

# HOOT Off The Press



Central Park Elementary  
Broward County Public Schools

SEPTEMBER 2021

## ATTENTION!!! ATTENTION!!!

Please don't forget to stop by our school store to see all of the newly stocked items. The store is open daily between 7:30am and 7:55am. We have a large inventory of school spirit shirts, squish items, slime, putty and much, much more! Items are moderately priced ranging from \$0.25 to \$10.00 for apparel. All proceeds go directly back to the students and help support PTA sponsored activities.

## BOOK EXCHANGE

Join us on Friday, **October 15th** for our second book exchange. It will be held in the cafeteria before school from 7:30-7:55. You can exchange up to 10 gently used current books. Religious books, baby books, board books, Chick-fil-A books and books that are not in good condition will not be accepted.

Contact Melanie at [paige8271@aol.com](mailto:paige8271@aol.com) or Courtney at [courtneykirner@gmail.com](mailto:courtneykirner@gmail.com) with any questions.

## From Kristen Leith, PTA President

Hello CPE families! School is in full swing and September was a SUCCESS!!! Can you believe that October is here? We are off to a wonderful start this year. I am so happy to see the wheels in motion for our PTA programs. PTA hosted the first Book Exchange of the year, and we have many happy readers with new books to add to their collection. Students enjoyed decorating the school sidewalks and posters with chalk to celebrate Peace Week.

October is going to be an incredibly busy month. Room parents will be busy planning fun filled Fall Festival parties for the students. Our Batty For Bingo Committee is busy preparing for a fun night of Bingo and snacks on October 27th and October 28th. Red Ribbon Week preparations are in full effect, and we have lots of fun theme days planned and important "Say No To Drugs" messages to relay to the students.

We appreciate all the parents, grandparents and members of the CPE community who have joined the PTA. Your membership dues allow PTA to provide educational enrichment activities and programs for the CPE students. PTA memberships are still available, and we would love your support!

I am grateful to be a part of a school community where teachers, staff, parents, and students all work together to help make CPE the great school that it is! Any questions or suggestions, please contact me at [kristengravina@aol.com](mailto:kristengravina@aol.com). I am looking forward to a fun and productive month ahead!



## PTA MEMBERSHIP

The first class with 100% participation by **Oct 15th** will be awarded with an ice cream party! Sign Up Today by scanning the QR code to the left.

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## PEACE WEEK

Peace Week was celebrated **September 20th-24th** with all enthusiasm and hope under Ms. North's guidance. PTA donated colorful sidewalk chalks for Peace Week activities. Students drew their heart out and wrote peace messages all over the sidewalk and inside Cafeteria hallway. Big thanks to Ms. Martinez and our amazing teachers.

Also, thanks to the volunteers who gave their time & effort to carry out the activities. *Peace is the promise you keep.*

## LAST CALL FOR CLASS T-SHIRTS!

**Friday, October 8th**, will be the last day to purchase class t-shirts. CPE class t-shirts are worn on field trips, field days, and for class pictures. If you have not yet ordered your t-shirt, you can purchase the class t-shirt online for \$10.00 at <https://centralparkplantation.memberhub.com/store>. This is a pre-order, and the shirts will be delivered to your child's class in few weeks.

## RED RIBBON WEEK

CPE will be celebrating Red Ribbon Week **October 25th through October 29th**. The purpose of Red Ribbon Week is to present a visible commitment to living a safe, healthy, and drug-free life. Students will receive various "Say No To Drug" messages throughout the week and will be given the opportunity to sign Drug Free pledges and take part in various theme days. The PTA will be helping to decorate the school in honor of this week. Thank you to all for your support during this week!

## BATTY FOR BINGO

Join us for a night of fun, games and prizes at Batty for Bingo on **Wednesday, October 27th** from 6:30 - 8 p.m. and **October 28th** from 6:30 - 8 p.m. in the Central Park Elementary School Cafeteria.

Tickets are \$8 per person and will only be on sale at [centralparkplantation.memberhub.com/store](https://centralparkplantation.memberhub.com/store) on **October 5th and October 7th**. All attendees over age 2 must have a ticket and someone over the age of 18 must attend with the child/children. Tickets are sold first come, first serve on our website. We hope to see you for a night of costumes and ghoulish fun!

## SAVE THE DATE: APRIL 8, 2022 PLANTATION RELAY FOR LIFE EVENT

Our team is off to a great start with our fundraising towards this event. Welcome Back Pencil Grams raised just over \$1,000!! Thank you for your support!

Relay for Life, an American Cancer Society fundraiser is something you will hear about often here at CPE. We are committed to this cause in support and honor of our many students, staff and families affected by this disease.

Don't delay join our team today at [RelayforLife.org](https://RelayforLife.org) and search team: Central Park Elementary. *Support our many efforts at fundraising and help us work towards finding a cure!!*

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