

CHESTER-ANDOVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Where Students Soar

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Mrs. Katherine Fogg Principal

Principal Report - 10/17/19

New Assistant Principal - Kevin Fay

Kevin Fay will be attending the October GMUSD Board meeting in my place as I am away attending to my parents. Kevin has done a fantastic job during the first six weeks of school. He has worked hard to become acclimated with our systems and procedures. He has shared some new ideas to help us run more efficiently during meetings and is building solid relationships with students and adults. Please be sure to welcome him to his first School Board Meeting!

Celebrations and Happenings

On October 1st CAES celebrated reaching the school-wide goal of fifty eaglets. We had planned an extra outdoor recess but it ended up being a rainy day. We made the best of it by dancing to music played over the intercom and enjoyed apple cider and a cookie in the classroom. Our newly elected members of the Student Council eagerly delivered the treats to the classrooms. I was quite impressed by their dance moves as they delivered the treats to the classrooms! During lunch we had our first Student Council meeting where we discussed our plans for this year. Next week



we will begin creating our first video to explain what Student Council members do for their school and community.



The CAES PTG met on the first Thursday to finalize details for the Harvest Supper and Trunk or Treat. We still need a few more cars at Cobleigh and volunteers to prepare food and clean up after dinner. Candy donations should be brought to the

CAES office. On Friday October 4th we had a combined Coffee Hour and Title 1 informational meeting. Title I is a federally funded program that provides financial assistance to states and

school districts to meet the needs of educationally at-risk students. It provides extra educational assistance and supports beyond the regular classroom including:

- small group instruction in or outside the classroom to pre-teach, supplement and support practices to increase classroom learning
- extra time for teaching students the skills they need
- exposure to a variety of teaching methods to reach academic goals
- additional teaching materials which supplement a student's regular instruction
- instructional goals targeted to your student's needs

It has been nice to get to know some of the new parents in our community and to give them the opportunity to meet other parents. The best news of the week is that funding was approved at the last TRSU board meeting to have Christine Keklak as a full-time math interventionist at the TRSU Board meeting last night.





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Congratulations to the following students who are our newly elected student council members: Elijah Tyrrell, Liam Heybryne, Logan Snide, Noah Bouvia, Landon Kingsbury and Calan Morrie.

The Chester Grange came and presented our third grade students with dictionaries on Thursday morning. This tradition has been ongoing for eleven years and they were very proud to be able to continue with it this year despite the damage to their building. We enjoyed hearing about the history and current activities of the Grange and the children were very thankful for their gifts!





Every Friday Our K-2 students who SOAR at learning are recommended by their teachers to enjoy lunch in the Perch Cafe under the pavilion with Mrs. Lisle. Students recommended in 3-6 get to eat with Mr. Atwater. We are so proud of how hard our students are working this year!

Upcoming Dates

- 9/14 No School Holiday
- 9/15 No School Teacher In-service
- 9/16 Picture retake day
- 9/17 Class Photo retake day
- 9/26 Harvest Supper and Trunk or Treat

К	17 & 17	34
1	20 & 21	41
2	23 & 23	46
3	13 & 14	27
4	18 & 16	34
5/6	14, 15, 15, & 12	56
	Total Students	238

