

Patriot Pride NEWSLETTER

September 2019



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Dear Reader,

This issue of the *Patriot Pride Elementary Newsletter* is a monthly communication piece from school to home. These electronic editions will be posted on the district webpage under the Patrick Henry Elementary section at the beginning of each month.

Yours in education,

Bryan M. Hieber



** IMPORTANT DATES **

September 5th --- FALL Pictures

September 6th --- FALL Pictures

September 6th --- 1st House System Assembly

September 9th --- House System Kickoff

September 12th --- PTO meeting @ 5 pm

September 13th --- NO SCHOOL (teacher inservice)

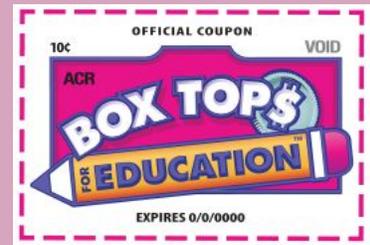
September 24th --- Walk-a-Thon

Pickup/Dropoff Rules: School starts at 8 am; however, you are allowed to drop off your children no sooner than 7:45 am. We have school personnel that supervise the students from 7:45 am to the start of school.

Please reference the Traffic Flow Pattern found on our school website under the "Parent Information" tab. This pattern must be followed for all pickups and dropoffs.

Please send a note to school if there is a change to your pickup/bus arrangements. If you forget a note, please call before 1 pm to ensure proper communication.

PTO NEWS: Our elementary PTO is gearing up for another event-filled school year and would like to reach out to any parents (or guardians) that would like to be a part of this wonderful organization. Our PTO is looking for some volunteers help throughout the year. They do not need a full-time commitment, just volunteers that can donate some time/resources to a specific event. If you are interested and would like more information, simply call the school at 419-274-3015, email me at bhieber@phpatriots.org, or send a message to the PTO Facebook page by searching "Patrick Henry Elementary PTO". The first PTO meeting of the year will be September 12th in the Elementary Multipurpose room (located across the hall from the Elementary office). The main topic for discussion at this meeting will be the **Walk-a-Thon**, which is the PTO's biggest fundraiser of the year. The proceeds from this event provides amazing educational opportunities and resources for our elementary staff and students.



Also, please collect as many Box Tops as you can from family, friends, neighbors, etc. Our school receives 10 cents for every box top and classes with the most Box Tops will earn rewards.

Please REFRAIN from.....

- 1) Sending birthday invitations to school.
- 2) Wearing flip-flops or high heels to school (for child safety).
- 3) Sending packed lunches with food that needs microwaved (unless for health reasons which have already been communicated to the school).



Patrick Henry Local Schools utilizes **Final Forms** for their online paperwork. Please fill these forms out online if you haven't done so already. Step-by-step instructions can be found on the PH website under the "For Parents" tab.

PARENT/SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

<i>Monthly Newsletters</i>	<i>Facebook</i>	<i>Twitter</i>	<i>Remind App</i>
You're reading September's newsletter. These will be posted at the beginning of each month on our PH website. Simply click on the "Elementary School" to find our monthly news.	Search @PHelementary to find our Facebook page. Please "Like" our page so you can follow along with our highlights from the school year.	Search @PH_Elementary to follow along with our tweets. We use this similar to our Facebook page.	<i>This is a text-alert system used to notify parents about school delays/cancellations.</i> <i>To sign up, text the phone number 81010 and in the message type @phkthru4. There will be prompts from there to sign up.</i>



PATRICK HENRY LOCAL SCHOOLS

VISION

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MISSION

Create an environment where all students discover their personal best in every opportunity

Best Version of Self When No One is Looking

Lead the Way

Family

Best Version of Self in Difficult Times

United Communities

Perseverance

Future Ready

Best Version of Self for Others

Above and Beyond

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