The Nautilus Waves

(Check out our Web Site @ https://nautilus.lhusd.org) For your child's safety, remember there is no playground supervision before 7:45am. The Spanish version of the Nautilus Waves is available upon request.

November 2022

Message from the Principal

I believe it is important to have a heart of gratitude and thanks. That is exactly what I have experienced during my short time at Nautilus. I am inspired each day by what I see. The incredible devotion of our staff and their unique ability to teach and inspire children every day. I am thankful and celebrate the amazing support of parents and the community. I'm moved by the love and generous amount of time and resources our PTSO group pours into our school. I am thankful to work at Nautilus Elementary School, where we strive for excellence in each and every area of the school. During this time of Thanksgiving, I want to share my gratitude and thank you for being such an important part of our children's lives.

With deep gratitude, Mrs. S. Williams

*The fall fun fair was a huge success. Thank you to PTSO and the community of families and helpers that contributed candy and helped set up and clean up the event.

*The month of November will be busy as we are learning about plants, living things, farms, American and Greek Civilizations, the Middle Ages, Poetry, Thermal Energy, Matter, and all areas of mathematics.

*We want to wish our students that are participating in the ASU STEM Math Challenge on November 4th best of luck. You will be able to view our monthly newsletter on our website. <u>https://nautilus.lhusd.org</u>

IMPORTANT DATES at Nautilus

Nov 3 PTSO Mudshark Teacher takeover, 4:00-7:00
Nov 3 PTSO Fall Fundraiser ends
Nov 5 ASU Math Challenge, Gr. 4-6
Nov 9 PTSO meeting, 3:00-3:30
Nov 11 Veterans Celebration
- No School
Nov 16 Student Progress Reports
Nov 23-25 Thanksgiving Day Celebration
- No School



CLUBS

Mon & Tues Tutoring @ 2:45-3:45 Mon & Tues Homework @ 2:45-3:45
Wed Stu Council Nov 11th & 16 th
@ 2:45-3:45
Wed KC Club @ 2:45-3:45
Thur Yearbook starts Nov 10 th
@ 1:15-2:00



Please help support Nautilus Elementary fundraising. Fundraising ends Nov. 3

Important Information:

- School Hours: 8:00-2:30 PM
- Breakfast Times: 7:30-7:50 AM First Bell Rings: 7:55 AM, tardy if arriving in the classroom after 8:00 AM.
- Please send your student to school with a water bottle. (Water ONLY) We now have 2 water bottle fillers on campus so students can refill them.
- Students coming to school with large coffee drinks or soda in the morning will need to finish them before entering the building.
- Hoodies are not allowed to be worn in the building. Button or zip-up coats or sweaters are approved in the building.

Title One

Nautilus is a Title One school because we meet the criteria based on the government for free and reduced lunch count. What that means is we are provided additional funds for our school. This year those funds are providing Title One Tutoring, the purchase of supplemental instructional resources, and was used to hire an Instructional Interventionist and Title One Paraprofessional to provide instructional support to our students.

Are You Considering Donating to Tax Credit?



Arizona tax laws allow a taxpayer a tax credit of up to \$400 if they elect to support school extracurricular activities. If you choose to donate tax credit to Nautilus Elementary, the monies may be applied to no preference or an approved club or program. The approved clubs/programs at Nautilus are NEHS, Student Council, Homework Club, STEM, Kindness Club, Yearbook Club, Habitat, and Field Trips.

https://www.lhusd.org/activitiesandtaxforms



Marquee Birthdays

NAUTILUS ELEMENTARY is offering a fun way to express your child's birthday! For \$1 a day or \$5.00 for the week, a personal birthday message will be displayed on our marquee outside the school entrance. Please call the front office or contact your teacher for more information.

From the Health Office

I would like for everyone to be aware that there is a Toys for Tots donation box in the front lobby of the school. Please drop off any donations you would like to make, and Toys for Tots will pick them up. The forms to receive Toys for Tots is now available in the nurse's office. The forms need to be brought back to the nurse's office once they are filled out. The steps that are taken in the registration process are longer this year and will take a few minutes, so please allow time for this.

Thank you all very much, and Happy Holidays

There is no school Wednesday, November 22 – Friday, November 25. We wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving with laughter and time spent together with family and friends. As always, thank you for your continued support.