



Charger Chatter



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Welcome Back, Chargers!

From the Nurse's Desk:

Please remember, if your child has medicine they need to take at school, you will need to personally deliver it to school. Do not send it with the student.

Dates to Remember:

- August 9**-Smart Card sales begin
- August 12**-1st full day for Kindergarten
- August 22**-PTO Meeting at 3:30
- August 28**-Fall Pictures
- August 30**-No School
- September 2**-Labor Day (No School)
- September 5**-Parent Teacher Conferences

Reminders:

- Your child is tardy after 7:50.
- Connect with your teacher through Class Dojo. Communication is key!
- Tennis shoes should be worn on gym days.

Changes at North Coffee!



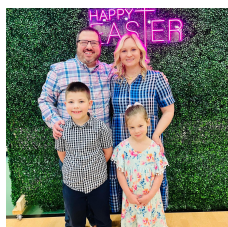
Mrs. Ferrell has moved from ESL to the gym.



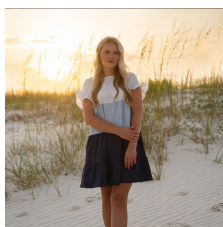
Mrs. Barton is back teaching 3rd.



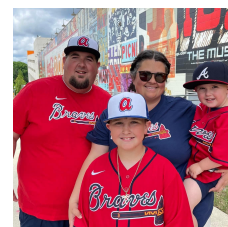
Mrs. Marquez will be the newest SPED aide.



Mrs. Martin has taken a full time position in 2nd grade.



Ms. Abby Ferrell is our new SPED teacher.



Mrs. Swack will be joining the 1st grade team.



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Kim Quick, Interventionist



Hello! My name is Kim Quick. I teach reading intervention. This is my 26 year as an educator, and 18 of those have been here at NC. In my free time I like reading, pool days, traveling and spending time with my family.

Dates to Remember:

- September 6**–No School
- September 9** Attendance Spirit Week starts
- September 19**–PTO Meeting @ 3:30
- September 23**–Fall Book Fair begins
- September 27**–Picnic on the Playground
- October 7-11**–Fall Break

Reminders:

- Attendance is important!
- Don't forget those tennis shoes on gym days.
- Remember to read 20 minutes every night!
- If there is a change in your child's dismissal, please call the office before 2pm.

From the Nurse's Desk:

If your child is sick at home, vomiting or running a fever greater than 100 degrees, please keep them home until they are fever free and/or have no more vomiting for 24 hours. This does help with the health of other students at school. The same rule applies if I send your child home sick from school with a fever – they should be fever-free for 24 hours before returning.

Sports

Congratulations to all of the Chargers who made the basketball team, cheer squad, and cross country! Games will begin in October.

PTO News:

North Coffee's PTO is the best around! They support our Chargers by paying for Accelerated Reader, keeping our grounds maintained, showing appreciation to the teachers and so much more.

The next meeting on 9/19 will be an important one. The PTO will be taking suggestions on what to spend money on.

Also, a heads up, in October the NEW fundraiser will be Otis Spunkmeyer. This will be replacing Little Lambs.

The Arts

This month, 5th grade will be trying out for the play! We are excited to see our Chargers soar in the theatre!



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Abby Ferrell, Special Education



Hello! My name is Abby Ferrell. I am the new Special Education teacher. This is my 7th year as an educator. In my free time I like reading, spending time with my family, and cheering on the Tennessee Titans.

Dates to Remember:

October 14 - PTO Cookie Sale begins

October 18 - 1st 9 weeks Awards (invitations will be sent)

October 24 - PTO Meeting @ 3:30

October 29 - Reading night

October 29 - Trunk or Treat

Reminders:

- Attendance is important!
- Don't forget those tennis shoes on gym days.
- Remember to read 20 minutes every night!
- Please send lunch money in a envelope or bag with your child's name and teacher's name.

From the Nurse's Desk:

Did you know that the best thing you can do to keep from getting sick is to wash your hands? Washing your hands frequently can help you prevent picking up germs from other sources and then infecting yourself. So remember: wet your hands, get soap, scrub for 20-30 seconds, rinse, and then dry your hands.

Sports

Come support our athletes!!!
October basketball games are:

October 19

NC vs. NU
Girls 12pm
Boys 1pm
at CCRA

October 22

NC vs. DF
Girls 6pm
Boys 7pm
at CCRA

October 26

NC vs. EC
Girls 10am
Boys 11am
at CCRA

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**The next meeting on 10/24.
Please join us!**



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Monica Barton, 3rd grade



Hello! My name is Monica Barton. I've been teaching 10 years and this will be my 7th year at North Coffee. I currently teach ELA in 3rd grade. In my free time, I like to spend quality time with my family.

Dates to Remember:

- November 5** - No school
- November 11**- Veterans Day Program @ 1pm
- November 15**-ChargerFest
- November 21**-PTO Meeting @ 3:30 pm
- November 25-29**- Thanksgiving Break

Reminder:

- As the temperatures are cooling down, your child wearing a jacket is inevitable. Please write your child's name inside the jacket. This will give the jacket a better chance of being returned, if it is lost.

From the Nurse's Desk:

It's flu season! Flu is a contagious respiratory illness caused by a virus that infects the nose, throat, and sometimes the lungs. Flu is very common. Ways to prevent the flu are good handwashing, staying away from sick people, covering your cough, and getting a flu vaccine.

Sports

November basketball games are:

<u>November 2</u> NC vs. WW Girls 8am Boys 9am at CCRA	<u>November 9</u> NC vs. CS Girls 10am Boys 11am at CCRA	<u>November 16</u> NC vs. HK Girls 8am Boys 9am at CCRA
	<u>November 23</u> NC vs. HB Girls 12pm Boys 1 pm at CCRA	

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PTO News:

Did you know?

If you shop at Publix, you could be earning money for our school

Follow these steps to get started and share with your family and friends!

1. Join Club Publix and log in to your account at publix.com.
2. In your Club Publix profile, go to Settings, select Choose Publix Partner at the bottom of the page, and select North Coffee Elementary PTO
3. Enter your phone number at checkout or pay with the Publix app, and we'll donate a portion of your purchase to your school.

The next meeting on 11/21. Please join us!



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Holidays Are Near

Jennifer Martin, 2nd grade



This is my 11th year teaching elementary school. I've taught 5th, 3rd, 1st, and now 2nd grade! I taught in Texas for most of my career, but I joined the Charger family last year and I love being a part of this school! I am married and have 2 children who are also Chargers. In my free time I enjoy reading and going on adventures with my family.

Dates to Remember:

December 7-Basketball Semi-Finals

December 10-PTO Santa Shop

December 10-Christmas Reading Night

December 14-Basketball Championships

December 16-Blood Drive

December 19-PTO Meeting @ 3:30

December 19-Wax Museum

December 20- Early Dismissal

Dec 23-Jan 3-Christmas Break

January 7- Students return to school

Reminders:

- Please put your child's name in their jacket.
- If your child needs a coat, please contact their teacher.
- Don't forget to be wearing gym shoes on gym days.
- Your child is late after 7:50. Attendance is very important.

From the Nurse's Desk:

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Sports

Basketball is still going strong! Semi-finals and Finals will be this month. Let's cheer on our Chargers!!

PTO News

On December 10th the Santa Shop will be open! This is an opportunity for the students to buy gifts for others. Be on the lookout for more information.