



Emery Express



Michelle Merricks, Principal

November 2018

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Mark Your Calendar

- Nov 5 Report Cards Go Home
- Nov 7 McTeacher Night @ McDonalds 5:00 – 8:00 PM
- Nov 13 4th Grade Music Program 6:00 PM
Family Library Night 5:00 – 6:00
- Nov 14 Mix It Up Day @ Lunches/No Visitors Please
- Nov 19-23 Thanksgiving Break/Student Holiday
- Dec 3 Progress Reports Go Home
- Dec 4 Unwrap Reading Night/Family Library Night

Capturing Kids' Hearts/Counselor's Corner

CKH Monthly Focus - Student to Student Affirmations

Classroom affirmations are used to create a positive and supportive environment by teaching students to be supportive of one another

Core Essential Word for November – Cooperation

Working together to do more than you can do alone.

“Mix It Up at Lunch Day” is a nationwide campaign that helps students appreciate and respect diversity. We will encourage our students to take a new seat in the cafeteria. By taking a new seat in the cafeteria and meeting new people, students learn that no matter what our differences are, we can all be friends.

The students will have conversation starters to help them meet their new friend. We encourage you to ask your child to tell you about his/her experience at the “Mix It Up at Lunch Day”.

Our Mix It Up at Lunch Day is November 14, 2018.

We ask that you not have lunch with your child on this day so they may participate in this activity.

Thank you for your support in this important event.

4th Grade Music Program



Join our 4th grade students as we celebrate our country and our Veterans!

Tuesday, November 13th
6:00 PM

Students arrive at 5:30

Principal's Message

November is a time to be grateful and at Emery we have much to be grateful for! We have a wonderful caring staff, we have supportive parents and community with a giving and engaged PTO at the forefront, to which we all say thank you for all that you do to make Emery Elementary successful and fun for our families. And finally, we have incredible students, who challenge themselves every day to learn and be engaged as well as challenging us to become better people. They are why we are here every day!

I would like to thank all the Parents that took time out of your busy schedules to attend Parent Teacher Conferences and our Parent Symposium. We are truly in this together!

Report Cards will be going home today, please take a few minutes to review your students' progress with them. We had a great turnout for our PTO Movie Night and look forward to seeing you at McTeacher Night and the 4th Grade Music Program.

Have a safe and restful Thanksgiving Break!

Our Emery Eagles SOAR: Safe, On-task, Accountable, and Respectful.

Warmly,
Michelle Merricks,
Principal



Reminders

SCHOOL START TIME – Our Front doors open at 8:20 am for car rider drop offs. Please remember that school starts at 8:45 and students need to be in the classroom at that time. **Any arrivals after 8:45 are tardy and must be signed in by a parent.** We appreciate your help starting the day off on time. Instructional time begins at 8:45.

PARENTS OF WALKERS – Please do not park on Round Robin or Plantation Myrtles Dr. to walk your child to school or cross the street.

HORIZONS Testing Open-Referral Period:

Oct 1st- Nov 30th, please call Mrs. Fischer with any questions @ 281-855-9080

Library News

Book Fair was a great success. Thank you to all the families who came in to buy books and to support our students' reading lives.

Ms. McGinness wants to thank the many volunteers who came and helped with Book Fair. Each person who comes in to help makes such a difference in the lives of our students, and we appreciate every one!

Saturday, November 10 – Mobile Library at Plantation Lakes Pool 9:30am-11:30am

Tuesday, November 13 - Family Library Night, 5pm-6pm (check out up to 10 books per family)

Tuesday, December 4 - Family Library Night, 5:30pm-7:30pm (check out up to 10 books per family)

Nurse Notes

FEVER POLICY – Students must be fever free for 24 hours without medication before returning to school.

HEAD LICE - Prevention is focused on avoiding head-to-head contact (common during play at home, child care, school, sports activities, playgrounds, slumber parties and camps) and by prompt treatment of infested persons.

Thank you for helping our students stay Healthy!

Holiday SOAR Store

The Holiday SOAR Store
is coming to Emery!

