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Table Mound Open House & Picnic

We would like to invite you all to our Table Mound open house and picnic. The event will take place on Monday, Sept. 26th, from 5:30pm-7pm.

For the first part of the evening teachers will be in their classrooms to meet and greet students and their families. Students will have an opportunity to show families their desks, take a look at classroom work, and visit with their teacher. Open house will come to an end and we will head outside to the lawn to enjoy an all school picnic sponsored by our Table Mound PTC. More details to follow!

Hello Table Mound Students, Staff, and Families,

Our Table Mound PTC fundraiser is in full swing. We kicked off our fundraiser with an assembly and teachers participated in a game of Beanboozled! Ask you students how that went... fun was had by all. Funds will be used for all sorts of classroom events and school projects. Remember that fundraiser money is due by September 9th. Checks can be made out to the Table Mound PTC. Happy selling!

The fall season for testing begins this week. Students will be taking MAP, DIBELS and FAST tests. It is important for students to get their rest and eat a good breakfast during testing, so they are ready to do their best. (As it is any school day) If you have any questions or want to know more about the tests, feel free to give me a call or email me.

Just a reminder that students should not be dropped off at school before 8:30am. Staff is not available for supervision and students will be unattended. This is even more critical as cooler temperatures roll in and winter arrives.

Please be aware of your speed in the parking lot before and after school. We want all of our students, staff and families to stay safe during arrival and dismissal. Vehicles should move through the parking lot slowly and devices should not be used. Thanks for you help!

Have a great week!

Matthew Hull, Principal

Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming Events:

F, Sep 9, 16, 23 – 1 hour Late Start for Prof. Learning

F, Sept 9 – Fundraiser due date!

M, Sep 12 – MAP Testing starts

M, Sept 12 – PTC Monthly Meeting, 5:30, TM library

T, Sep 13 – DIBELS/FAST Testing starts

Th, Sep 15 – PTC Skate Party

Th, Sep 15 – PreK – Grandparents Day, 10:45, 2:45

M, Sep 19 – Site Council

**M, Sept 26 – Table Mound Open House & Picnic!
5:30-7pm**

F, Sept 30 – No School (Professional Learning Day for Staff)

Future Events for Your Calendars:

Fundraiser Pick-up - Oct 10, 3:30-5:30, Multi-Purpose Room

Conferences – Oct 18/19, 4pm-8pm, Oct 20 9am-2pm

Procedures for Arrival (on back) Dismissal (below)

Parents who choose to park in the lane closest to the front sidewalk (drop-off/pick-up lane) must stay with their vehicles and 1st-5th students can walk on the sidewalk to their vehicle – entering from the sidewalk not the lot. This is to insure a quick departure in the event there is an emergency and this lane needs to be cleared. To help in getting this message out, vehicles parked in the drop-off/pick-up lane who do not have persons inside will receive a reminder on their windshield.

It is evident from the increase in foot traffic at the end of the day that many parents have acted on the recommendation to park their vehicles along the street and walk up to pick up their student(s). These parents have figured out that they can get out much faster than parking in the lot!

Buses: Buses will not leave school until communication that all of our bus students are accounted for. This creates a longer time when we are searching for students whose parents did not communicate alternative plans or who call close to dismissal - after notes are delivered to classrooms (around 3:10). Keep in mind that if students are scheduled to ride a bus, we put them on the bus unless we have a direct contact with a parent. It might be in the form of a note or phone message. (The best way is via notes from parents to students' teachers in the morning.) For the safety of all children, we do not stop buses to get students off of a bus after the buses have been released to leave.