

## **The Fairview Connection**

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Dear Fairview Families,

Today at Fairview School, we held our third annual Fairview Expectations Rotations Day. In previous years, the Fairview staff has always taught students about what is expected of them throughout their school day. Typically, this had been done in classrooms using the Fairview School Expectations matrix as a guide. This matrix is included in today's packet for you to view if you'd like to have conversations with your child about our expectations across their school day. This year, we tried something new in terms of teaching expectations. We had our 4th and 5th grade students who have a strong understanding of what is expected at Fairview teach our 2nd and 3rd graders. This provided our older students with an excellent leadership opportunity, while helping our younger students understand what is expected at Fairview. It also helped us with one of our school improvement goals for this year where we set out to increase opportunities for students to intentionally interact with other students outside of their homeroom class. We hope to continue these interactions throughout the year by having classes match up as buddy classes to learn together periodically throughout the year.

Last week at Fairview was our annual safety week. All students practiced one safety drill each day throughout the week. This included two evacuation drills, a shelter-in-place drill, and a hard lock down drill. Our bus evacuation drill had to be rescheduled for a later date, but that will happen in early October. Take a moment to talk with your child about the importance of practicing these drills and ask them how they went. It might even be a good time to review your plans at home regarding what you would do in the event of an emergency. We thank the Mount Prospect Police and Fire Departments for their assistance with these drills.

I wanted to inform parents of two exciting district-wide opportunities that are coming up in the coming months. First, the District 57 Education Foundation would like to remind everyone of the Fall Fundraiser event on Friday, October 18th. It's a parent night out at Station 34! Tickets are only \$35 when purchased online in advance (\$40 if purchased after October 10th). Tickets include food and drinks and can be purchased by visiting the D57 Education Foundation website at www.57edfoundation.org. All proceeds go to fund grants which improves all of our students' educational experience. Please visit the website above for more information about the event and organization as a whole.

In addition, our district technology coaches are hosting an exciting opportunity for parents to learn all about keeping kids safe, happy and healthy in the digital age. On Thursday, October 24th starting at 6:30 p.m. in the Fairview Multi-Purpose Room, they will be hosting an informational session designed specifically with parents in mind. Please see this flyer for more information. We hope you can come out to learn more about such an important topic for parents of children living in today's technology immersed world.

I hope your child has enjoyed the first month of the school year. It is hard to believe that we started up a month ago already! We have really been enjoying working with your children each day and look forward to all that lies ahead in the months to come. Have a nice weekend!

Dan Ophus Fairview Principal



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Our lunchroom does not have a supply of utensils for students. If your child has something in their lunch that requires a spoon or fork, please remember to pack one in their lunch box.



If possible, please avoid sending glass containers in your student's lunchbox.

Also, please write your child's name on their lunchbox in permanent marker so if it gets lost, it can easily be returned to him/her.



A simple way to help fund special programs at Fairview is by clipping box tops and scanning your receipts though the new Box Tops App. Attached is more information on how the Box Top Program changed over the

summer and how to add your child's name and teacher when scanning your receipts. Monthly contests will be starting soon, so keep scanning, clipping and including your child's name on your submissions!!

Questions? Feel free to contact Gina Sammartino, gina.sammartino@gmail.com

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Rainbows is a support group for students who are dealing with a divorce, death, separation, or deployment. The groups meet during the students' recess time. If you are interested in having your son or daughter participate in this group please contact Fairview's Social Worker. Her contact information is Katherine Ciruelas Email: kciruelas@d57.org Phone: 847-394-7320, ext. 4141

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#### **Summer 2019**





FIRST DAY OF FALL

Attached to this packet is a form that you can print out for those times that your student will not be riding the bus home. Just fill it out and send it to school with your son or daughter. *Remember, if we don't have a note stating your student will not be riding the bus, we will put them on the bus at the end of the day.* 

#### Be in the know...District shares information from local organizations

District 57 families are fortunate to live in a community that offers so many opportunities for children! Please see the flyer in this week's packet that provides links to information about upcoming registration deadlines and events. The District administration office is pleased to share this information from local organizations.



## SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER EVENTS TO VIEW



Monday, September 23 Thursday, September 26 Monday, September 30 Friday, October 4

#### Tuesday, October 8 Friday, October 11

Board of Education meeting & Public Hearing on Budget, 7:00 p.m.—Fairview Non-attendance day—NO SCHOOL Progress reports mailed home Orchestra rehearsals begin at Lions Park, 7:40 a.m. PTO meeting, 5:30 p.m.—Fairview Staff Lounge Early dismissal—students dismissed at 11:50 a.m. (transportation provided for bus riders)

## Fairview School Expectations

	Arrival &	Bus	Hallway	Classroom	Recess	Lunchroom	Bathroom	LRC	Assembly &
	Dismissal								Field Trip
Be Responsible	*Arrive on time (8:35-8:45)	*Get to the bus stop on time	* Keep hallways clean	*Be prepared and ready to work	*Be responsible for recess materials	*Clean up your area *Recycle	* Get permission to use the bathroom	*Handle materials and furniture with	*Follow the teacher or presenters
	*Be in your classroom by 8:50	*Listen to the bus driver	*Keep moving	*Keep your area clean	*Line up quickly and quietly when recess ends	*Raise your hand if you need help	* Use the closest bathroom	care *Return books/	directions
	*Exit building at 3:20	*Report problems to the bus driver		9		*Enter and exit lunchroom with permission	*Get in, get out	materials on time	bathroom before the assembly begins
Be Respectful	*Enter/exit building quietly	*Keep bus clean *Use kind words and inside voice	*Keep your hands to yourself	*Listen and follow teacher's directions *Participate	*Listen and follow directions from supervisors	*Listen and follow directions from supervisors	*Respect each other's privacy *Keep bathroom	*Use computers appropriately *Use quiet voices	*Sit flat on your bottom
	*Keep hands/ materials to yourself	*Keep hands and feet to yourself	*Walk quietly *Make eye contact and greet others	*Work well with others *Use kind words	*Use appropriate language *Take turns and share equipment	*Use appropriate language/indoor voice *Line up and wait quietly to receive milk	clean *Use a quiet voice	*Listen and follow directions	*Keep hands to yourself *Be a good listener *Raise hand
				*Keep your hands to yourself					before speaking
Be Safe	*Line up in a straight line with your class for arrival	* Enter and exit in a quiet line	*Walk on the right facing forward	*Follow classroom expectations	*Walk to and play only in designated areas	*Keep hands/feet to self	*Wash hands *Report supply	*Show digital citizenship	* Enter and exit in a quiet line
		* Sit in your seat,		*Walk and sit		*Do not share food	needs (toilet paper,	*Walk and sit	*Stay with your
	*Follow directions of supervisors	face forward	*Keep belongings along wall	properly	*D <mark>ress appropriately</mark> for weather	*Clean hands before	soap)	properly	group
	*Walk to pick up area for dismissal	*Stand up only after bus has stopped	*Keep doorways clear	*Follow emergency drills without talking	*Report problems to supervisors	eating *Walk lunch carts to/from lunchroom	*Report water spills		
		*Keep aisles clear *No eating			*Do not speak to strangers	*Remain in your seat until dismissed			



## Mark your calendars!

Join the District 57 technology coaches for an informational session designed especially for parents/guardians.

Thursday, October 24

6:30-7:30pm

Fairview Multipurpose Room



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## Plugged-in Parents: Grades K-8

Keeping kids safe, happy, and healthy in the digital age.

# Parenting the Digital Learner



Scan the QR codes for more information on the various parenting topics provided by Common Sense Media.

#### Learning With Technology



http://bit.ly/2U8yUs8

## **Cell Phone Parenting**



http://bit.ly/2L08KVJ

#### Screen Time



http://bit.ly/2ZwPYJm

## Social Media



http://bit.ly/2ZwuQTy

#### Privacy & Internet Safety



http://bit.ly/2HsJ1mH

## Violence in Media



http://bit.ly/30Ckgfn

# Mount Prospect District 57 Parent Information

At Home Instructions



http://bit.ly/2ZrHvY8

1:1 Student-Parent Handbook



http://bit.ly/327dlpi

Date



# (student's name) will not be riding Bus #\_\_\_\_.

(reason)

# Date

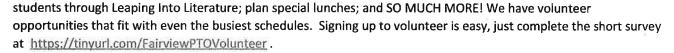


(student's name) will not be riding Bus #

(reason)

## Please join.... Your Fairview PTO!

The Fairview PTO is an inclusive organization that serves to enrich the lives of the students and staff at Fairview while supporting the education of all students. We welcome all Fairview adults to join our PTO and take on as big (or as small!) of a role as they would like in our organization. Please join us! What does the PTO do? A lot! We plan assemblies; host events like Boo Bash, the Science Fair, and the Fun Fair; volunteer in the LRC; give out free things (like birthday books and ice cream!); support and recognize the faculty; raise funds for school events; read to



#### No-Stress Fundraiser! – Select your own dues! In

the past, the PTO has typically run a fall fundraiser which raised the majority of the funds for the PTO budget. However, again this year, we are running a no-stress fundraiser as part of our membership process. Instead of asking parents to sell raffle tickets, collect donations, or sell products, we are asking you to make a donation to join the PTO. If every family can donate \$25, \$50 or \$100 we can fully fund the PTO budget without spending money on raffle prizes, giving a percentage to a sales company, or using our volunteers' time coordinating a separate event. The list on the right helps explain what your PTO funds are used for; all of the money stays within our school community and directly benefits our students!

