

#ThisIsMyMcMeen

WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER - September 24, 2020

Next Week at A Glance

Monday 9/28	Tuesday 9/29	Wednesday 9/30	Thursday 10/1	Friday 10/2	Weekend
No School					



EMAIL CAMPAIGN

Our teachers have been working SO hard to support students with remote learning and planning for our return to in-person learning. We would like to make them feel loved and appreciated through an email campaign. Please participate by sending your child's teacher a note of gratitude. We would love to flood teacher inboxes on **Friday, September 25th**, but please feel free to send your message to them whenever works best for you.

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PTO

October Meeting - The next meeting will be on October 12 at 6pm via Zoom.

Easy Way to Support McMeen PTO - One of the easiest, and definitely most impactful, ways to support the McMeen PTO is by linking your King Soopers. Learn how to [here](#).

Fundraising Opportunities - Please see [this document](#) for current PTO fundraising opportunities.

Contact Us!

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Building Connections



We want to provide opportunities for families to connect with one another. To do this, we have created a Padlet where you can share ideas and connect over a different topic each week. This is completely voluntary and meant to build our community.

This week's topic: **Share where you are from**
Share and connect [here](#).

Chromebooks - We recognize that many families have been using personal devices for remote learning and are not comfortable with sending these devices to school. We do not currently have enough Chromebooks on hand to give one to each student who does not already have one. We are working with the district to get more to fill this need and will keep you updated once we hear back.

SAVE THE DATE: Parent Teacher Conferences: Conferences will be the evenings of October 13th and 15th this year. Your teacher will reach out with how to sign-up for conferences.

Custodians and Bus Drivers Needed - DPS needs to fill several Custodian and Bus Driver positions. The Custodial positions start at \$14.77/hour and Bus Driver positions start at \$20.34/hour. If you are interested, text DPSFIELD to 97211 to speak to a recruiter.

Return to School - Please review the [video](#) and [slide show](#) presentation for information about our return to school plan here at McMeen. Below are the dates students will be returning. *We know the district has given slightly different dates for returns. The district's dates are based on phase-ins. We are doing an orientation for many of our students as part of this phase-in the week before they return. You will hear from teachers about the specifics for your child. Please plan on students' first day of in-person learning based on the dates below.*

- **October 5** - Kindergarten returns
- **October 12** - 1st Grade returns
- **October 21** - 2nd-5th Grade returns

*We are still waiting to receive the translations for this presentation and will send them out once we have them.

REMINDER No School September 25th and September 28th - These are planning days for teachers, so there will be no school for students. The September 25th date is specific to McMeen and is not part of the DPS calendar.

REMINDER Starry Connect Internet - This is a new option for internet. Find more information [here](#). If you are interested, please contact Eric Claytor, Director, Sales: (303) 909-5964, eclaytor@starry.com

REMINDER Apply for School Meal Benefits - visit www.myschoolapps.com to apply for free & reduced meals.

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