

June 18, 2019

## **Town Center Elementary School Weekly Update**

The West Windsor-Plainsboro Regional School District has created a new email system for parents and guardians. Every week you will receive our school's newsletter. This email will include school information, PTA information, district updates as well as athletics, community education, counseling information and more.

**Please Note: This will be the last newsletter for the 2018-19 school year.**

### **School News**

We are so proud of all the learning, growing and fun that we were able to enjoy with you this 2018-2019 school year! During our Whole School meetings, we learned about our "Super Powers" and practiced them throughout the year on different training missions. As "Super TC Gators," you know the importance of being responsible, respectful, fair, and trustworthy. You also learned ways to take care of yourself to help you be the best you can be. Remember, it is great to learn new things and explore your interests, but it is fantastic to be a kind and caring human being! We know that you can do anything you set your mind to. Be persistent, make mistakes, learn from those mistakes and try again....you can do it!

As the school year ends, we can think about all the amazing memories we created. We enjoyed so many interesting assemblies, concerts and events. Remember the fun we had during Fall Fest, Masquerade Ball, and the Science Fair? Then there was Family Paint Night, Book Fair, STEAM Week, and Field Day, too! How about the fantastic author visit from the poet, Douglas Florian? He had a great way with words and was very funny.

A special farewell to our TC Second Grade Gators. You were amazing leaders of our school. You helped keep Town Center "Green" by taking care of our recycling and our Gator Garden. You demonstrated respectful behavior in the hallways, at lunchtime and at recess. You set a wonderful example for all of the other students by Being Respectful to Yourself, Being Respectful to Others and Being Respectful to the Environment. Have a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing next year's TC Gators in September! Best of luck to all of our Gators who will be going Millstone River next year! Choose Kindness...

Love,  
Mrs. Bowes and Dr. Osterbye

## Reminders

- If you are moving please contact Mrs. Kim Nickerson in our main office at 609-716-8330. She can guide you through the paperwork to make sure you have a smooth transition to your next school.
- Keep your contact information updated on Genesis. Teacher and Bus information will be listed in Genesis towards the end of August.

Have a wonderful summer, be safe and have fun!

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## PTA News

- Winners of June McCaffrey's Receipt Collection Contest: Congratulations, Cyrus Raooof (K-Miss. Gambatese) and Gwen Kelly (2nd Grade-Ms.Keiffer); Winners will receive their prizes soon!
- Second Grade Year End Party is Wednesday, June 19, 2019, during school hours. There is going to be lots of fun activities, games, music, pizza, Italian Ice etc. for our graduating Second Graders. Please make sure to send in the permission slip and \$5 per student in an envelope marked with the "Second Grade Year End Party" along with student's and teacher's name. Flyers have been sent home. You can also download a copy from our website at this link: [http://towncenterpta.my-pta.org/Content/338\\_1/Files/SeconGradePicnic2019.pdf](http://towncenterpta.my-pta.org/Content/338_1/Files/SeconGradePicnic2019.pdf)
- Volunteer Request for the Second Grade Year Party: We need your help to make this a fun party for our second graders to enjoy and remember. A variety of activities/time slots are available for you to choose from. Please sign up to volunteer at this event on Wednesday, June 19th, per your convenience of timing at this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0544A9AD23A1FC1-2019>
- Donuts with Dad is June 20, 2019. Starts at 8:15 a.m. at the Town Center Cafeteria. We cordially invite all dads to come and celebrate Father's Day" with their children. We will have Donuts, Fruit, Juice & Coffee for you to enjoy. The dads are welcome to walk their child to their classroom after the event. Be sure to bring proper ID to check-in. For Flyer, click here: [http://towncenterpta.my-pta.org/Content/338\\_1/Files/DONUTS-FOR-DAD-2019-final-version-.pdf](http://towncenterpta.my-pta.org/Content/338_1/Files/DONUTS-FOR-DAD-2019-final-version-.pdf)
- Sockey Summer Registrations are now open! Sockey is an Elementary-level indoor co-ed sport created to learn the game of hockey, exercise, and have fun all while listening to great music! It is a safe variant of hockey played in a gymnasium with sock-covered hockey sticks, soft indoor hockey balls, and players wear sneakers instead of skates! Players receive a team shirt and all equipment is provided (including sticks). Sockey is the only after-school program

in WWP completely led by the teachers! The program donates a percentage of the proceeds to each school's PTA, and we team up with our WW-P guidance counselors offering "Sockey Scholarships." For more information visit:

<http://www.sockeyfun.sockey.com/homePageWWP.aspx>

- TCPTA Events Committee Chairs Opening for 2019-20 - Please take a look at next year's Committee Chairs Openings and sign up per your convenience"<https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/20f0544a9ad23a1fc1-tcpta3>

## **Thank You Notes**

- Thank You for your Support at Family Picnic: Thank you, to our amazing Principals Mrs. Bowes and Dr. Osterbye for their constant guidance and support in ensuring safe fun for all. We would also like to thank our wonderful Custodians for helping us set up for this awesome event and every other event across the year.
- We would like to thank our Event Committee Chairs: Jenny and Anastasia for planning and executing the Annual Family Picnic so well. Thank you to our Activity Station Incharges: Aparna, Zohra, Sadia, Amanda, Sunitha, Sheetal and Vidhya for ensuring lots of fun for all. We appreciate our Parent volunteers Manjula, Nupur, Fernanda, Cheritha and Jyoti for their help. Big Thanks to Girls Scouts from Troop #s- 70037, 72815, 70974, 71896 and Kaushal from BSA Troop # 759; for helping us run all the activities smoothly. Amazing Team Work of all of the above made this event successful and Fun for all TC families to enjoy.
- Thank you from TCPTA: Thank you to all TC Families for supporting the TCPTA this year. We had a fun-filled year for the students and their families, with lots of events, programs, and assemblies. We couldn't have done this without your support and participation. We appreciate it.

## **Events**

- June 19: Second Grade Year End Party
- June 20: Donuts with Dad (8:15-8:40 a.m.) Bring ID to sign-in.
- June 21: Last Day of School (Early dismissal 1 p.m.)

**Useful links:** [PTA Website](#) | [Email](#) | [Facebook Page](#)

## **SEPTSA**

Check back for updates from SEPTSA!

**Useful Links:** [WWP SEPTSA Facebook Page](#) | [WWP SEPTSA Website](#)

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## **District Updates**

- Each week we will upload all flyers and a PDF version of this email to the [website](#).

## **Useful links for the district**

- [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Calendar of Events](#)

## **WW-P Board of Education**

- The Board of Education has one more regularly scheduled public meeting for this school year on June 25, 2019. In addition, two meetings are held during the summer: July 30, 2019, and August 27, 2019. For more information about the Board of Education and upcoming meetings, [click here](#).

## **Community Events**

- Looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the [community event section](#) on the district's website!

## **Community Education Program & Event Reminders**

- [Summer Programs](#) - Summer registration has opened for students ages five to 14. Programs run from June 24 through Aug. 9, 2019. Half and full day options with extended care are available. \*Registration closes on June 20 for the first week.\*

## **Food Services**

- Check out the breakfast and lunch [menus](#) for June!

**Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.**

[Twitter](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Instagram](#) | [LinkedIn](#)