SPECIAL PTO MEMBER BENEFIT! One of the many benefits of joining the PTO is receiving access to our Fairview directory app! With the directory app you will be able to easily access contact information for Fairview families. This is a must-have for planning playdates and birthday parties. Only PTO members will receive access to the directory app (no printed directory will be distributed).

If you have any questions, please contact Kim Bondora (bulzfan1021@vahoo.com) or Carrie Krupa (carolynekrupa@gmail.com)

#### Please join the Fairview PTO today!

#### **PTO Member**

Name:

PTO Member Name:\_\_\_\_\_

I have decided to contribute \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ as my PTO dues this year.

(Remember that if we can raise enough through this no-stress fundraiser, we won't need a fall fundraiser, product sales, or to sell raffle tickets to friends/family) Thank you for your support of the Fairview PTO!

Students' Name(s) and Grade Level(s):\_\_\_\_\_

Please include either cash or a check made payable to Fairview PTO. Please note on the check, "For Membership."



#### What are PTO Funds used for?

Five, all-school assemblies that are completely funded by the PTO The inflatables for Field Day Free Fairview Folder for each student New books that are read to students as part of Leaping Into Literature and then donated to the LRC Boo Bash The Science Fair Free Ice-cream at the back-to-school picnic & Fine Arts Night Free book for all students on their birthdays Donation for 5th grade musical supplies and expenses



## EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL NO MORE CLIPPING. ALL YOU NEED IS YOUR SMARTPHONE.

The NEW and improved Box Tops mobile app uses state-of-the-art technology to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online.

LOOK FOR THE NEW LABEL:



## **HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:**



## **BUY** BOX TOPS PRODUCTS

You can find Box Tops on hundreds of products throughout the store.

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Use the app to snap a photo of your receipt within 14 days of purchase.



## EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL

Box Tops earnings are identified and automatically updated at BTFE.com.

You do not need to clip or send Box Tops labels to school.



# **BOX TOPS CLIPS ON PACKAGES**

Traditional Box Tops clips are being phased out of production but may continue to be found on many products throughout the store as packages transition to the new Box Tops labels. **You can still clip these and send them to school.** Please make sure each clip has a valid expiration date.







SEE PRODUCTS & LEARN MORE ABOUT THE BOX TOPS APP AT BTFE.COM

THE ALL-NEW BOX TOPS IS HERE! DOWNLOAD THE APP:



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# COLLECT BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

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### D57 EDUCATION FOUNDATION

\$35 PER PERSON

#### OCTOBER 18, 2019 8-11 PM

# FALL EVENT

#### STATION 34 PIZZA & PUB

\*\$35 PER PERSON INCLUDES BEER, WINE & APPETIZERS

RAFFLE, MUSIC & FUN! proceeds benefit grants for all D57 schools

www.57edfoundation.org

\*tickets are \$35, after 10/10/19 \$40

#### Village of Mount Prospect Human Services Department Holiday Assistance Program 2019

The Village of Mount Prospect Human Services and Fire Departments will be assisting lowincome residents this holiday season. A Thanksgiving meal basket will be provided by the Human Service Department in November and the Fire Department will host a holiday party and provide toys for the Children in December. An assessment is required.

#### MUST BRING

- Photo ID of self/spouse/significant other.
- Children's Birth certificates.
- Proof of address (Current lease, letter from landlord, or mortgage payment coupon).
- SNAP approval letter or school's letter certifying that child is on free or reduced-price Lunch program.





## **REGISTRATION IS LIMITED!**

Call to make an appointment

Mount Prospect Human Services Department 50 S. Emerson Street Mount Prospect, IL 60056 847-870-5680 **Community Connections Center** 1711 W. Algonquin Rd Mount Prospect, IL 60056 847-506-4930



## Off School Special – Monday, September 30

All children welcomed between Kindergarten - 5th Grade

### Field Trip: Bison's Bluff Playground in Schaumburg Activities: Blob Tag, Musical Chairs, Fall Dot Painting

#### \*\*Please pack your child a lunch. Must wear socks & gym shoes!\*\*

- Located in the RecPlex Kids Klub Room, 420 West Dempster, Mt. Prospect
- Hours of operation 7:00 AM 6:00 PM
- Drop off from 7:00 AM 9:00 AM, pick up from 3:30 PM 6:00 PM
- Departing for Field Trip at 1:30 PM
- There is a \$1.00 cash late fee for every minute after 6:00 PM that you are late.
- Rates: First Child \$38, Second Child \$33
- Must Register by <u>Thursday</u>, <u>September 26</u>

If you would like your child(ren) to participate in this program, please register at one of the MPPD facilities or online through the WEBSTORE.

