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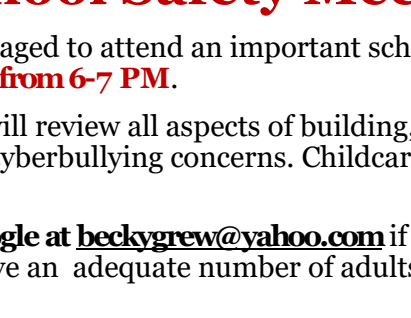


October 1, 2018



Journey to Success

This month we are focusing on **Self-Control** with the students at NEA. Please check the [Journey to Success link](#) on the NEA website to find ways you can bring the Journey to Success from school into your home.



School Safety Meeting!

All parents are encouraged to attend an important school safety meeting on Tuesday, **October 9th from 6-7 PM.**

NEA administrators will review all aspects of building, student and staff safety, including online and cyberbullying concerns. Childcare will be provided.

Please email **Becky Bogle** at beckygrew@yahoo.com if you plan to bring your children so we can have an adequate number of adults on hand.

Volunteer Orientation

All New & Returning Volunteers – who plan to participate regularly at NEA **MUST** attend one orientation in order to volunteer during 2018-2019.

There will be one more session on **Tuesday, Oct. 9th 5 pm - 5:45 pm**

*This training contains elements that all school employees are required to review annually. If you have any questions, please contact:

Mary Tibbals @ mtibbals@groton.k12.ct.us or 860-572-5852.

Camp Read S'more

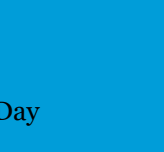
Please Join Us!

Camp Read S'More Family Literacy Night for ALL K-2 Students and Families

October 11, 2018

6:00 – 7:30

RSVPs have gone home with your child, please return them to your child's teacher by **October 4th.**



Northeast Academy October Newsletter Calendar

**Always check for changes or adjustments to the upcoming events!*

October 8– Columbus Day **No School**

October 11– Family Literacy Night for grades K-2

October 16– Early Dismissal for Professional Development Day

October 18– Illustrator visit for grades 3-5

October 22-26– Scholastic Book Fair

October 24– Early Dismissal and Parent/teacher conferences

October 25– Early Dismissal and Parent/teacher conferences

October 26– Early Dismissal



On behalf of Northeast Academy's staff and students, I would like to thank all the presenters for taking the time and energy to plan and come to work with our students on **Health and Wellness Day!**

Students had exposure to so many activities that promote physical and mental health. Thank you so much!

Sincerely,

Anna Maria Streips

Grade One Teacher/Health and Wellness Committee

The Principal's Reading Challenge

Mr. Esposito is challenging all **fifth graders** to do their personal best this month by reading at least 900 minutes! The challenge is to be completed at home, and forms have gone home with students. All students who meet the challenge will get their picture taken with Mr. Esposito!

PTO Meetings

Media Center 6pm-7pm

Meeting Dates

October 9th

November 7th

December 4th

February 12th

March 13th

April 10th

May 14th

June 4th



Childcare is provided at meetings

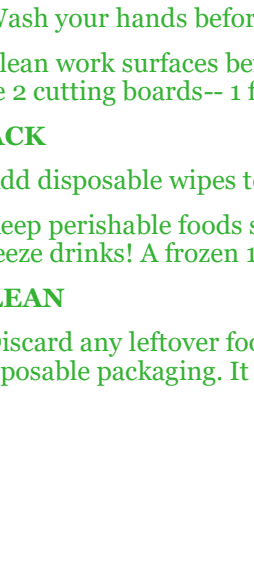


Pie and Cookie Dough Fundraiser just in time for Thanksgiving!!

The PTO is selling Lyman Orchards Pies and Otis Spunkmeyer Cookie Dough. Orders will be delivered on Monday, November 19th, just before Thanksgiving!

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Did you know that saving Box Tops is a great way to help raise money for our school? The first submission date is at the end of the month so be sure to send in what you have. Collection sheets were sent home but they can also be submitted in a bag or envelope. Remember, every box top counts!



Be Healthy, Be Fit...

How to pack a safe lunch! Check out these top food safety tips!

PREP

- Wash your hands before prepping your child's lunch.

- Clean work surfaces before you prepare foods. To help avoid spreading germs, use 2 cutting boards-- 1 for produce and 1 for meats.

PACK

- Add disposable wipes to lunches. Kids can use them before and after eating.

- Keep perishable foods safe! Aim for 2 cold sources-- like freezer packs. TIP: Freeze drinks! A frozen 100% juice box or water bottle can double as a cold pack.

CLEAN

- Discard any leftover food. Wash containers and reusable bags. Avoid reusing disposable packaging. It could spread germs to other foods.