Tuesday, December 18th

We are in need of volunteers, gift wrapping supplies and new or gently used items for the students to shop for. Please begin saving items you would like to donate.


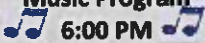

**If you would like to volunteer,
please reach out to Shannon Andreas.
You may call 281-855-9080 or email
shannon.andreas@cfisd.net**

Donation items may include:

Picture frames, toys, jewelry, neck ties, G-rated movies, books, key chains, wallets, home goods, small décor items, gift wrapping tissue paper, ribbon, assorted boxes and gift bags, wrapping paper, bows (Items should be small enough to fit in his/her backpack or a grocery sack).

We will begin accepting donations in December.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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5 REPORT CARDS GO HOME	6	7  5:00 – 8:00 PM	8	9	10
12	13 4 th Grade Music Program  6:00 PM Students Arrive 5:30 Family Library Night 5:00 – 6:00	14	15	16 PTO Spirit Shop During Lunches	17
19 	20 Thanksgiving Break – Student Holiday				24 
26	27	28	29	30 Upcoming Events: Dec 21 Holiday Parties Dec 24 – Jan 7 Winter Break/No School	1

Emery Long Sleeve Spirit Shirt Pre-Order Form

Prepare for
Cooler
Weather!



Pre-Order
Form
Shirts arrive In
December

Only \$15.00 for Child Sizes
\$20.00 for Adult Sizes
(Accepting Cash or Money Order Only)

Last Day to Order: Wednesday, November 14th

Child's Name: _____ (Please Print)

Teacher's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Please indicate the number of shirts needed for each size in the appropriate box.

Royal Blue with Green Lettering

Youth:	XS	S	M	L	XL	Adult:	S	M	L	XL	XXL
Size	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Number of *Youth* Shirts: _____ @ \$15.00 ea.

Number of *Adult* Shirts: _____ @ \$20.00 ea.

For Office Use Only

Cash Amount Paid _____

Receipt Number _____

M/O Amount Paid _____



PTO NEWS

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Emery PTO Membership Drive

These are the classes in the running for a FREE PIZZA PARTY provided by PTO!

PK- Quintanilla= 9 memberships

PK- Vasquez = 5 memberships

2nd Grade - Kremsreiter = 5 memberships

3rd Grade - Below = 5 memberships

There is still time for you to turn in your form!

Deadline will be

November 12th

VOLUNTEERING IS MY THING!

Thank you so much for those of you who have donated your time to help. You are a BIG help and we truly appreciate you! If you would like to donate some of your time or inquire about volunteering opportunities please feel free to email



Emeryelemvolunteering@gmail.com

Mc Teacher Night

Join us and your teacher at our local McDonald's for Mc Teacher night!

November 7th 5-8pm!

Mc Teacher night is a fun way to help our school! A portion of the sales during this time will be donated to the school.

Thank you for your support!

PTO FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Thank you to all the families that came out and supported us at our Family Movie Night!

BOX TOPS COLLECTION!



Earn cash for our school by clipping \$.10 Box Tops from hundreds of products! It's a simple way to help! Send in your box tops and students can submit them in the container! The class that collects the most box tops by our collection pick-up date will receive an ICE CREAM treat! The winner of our first collection was Mrs Gerron's 5th Grade class with over 200 box tops, Congratulations!

Next collection date: Feb 20

Emery PTO Spirit Shop

Students will have the opportunity to stop by our spirit shop during school lunches. Lots of fun items to chose from!

Next Spirit Shop date: Nov 16

Fall Fundraiser Pick-Up

Please Save the date!

Fundraiser item Pick-up will take place

November 12 , 2018

Prizes will be delivered with pick-up orders.

Emery PTO thanks you for all your support!

