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Thurston Elementary PTO

Heron Happenings

October 25, 2021

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Newsletter submissions are due by Saturday, 5pm to: newsletter.thurstonpto@gmail.com

Upcoming Events and Reminders

October 29: Harvest Field Day in the morning; Half Day, students released at 11:28 a.m.

November 2: No School (Election Day)

November 16 @ 6-7pm: Virtual PTO Meeting ([Zoom Link](#))

Fundraiser Update!



Fundraiser Update: As of Saturday, we have raised \$9,205 with 149 registrations!

Thurston Herons! You are doing a fantastic job sharing your website with friends, family and neighbors. For Week 2, we have many students sharing their fundraising links in the double-digits! We also have many students raising funds in the triple-digits! This will call for a warm "Thank you" with some warm cider on Monday (Tuesday, if it rains).

We are doing so well - you should all feel proud, friends! We are nearly to our goal of \$15,000 in our **LAST WEEK OF FUNDRAISING!** Remember, for the last week, the top class with the most shares and the top class with the most funds raised gets a pizza party! And, the top grade with the most shares and the top grade with the most funds raised will get a take-home surprise!

Please consider registering if you have not already done so and share your website! Remember, any number of shares and any amount of donations all work together to support our community.

Harvest Fun Field Day this Friday, 10/29!

Activities begin at 9:15 am.!

We still need a few more activity volunteers and pumpkin donations! Follow the Sign-up Genius link below to help. If you have pumpkins or supplies for the day, drop them off at 8:30 am by the picnic tables (rain or shine). If you need to make other arrangements, please email pto.thurstonelementary@gmail.com.

Harvest Fun Field Day Event Plan:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-QDWiLbQd8b42xThGpPfv3U0-m3Ytt2/view?usp=sharing>

Harvest Fun Field Day Sign-up Genius:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A44ACA72AA3F49-harvest>



RAIN DATE - NEED BACK-UP VOLUNTEERS!

Monday, November 1:

8:30-9:15 am set-up

9:15-10:45 am event

10:45-11:30 tear down

Please sign up using the link below to volunteer on Monday, 11/1, if we have to postpone our Friday, 10/29, event due to bad weather:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A44ACA72AA3F49-rain>

Thurston Nature Center: All Hallows Eve Walk

ALL HALLOWS EVE WALK

Join us for our annual Harvest Moon Night Walk, Saturday, October 30th, 6-8pm



Please join us as we mark the end of summer and beginning of fall. Following ancient traditions, we invite you to wear your costumes, join us at the fire (located by OHAC), bring your own fixings for smores, and enjoy the trails marked with lights.

Room Parents Needed!

Interest in Being a Room Parent? Reach out to Leah Klass to find out more!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScgW4L32AWE4c111DPGdESrppG_MwWUc4IxsE604yk3YPrDAA/viewform?usp=sf_link

November 2: Election Day, Pantry Donations

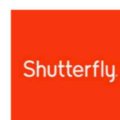


There will be a box for pantry donations at Thurston Elementary on Election Day. Consider bringing in some canned and/or dried goods, paper products, toiletries, etc. when you come to vote. Thank you for your support! Please see the school website for future details: <https://www.a2schools.org/thurston>

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