

The Pirates' Scroll

Poteau Upper Elementary Newsletter

ATTENDANCE & TRUANCY

Students who are frequently absent and/or tardy are missing valuable parts of their education. These truancies are also disruptive to entire classrooms of students.

Part of the school's responsibility in educating your child is instilling the importance of learning.

IMPORTANT PARENT NOTICE

Parents are encouraged to set a good example by ensuring prompt arrival and limited absences, so that optimal learning can take place.

TRUANCY POLICY:

A student who is 1) absent without valid excuse four or more days or parts of days within a four-week period or

2) absent without valid excuse for ten or more days or parts of days within a semester will be reported to the student's parents/guardians and other agencies as required. The parents/legal guardians of the student may also incur legal liability regarding their failure to compel the student to attend school.

NOTE: Even excused days count against the 85% attendance, as required by law. This is because of the importance of your child receiving sufficient classroom learning to earn promotion to the next grade.



NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK

OCT. 9-13

STUDENTS:
Invite your Parent/Guardian to **JOIN YOU FOR LUNCH** On Wednesday, Oct. 11th!

PARENTS:
JOIN YOUR CHILD during their 40 minute lunch/recess period to help us celebrate **National School Lunch Week!**
COST: \$4.05

MENU For Wednesday, Oct. 11th

Entrée Choices:

1. Chicken Patty
2. Hamburger Steak
Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy
3. Mandarin Orange
Chicken Salad

Sides:

- Corn
- Pears
- Hot Rolls

IMPORTANT DATES

READ-A-THON	Oct. 2nd-13th
Student of the Week Luncheon	October 5th, 11:55am
PIRATE DAY Homecoming	October 6th
RELAY FOR LIFE	October 7th
COLUMBUS DAY	October 9th
OG&E 4th Grade Program	Oct. 9th 8:30-2:00
4th Grade Recorder Program	Oct. 10th 10am Cafeteria
Invite A Parent To Lunch Day	October 11th
9-week Reports Sent Home	October 18th
NO SCHOOL Fall Break	October 19th-20th
RED RIBBON WEEK	October 23rd-27th



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Our **UES** team is **"The Game Changers"**

Come Out To **RELAY FOR LIFE** 2 p.m.-8 p.m. @ Costner Stadium

This Saturday, October 7th!

ENTERTAINMENT FOOD!

UES & AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

How To JOIN

"THE GAME CHANGERS"

- ◆ At the Oct. 7th Event
- ◆ Online at: www.relayforlife.org/lefllorecook
- Donations can be made:**
- ◆ At the Oct. 7th Event
 - Buy Concession
 - Cash Donations
- ◆ Online at: www.relayforlife.org