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A Bi-Monthly Newsletter for
Parents and Students



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EMBASSY CREEK ELEMENTARY MISSION STATEMENT

To empower, nurture and facilitate our students to become global thinkers, lifelong learners and the problem solvers of tomorrow.



- Oct. 8th – 12th PTA Fall Bookfair
- Oct. 9th Grandparents Morning @ Bookfair 7:45 am
- Oct. 10th Family Night @ Bookfair 5:30 – 7:30 pm
- Oct. 10th – 12th Walk/Bike to School Day
- Oct. 12th Hats Off to Autism
- Oct. 12th PTA General Meeting @ 8:15 am
- Oct. 16th Family Fun Night – Beef O’ Brady’s
- Oct. 18th Early Release @ 12 pm
- Oct. 19th Employee Planning – NO SCHOOL
- Oct. 22nd – 26th Spook O’ Grams
- Oct. 25th Individual Picture Retakes
- Oct. 29th – Nov. 2nd Red Ribbon Week

ESE Corner

Broward ESE Advisory Council Meeting
Wednesday, October 17th (6:30 pm – 9:00 pm)
Piper High School in 'The Nook' Media Center
8000 NW 44th St., Sunrise

Autism Committee (ACE) General Meeting
Wednesday, October 10th (9:30 am – 11:30 am)
Baudhuin Preschool
7600 SW 36th St., Davie



Congratulations to Mark Erdelyi a 4th grader at Embassy Creek Elementary. His artwork was juried and selected out of hundreds of pieces, for display at the Superintendents Art Gallery. The Gallery showcased the very best artwork of Broward county students, Kindergarten – 12th grade. Artists selected to show their artwork were honored at a gallery reception given by Mr. Robert Runcie, the superintendent of Broward County Public Schools. Artwork will be on display, at the school board building, for the 2018 – 2019 school year. We are so proud of Mark, to have his beautiful art work representing Embassy Creek Elementary at this prestigious event. Congratulations to your hard work and creativity!



Hats Off to Autism

Student Council will be having Hats Off to Autism on Friday Oct. 12th.
Students that donate \$1 or more, can wear their hats proudly throughout the day.

Student Council and our Autism Team thank you in advance.



PLEASE RECYCLE NEWSLETTER



Kids of Character

During the month of September, we emphasized the Character Education trait of “Cooperation”. We are proud to recognize the following students in each classroom for showing exemplary cooperation. Please join us in congratulating these students.

Genevieve Gisondi - CASTRO	Teagan Darocha - BRIGHT
Jundi Ke - GAINES	Jayden Whittaker – DELCASTILLO
Adriana Valcarcel - HOYT	ADDISON ROSE MCGOWAN - FORD
Nate Buck - JOHNSON	Sofya Susenkova - JACKSON
Karina Stephansson MENDOZA	Noya Arkush - MASTERSON
Will Simmons - MIONE	Raphael Lages - MONTERREY
Emma Shey - MURANSKY	Gabriel Rojas - ROSENBERG
Manuela Tibirica - POITRAS	Pranav Lingaraju - STARK
Silas Reynoso - SHIMPENO	Kaela Leonard -VALACHOVIC
Christopher Martin STEPHANSSON	Devin Diaz - BAYSINGER
Dakota Velasco - CHURCH	Sophia Hibbard - DARVILLE
Olivia Reed - HABOSHA	Brooke Hedrick - FATOUT
Garrett Ballard - KERN	Ariana Salem - LAGEYRE
Sadie Kern - LASSNER	Mila Ross - LEES
Tyler Maloney - LONGO	Lilah Howard - MOYE
Derek Chatel - MARINO	Sammie Szeto - SANCHEZ
Mason Matus - SHEEKEY	Monae Myers - STEVENS
Gavin Longo - STOFISKY	Jacob Nagy - TAYLOR
Santiago Ortiz - WEISSER	Benjamin Walters - BENSEN
Sara Rivas - YATES	Jacob Sampson - BOULGER
Anabelle Rivas - AARON	Adrianna Nolen - CASTILLO
Gabriela Villaverde ARBELAEZ	Zoe Burt - DIAZ
Charlie Fallon - CARUSO	Katie Villalon - HEDGECOCK
Anabella Bayon - HARMELL	Ashley Feuer - JARDINE
Hannah Gomez - JORCIN	Safa Carpentieri - JONES
Caden Nolan - LERNER	Andrea Quecano - LIGOTTI
Laila Larrea - LOZANO	Thalia Oren - MESA
Ava Krasnor - MORRINA	Evelyn Cooper - RAPP
Evelyn Cooper - RAPP	Lila Singer - NORVELL
Jayden Vieira – SAGE	Leo Gonzalez - ZIDE
Wesley Tan - ALMONTE	



Student IDs play a significant role in the safety and security plan of our school. Students must always wear their school issued ID when on campus. Students who lose or deface their free IDs will have a \$5.00 obligation fee for replacement of their ECE badge. Failure to pay this obligation will impact participation in field trips until it is paid.