### OFF SCHOOL SPECIAL PROGRAM #37482

PROSPECT

**MOUNT PROSPECT FIRE DEPARTMENT** 

# SATURDAY SEPT. 28 10AM TO 2PM Kids, Come Experience a Firefighter Obstacle Course!

Fire Trucks, Ambulances & Special Rescue Vehicles Slide Down a Fire Pole Meet Sparky Firefighter Obstacle Course Special Teams Demonstrations Fire Safety and Emergency Preparedness Programs Home Utility Safety FREE Lunch Provided

FIRE STATION 13 • 112 E. NORTHWEST HIGHWAY

# **FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OCTOBER 6-12**



## **2019 POSTER CONTEST**

Fire Prevention Week takes place October 6 - 12 this year. In an effort to educate students about fire safety, the Mount Prospect Fire Department annually sponsors a poster contest. The theme this year is:

### "Not Every Hero Wears a Cape. Plan and Practice your Escape!"

Mount Prospect students are encouraged to design a poster using this year's theme. Students may enter the contest through their school or individually if their school elects not to participate. For more information on the theme, please visit the NFPA website, <u>www.nfpa.org/public-education/campaigns/fire-prevention-week</u>

#### Entries are judged on originality, creativity and use of theme.

All entries will receive a participation ribbon; however, a first, second and third place winner will be chosen from each grade level. All of the first place winners will then proceed to the Village-wide contest, with the final winners receiving an award from the Mayor at an upcoming Village Board meeting.

#### **CONTEST RULES:**

Kindergarten through 5th grade students are invited to design a poster.

All submittals must contain the following information (on the back of their submittal):

- 1. Student's Full Name
- 2. Student's Home Phone Number
- 3. Name of School
- 4. Grade Level
- 5. Teacher's Name
- All posters must be completed on poster board (maximum size of 16" x 20").
- Individual entries can be dropped off at the Police/Fire Headquarters, 112 E. Northwest Hwy. (Fire Department Second Floor), or at the main office of the student's school prior to the deadline.
- The deadline for entries is October 9, 2019.
- All entries will be returned to the students' schools after the contest ends.



#### ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

701 West Gregory Street - Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056 P (847) 394-7300 | F (847) 394-7311 | www.d57.org

## The District 57 Administration Office is pleased to present this information about upcoming events and news from local organizations that serve our community's children.

#### Mount Prospect Fire Department Open House – Saturday, September 28

Come 10am to 2pm to Fire Station 13 (112 E. Northwest Hwy.) and meet Sparky! See Fire Dept. equipment, fire sprinkler demonstrations, slide down a fire pole, and much more. Free lunch.

#### Register for Fall Dance Classes at the Mt. Prospect Park District

Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Contemporary, Hip Hop and Modern classes for ages 2 through adult. For more information, visit <u>www.mppd.org</u> or call 847-640-1000

#### Cub Scout Pack 151 Is Looking for Boys & Girls from Westbrook or Fairview Schools!

We start in K but kids can join Cub Scouts up until 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Please contact: pack151mtprospect@gmail.com or visit our website at <u>http://pack151mtprospect.org/</u>

#### Hi-Five Sports Camp – September 30th from 9 AM to 3 PM

Treat your child to a day full of sports and FUN! For ages 4-13. Whiffle ball, kickball, football, dodgeball and more. For more information, go to <u>https://gal.re/e/iCHFjjTFUY</u>

#### KIDS WORKSHOPS + CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY AT GATHERED!

D&D to Sewing, we got your kiddos covered! Visit us online for current workshops and/or to start planning your birthday! Go to <u>https://www.gatheredboutiqueandworkshop.com</u>

#### Prospect HS Youth Dance Clinic

Prospect HS Youth Dance Clinic is on Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup>. Please email Katina.Frericks@d214.org for the registration form

#### Run/Walk or Volunteer at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Lemons of Love 5K on Sunday, October 6

Join us at this fun, family event featuring a DJ, medals, raffles and a coloring table. Funds raised support programming at our Cancer Resource Center. More info / to register, go to: <u>TinyURL.com/y4w3qxzz</u>

#### D57 Education Foundation Dine&Share Event September 24 at Station 34 4-10 PM

Support the D57 Ed Foundation at their upcoming Dine & Share event at Station 34 downtown. \$5 every small and \$8 for every large pizza will go towards 2019 Educational Grants. <u>www.57edfoundation.org</u>

#### Studio Art Classes for Ages 7-14

We're a brick and mortar art studio offering fun, high quality, affordable classes. Just minutes from Fairview. More info, go to <u>www.helloartstudio.com</u>

#### No School? No Problem! YMCA After School and School Days Out

Our afternoons are filled with climbing, swim, the gym, homework & more. Snack and Bus included. K-5<sup>th</sup> grade. More info, <u>https://www.ymcachicago.org/lattof/programs/school-age</u>

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