

Good Afternoon Evergreen Families,

Here are a number of items for your attention:

### **Cold Weather Clothing**

As November draws near, so does the promise of cold weather. APS is, once again, partnering with LOVE, INC to help support families in need of winter gear for their children. If you need some assistance in this area, please contact the Evergreen Office at 892-3470. With the forecast of cold weather next week, please send your students to school with warm coats, hats, and mittens.

### **Holiday Helper Program**

Our school staff and family are excited to partner with Love INC this year for the Holiday Helper program. If you anticipate having difficulty providing your children with gifts this season, we would like to help you get connected with Love INC. Please fill out the attached form and return it to school by Tuesday, October 31st.

### **Trunk or Treat - Rotary Club**

Hello everyone! The Rotary Interact Club will be hosting our annual Trunk-or-Treat event on October 29 from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the Evergreen Elementary bus loop. Last year was a big success and we hope this year we can make this event even bigger. If you would like to host a trunk at this event, fill out this form and we will get more details out to you. The lot will be opened up at 3:45 p.m. to start setting up trunks. Only submit one form for each trunk. Thanks! (Note: spots are limited and are first come, first served. Also, you will need to provide your own candy and decorations). Here is the sign-up

link: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1PhnTkSExlCOOnshH6FNoWy2lu2f8eRoqUG6j8Z29rZc/e/dit?usp=drive\\_web](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1PhnTkSExlCOOnshH6FNoWy2lu2f8eRoqUG6j8Z29rZc/e/dit?usp=drive_web)

### **Halloween Costumes - Reminder**

Wow, the excitement for Halloween just keeps building and building in our classrooms and hallways. Our teachers have made plans to add some Halloween activities to their school day and have invited students to wear their costumes. Your child's teacher has sent home specific details about their schedule and their plans, including their plan for costumes. Please be sure to review those details before tomorrow. I do want to remind our families that our costume policy does not allow toy weapons of any kind, pretend blood, or scary clown masks. If your child's costume includes any of these items, please keep those items at home tomorrow.

### **1st and 2nd Grade Parents - Pre-Check-In**

Our first and second-grade teachers have invited family members to join them in their Halloween classroom activities. We encourage you to stop into one of the Evergreen offices on Wednesday or Thursday to "pre-check in" to our Raptor background check system. This will help you avoid getting stuck in a waiting line on the day of your child's party.

### **Fundraising Events:**

- PTO's "LET'S GET POPPIN!" Popcorn Fundraiser  
Allendale Elementary PTO is once again putting on the Poppin Popcorn Fundraiser! This fundraiser is 100% online with either a direct-ship option or a school delivery option! The fundraiser starts on Monday, October 30th, and ends on Monday, November 20th. A

fundraising packet will be going home with your student on Monday, October 30th. This packet will have all the information you need to register and get started selling that yummy popcorn and treats!

This fundraiser allows us to fund things such as supplies for teachers' classrooms, first-day-of-school t-shirts for our youngest falcons, Kona Ice for field days, Popcorn Fridays, and more! Thank you families for your continued support!

- AET's Peppinos Restaurant Fundraiser  
Wednesday, October 25 from 5 - 10 p.m. Show the attached flyer (on your phone or on paper) when you dine in or take out at Peppino's Pizzeria & Sports Grille Allendale, and the Allendale Encouragement Team will receive 15% of your food sales! The AET supports Allendale Public School teachers and staff all year in various ways! All money raised will be used towards these efforts.
- AET's Porch Pot Party: Wednesday, November 29 from 7 - 9 pm. Join us for a fun night of porch pot making, light drinks and snacks, and hanging out with the community! Find all the details on the Facebook event: <https://fb.me/e/1pWRdGxNC>. All the proceeds go to the Allendale Encouragement Team to support APS teachers and staff all year! Flyer attached.

### **Activities for Students**

- Allendale Youth Wrestling Sign-up Information can be found on the attached flyer.

Respectfully,

Doug Bol, Principal  
Evergreen Elementary School

