



# Mustang Messenger

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October 7<sup>th</sup> – October 11<sup>th</sup>

## Dates To Remember

OCTOBER 7<sup>TH</sup>-11<sup>TH</sup> – WEEK OF RESPECT SPIRIT WEEK  
OCTOBER 9<sup>TH</sup> – PICTURE DAY  
OCTOBER 14<sup>TH</sup> – TEACHER IN-SERVICE, NO SCHOOL  
OCTOBER 29<sup>TH</sup> – PTO TREAT TRAIL  
OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> – EARLY DISMISSAL – TEACHER-IN SERVICE  
NOVEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>, 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup> – EARLY DISMISSAL,  
PARENT TEACHER CONF.  
NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> – NO SCHOOL – NJEA CONFERENCES

## Reminders & Tips



**WEDNESDAY  
OCTOBER 9TH**

**PICTURE DAY  
IS COMING**

Picture Day is on Wednesday,  
October 9!

You can place your order  
on [mylifetouch.com](http://mylifetouch.com) using your  
Picture Day ID: **EVTGP3FZ2**.

Order before midnight on Picture  
Day to get FREE shipping!

Your child can also bring their  
completed flyer with cash or check  
on Picture Day

## FTS Week of Respect Spirit Week

**Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup>: Monday Blues**  
Stomp Out Bullying by wearing Blue



**Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>: TEAM Up Against Bullying**  
Wear something to represent your favorite team

**Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>: It's Best To be kind so Dress Your Best!**

**Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>: Decade Day** Being respectful never gets  
old – dress as if you're from a different decade.

**Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup>: No Drama Pajama Day**  
Put name calling to bed by wearing pajamas to school



### FTS MEDIA GREAT PUMPKIN CONTEST



It is time for our annual schoolwide pumpkin contest!

Decorate a pumpkin as your favorite **book** character. Paint it, dress it, accessorize it, but **don't carve it!** You can do this as a family or as an individual. Pumpkins must be no larger than Sugar Pumpkins. If you want a real challenge, try to use a miniature pumpkin!

Students will bring their pumpkins to school on Monday, October 28th. All pumpkins will be on display in the Media Center throughout the week.

Winners will be determined by a panel of judges and will each receive a prize donated by the FTS PTO. All pumpkins must be brought home on Friday, November 1st or they will be discarded. They may go home on the bus with your child.

Feel free to contact me with any questions. I am looking forward to seeing the pumpkins!

Mrs. Almde Kronmiller,

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Please make sure to attach this form to your pumpkin:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Character \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Book \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: Student created alone \_\_\_\_\_ Family created together \_\_\_\_\_

# 2<sup>nd</sup> GRADE



# 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

It was very quiet and dark during first grade science! The students had to communicate by only using a flashlight! After working with a partner to come up with a flashing pattern for yes and no, students answered a variety of questions using only flashlights!



Barnes County and Warren County elementary, middle and high school students are challenged to a **competition for a cause!**



Area schools are collecting donations of new, unwrapped gifts and gift cards for children of all ages to be distributed to local families in need through the Season of Hope Toy Shop.

The competition will take place **October 25 through December 6.**

**HOW IT WORKS:**  
Project Self-Sufficiency staff will collect donations from all participating schools. Then, our elves will tally the donations from each school. The winning school will claim the **Stuff the Stocking** trophy from the 2021 winner **Reverend George A. Brown Memorial School.**

**PLEASE NOTE –**  
Only **NEW, UNWRAPPED** items will be accepted.  
There is a great need for **Gift Card donations**, which are an option for those who want to contribute but don't want to shop.

**Season of Hope** Helping Make Toys for Barnes & Warren County Children in Need

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**PROJECT SELF-SUFFICIENCY'S SEASON OF HOPE TOY SHOP WISH LIST**

Project Self-Sufficiency needs donations of new, unwrapped gifts for children of all ages, specifically those groups listed below, to be distributed to local families through the Season of Hope Toy Shop. Items suggested from us are:

**Infant/Toddler**  
- Soft baby blankets and toys  
- Infant stroller  
- Stroller carrier  
- Baby "Potty"  
- Feeding bottle  
- Diaper bag  
- Baby bath tub  
- Baby bath sponge  
- Baby bath mat  
- Baby bath towel  
- Baby bath soap  
- Baby bath lotion  
- Baby bath oil

**Preschool, Ages 3-5**  
- Toys  
- Books  
- Stuffed animals  
- Dolls  
- Play dough  
- Crayons  
- Markers  
- Paper  
- Glue sticks  
- Scissors  
- Tape  
- String  
- Ribbon  
- Yarn  
- Buttons  
- Beads  
- Laces  
- Zippers  
- Velcro  
- Velcro ties  
- Velcro straps  
- Velcro fasteners  
- Velcro closures  
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**Elementary, Ages 6-11**  
- Toys  
- Books  
- Stuffed animals  
- Dolls  
- Play dough  
- Crayons  
- Markers  
- Paper  
- Glue sticks  
- Scissors  
- Tape  
- String  
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**FRELINGHUYSEN TOWNSHIP MUSTANGS BASKETBALL**

**REGISTRATION NOW OPEN**

**Grades 1st thru 8th • Boys & Girls**

Go to: <https://www.frelinghuysen-nj.us>  
Click on the tab "for residents" and scroll over to "Recreation Programs"  
Download and Fill Out the Registration Packet  
Be sure to submit your forms and payment before the deadline.

**DEADLINE: OCTOBER 31st**

**Chess Club 2024-2025**

The PTD is sponsoring an after school Chess Club this year for 4th, 5th & 6th graders. The year's club will be taught by Don Schiller & Anne Burt & Susan (Imaginary Chessman).

Meetings will be held on **Tuesdays from 3:15pm - 4:15pm** in the PTD Art Room  
"Beginning on Tuesday, October 15, 2024"

2024 Meeting Dates: Oct 15, 22, Nov 12, 19, 26, Dec 3, 10, 17, 2025 Meeting Dates: Jan 7, 14, 21, 28  
February 4, 11, 18, 25 (Tournament Players Only) Chess Tournament March 4th (Chess Day March 14th)

Last Day of Chess Club: March 14th

A club fee of \$25.00 per student is due at registration payable to Frelinghuysen PTD Clubs.  
Chess Club size is limited to 10 students on a first come, first served basis.  
Registration forms will be accepted until Friday, October 4th or until club enrollment is full.  
Payments accepted: checks payable to: Frelinghuysen PTD Clubs or

**PayPal** [treasurer@ptdclubs.org](mailto:treasurer@ptdclubs.org)  
Registration form must be completed for other forms of payment.

A written note must be provided for each class, as the student will not be permitted to play after school. Please provide a note and check for your child.  
Any questions please contact Don Schiller at [dschiller@ptdclubs.org](mailto:dschiller@ptdclubs.org)

**BEHAVIOR POLICY:** Participation is contingent on the student following in accordance with all school rules and all directions given by Club instructors. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated and may result in expulsion from the Club.

Chess Club Registration (One per Student Please)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Who is authorized to pick up? \_\_\_\_\_

PTD Use Only: Paid On: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ PayPal \_\_\_\_\_