

NORTON CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Thursday Tidbits - June 6, 2019

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Lunch Schedule

Kindergarten 11:45—12:05
1st Grade 11:20—11:40
2nd Grade 11:45—12:05
3rd Grade 11:20—11:40
4th Grade 12:15—12:35
5th Grade 12:15—12:35

REGISTRATION FEES & PAPERWORK ARE NOW DUE PAST DUE!

See more information on page 2

Last Day of School for:

Kindergarten—5th Grade Friday, June 7th



From the Principal.....Tony White

One constant in life is change. We are always becoming something. This year, Norton Creek became something new. Something bigger. Something better. Each of your children - whether this was his or her first year at Norton Creek, their sixth, or any number in between has changed Norton Creek forever. Their smiles, joy, creativity, wonder, senses of humor, personalities, and love have created something that can never exist without them. That is an incredible feeling and knowing, teaching, and caring for your awesome children this year has been our truest pleasure.

The journey we all embarked on together in year one of our transition presented us with an incredible opportunity - the chance to create something new and exciting together. Our success would be found almost entirely in our attitudes and beliefs, and no one at Norton Creek disappointed. Norton Creek is certainly better for each of your children, each of you, each of our staff all coming together to build this amazing NEW Norton Creek and to be part of something larger than ourselves together.

I am very excited for what we will create together next year and beyond for our students, school, and community and also very excited to wish you all a wonderful summer. Enjoy your loved ones, the sunshine, and whatever adventures come your way.

To our fifth grade friends moving on to Wredling and Thompson Middle Schools, know that you are ready to fly out of our nest and start to explore the world. We will miss you, but you will never be a stranger here. So, as one of my friends in the RISE program says, "Don't be a stranger!" We want to hear all about what you are up to in middle school and beyond.

Have a super summer, Norton Creek! See you in August!

HAPPY SUMMER



Odds and ends.....

REGISTRATION PAPERWORK IS AN ADDITIONAL STEP FROM PAYING REGISTRATION FEES



IMPORTANT RETURNING STUDENT REGISTRATION INFORMATION—WAS DUE MAY 31ST

Parents/Guardians should have received information regarding CUSD 303 Registration Fees. Online registration process for returning students for the 2019-2020 school year has begun. Please see the information below regarding online registration:

- [Principal letter regarding registration procedures](#)
- [Returning CUSD303 Student Registration Forms for Grades 1 - 5](#) Click on the folder labeled CURRENT STUDENT ANNUAL DISTRICT REGISTRATION UPDATE. These forms are interactive, please print, complete and **return to the office asap.**
- [2019-2020 CUSD 303 School Calendar](#)
- [School Supply Lists for Grades Kindergarten through 5th Grade](#)

PTO: Important PTO information, instructions on donations, orders (ordering school supply packs, spirit wear and yearbook), volunteering, are available by going to the PTO website or by clicking [HERE](#)

LUNCH MENUS Click [HERE](#) to view the June lunch menu.

MEDICATIONS TO BE PICKED UP FROM HEALTH OFFICE BY JUNE 7TH

If your child has medication in the health office, medications **need to be picked up by a parent/guardian by June 7, 2019 by 3:00 PM.** Medications that are not picked up by this date and time will be thrown out. If you have any questions, please contact the health office 331-228-2709.



UPCOMING 2019 SUMMER SCHOOLS AND CAMPS

District 303 schools offer a variety of summer school, athletic and music camp opportunities.



- Summer Swim
- Athletic Camps
- Elementary Summer Camp
- Music Camps
- Culinary Camp
- And More!

Click [here](#) for more details!

Registrations can be completed by visiting [PushCoin](#). Additional camps will be posted as information becomes available.



PTO Appreciation!

THANK YOU, PRESIDENT SOULE! (Parents of Norton Creek)

We'd like to extend a huge thank you to Rebecca Soule for her time on the board and especially for this past year as President of the PTO. It was a huge job to fill with the school growing and changing so much. You have put in a ton of time, effort and sweat that at times might have felt went unnoticed, but we were extremely grateful and lucky to have you in this role. Thanks for all you've done with your time at NC, you will be missed!

FROM THE PTO PRESIDENT

A personal thank you to so many as I wrap up my time at Norton Creek. Thanks to all of the teachers and staff who have had such an important, positive impact on my children. They learned so many important, foundational lessons here. Thank you to all of the volunteers I have worked with over the years, it has been a pleasure getting to know so many other parents. I have met some truly irreplaceable friends through my children. Lastly, thank you to the outstanding PTO Board members I have had the pleasure of "serving" with: Angie Miki, Jaime Hayes, Amanda Giordano, and Kelly Rotella.

- Rebecca Soule

PTO News

SCHOOL SUPPLY KITS (K-5) ruhstorfer2008@yahoo.com

It's time to order School Supply Packs for next school year & avoid the hassle of shopping for very specific, sometimes difficult to find school supplies over the summer! Packs on sale through **June 30th**. Packs are delivered to your student's classroom. Order: [HERE](#)

YEARBOOKS FOR 2018-2019 (K-5) ncyearbook.shelly@gmail.com

We have run out of extra yearbooks available for immediate purchase, however, you can still order a yearbook to be shipped to your home. Please order by **June 12th**. Visit TreeRing.com.

PTO SPONSORSHIP (K-5)

Many thanks to those who have already paid their PTO Sponsorship for next year! Your financial support helps all of the students at Norton Creek through our fun events, technology, books & more! You may pay your family sponsorship of \$25 [HERE](#) or through PushCoin when you pay your school registration fees.

BOX TOPS (K-5) hollysue06@yahoo.com

Hello Norton Creek families, let's have one last turn in for all of our box tops!! Also, please remember to keep a lookout for them over the summer and during back to school shopping. Some of our favorite brand Brands like Ziploc, Kleenex, and Bic carry big bonuses! The Box Tops For Education Program is changing (NO more clipping!). An updated app will be available soon allowing us to simply scan a receipt.

ADOPTING THE OLC (K-5) mjwesner@ymail.com

We need YOU this summer to help the OLC thrive! Sign-up for a week during the summer to adopt the Outdoor Learning Center. During your week you will water the garden 3-4 times, pull any weeds and pick your fair share of vegetables that are ready to harvest. Families, clubs, or groups can sign-up to adopt a week together. It takes a community to help this space GROW! You can read more about the OLC on our website. Sign-up now: [HERE](#)

Norton Creek PTO
2019-2020

SCHOOL SUPPLY KITS



**TAX
FREE**

Grade	Cost
Kindergarten	\$90
1st Grade	\$63
2nd Grade	\$61
3rd Grade	\$73
4th Grade	\$59
5th Grade	\$73

Order NOW

NortonCreekPTO.org

Orders DUE

June 30th

**Supply Kits will be Delivered
to your Child's Classroom**

For questions, please contact
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BOX TOPS SUPPORTERS

HERE'S A SNEAK PEEK AT WHAT'S COMING

Big changes are coming to Box Tops and you're the first to know! Over the next few months you'll begin to see a new way to earn cash for your school. We heard your feedback about the current app and are hard at working building a NEW and improved, user-friendly Box Tops mobile app that will be ready in June. The new app will feature state-of-the-art technology that allows you to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to your school's earnings online.

