

Healy Elementary School

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Upcoming Events

- ◆ Oct 7 - Progress Reports Distribution Day
- ◆ Oct 10 - NO SCHOOL Columbus Day
- ◆ Oct 12 - Student of the Month Breakfast (8:15 am Main Building) and HS Fair (8th only)
- ◆ Oct 13 - Fall Pictures (PreK - 3rd Grade Only)
- ◆ Oct 14 - Fall Pictures (4th - 8th grade Only)
- ◆ Oct 21 - Walk-A-Thon All students wear purple
- ◆ Oct 27 - LSC Meeting 5:00 pm Main Building

WALKATHON

Our annual Walk-A-Thon event will be held on Friday, October 21st. This is the main fundraising event our Healy Stars (a.k.a. Parent Club) hosts each year. Please support this FUNdraiser so that the Healy Stars can continue to sponsor the many events we do throughout the year. Students who raise \$5.00 or more are eligible to walk and win prizes!

HALLOWEEN PARADE

This year students in grades PreK-2 will celebrate Halloween on October 31st with costumes and a parade through the Main Building the school. Students may wear their costumes to school; teachers will share more information. This parade is for students only.

PAC & BAC 2016-17 OFFICERS

I want to take this opportunity to introduce the new members of our Parent Advisory Council (P.A.C.) and our Bilingual Advisory Council (B.A.C) elected by parents in our last week's meeting. The new officers of the PAC are; Simon Shiu (President), Ling Feng (Vice-President), Jessica Mazutis (Secretary), Rocio LaMonica (OMA/FOIA Officer), and Rachel Tully (Alternate). The new officers of the BAC are: Chong Guo Huang (President), Ling Feng (Vice-President), Daisy Zao (Secretary), Shu Juan Li (Alternate). We are confident that these new teams will continue the tradition of helping Healy achieve our main goal, excellence in education!

PARKING PROCEDURES

If you drive your child to and from school, please obey traffic laws and practice safety measures. Please be considerate of one another and our neighbors. Under no circumstances is parking allowed in front or on the side of the school where the "no

parking" signs are posted. All illegally parked cars may be ticketed. Please follow proper and safe drop off/ pick up

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Ms. Brasher and Rm. 113 (7th) for having the best attendance in September. This classroom ended the month with 99.74% attendance. They were followed closely by room 115 (8th-Ms. Wong's Class) with a 99.56%. Third place was Ms. Boyd's class, Room 114 (6th) with a 99.45%. **The overall school attendance for the month of September was 97.94%, which is slightly below our school goal of 98%.** Please continue to support our school by making attendance a high priority for our students.

The following are the school's policies regarding late arrivals and/or early dismissals:

Arrival Time	Code in the System
Between 7:46 - 8:45 AM	Tardy
Between 8:46- 11:30 AM	½ day of attendance
After 11:30 AM	Full day absent

Early Dismissal	Code in the System
Before 11:30 AM	Full day absent
Between 11:30 AM- 2:00 PM	½ day of attendance
After 2:00 PM	Full day of attendance

We recommend parents to visit the CPS Parent Portal to monitor their child attendance, as well as their academic progress. Please contact the main office for information on how to access this portal.

FALL PICTURES

Fall Pictures will be held on October 13th and 14th. Information was sent home this week.