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The BEST of Northwood Elementary



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BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together

September 13, 2019

Calendar Dates:

September 13	Morning Fitness Club Forms Due
September 15	PTA 2 nd and 3 rd Grade Parent's Night Out – Senior Patron 7:00-9:00PM
September 17	PTA Dining for Dollars Chick-Fil-A Night (Northpoint Pkwy) 5:00-8:00PM
September 19	Picture Day – Wear your best smile!!
September 20	Career Day
September 22	PTA 4 th and 5 th Grade Parent's Night Out – Senior Patron 7:00-9:00PM
September 27	Parent Academy – Online Resources that Will Support My Child 7:45AM
October 4	SAVE THE DATE - PTA Family Fun Night 6:00 – 10PM
October 10	NO SCHOOL for students School Governance (SGC) Release Day
October 11	NO SCHOOL for students – Teacher Workday
October 14	NO SCHOOL - Holiday - School closed
October 15	Julia Bernath w/ Gail Dean Community Mtg – Sandy Springs MS 11:30AM
October 18	Rain Date for Family Fun Night

Important: 2019-20 School Governance Release Days for Students:

10/10/19, 2/14/19, and 3/12/20

These are workdays for teachers - students do NOT attend school on these dates. Please make alternative arrangements for your students on these days.

NEWS AROUND NORTHWOOD

This week in **first grade** we have been having a lot of fun learning about different landforms like deserts, coasts, mountains, and valleys! On Thursday we made edible landforms using icing for grass and water, graham crackers for the coast, Hershey Kisses for mountains and valleys, and goldfish to inhabit our oceans. Here is a picture of our awesome and delicious work!



Kindergarten is so excited to have 5th Grade Buddies again this year. Last week everyone was matched with a buddy....or two 😊. The 5th graders came down to the kindergarten classrooms and the buddies introduced themselves to each other. Both buddies filled in an “All About Me” paper so they could learn more about each other. The kindergarten students also received their monthly book Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day. The 5th graders read the books to their buddies before the kindergarteners took them home to their libraries. It was a great day. We are excited for a year of fun with our buddies.

Northwood's Power Up for 30 Morning Fitness Club



Dear Parents,

Did you know that physical activity has been associated with better classroom behavior, concentration, time on task, and academic achievement? As part of our Power Up for 30 initiative, Northwood is striving to provide more physical activity opportunities for our students during the school day. We are inviting our students to participate in our morning fitness club. Parent permission is required for students to participate.

Program Details

- Days: K-2 (Monday & Thursday), 3-5 (Tuesday & Friday)
- Time: 7:10-7:40 AM
- Latest Report Time: 7:20 AM
- Venue: Gymnasium
- Attire: School dress code applies and sneakers are required
- Coaching: Mr. Pearch and Mr. Stark
- Activities: Basketball, soccer, aerobics, climbing wall, PE games, and more!
- Day 1: Monday, September 16th

Students in Fitness Club are expected to adhere to Northwood PBIS behavior expectations both during the school day and during club activities. We want your child's participation in Fitness Club to be a great experience of learning and interaction with other students. Our three Northwood expectations "Be Respectful, Be Responsible, and Be Engaged" continue to be taught during all club activities. Please be aware that if your child does not follow these expectations, we will adhere to the following procedure: One reflection form is a warning, so parents know the student is having some difficulty. Two reflections forms result in missing two club meetings, and three reflection forms will result in dismissal from the club.

"COMPLETED FORMS TO BE RETURNED TO FRONT DESK BY 9/13/19 (one per student)"

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StudentName: _____ ParentName/Signature: _____

Grade: _____ Homeroom Teacher: _____

My child has permission to participate in the Power Up for 30 morning program at Northwood Elementary.

Please note if there are any medical conditions to be considered:

Career Day at Northwood

We are proud to host our parent and community Career Day at Northwood Elementary! We want our students to know how workers use the subjects they learned at school in their jobs. We are currently in need of Career Day participants in various occupations to volunteer about 4 hours of their time to speak with students about their careers.

Our Career Day will be held on Friday, September 20th from approximately 8:00a.m. to 12:00p.m.



If you would be willing to share your time and expertise with our students, please contact our School Counselor, Jennifer Weeks at weeksj@fultonschools.org for more information.

August 2019 - PBIS School Wide Nominees

**An award which recognizes certain students who exemplify in a PBIS Expectation Matrix
- Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Engaged.**

Kindergarten:

Tucker Hurley, Anton Lopez Damian, Aubrey Mikell, Maiximus Camacho-Ortega, and Naferti Winters

1st Grade:

Raelin Appel, Nicholas Cermak, Ciara Stone, Wyatt Castiglione, Travis Jones and Ryan Patel

2nd Grade:

Marisa Holody, Samuel Schmissrauter, Joshua Ikenberg, Shaaray Parikh, Tyler Levine, and Blakely Elstad

3rd Grade:

Edward Chung, Kailey Wright, Dayna Okolo, Alex Granados, Allison Wells and Jack Jablonski

4th Grade:

Maya Winn, Josie Watt, Samantha Thomson, Akon Hurtado-Hercules and Kenneth Silvano-Pedraza

5th Grade:

Lucy Kane, Rithika Raju, Alan Orozeo-Pacheo and Jonathan Fernandez

VISITING THE BUILDING AFTER HOURS

Students and parents will not be allowed in classrooms after dismissal to pick up homework or other items left behind. Please speak to your child about being responsible and taking all needed belongings home with them.

