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Happy Fall DBES Families and Community,

We are officially into our 2nd Quarter and the Fall season! I have two great items to share with you this time, our fall Academic camps and our Barnes and Noble book night.

Our Fall Academic Camps are offered to any of our 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders and act as an extension to our learning day. There will be 10 sessions on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 2:15 pm to 3:15 pm on the following days:

October – 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, November – 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, and December – 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>

We ask that all participating families ensure they have a ride for their child by 3:20 pm. Dismissal will be done in our car line off Eller Street. Students will not be allowed to walk or ride their bike home by themselves because there are no crossing guards after 2:30 pm. Unfortunately, there will be no bus transportation.

Secondly, we are starting a new tradition at DBES, a Barnes and Noble night. This inaugural event will be held on November 13th from 4:30 to 7:30 PM. Come on out and do some early holiday shopping, hear our amazing chorus perform, hear story time from some of our staff members, and listen to some great stories told by our student authors! Plus, a percentage of proceeds will be donated back to our school on every DBES purchase!

Finally, our Trunk or Treat event is tonight. Make sure to come out with your family and have an amazing (safe), fun filled night! We hope to see you all here! You will see me there with my family, and my car decorated for this yearly DBES tradition!

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to an amazing Fall season with you!

Sincerely,

Drew Gerlach

Proud Principal of Deerfield Beach Elementary School

#### **Donations**

Deerfield Beach Elementary is in need of some used shorts for our boys and girls, sizes 5-12. If you are interested in donating, please send freshly washed items in with your child, labelled "Clinic".

We appreciate your help.

# Red Ribbon Week October 28-31, 2019



Monday: Wear College/University Clothing for the College/University you would like to attend (EDucate yourself)

**Tuesday: Wear a Superhero Shirt** 

(I have the POWER to make good choices)

Wednesday: Wear Jeans

(I'm a "JEAN"-ius, making positive choices)

**Thursday: Wear BRIGHT Colors** 

(Reach for the STARS, achieve your goals)

Friday: Wear a DBES shirt (Healthy in Parrotdise)

Deerfield Beach Elementary School will be participating in WALK/BIKE to School Day on WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 30th! Staff from DBES will meet at Deerfield Beach City Hall at 7:15 am if any students and their parents, grandparents or any other family members would like to join us in a walk/bike to school that morning. To allow us to get to school on time for breakfast we will be leaving city hall at 7:25 am. Walk/bike to school day is designed to remind both parents and students of the pleasure of walking to school and providing us all with physical activity early in the morning. We hope to see a big turnout for this great opportunity (weather permitting)! Even if you drive your child to school you can drive to city hall and park and join us for the walk. Every student that joins us will have a chance to win a basket of goodies!

See you there! Coach Bertucci

Welcome to our new Partner in Education, Keith Engineering. Please see our website for more information.





# BARNES & NOBLE BOOKFAIRS

Hosted By D.B.E.S.

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

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Barnes & Noble 4:30 – 7:30 1400 Glades Road, Boca Raton University Plaza (Next to Whole Foods)

#### JOIN US FOR FAMILY FUN NIGHT

STORY TIME WITH MR. GERLACH & DR. COOPER
DBES WRITING CONTEST (Win a Barnes & Noble Gift Card)
STUDENTS WILL SHARE THEIR STORIES
D.B.E.S. CHORUS WILL PERFORM
D.B.E.S. ARTWORK WILL BE DISPLAYED
COLORING AND ACTIVITIES
LEGO TABLE AND COOKIE DECORATING



# Mark Your Calendars



10/25/2019 Trunk or Treat

10/28/19 – 10/31/19 Red Ribbon Week

10/29/2019 Picture Retakes

10/30/2019 Walk/Bike to School

11/13/2019 Barnes & Noble Night

## **SAC NEWS**

Attention DBES Parents, we are in need of some new volunteers to attend and become part of our school's advisory council. If you are interested, please attend our next meeting in the media center. This is a wonderful way to get connected to what is happening at our school and become involved in our school's continuous improvements. Looking forward to seeing new faces!

-Ms. Desrosiers- SAC Chair

MEETING DATES:

10/30 at 4:00 11/6 at 4:00 1/22 at 4:00

### **Art News**

"Dollars for Dorian—Hearts of Hope for Hope Town" Help the community!!! The DBES Art Club brings you Dollars for Dorian. Beautifully hand-crafted heart shaped clay necklaces are being sold to assist the Bahamas relief efforts. All proceeds will be donated to Hope Town Primary School in Abaco, which was severely damaged by Hurricane Dorian. Please help support this year's "Project with A Purpose". Each necklace is \$5.00 and can be purchased in the art room. For questions contact Mrs. Devine Clark thank you.



Questions About the PTA and How to Get Involved?

Contact us! Email, Text, or Call

<u>DBES.PTA.Update@Gmail.com</u>

954-654-9161

\*\*\***S**ave the Date\*\*\*



DBES' Fall Festival and Trunk or Treat Friday, October 25, 2019 5:00pm – 8:00pm

In order to provide this amazing experience for our children we do need volunteers and/or donations of the following items:

Volunteers to decorate their trunk and host an activity
Volunteers for food sales
Donations of candy and/or small toys