

# welcome back

On behalf of the Nova Eisenhower Elementary (NEE) School PTA, we would like to extend a warm welcome to all new and returning families. The NEE PTA is very excited for the 2019-2020 school year. As the PTA is gearing up for a new year of fun, we would like to extend to you to make sure you join the PTA. Be on the look out for our next months meeting that will be held in the media center. We look forward to seeing you there. As the year takes off, we have several exciting events scheduled to take place this year. But we need you! Come to our meeting, share your concerns, or come with ideas. Our success is because of all of you. We look forward to an amazing 2019-2020 school year.  
- Your 2019 - 2020 NEE PTA Board

## VISIT OUR NEE ONLINE STORE

**Have you joined the PTA?  
Do you need to purchase Spirit Items?**

Visit the *PTA online store* and you can do all that and more. Credit Cards are accepted and it will be delivered right to your child's class.

Visit us at <http://nova.my-pta.org>

Don't Forget to Join & Support  
**ONLY \$10.00**

## UPCOMING Events

### August

- 13 ..... Meet and Greet
- 14 ..... Boo Hoo Breakfast
- 14 ..... First Day of School
- 27 ..... Picture Day

### September

- 2 ..... No School
- 13 ..... Interims Reports Issued
- 13 ..... Banking Day
- 27 ..... Banking Day
- 30 ..... No School



### August

- 6..... Ms. Cheney
- 15 ..... Mr. Rahyns
- 17 ..... Ms. Palmer
- 29..... Ms. Albero
- 30..... Ms. Rivera-Caro

### September

- 1..... Ms. Paz
- 2 ..... Ms. Enamorado
- 4..... Ms. Coffman
- 10 ..... Ms. Ayers
- 11..... Ms. Squier
- 15 ..... Ms. Jacob
- 19 ..... Ms. Stember
- 19 ..... Ms. O'Donnell



### MEET THE 2019 - 2020 BOARD

- President - Jollan Ghee
- Vice President - Deborah Coppin
- Treasurer - Alexandra Combs
- Secretary - Adriana Quinonez
- VP of Programs - Carlos Coppin
- VP Volunteers - Michelle Myrick



- August 27 ..... Picture Day
- August 30 ..... Frozen Friday
- September 20 ..... Book Fair Set Up
- September 20 ..... Frozen Friday
- September 23 - 27 ..... Book Fair

Please visit our NEE PTA page at:  
<http://nova.my-pta.org>  
for continuous updates and volunteer opportunities.

### How to Become a Volunteer

To volunteer or chaperon a field trip in a Broward County Public School, you must be cleared first. Please fill out the application on the link provided and make sure you do with enough time because it can take some time. [https://webapp.browardschools.com/sbbc\\_volunteer/VolunteerForm.aspx](https://webapp.browardschools.com/sbbc_volunteer/VolunteerForm.aspx)



### Complete your Online Forms

Please access & complete all required forms online at <https://scaweb.broward-schools.com/bts/>

Print the confirmation, bring it to Open House on August 13th and turn the confirmation form into your child's teacher.

**Completing the online forms will save you time and ensure you have the most accurate information on file.**



**Did you know that Teachers at Nova Eisenhower need projects funded through Donorschoose.org?** It is a non-profit organization that recognizes the needs of teachers by providing donors to fulfill their projects. Here's how you can become a donor for a teacher's project at Nova Eisenhower: Visit [Donorschoose.org](http://Donorschoose.org) and search for Nova Eisenhower.

Our projects will be there for you to choose. Thank you for choosing Nova!

**Be your kid's biggest fan.  
Be PTA.**



### Welcome Back & Thank You!!!

Welcome back to the 2019-2020 school year. Very special thanks to the following families: Avila, Thompson, Mazumdar, Gonzalez, Stout, Ms. Beaumont, and the NEE PTA, for their donations of time, books, and goodies to the media center! :)

### After-School OPEN MEDIA - Wednesdays

Please join us! Current NEE students can attend (with their parent or another adult chaperone) to take AR tests, check out books, work on homework, or enjoy silent reading from 3:30 until 4:15. Please check in at the main office. Open media dates for August/September coming soon!



By: Darlene Adams

The start of a new school year is a wonderful time to get off to a fresh start. Students will need to get into the routine of being back in school. Parents should make sure that students know that there are guidelines that have to be followed in order for them to have a smooth transition back. A specific time needs to be set for homework. Rules for watching television also need to be enforced. Create a chart for the first few weeks of school until routines become habits. Make sure to reward student on the days when all responsibilities are taken care of without being asked.

Some of the programs that will be continued include the Kid of Character recognition program. Each month represents a different Character Education Trait. Teachers will have an opportunity to nominate two students a month that best demonstrates that Character Trait. Students are recognized and receive a special award for their achievement. We will also continue with our Mindful Moments to engage our students in fostering their Social and Emotional Learning. Let us continue to encourage our students to be the very best everyday, so that we can have a successful school year working together.



**Parent Link (Robocalls)** - These are informative calls from Broward Schools, NEE or NEE PTA. If you are not receiving them, please contact Mrs. Martinez at 754-323-6650.

**PTA Email** - Register at our PTA site to receive PTA emails: <http://nova.my-pta.org/>

### Social Media -

Like us on Facebook @neepa  
Twitter - @NovaEisenhower  
[www.novaeisenhower.com](http://www.novaeisenhower.com)

### Special Thanks

to Thunderous Genius Creative House - [thunderousgenius.com](http://thunderousgenius.com) for designing the 2019-2020 Titan Talk Masthead.



**PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

Greetings,  
We are thrilled to welcome the Nova Eisenhower community to the 2019-2020 school year! We look forward to seeing our returning students and are excited to extend a huge welcome to our kindergarteners and students new to the Eisenhower family. NEE is your school home where we truly cultivate a home away from home atmosphere focused on growing students academically and socially. We look forward to an exciting, engaging and enriching school year of learning and exploring with students that we know are ready for the challenge!

We look forward to partnering with our parents to ensure students have the optimal opportunity for success. The home-school connection is critical in giving our students all that they need to achieve their highest potential. Please contact your child's teacher on a regular basis to ensure you have all the information, tools and resources to support academic and social/emotional learning. Consistent and ongoing communication between parent and teacher is critical to student success!

We want as many parents as possible involved in school activities and actively engaged. One of the easiest ways to get involved is to become a Mystery Reader. This provides parents an opportunity to visit your child's class and share the love of reading with the entire class. Please notify your child's teacher about your availability to serve as a Mystery Reader.

We are always looking for community partners as well. Does your business want to donate time or resources to support Nova Eisenhower? We need you! Your partnership allows us to provide more activities, support and tools to our students and teachers. Partner with us today by contacting Mrs. Ashley Diamond, Assistant Principal.

Please register to serve as a volunteer. Also, please join the PTA. Membership in the PTA supports programming, resources, events, teaching and learning for ALL students. Membership dues go a long way in supporting our school. Once you join, you decide how much (or how little) you want to get involved. Membership does not come with any automatic obligations. Your PTA membership dues support existing and new initiatives to improve our school. The PTA does need you to volunteer, but you get to decide how you can best give your time. Join today! To stay connected with all that happens at NEE, visit our website regularly, listen to ParentLink messages and follow us on Twitter.

Let's make this a year for the record books!

Mrs. Tyghter

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**Just a friendly reminder...**



- Car Rider Procedures: All parents **must stay in their car** when picking up their child in the car rider line. Please keep the tag with your child's name hanging until your child enters the car. Please do not skip other cars waiting.
- Visitors: All visitors arriving on campus must check in through the front office, show a picture ID, and get checked in through our STAR system.
- Supervision Times: Student supervision begins at 9:00 a.m. unless your child is enrolled in the Before Care program. Please do not drop students off prior to 9:00 a.m. All students must be picked up on time at 3:30pm. Student supervision ends at 4:00 p.m.
- Mandatory Student & Staff Identification Tags: All students and school staff members are required to wear ID badges during school hours. Students will be provided with ID badges.
- Uniform Policy: Nova Eisenhower is a uniform school. All students are required to wear a school uniform and follow the dress code outlined in the student code of conduct.
- Change in Dismissal: If there is a change in your child's dismissal, please notify the teacher in writing by 9:00am with a note sent in with the student or a written note left at the front office.
- Late Arrival/Early Dismissal Procedures: If students are arriving to school late or are being picked up early, the parent must sign them in/out in the front office. No students will be dismissed after 3:00pm.
- First Day of School: You may walk your child to their classroom on the first day of school only. After the first day, you will not be allowed to escort students to class.
- Parents at Breakfast or Lunch: Parents are not permitted to eat with children in the cafeteria.
- Birthday Celebrations: Parents must confirm with the teacher the date the parent would like to drop off cupcakes or donuts by 9:30am in the front office. Only **store-bought** cupcakes or donuts may be dropped off to be shared with the class during the students' lunch time. Cupcakes or donuts must be dropped off by 9:30am. No other items or decorations will be accepted.
- Open House/Meet-N-Greet: All parents must enter through the single point of entry through the front office before your child's scheduled Open House time.

**Kindergarten & 5th Grade- 9:00-10:00 a.m.**

**2nd Grade & 3rd Grade- 10:30-11:30 a.m.**

**1st Grade & 4th Grade- 12:00-1:00 p.m.**

***A Message from your Assistant Principal***

Welcome Back to the 2019-2020 school year! We are excited to continue working with our school partners to build our relationships within the community. Last school year we enjoyed working with Craig Levy from AXA Financial, Flashback Diner, Brightstar Credit Union, Planet T Uniforms, Washington National, Nob Hill Chiropractic Office, Heal the Planet and many other fantastic businesses within the community. If you are interested in building a partnership with our school and working together this school year, please call the school and ask to speak with Mrs. Diamond, our business partner liaison. Partnerships truly make a difference in helping our school put together family nights at the school and we would love to build our community and family participation during these events this school year.

The TITAN BUCK STORE will be up and running in a few short weeks as we work to restock the store with items the students love to shop for! We are currently accepting donations of gently used toys and new items for the Titan Buck Store. If you are able to make a contribution, you may drop your donation off in the front office. We are also seeking volunteers to work the Titan Buck Store in the mornings during the week. If you are interested and able to donate about 30 minutes of your time a morning or two during the week, please reach out to the school, so we can make arrangements for your assistance. We are looking forward to a fantastic year and can't wait to start giving out Titan Bucks for students caught making great choices, showing kindness and good character traits!

*Notice: Parents interested in providing input into the performance evaluations of Nova Eisenhower Elementary instructional and/or administrative employee evaluations may contact our office at (754) 323-6650 by April 9 2020.*



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