



Chopper's Reminders

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CALENDAR UPDATE

September	11	Sally Foster Fundraiser begins
	12	National Anthem Day
	18	6:15 ESOL Back to School Night 7pm Back to School Night
October	1	8:00am Café y Conversacion
	7	Fall Picture Day
	14	9:30am Presechool Parent Coffee

Sally Foster Fundraiser Starts Today

The packets for our Sally Foster Fundraiser were sent home today. We ask you to participate in this project since it is our only source of fundraising for our school year. **You have until Thursday, October 2nd to sell.** Good luck selling, there are a lot of fun prizes to earn.

- Remember:**
- * Money is collected when taking the order.
 - * Orders will be available for pick up on Tuesday, November 4 from 8am-4pm.
 - * Be safe when fundraising, never go alone.

Back to School Night for Parents

On **Thursday, September 18th beginning at 7pm** will be our annual Back to School Night. This evening will begin with a brief PTA meeting in the gym and then lead into two different sessions to meet the teachers. This night provides parents with the opportunity to meet teachers, receive information about school procedures, learn the grade level curriculum and find ways to volunteer in the class or school.

NSES ESOL Back to School Night

If your child receives ESOL services please come before the general NSES Back to School Night Thursday, September 18th from 6:15 to 6:45pm for important information and to sign up for a November 3rd or 4th Parent/Teacher conference. Interpreters will be present.

School Drop Off Time 7:30am at Entrance 2

To ensure student safety **all students should arrive to school no earlier than 7:30am.** All students, including Safety Patrols, must enter the building at entrance 2 NOT the main entrance. Please help us keep our students safe by following these drop off procedures.

Adding Money to Your Child's Lunch Account

Help us make your child's cafeteria experience go as smoothly as possible by following these easy steps:

1. Add money t in person from 8-10am only in the cafeteria.
2. Use a credit card to add to your child's account by going to www.mylunchmoney.com
3. Send money into school with your child by:
 - Placing cash or a check in an envelope with your child's full name, teacher name and food services

written on the outside.

- Write your child's full name and student cafeteria PIN number on the memo line of your check, or on a note when sending in cash.

PTA News

Join the NSES PTA

One of the most important things you can do for your child's education and our school is to join the PTA or renew your membership. More information along with the membership envelopes were sent home last week.

Be A Room Parent

Are you available to help out in your child's classroom? Do you want to get to know your child's teacher better? Then this is a great opportunity for you. Join Liz Flynn and other interested parents on **Wednesday, September 22 at 7pm** in the NSES library for more information. Look for the yellow flyer in today's envelope for more information.

Next PTA Meeting

NSES PTA meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month. We invite you to join us on **Tuesday, October 7 in the library.** These meetings are a great way to meet other parents and school staff, find out what is going on in the school and a wonderful way to get involved in your child's education. We look forward to seeing you there.



Breakfast, Just \$1.50—A Great Start to Being Smart

Breakfast is the most important meal of the day. It "breaks" the "fast" by replacing the energy reserves used overnight.

School aged children especially teens are the biggest breakfast skippers. Research shows students who eat breakfast:

- Learn better
- Are more alert and attentive
- Are more likely to participate in activities
- Eating breakfast may also reduce the risk of childhood obesity

If you have a breakfast skipper in your home, plan and offer quick nutritious choices such as juice, whole grain cereal and toast, breakfast bar, or bagels and milk or yogurt. Parents don't forget your own breakfast. You are a role model for your children.

The school breakfast program helps students whose parents work, students who are late starters, as well as those who come from low-income families. Breakfast is a nutritious bargain for \$1.50.