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Mr. Feather's Headquarters

OCTOBER 16TH, 2021

HAWK HOLLOW'S VISION

We will work collaboratively to implement rigorous, standards-based core instruction and practice which shifts learning from teacher-based to student-based and fosters student agency showing improved outcomes for all.

PRINCIPAL NOTES

Happy Saturday Hawk Hollow Families! I can't tell you how lucky I feel to be part of such an amazing school! I walk through the building and my heart fills with joy when I see our staff and students engaged in learning!

This week I visited a 6th grade math and science class! Our students were learning how to divide fractions using models, tape diagrams, and the KCF method (Keep, Change, Flip). Students met in a small group with their teacher and with their peers. Everyone was engaged. Later that day I witnessed students intellectually engaged in a science lesson. Students worked with their peers as they learned about how organisms impact one another. The kids had great discussions with their peers as they worked to determine which organism would live based on the food supply!

I also visited a 5th grade classroom where literacy was the topic of conversation. Students were completing a project either independently or in a group to show their understanding of one of the following: summarize a theme, inferences, or comparing and contracting. Our students were given the opportunity to choose what and how they wanted to consolidate their learning. They were highly engaged and excited to show me what they were working on!

In ILP our students spent 45 minutes engaged in a lesson that covered letter naming, letter sounds, writing sentences, and SINGING the alphabet! The students loved the Jack Hartman videos the teacher played as they danced and sang along. In addition, my little friends had the opportunity to read a story to which they made connections and used background knowledge to have a discussion. It was a joy to see!

In kindergarten, some more of my little friends were learning about how numbers GROW! Our littles were given whole group instruction but had lots of opportunities to share with their pods to secure their learning. Our kiddos were able to explain to each other why the numbers increased and even were able to respectfully disagree with their peers.

I wish you could have been a fly on the wall so you had the opportunity to see what and how our students are engaging in learning!!! At Hawk Hollow, we are building a community of

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learners who can work together using their unique talents!!!



LUNCHROOM CHANGES

Menu Changes:

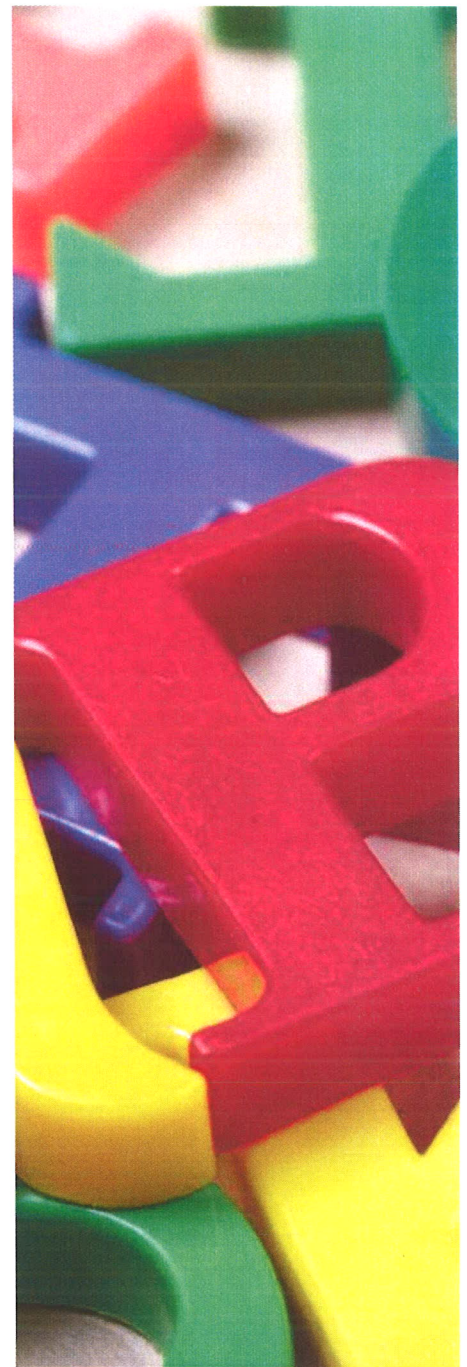
Unfortunately, there have been a lot of substitutions to our lunch menu recently. It appears our vendors are not getting the supplies they need in order to make some of our menu items. This means the district has to make substitutions to the items we are serving our students. In order to assist our families, Hawk Hollow will be posted substituted items on our [website](#) under the lunch menu calendar. Please be patient with us as we will not always know ahead of time that changes are occurring. If you are concerned and do not see a change listed on our website, you can always give the school a call prior to your child's lunch period to see if the menu item has changed.