Student Council will be selling Spook O’ Grams 10/22 - 10/26 at the front and back gates in the morning. You can send one to a friend or get one for yourself. Spook O’ Grams are \$1 each and all money raised will go to Relay of Life.

PTA & OTHER MISC. NEWS...

WE ARE LOOKING FOR SPONSORS!

PTA is looking for businesses to sponsor Boosterthon T-shirts.

If you are interested please contact:

Kim Reilly - isiahcookie@yahoo.com or Gina Mongelli - gina.pta.ece@gmail.com



Reflections! Reflections! Reflections! The theme is great this year, "Heroes Around Me." Students can express themselves through dance, visual arts, music composition, creative writing, film, photography, etc... Projects are due Friday, November 16, 2018, in the front office. Go to www.ece.my-pta.org to download the entry form and rules.

We would like to give a special congratulations to Callie Cousin. Last year, as a second grader, Callie's music composition work won at the school, county, and state levels. Callie also represented Embassy Creek Elementary at the National level where she received honorable mention. Great job Callie!



Yearbooks are on Sale for \$35 till Jan 25, 2019.

ybpay.lifetouch.com
use code: **13273219**

YEARBOOK is always looking for pictures to be added to the yearbook.

All entries must be submitted via:

community.lifetouch.com

Use Code: **EBMNAF**

Please Join Us for the
October
PTA Meeting!

YOUR VOICE IS IMPORTANT.

Please join us for our next General PTA meeting on Friday, October 12th at 8:15am in the cafeteria. We look forward to seeing you there.



The Fall Book Fair is next week! The book fair runs from Monday, October 8th through Friday, October 12th. This year's theme is Enchanted Forest! Each class will visit and shop the book fair in the media center. Please refer to the flyer that came home this week for your child's class schedule. You can send money in an envelope with your child's name (don't forget 6% sales tax) or this year you can send money electronically via e-wallet. Visit this link to learn more: <https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bookfairs/parent-how-it-works.html>. Book fair will also be opened on Tuesday, October 9 for Grandparents "Breakfast and Books" from 7:45am-8:20am, and for families to shop at night on Wednesday, October 10 from 5:30pm-7:30pm. We are also collecting gently used books for "Kiss for a Book." Each child will receive a chocolate kiss for any books they bring in that we will donate to our sister school. We're looking forward to an enchanted time!



**Embassy Creek Elementary
Halloween Costume Drive
Oct. 3 – 10**

Do you have old Halloween or dance recital costumes taking up space in your closet? We have a place for them!!

Embassy Creek is partnering with Neighbors 4 Neighbors to sponsor a Costume Drive! Neighbors 4 Neighbors works with nonprofit partners that serve families in need, throughout Dade and Broward counties.

Starting Wednesday October 3rd through Wednesday October 10th we will be collecting gently worn costumes for kids, from toddlers through teens. All costumes and accessories should be kept together in a bag and should not include weapons of any kind.

Please send in your gently worn Halloween or dance recital costumes and help someone have a great night of fun! Collection boxes will be set up in the main office as well as outside Mrs. Morrina's, Mrs. Lerner's, and Mrs. Arbelaez's classrooms.



Get ready for our annual "Walk / Bike to School", Wednesday, October 10 through Friday, October 12. It's fun for the whole family. There is no escorted BSO official walk or ride this year. Instead, parents are encouraged to coordinate with friends and neighbors to walk or ride as a group with their kids. The entrances to your sub-developments or your community clubhouse might be good places to gather, and then walk or ride together from there, but please remember there will not be BSO escorts this year. To kick off the event, on Wednesday, all riders and walkers will enjoy a welcome treat & gathering upon arrival at school, near the front office.

By riding your bike or walking to school, you'll get exercise, stay healthy, save gas & money, reduce pollution, and reduce traffic at the school. It also often takes less time than driving and waiting in the car line! So, make your plans now, and decide on the best way for you to get to school each day.

We want to encourage students to start riding their bikes or walking to school every possible day. During this event, there will be a daily drawing, with two lucky winners winning a \$10 Target gift card. Each day you ride your bike to school, from Wednesday, 10/10 through Friday, 10/12, you will be entered in the drawing. These rides will not be escorted or group rides. Bike riders will be on their own (or with their families) to and from school each day. Just show up at school with your bike or on foot at either bike rack between 7:25 and 7:55 am to be entered in the drawing. (We want to alert parents that volunteers will be at the bike racks, asking kids for their name and teacher's name.) Two lucky winners will be announced each day during morning announcements, so be sure to ride your bike or walk every day for more chances to win!

If you are unable to ride your bike or walk to school, you may still enter the drawing each day, by writing a few sentences on a 3 x 5 file card, explaining what you can do to help your environment. Be sure to include your name and teacher's name and turn these cards in the front office.



Meet the Masters art program is looking for volunteers for all grade levels. Volunteering will be no more than once a month in the classroom. Students will learn about famous artists and will participate in an art project. The program is easy to run and this year we aspire to achieve a school-wide-project. For more info please contact Inbar Chervin at: mtm2019ece@gmail.com

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING!
Inbar, Sara, and Bonnie