

Conover Road Elementary School

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Dear CRES Parents and Guardians,

*Please mark your calendars as next week is all shortened days for Parent/Teacher conferences. The buses will roll out of campus around 1PM each day and we begin dismissing for pickups at 12:50 on shortened days. There will be no after school clubs next week. If you haven't yet signed up for a conference time, the portal has closed and you will need to contact your child's teacher directly to find out what times are still available. Our goal is to meet with every parent this conference season so that we can continue the important partnership between school and home!



***Halloween Parade Info:** Our parade will be at 9:45AM this year and (weather permitting) the community is welcomed to attend and see our costumes on display. Please note the following important details:

- Parking is limited and the lot will be closed at 9:45 AM so anyone arriving late will need to park off campus and walk
 - Any student picked up and taken home after the parade will miss their class celebration and will not get credit for a full day of school (less than 4 hours)
 - Only designated school staff may walk with students along the parade route.
 - Costumes should be worn to school.
 - Costumes must abide by our school dress code for appropriateness and may not include any toy guns, swords, knives, or weapons of any kind. Accessories that may cause a distraction or possible harm to others must be left at home.
- Spectators may not wear masks or costumes that prevent our team from identifying visitors.
 - Hair dye and make-up, if necessary, must be applied at home. These products may not be brought to school.
 - Remember that the parade is outside and the weather may be chilly. Please be sure that your child's costume is appropriate for the temperature.



Another wonderful tradition coming soon is our Schoolwide Meeting in recognition of Veterans. We are excited to welcome Veterans with connections to our students, inclusive of family and friends, in honor of their service. This year, our Veterans Day Schoolwide Meeting will be held at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, November 8th at Conover Road Primary School. We will be combining our two schools for one program so that Veterans may have an opportunity to be honored by their children at both buildings. We will be sharing this information with the students of CRPS and CRES and hope that they will be proud to extend an invitation to a Veteran that they would like to honor.

****[We ask that any Veteran that is able to join us please RSVP on this Google Form before 3:30 PM on Wednesday, October 26th.](#)****

*Do you know a Colts Neck Township classroom teacher or educational services professional who is dedicated, inspiring, and making a difference? [If so, please take the time to recommend this person for the Governor's Educator of the Year Program by completing this nomination form.](#) Administrators, staff members, students, parents, and community members are encouraged to participate.



*Our Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Dr. Reynolds, shared a letter with all families earlier this week with information regarding the NWEA MAP assessment and how to interpret results. If you haven't yet reviewed the letter, [please click here to review](#). It is important that we continue to communicate with you regarding our assessments and how to interpret what the results mean in terms of your child's growth.

*It's not too late to join a fall club. [Please click here for our Fall clubs list and sign up sheet](#).

*The CRES Scoop morning news show is back for another year. [Please click here to view the first recording of the 23-24 schoolyear](#).

*The district is offering Parent Academy sessions throughout the year. [Please click here to view the sessions for Oct- November](#). Parent Academy sessions will consist of a variety of free presentations and workshops designed specifically to share information and resources to support Colts Neck parents.

*You can stay up to speed with timely happenings around CRES by following us on X/Twitter. We are @ConoverRoadES



CRES is participating in the...

STUDENTS CHANGE HUNGER CHALLENGE!

A FRIENDLY COMPETITION THROUGHOUT MONMOUTH COUNTY SCHOOLS FOR "KIDS HELPING KIDS"

FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

TOP 3 SCHOOLS WIN AN ICE CREAM TRUCK VISIT

WE ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO DONATE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS: (NO GLASS CONTAINERS)

- 3RD GRADE: CEREAL BOXES OR BAGS
- 4TH GRADE: PASTA AND CANNED TOMATO SAUCE
- 5TH GRADE: RICE

EACH MONTH OUR DONATION FOCUS WILL CHANGE. STUDENTS MAY DROP OFF DONATIONS IN THE DESIGNATED BINS AT CRES!

*ALL FOOD DONATIONS WILL BE DONATED TO FULFILL

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Upcoming events...

October 23-27 - Short session days for Parent/Teacher Conferences

October 27 - Wear Pink for breast cancer awareness

October 31 @ 9:45 AM - Halloween Parade

November 8 @ 9:30 AM - Veterans' Schoolwide meeting

All our best,

Jim Osmond and Merri Milano



BREAST CANCER

Awareness month

Join in and wear PINK on Friday, October 27

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