Assigned Seating:

In our lunchroom students will now be sitting with their homeroom class. The district has asked, for contract tracing purposes, we implement this practice. By complying with these directives we are reducing the amount of exposure students have to one another. It is our hope this practice will not need to be in place for the entire school year! Please also note, students will continue to be able to play/engage with those from other classrooms when are out at recess.

IAR TEST RESULTS FROM 20-21

Next week teachers will be sending home IAR test results with your child. These results are from the assessment that was given during the 20-21 school year. Students were expected to take the exam in person so if your child **did not** come in for the test then you will not receive results. The results of this exam let us know if your child is on the right path to being college





and career ready. If you have questions about the test you can reach out to Mrs. Dupuis or the assessment office.

IT'S STORYBOOK PUMPKIN PATCH TIME!!! CHECK OUT THE DETAILS ON HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CONTEST!

Storybook Pumpkin Patch

Hawk Hollow is growing a storybook pumpkin patch and we need your help! Decorate a pumpkin to look like your favorite book character and plant it in the Hawk Hollow Library!

Individual Student Entries will have a chance to win an Oberweis Gift Card!

Participation is voluntary.
This is a fun student or family activity.

Decorating Rules:


- Purchase a pumpkin that is no larger than a basketball. Real or artificial pumpkins/gourds may be used.
- Gather your decorating supplies and get started! Acrylic paints or permanent markers work best. Other supplies may be: glue, yarn, buttons, fabric, wiggly eyes, etc. You may also use clothing, accessories, scenery and props.
- Decorate without cutting, carving or poking holes in the pumpkin.
- If you have the book associated with your pumpkin, please put your name inside the book and send it along to be displayed next to your pumpkin.

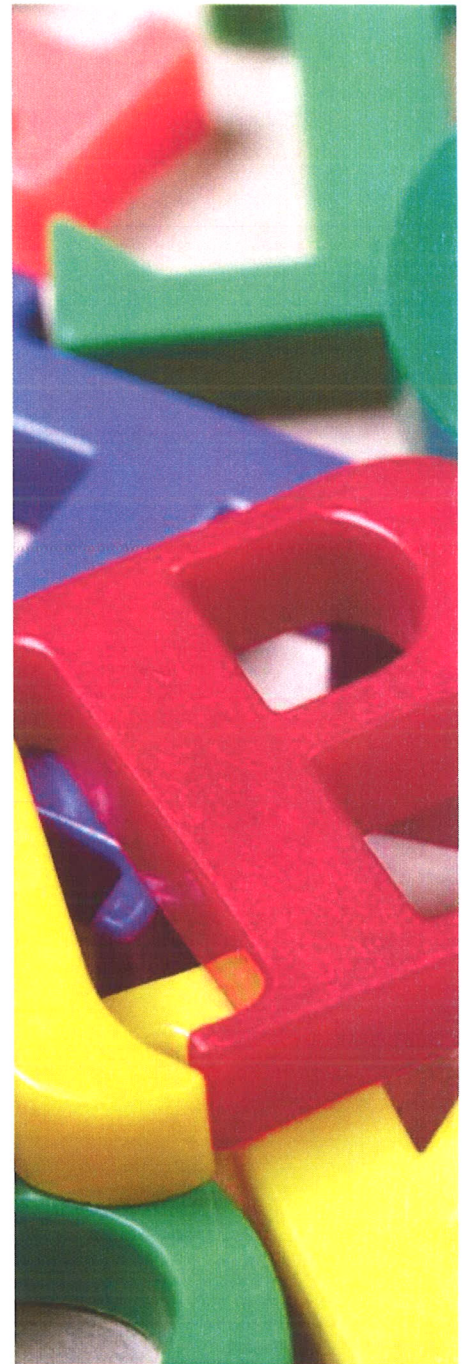
The Dates:

- Complete the entry form. Bring the form, pumpkin and book to the school office:
Wednesday October 20th or Thursday October 21st before or after school.
- There is no school on Friday October 22nd.
- Classrooms will vote: :
Monday October 25th - Friday October 29th
- We will have two winners. One for K-2 and one for 3-6.
- The winners will be announced on Friday October 29th.
- The two winners will receive an Oberweis Gift Card!
- Pumpkins need to be picked up:
Monday November 1st before or after school
- Pumpkins not picked up by 3:30 pm on Monday November 1st will be discarded.

Be Creative and Have Fun!

Questions? Contact:
Mrs. Rita Crotinger | ritacrotinger@u-46.org





**Hawk Hollow Library
Storybook Pumpkin Patch
Entry Form:**

Who made this Storybook Pumpkin?

Student/Family Name: _____

Grade(s): _____

Teacher(s): _____







Pumpkin's Name: _____

Book Title: _____

Book Author: _____

Book Illustrator: _____

5TH GRADE FIELDTRIP TO SPRING TRAIL



LEARNING ALL
ABOUT THE SPRING
TRAIL!



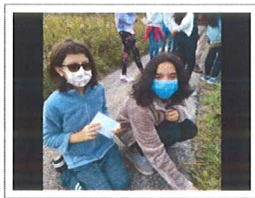
STOPPING FOR A
QUICK PHOTO ON
THE TRAIL!



WE ARE HAVING A
GREAT TIME!



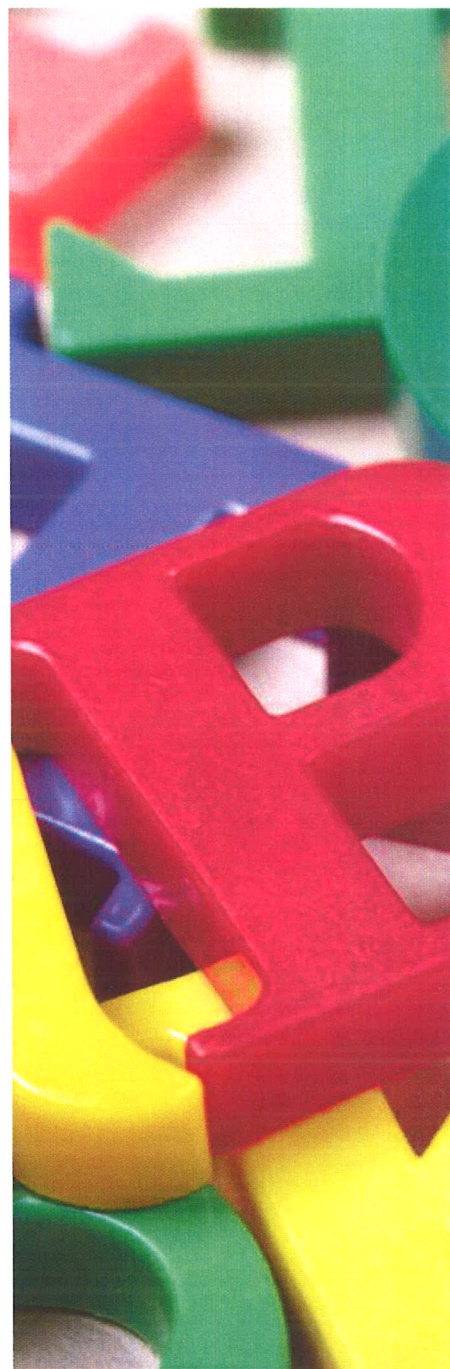
LOOKS LIKE SHE
FOUND SOMETHING!



GOING ON A
SCAVENGER HUNT.....



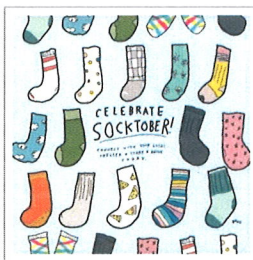
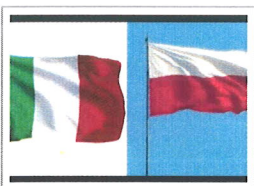
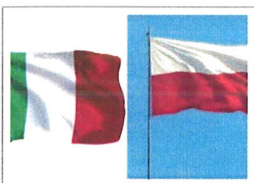
EXPANDING OUR
MINDS!



LOOK I FOUND INVENTORS AT HAWK HOLLOW. OUR THIRD GRADERS KNOCKED IT OUT OF THE PARK!!



IMPORTANT DATES



OCTOBER 1ST - 31ST

October is Italian American and Polish American Month!

