Falcon Forecast: February 11, 2018

### Mrs. Teddy's Tidbits

**Good morning Falcon Families!** 

We will be conducting our emergency drills this Tuesday, around 2:00 pm. We will practice our Lockdown, Tornado, and Evacuation Drills. Ask your children what they do during the drills. Please note, students will not be able to be taken out of class once the drills begin.

Speaking of leaving early, I wanted to communicate two policies about taking your students out before dismissal.

- 1. If you check your child out before the dismissal time, it counts as a part of day, just like a tardy unless there is an excused reason they need to leave. If these days add up with other absences or tardies to 10, it could result in being reported to the court. Please do not check your children out early unless it is necessary, such as a doctor appointment, or you have completed the preplanned absence form and received approval. I don't want anyone to be in this situation. Please ask if you have questions.
- 2. If someone other than the child's legal guardian comes to check out a student during the school day, the parent/guardian must send a written note allowing another person to pick up the child. Being listed on the emergency pick up list in Skyward only grants those persons to pick up if the school calls them in the case of an emergency. A parent must give permission for someone to pick up when there is no emergency. I appreciate your support with this procedure. It is in place for the safety and well being of your child.

February is Kindness Month. Please continue to encourage your children to complete the random acts of kindness. Ask your child to show you this and talk to them about what each act means and looks like. As they complete each act, they can mark it off with your initials after they tell you about how they carried out the act. This will be a fun way to talk with your children about acts of kindness and support these relationship building acts of kindness. Once they have completed all the acts of kindness, they can turn it in a basket by the office for a chance to win a prize. Make sure they put their name on it. I hope you enjoy this fun activity!

Valentine Parties are this Thursday. Please see below for times for each grade level. Just a reminder to please not bring balloons to the school.

Remember - Next Monday, February 18, is a student holiday - NO School!!

# Cultural Fair - March 21, 2019

Our annual Culture Fair is just around the corner! It will be on March 21st, following our PTA Meeting. I am looking for volunteers to represent various cultures at our fair. If you are willing to host a booth, please sign up here: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/9600ISfRhXRYJp1A3</u>

I am looking forward to another great week at Indian Creek!!

Sincerely, Amy Teddy Proud Principal Follow me on Twitter @IndianCreekES, @teddyaha Like us on Facebook - Indian Creek Elementary

#ayearinparadICE

# **Counselor's Corner!**

Thank you for all the cards, emails and hugs that I received during National School Counseling Week! It is a pleasure to serve our families at Indian Creek, and I am blessed to be here.

Leah Pacheco, M.S.

**School Counselor** 

Follow me on Twitter @LeahPachecoICE

**Indian Creek Counseling Department** 

**Upcoming Dates** 

## **February**

14th - Valentine Parties - (Please bring your ID and Please do NOT bring balloons)

PreK A.M. 10-10:45

Full Day and Pre-K P.M. 2:00-2:45

Kinder 2:15-3:00

First 12:15-1:00

Second 1:15-2:00

Third 1:45-2:30

Fourth 10:45-11:30

Fifth 1:30-2:15

18th - Holiday (No School)

19th - Class Picture Day

March

8th - Student Early Release

11th - 15th Spring Break

21st - PTA Meeting - Culture Fair

Indian Creek Element

Student Centered. Teacher Led. Community Loved.

**Hello PTA Parents,** 

You can find further details on how you can serve Indian Creek in The PTA Post Newsletter and on our Website. We are looking forward to a fun-filled 2019 with our Falcon Families! Please review our calendar for important school dates. We are here to help and support you anyway we can. You may contact us at <u>iceptapresident@gmail.com</u>

With Gratitude, ICE PTA

### **ICE CALENDAR**





Time to clip and send in those Box Tops for Education! Our Box Top Rally Contest will run to February 22nd. Which class will be the Clip Champions in 2019!?!

**Top Box Top Brands:** 

General Mills Annie's Nature Valley Reynolds Ziploc Pillsbury Cascadian Farm Lysol Old El Paso Scott

Betty Crocker Green Giant Hefty Kleenex Go-Gurt Yoplait LARABAR Paper Mate Chex Mix Arm & Hammer

For a full product list click here!





#### **SIMPLE SUPPORT**

INDIAN CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL and THE CLOTHES BIN ® have partnered to collect and recycle old clothing, shoes and textiles! Please do not throw them away, instead, place the items in the green recycling bin located in our parking lot. Every pound of recycled items supports our school!

