the cart across from the office. We instruct students to go to this area to pick up lunches, not to meet parents at the benches in front of the school. Please help us ensure student safety by following this procedure. Please be sure your child's first and last name, as well as room number, are written on the lunch box.

VISITING SCHOOL

ALL VISITORS ON CAMPUS, those entering classrooms as volunteers or meeting with teachers, MUST sign in at the office and obtain a visitor's badge when school is in session. For the safety of all, we need to know who is on campus. The only exceptions are student arrival and dismissal times. If you are taking your child out of school for any reason, ALWAYS Sign your child out from school through the office and back in when he/she returns.

LIBRARY NEWS

The library is now open and it's been so much fun to meet all our new friends, as well as reconnect with our returning ones. Your child will visit our library once a week with his/her class. The library is also open at recess. We have spent the last few weeks reviewing library procedures and expectations. We discussed the value of appreciating and caring for all books. We focused on the fact that books are considered fragile and are treasures that we want to keep safe for everyone to enjoy. Lastly, we had conversations that helped to remind the children that there are simple things they can do to help preserve the shelf life of a book. Some examples include; • Always having clean hands when reading a book • Never eating or drinking when reading books • Storing books in a clean, safe, dry location when not in use • Never writing or drawing in a library book. If you have any questions regarding library procedures, please don't hesitate to contact me. I encourage you to spend time reading with your child every day. It is a special treat for both you and your child. Happy Reading!! Mrs. Gauthier

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