OCTOBER 1ST - 31ST: SOCKTOBER

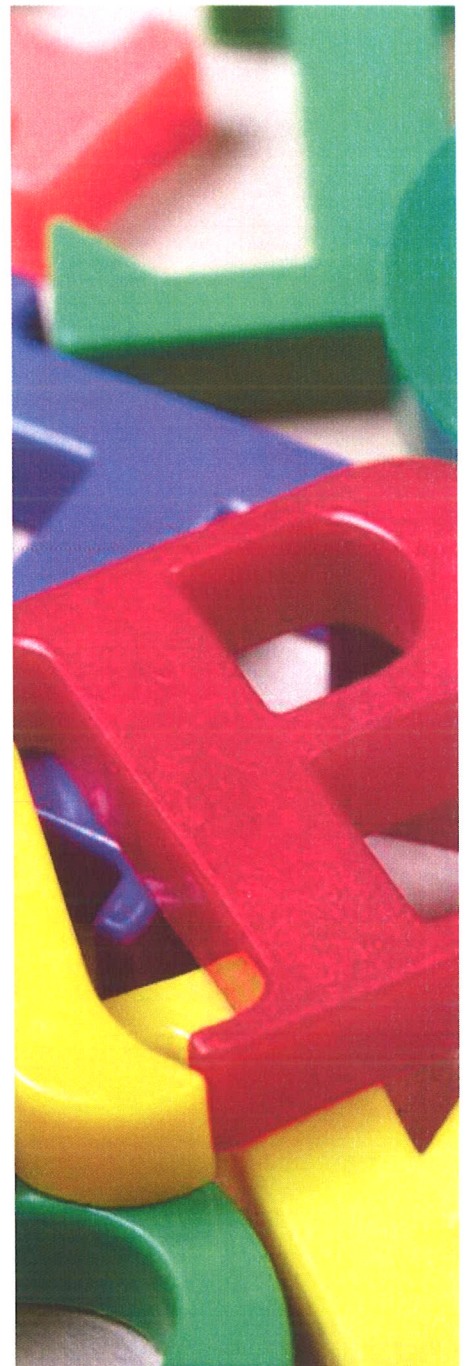
Don't forget to send in gently used or new socks, shoes, or clothes for our Socktober event! All items will be donated to homeless shelters in the area! Hawk Hollow gives back to the community!

Be sure to snap a picture, tag Hawk Hollow, and

OCTOBER 21ST AND 22ND: VIRTUAL PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

On October 21st, teachers will host virtual parent teacher conferences from 4pm - 7pm.

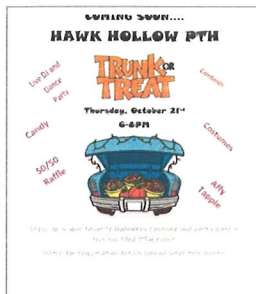
On October 22nd, NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS. Teachers will



#SOCKTOBER!

have various times available to engage in a virtual conference.

Be sure to reach out to your child's teacher today for an appointment and the Zoom link!



OCTOBER 21ST: 6PM - 8PM

Come join us at Hawk Hollow for our Trunk or Treat event! It will be SPOOKTACULAR!!!!

If you are interested in volunteering for the event, sign up here.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4aadad22a2face9-trunk>

OCTOBER 21ST - PBIS REWARD

Students can give their teachers 15 feather bucks to participate in Hat or Hoodie Day! Students will be allowed to wear their hat or hood of their sweatshirt the entire school day!

OCTOBER 25TH @ 9AM

Our staff and students will be practicing our severe weather drill. During this drill an announcement will be made and an interior alarm will buzz notifying students the drill will commence. Students will exit their classrooms and go to their designated areas in the interior of the school. Any classroom upstairs comes down for the drill.



OCTOBER 27TH: PTH MEETING

Join us via Zoom for our PTH Meeting!
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84810666418>

OCTOBER 29TH: HALLOWEEN PARTIES

Teachers will be hosting Halloween Parties in their classrooms. Reach out to your child's teacher to see what item you can donate for the party.

Students are allowed to wear costumes for Halloween Parties. Information regarding what items are acceptable for the school will be forthcoming.
At this time it is unknown if we can host a Halloween Parade.

NOVEMBER 1-30

November is Native American Heritage Month!



OUR PTH IS SELLING POINSETTIA'S!!!!

I purchased several poinsettias and amaryllis bulbs last year so I can tell you that you will NOT be disappointed! My plants stayed with me well past the holiday season and even bloomed a second time!!!

Be sure to get your order in today, I know I will!!!


Hawk Hollow PTH's Poinsettia+ Fundraiser

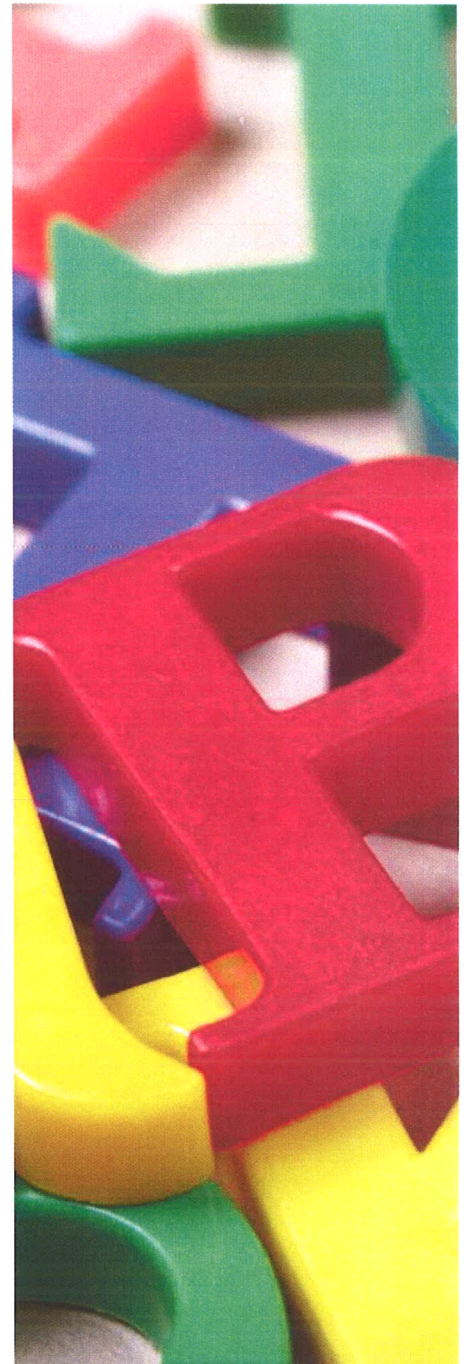
Capture the holiday spirit with beautiful poinsettias, amaryllises, and Christmas cacti! Our Poinsettia+ Fundraiser makes it easy to decorate for the season or even find the perfect gift for that hard-to-buy-for person.

To order, just write your **phone number** and **child's name** on the order form, ask friends and family to support the fundraiser, record all orders on the order form, and send a check payable to Hawk Hollow PTH or pay via CheddarUp at this link <https://my.cheddarup.com/c/2021-2022-pth-events-copy> (or scan the QR code). Order forms should be turned in at school with a check or marked as paid on CheddarUp.

Orders are due **Friday, October 29th**. Items will be available for pickup at the school between late November and early December. The specific pickup date and instructions will be shared closer to that time.

Be sure to join the Hawk Hollow PTH Facebook group for up-to-date information and additional order forms. Any questions can be directed to dgilpin80@yahoo.com.





POINSETTIA+

LIVING COLOR FUNDRAISER


NAME: _____


PHONE #: _____

HAWK HOLLOW

ELEMENTARY PTH

Christmas Cactus – 4 Inch Pot - \$10.00








Red


Comes with Foil Pot Cover


Classic Poinsettias – 6 Inch Pot Size - \$14.00

























Red


Pink


Cream


Painted Poinsettias – 6 Inch Pot Size – \$16.00























Purple

Chameleon

Blue

<https://www.smores.com/4b1wu>

8/10

Amaryllis Bulbs - \$16.00


Star
Red Wax w/Glitter


Crimson
White Wax w/Glitter


White
Gold Wax w/Glitter


4 inch pot - \$6.00

6 inch pot - \$8.00

4 inch Snowflake Metal Pot

6 inch Snowflake Metal Pot


Christmas Cactus will fit this pot


All Poinsettias will fit this pot



POINSETTIA+
LIVING COLOR FUNDRAISER

Please include your name, email and phone number so we can notify you when your order arrives

| Red | Pink | Cream | Blue | Purple | Chameleon | Amaryllis Star | Amaryllis Crimson | Amaryllis White | Christmas Cactus | Pot 6 inch | Pot 4 inch | Total Plants | Total \$s |
|------|------|-------|------|--------|-----------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------|------------|--------------|-----------|
| \$14 | | | | | \$16 | | \$16 | | \$10 | \$8 | \$6 | | |



SCORPION YOUTH WRESTLING CLUB REGISTRATION



2021 2022

Become a Better Athlete!! Better Yet!! Become a Wrestler!!

Registration Date: October 17th 9-11am and 3-5pm

Address: 221 S Main St, Bartlett (behind Marco pizza and Two toots- This is our new private practice facility!)

Ages: K-8th

Practice Times- (TBA-typically 6-8)

--Competitive Youth Wrestling for kids K-8th. Wrestle kids your age and weight. Fees: \$395.00 (not including weekly tournaments) Includes: USA Wrestling membership card and warm up shirt.

--If you are a new wrestler, we will need a copy of your birth certificate when you register.

--Any questions please visit us on Facebook: scorpion wrestling club or on our website WWW.Scorpionwrestlingclub.com or email kelly.scorpionwc@gmail.com



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