Pirate's Post

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All day, every day matters! Attendance is very important at Plato. We love our students and want them at school! We ended the 15-16 school year at 98.1%. WOW!!! Our goal for 2016-2017 school year is to stay above 98.2% until the end of the year. 3rd Grade is still leading!! They will earn an extra recess this week:) 3rd - 98.1%

K - 96.0% 1st - 97.5%

4th - 97.9% 2nd - 97.8% 5th - 96.9% Overall - 97.4%



The September BRAIN BLAST Challenge is the Ugly Bug Contest. Please collect the ugliest bug you can find and send it to school pinned to a display. The due date is this Friday, 9/23.



YOU CAN STILL ORDER PICTURES ONLINE!! https://my.lifetouch.com/mylifetouch/#/ Picture Day ID: TX326128Y0

Please send **Healthy Snacks** for your child each day. Please do not send candy. Thanks!!

https://cspinet.org/protecting-our-he alth/nutrition/healthy-school-snacks

Breakfast is from 7:55-8:15. IMPORTANT

If your child eats breakfast please drop them off by 8:00am. Students need to be in the gym for Rise & Shine at 8:15 daily. Thanks!!



Word of the Week:

giving of one's time and energies to help others

Quotes:

-I am only one. I cannot do everything, but I can still do something. ~Edward Everett Hale -Those who are the happiest are those who do the most for others. ~Booker T Washington -Serving the needs of others is the light that brightens each day. ~UKA -Whatever you give to others, is also a gift to yourself. ~UKA -Only a life lived for others is a life worthwhile. ~Albert Einstein -When you are laboring for others, let it be with the same zeal as if it were for yourself. ~Confucius -Give to the world the best you have and the best will come back to you. ~Madeline Bridge -Opportunities are usually disguised as hard work, so most people don't

recognize them. ~Ann Landers

Important Dates

Dates Subject to Change

Sept 19 - Late Start Monday

Sept 19 - DRESS LIKE A PIRATE

Sept 19 - Pirate Spirit Store

Sept 20 - FIRST STAR SAVER

Sept 20 - Pirate Pride Tues (wear

BLUE or your Plato Gear)

Sept 21 - COLLEGE SHIRT DAY

(show us where you want to go to college)

Sept 23 - Fans Wear Red Friday (wear RED or your Duncan Gear)

Sept 23 - Morris' Rise & Shine

Sept 26 - Late Start Monday

Sept 29 - Beautiful Day Celebration

Sept 30 - Moore's Rise & Shine

Oct 7 - Sanner's Rise & Shine

Oct 14 - Kanehl's Rise & Shine

Oct 14 - 1st 9 weeks AR Deadline

Oct 18 - Conferences 3:45-7:00pm

Oct 20 - Cook's Rise & Shine

Oct 20 - Conferences 3:45-7:00pm

Oct 21 - NO SCHOOL

Oct 24 & 25 - NO SCHOOL -Fall Break

Oct 27 - Beautiful Day Celebration

Oct 27 - Picture Retake Day

Oct 28 - Conn's Rise & Shine

*Nov 2 - 1st 9 weeks AR Party

*Nov 3 - Cardboard Challenge & All School Carnival

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=faIFNkda96U

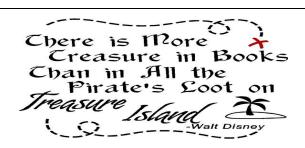
Our October Brain Blast Challenge is to create a cardboard game to bring to our Cardboard Challenge ALL SCHOOL Carnival on Nov 3, 2016 from 5:30-7:00.



Show everyone where you want to go to college by wearing your favorite college shirt on WEDNESDAY, Sept 21st.

THANK YOU!!!

Thank you to everyone that attended our 2 day celebration!!
K-2 shook their groove things and grades 3-5 played and sang, "Dance with Me." Thank you to all our teachers and staff for your hard work helping our students prepare for such a special day. Thank you also to our PTO and Homeroom moms for the delicious refreshments and all your hard work at the book fair!!! Let us know what you thought about the 2 day celebration below.



RECORD BREAKING BOOK FAIR!!!!

WOW! Our PTO moms along with Mrs. Brant and Mrs. Abel worked HARD last week and put in many long hours. They sold books daily from 8:00-3:30, hosted a family night on Tuesday night and welcomed grandparents on both Thursday and Friday. They sold a grand total of \$12,062.11 this week. The profit raised from the Book Fair will directly benefit our students!! Mrs. Brant will be purchasing many new books and supplies for our library.

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE THAT SUPPORTED OUR LIBRARY THIS WEEK!!

How did it go? In the space provided please give us some Grandparent's Day feedback: