

#ThisIsMyMcMeen

WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER - October 29, 2021

Next Week at A Glance

Monday 11/1	Tuesday 11/2	Wednesday 11/3	Thursday 11/4	Friday 11/5	Weekend
	Election Day				

Native American Heritage Month

In November, McMeen will be joining in local and national celebrations and recognitions in honor of Native American Heritage Month. Each week we will provide one of the resources that will be used in the classroom. This week please reference this link to an article that provides an accurate description of [Native American History Month](#)



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kiss-and-Go - We would like to thank all of you for having your students ready and on the right side of the car for exit. We would also like to ask that you pull up as far as possible along the sidewalk, so that we can welcome students quickly and avoid a long line of cars in the Kiss and Go. When the cones are in place across the parking lot, please have your students come to the front door.

Holiday Resources- We are looking for families who would like to support other McMeen families during the holiday season. If you are interested please fill out this [form](#). This information will allow us to determine how many families to select for support.

[Resources for families](#)

Salvation Army: 303-861-4833

Please give operator your zip code and request information for holiday resources for gifts and/or food as well as Angel Tree Program

[Denver Toy Shop](#)

[Denver Rescue Mission](#)

[Thanksgiving Food Drive](#)

Storybook Character Day-Thank you!

Thank you for supporting McMeen Storybook Character Day. Our students had a great day representing their Storybook character. We appreciate the time and effort this takes from both families and staff to inspire our students love of literature!

MCMEEN ELEMENTARY

PTO

From Parent Teacher Organization

Next Meeting - Our next Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) Meeting will be **this Tuesday, November 9th at 6pm** via [this Zoom link](#).

PTO is On Flyer! - Please join the PTO group on Flyer. To do so, select the group icon at the bottom (it looks like 3 people), click "Update Groups" then select "Parent Teacher Organization." This will make sure you stay updated with everything happening with PTO!

Fundraising Opportunities - For opportunities, see [here](#).

Contact Us!

Email: mcmeenpto@gmail.com

Facebook : <https://www.facebook.com/McMeenElementary>

Instagram: [@realstudentsofmcmeen](https://www.instagram.com/realstudentsofmcmeen)

Dual Language Meet and Greet-Thank you!

Thank you to all the Dual Language families who attended our first annual Dual Language Meet and Greet. We're planning to host other gatherings in the coming months. Thank you to our PTO leader, the Harmacek family. Ben and Dr. Laura served popcorn and hot chocolate to those in attendance. We're also appreciative of Principal Hinman and Dr. Hernandez for continued leadership and support of our DL program. Stay tuned for more opportunities to become involved in McMeen's Dual Language program! As always, please reach out to Dr. Hernandez, our DL program director either through the main office or at < luiza_hernandez@dpsk12.org > if you have questions or would like more information about DL at McMeen. Please take a look at our Dual Language page on the [McMeen website](#)

REMINDERS



Family Directory - The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) has compiled all the names for the Family Directory sign-up into [this document](#). They are currently working on a way for families to sign-up who may have not had the chance at Back to School Night. Stay tuned! The goal here is to provide contact information for any families who opt-in to share their information. We hope this will help with connections between students and families.

Collaborative School Committee (CSC) Nomination Form - We are collecting nominations for our CSC. Please use [this form](#) to nominate yourself to serve on the Collaborative School Committee this year.

Girl Scouts- Girls in Kindergarten through 5th grade, there are Girl Scout information meetings happening at multiple locations & dates in Denver! Join us to start a new troop or learn more about how your girl can participate in Girl Scouts

Girl Scouts of Colorado Office
 7th floor of the Belcaro Building
 Tuesday, November 2nd at 5:30 p.m.
 Wednesday, November 3rd at 5:30 p.m.
 Thursday, November 4th at 5:30 p.m.

City Park, N York St
 In front of pavilion , near lake
 Saturday, November 6th
 from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Central Park, Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
 In front of playground
 Saturday, November 6th
 from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
 Questions? Contact
Michelle.Anthony@gscolorado.org

Month at a Glance

November

Native American Heritage Month

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Election Day	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 CSC 5pm PTO 6pm	10	11 Annual Title I Meeting 5pm	12 No School- McMeen Planning Day	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	No School					
28	29	30				