Northwood PTA

www.northwoodpta.com

Family Fun Night is October 4th! The Circus Continues!

Date: October 4th, rain out will be October 18th

Time: 6:00PM – 10:00PM (move starts at sunset)

Location: Back Field behind Cafeteria

Food & Beverage: Pizza (Dominos), drinks, Where's the Scoop ice cream, popcorn and candy are all available for purchase

(Optional) Activities: Purchase tickets online or onsite, advanced purchases recommended due to volume

Bring: Energy, blankets, flashlights, chairs, and bug spray

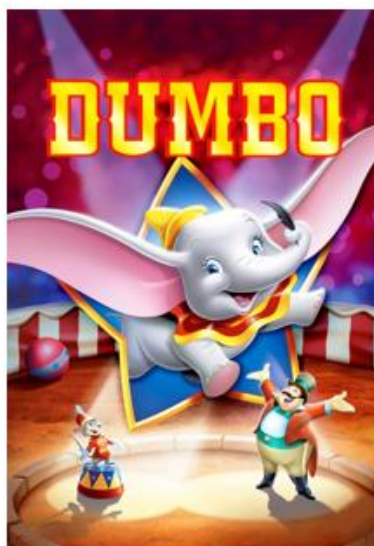
Purchase Tickets: <https://northwoodpta.membershiptoolkit.com/packet/73> or find us under Community Events in PTA Store in Membership Toolkit

Volunteer (we literally need a village): <https://northwoodpta.membershiptoolkit.com/volunteer/43524> or find us under Signups on Membership Toolkit



Welcome to the greatest show on Earth at the Northwood Circus! Come out for an amazing family and fun-filled night where the entire Northwood community gathers for food, movies, games, and laughs. This year we'll be squeezing in the last bit of Summer fun, and we can't wait to see you and your family there as we enjoy the season and each other in this free event offered by the Northwood PTA.

- Watch Dumbo with 300 of your closest friends
- Enjoy bounce houses for kids and the young at heart
- Meet local community businesses
 - McDowell Chiropractic (pick up a free shirt!)
 - Wonderland Pediatric Dentistry
 - Roswell Police and Firefighters
 - SkyZone Roswell
- Purchase raffle tickets to win one of many great prizes offered from our community partners
 - Amazon Alexa
 - River Pines Golf Tickets
 - Movie Package from Aurora Cineplex
- Enjoy free activities like Photo Booths, Tattoos, and carnival games and crafts
- Opt into more fun with paid activities like Sand Sugar, Sack Races, 3 Legged Races, or earn a White Belt from The Dojo!



**TANNER PORTRAIT STUDIO PRESENTS
NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY PTA
ANNUAL FAMILY PORTRAIT EVENT!
A \$30.00 DONATION TO NORTHWOOD PTA**

**Includes the Sitting Fee &
11"X14" FAMILY PORTRAIT PRINT
Courtesy of Tanner Portrait Studio (\$165.00 Value)**

**Friday, October 4th 5:00pm 7:00pm
Saturday, October 5th 9:30am 11:30am
Sunday, October 6th 9:30am 1:00pm**

At Mill Creek Pond

(30000 Mill Creek Ave, Alpharetta)

Please go to the PTA website to make your \$30 Donation,

<http://www.northwoodpta.com/store.html>

**You will be emailed a signup genius link to choose your appointment time upon receiving
your \$30.00 donation**

The offer is limited to one per family – Per School Season – Nonrefundable – Expires Nov 1st 2019

In the event of inclement weather, the photo sessions will be moved indoors to Tanner Studio

For your convenience, additional prints will be available to order or purchase at your viewing appt

Direct Questions To: Vivia Rowe vp1@northwoodpta.com

<http://tinyurl.com/tannernorthwood2019>



We are happy to provide information about the following programs, but please note that they are not sponsored by Northwood Elementary School**

2019-2020 CENTENNIAL JR. KNIGHTS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

Boys & Girls

5th - 8th grade

Oct. 5th & Oct. 6th

\$10 tryout fee for boys

Girls tryout for free

You MUST register online:

centennialjrbasketball.com

Cafeteria News

Adult lunches are \$3.45. Please have only your child join you at the designated visitor tables. Please remember that outside food is not allowed. This can be a special "Parent and Me" treat.

Announcement for School Breakfast Programs:

Did you know that a hot and fresh breakfast is served every morning in the cafeteria? It's a proven fact that breakfast helps jumpstart your brain for a day full of activity and learning – so be sure your child starts their school day ready to go with a delicious breakfast! We invite your child to visit the cafeteria from 7:10AM to 7:35AM to get their breakfast! The cost is \$1.10.

Lunch Menu – September 16-20

<http://www.fultonschools.org/en/divisions/ops/Nutrition/Pages/MenuCalendars.aspx>

9/16 – Italian Pasta Bake – Chicken Taquito – Cheese Pizza Pack

9/17 – Tangerine Chicken – Burger Sliders – Jamwich Pack

9/18 – Salisbury Steak – Chicken Filet Sandwich – Hummus Plate

9/19 – Waffles & Sausage Links – Cheese Stuffed Breadstick – Turkey Chef Salad

9/20 – Seafood Basket – Cheese Pizza – Meat Lover's Pizza – Lunchbox Buddy