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# **Around Country Isles Elementary School**

We continue to strive to be the very best and because of our amazing staff and your dedication to Country Isles Elementary, we know that we are! We are so proud of all the hard work that everyone has put forth to have a successful school year. As you begin to plan your summer vacations, please note that the 1st day of school for 2019-2020 is Wednesday, August 14th. Our Meet and Greet/Open House will be on Tuesday, August 13th. It is important to attend the Meet and Greet/Open House as on this day the teacher will review the class rules and expectations for the year.



If you need to contact us over the summer, the front office will be open from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm, Monday through Thursday. We hope everyone has a fun and relaxing summer break. We look forward to seeing everyone

again at our Meet & Greet/ Open House on Tuesday, August 13th!

## **Food and Nutrition Services**

Checks will no longer be accepted as payment for lunch as of April 30th. Funds can be added to your child's account online at myschoolbucks.com, or send in cash with your child.

### **School Choice**

The School Choice Phase Two application window opens on May 1st and ends on May 8th, for the remaining magnet programs and reassignment seats. You can apply online or learn more about the application process by visiting <a href="https://www.browardschools.com/schoolchoice">www.browardschools.com/schoolchoice</a>.

# **Summer Programs**

Exciting summer fun is just around the corner! Visit the Summer Programs Online Resource at browardschools.com/summerprograms. This valuable resource provides a wide variety of exciting and funfilled camps and programs that unlock curiosity, inspire engagement and promote learning throughout the summer. From pre-K through 12th grade, there is something for everyone.

# PTA Corner

It may be hard to believe, but we are in the fourth and final quarter of the school year. The PTA is busy with lots of activities and events, and as always we thank you for your support to help our students have an amazing school experience. Please read below for this month's PTA news.

The next PTA/SAF Meeting & General Election will be held on Wednesday, May 15th, at 8:30 am in the cafeteria. *PTA members will elect next year's Board, committee chairs will be announced.* 

## **Career Day**

On Wednesday, May 23rd, Country Isles will once



again welcome people from the community to make presentations to CIE students about their work experiences. From

firefighters to dentists, entrepreneurs to restaurant owners, the morning program will offer exciting insight into different careers. If you have a career that you want to share with our students, please contact our Career Day Committee Chairperson: Heather Tamayo heatherleightamayo@gmail.com.

#### **Fifth Grade Committee**

There are so many great events in the works for our 5<sup>th</sup> graders' last few weeks of elementary school. Interested in helping making them memorable? Please contact Karla Gamberg at <a href="mailto:karlagamberg@aol.com">karlagamberg@aol.com</a>.

#### **Shoparoo**

Please continue to help CIE by taking a picture of your receipts!

This is a fun, free, and easy fundraiser; the free app turns pictures of your everyday shopping receipts into cash donations and sweepstakes entries for our school. Get started today:

- 1. Download the free Shoparoo app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.
- 2. Select our school from the list and start taking pictures of your receipts.

The more supporters we have, the more we will raise for our school. This is free, easy money! For more information visit shoparoo.com.

## **Upcoming Dates:**

Kids Heart Challenge Fri., May 10th
PTA Mtg. & General Elections Wed, May 15th
Career Day Wed., May 23rd
No School – Memorial Day Mon., May 27th
Early Release & Last Day of 18-19 Tues., June 4th

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