# Healy Elementary School

Tuesday, November 1, 2016



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#### TRAFFIC CHANGES

In an effort to increase safety during morning pick-up, we will begin a new procedure with the assistance of the 9<sup>th</sup> District, OEMC, and Alderman Thompson. More information will be communicated soon and available at Parent-Teacher Conference Day.

#### **Congratulations, Healy! Level 1+**

On Monday, October 31st, CPS released the ratings for all the schools in the district. Our school received 4.5 out of 5.0 points in these ratings. This is one of the highest scores among all K-8th schools in the city (484 schools). This means that our school's performance substantially exceeds the city standards academic performance. awarded a 1+ rating for both Growth and Attainment is the result of a lot of hard work and dedication in the classroom from teachers and students. This accomplishment is a collective effort and couldn't be done without the outstanding support and commitment from our students, faculty, parents, and community.

## REPORT CARD PICK-UP DAY Wednesday, November 9, 2016

Parent Conferences Session 1	12:00 PM	3:00 PM
Parent Conferences Session 2	3:45 PM	6:00 PM

Staff members will have their lunch break between 3:00 and 3:45 PM. The last conference will end at 6:00 PM. Please schedule a conference time with your child's teacher.

#### Walk-A-Thon

I would like to thank our Healy Stars members and our volunteers for the excellent job they did during our Walk-A-Thon event. The Walkathon on October 21st was a huge success raising \$16,532.75 which is the highest profit of any Healy Walkathon in history, increasing last year's profit by \$2,402.75.

#### **Parking**

This is the last reminder that the Chicago Police Department will be issuing tickets

Elizabeth Nessner, Principal Erin Farrell, Assistant Principal Karen Baggot, Assistant Principal Carol Sims, Dean of Students

to any vehicles parked in the alleys, double parked, and/or abandoned around our school.

#### Attendance

Congratulations to room 115 (8<sup>th</sup>) for first place attendance for October with 99.79% attendance. There was a tie for second place between 208 (5<sup>th</sup>) and room 230. Both classrooms ended the month with 99.64% attendance. They were followed closely in third place by room 102 (4<sup>th</sup>) with 98.98%. The overall school attendance for the month of October was 97.07% which is lower than last month. Please continue to support our school by making attendance a high priority for our students.

### **Thanksgiving Week**

Please remember that this year there is no school on Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, and Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup> due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Enjoy this time with your family and friends.

## **Upcoming Events**

- ♦ Week of 10/31-Book Fair
- November 3<sup>rd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance: 2:45-4:00 PM
- November 4<sup>th</sup>: NO SCHOOL-Professional Development
- Nov 9- NO SCHOOL Parent Teacher Conferences
- Nov 10 -Ensemble Veterans Day Performance (5:30 pm)
- Nov 11 NO SCHOOL-Veterans Day
- Nov 14- Fall Photo Retakes
- Nov 16 Student of the Month Breakfast
- Nov 17- LSC Meeting Main Library 5 pm
- Nov 22- No Uniform Day (\$1 Contribution)
- Nov 23-25 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Holiday