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Family Fitness Daily Movement Calendar



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>DAILY CHALLENGE: CRISD would like to challenge all families to incorporate more movement into their daily routine for a healthier lifestyle.</p> <p>For each daily activity, try to move consistently without stopping for at least 15 minutes. If you move for 20 minutes, GREAT! If you move for 30 minutes, EVEN BETTER! If you move for 60 minutes, AWESOME!!!</p> <p>So, grab a family member or a friend and GET MOVING TODAY!</p>						
<p>4 Skill Practice Dribble any ball 100 times with your dominant hand. Switch and do another 100 dribbles with your non-dominant hand.</p>	<p>5 Total Body 10 squats 10 push-ups 10 walking lunges 10 Jumping jacks Repeat</p>	<p>6 Jog Go for a jog at a good steady pace for 15 minutes. Try to do it without stopping, but stop if you need to.</p>	<p>8 Push Ups! See how many push-ups you can do. Take a 1 minute break and try again.</p>	<p>8 Locomotor Skills Practice your locomotor movements by skipping 10 times, galloping 10 times, and sliding 10 times. Repeat for 15 minutes</p>	<p>9 Raise the Roof! Do body squats and lift your arms over your head at the top of your squat. Do them until you are tired!</p>	<p>10 Shadow Boxing Without touching anyone, punch down to the ground towards your own shadow.</p>
<p>11 Family Adventure Go for a hike with your family today. Try to keep a vigorous pace and work up a sweat.</p>	<p>12 Create Create a new game with a friend today using a ball.</p>	<p>13 The Jumping Leotouchun Jump as high as you can, attempting to click your heels together underneath you. Repeat for 1 minute.</p>	<p>14 Tape It Front! Put a piece of tape on the ground and jump back and forth as quick as you can for 30 seconds. Repeat 10 times.</p>	<p>15 Rock, Paper, Scissor Tag Meet in the middle, play, winner chases the loser back to safe zone. If tagged, join the other team.</p>	<p>16 Bike Ride Go for a bike ride for at least 1 hour. Don't have a bike? Go for a walk/jog, or do bicycle crunches.</p>	<p>17 Dance Put on your favorite song and make up a dance to it. Teach your dance to someone else. Perform it for an audience.</p>
<p>18 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>19 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>20 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>21 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>22 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>23 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>	<p>24 Holiday Get outside and get moving!</p>
<p>25 Jump Rope See how many different ways you can jump rope. Can you do each one for 1 minute straight?</p>	<p>26 Jumping Jacks Execute jumping jacks for 1 minute without stopping. Take a break for 1 minute. During the break, do as many crunches as you can. Repeat for 15 minutes.</p>	<p>27 Walking Go for a walk with a grandparent or adult relative who takes care of you.</p>	<p>28 Hopscotch Make a hopscotch court and play with your family.</p>	<p>29 Play Grab a few friends and play a few tag games like "Capture the Flag".</p>	<p>30 Run See how fast you can run a mile. Have a family member time you.</p>	

Order your yearbook **today!** Cost: \$25.00

****IMPORTANT PLEASE READ**** Our Yearbook staff follows the schools "NO PRINT LIST" and is **not responsible if student portrait is not printed. Should you have any concerns, please check with the schools registrar's office prior to placing your order to confirm that your child can be published in the yearbook.**

Please fill in ALL blanks below OR purchase online with debit or credit card at Balfour.com:

Homeroom teacher _____ Grade _____

Student
Name _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Phone _____

of yearbooks _____ X \$25.00 = _____ Total Cost

Cash or Checks payable to EMERY PTO

¡Ordene su Anuario HOY! Costo: \$25.00

****IMPORTANTE FAVOR DE LEER****Nuestro personal de Anuarios sigue la "LISTA de NO IMPRIMIR" y no se hace responsable si la foto del estudiante no se imprime. Si tiene usted cualquier inquietud, favor de comprobar con la secretaria de matriculaciones antes de poner su orden para confirmar si **la foto de su hijo puede salir en el anuario.**

Llene todos los espacios a continuación o cómprelo en línea con una tarjeta de débito o crédito en Balfour.com:

Maestro Titular _____ Grado _____

Nombre del
Estudiante _____

Nombre del Padre/Tutor Legal _____

Teléfono _____

Cantidad de anuarios _____ X \$25.00 = _____ Costo Total

En efectivo o Cheques a nombre de EMERY PTO