

Afton Elementary Newsletter

October 2022

Halloween

Once again we will be having a virtual parade for Halloween. It will be on Monday, Oct. 31. The parade will start at 8:15 am.

Students should arrive at school dressed in their costumes and ready to parade. We are asking that students do not wear masks or have weapons as part of their costumes. Parents and others may view the parade live on Afton Elementary Facebook page or later on SVI Media.



Parent Teacher Conference

Parent Teacher Conference will be November 1st and 2nd. Please be watching for the PTC Fast link so you can sign up to visit your child's teacher. It will be on our website around the last week in October. A reminder will be sent home.

Coming Events

Oct. 5.....School Pictures

Oct. 7......Homecoming - Spirit Day

Oct. 11....PTO Meeting 8 AM

Oct. 14....No School

Oct. 21....No School

Oct. 28....No School

Oct. 31....Halloween Costume Parade

Nov. 1 & 2...Parent Teacher
Conference

Learning Update

Kindergarten - Afton Elementary Kindergarteners have had an eventful and fun September. Last week we went on a field trip to Grover City Park and Grover National Forest. We were taught about the fire triangle of fuel, heat, and oxygen, collected forest scavenger items, and learned about which environmental objects burn quicker in comparison to others. At the end of our field trip, we got to see Smokey the Bear and learn about fire prevention. As we returned to school from this field trip, we learned about bus safety.

Moving on to the month of October, we are practicing number formations from 0-10, drawing basic objects using different shapes, and sorting items with different attributes. Kindergarten writers are learning to look at the world around them like a scientist. Students are learning to draw and label objects in their own writing. Nursery rhymes and zoo phonic sounds with actions are helping our reading acquisition.

On September 29th, we will have our first kindergarten sing and "Terrific Tiger" good citizen awards. Earning the **Bucket Filler award** is Lily Rodgers, Justin Statham, Tuff Thayer, Anna Harris, Mollie Allred, and Kaleb Mclain. Receiving the **Super Helper award** is Zachary Jessop, Haddie Hillstead, Ashlyn Bagley, Sophie Downs, Vincent Hardesty, and BoDee Booth. **Hard Worker award** was earned by Ryatt Brayton, Lincoln Bagley, Emerson Steed, Tane Hepworth, Gabe Dowling, and Johanna Stoker. Receiving the **Tidy at Lunch award** is Jaren Worton, Niko Doulgerakis, Traeyvon Bess, Merah Leavitt, Ellie Mattson, and Essynce Lilly. The **Best Friend award** is earned by Emmy Day, Braxton Leavitt, Allia Kennington, Phoebie Rivard, Tallie Nield, and Ruby Boice. **Congratulation Terrific Tigers!**

1st Grade - First Graders have been working hard this first month of school! We will continue to write small moment stories in our Narrative Writing Unit. We are working on handwriting and foundational writing skills to bring our stories to life. We are developing good reading habits, such as setting goals, smoothing out our voice, and reading more and more. We love "shopping" for new books. In Math we have been practicing number bonds and making ten. First graders will start adding numbers within 10 and learning new strategies to become fluent with math facts. We had fun on our walking field trip to Broulims. We had our first First Grade Celebration where we recognized some of our Royal Readers, Mighty Mathematicians, Writing Wonders, Wow Workers, and our Bucket Fillers! We are looking forward to all the fun, and new things coming in October!

2nd Grade - Second grade is looking forward to a great month of learning in October. This year we are including outdoor classrooms in our curriculum. We are using community resources to help us learn more about the world around us. In September we learned about milk and products that are made from milk. We would like to extend a special thank you to Kaylynn Nield with the Conservation District, FFA and Tyson Hepworth for teaching us about all things that are "DAIRYLICIOUS!" This month our special days will be October 7th and 13th. We will be learning about trees, fire safety, animal habitats, and animal adaptations.

3rd Grade - Third grade has settled into a nice routine. We can't believe September is already over. We are working hard on memorizing our skip counting and multiplication facts. Do you know a 3rd grade student? See if they can skip count by 3s or 4s. We think they'll be able to do it! We are in the middle of our narrative writing unit now. We've learned to include descriptions, feelings, and dialogue. We have also worked on making a good lead and conclusion. During reading time, we are learning so many cool skills to help us become better readers. One of those things is to stop to notice and question things in our books. Each of the third grade teachers is reading the book *Because of Winn Dixie* as a read aloud. So, this month we hosted a Winn Dixie Party for all third graders who earned their first reading goal. It was a lot of fun. We ate pickles and candy and had fun getting to know each other better. Keep reading at home!

Correction from September Newsletter Brooke Carreon was listed as a speech language pathologist instead of a speech language pathologist assistant.

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	Breakfast	6 French Toast Sticks Or Cinnamon Toasters Cereal String Cheese Served With- 100% Juice Variety Strawberry Applesauce Cup	Ja Donut Holes or- Cinnamon Toasters Cereal String Cheese Served With- 100% Juice Variety Mixed Fruit Cup	20 Sausage Pancake Wrap or Cinnamon Toasters Cereal String Cheese Served With 100% Juice Variety Diced Peach Cup	27 Yogurt Parfait Ornnamon Toasters Cereal String Cheese Served With 100% Juice Variety Pineapple Tidbits	Milk Variety Served Daily: View Milk Nutritionals
	22 Wednesday Wednesday	Yogurt Parfait -or Smore's Bar YogurtServed With 100% Juice Variety Tropical Fruit Cup	12 Biscuit and Gravy -or- Chewy Maple Granola Bar YogurtServed With 1100% Juice Variety Dried Cranberries	19 Chocolate Chip Muffin Occoa Cherry Bar YogurtServed With 100% Juice Variety Applesauce Cup	26 Mini Strawberry Bagel -or- Smore's Bar YogurtServed With 100% Juice Variety Strawberry Applesauce	000
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Afton	4 Beef Nached Ayl Melon Saldd Ayl Mixed Vegetables Green Salad Grape Tomatoes Black Beans	Mac & Cheese Whole Grain Roll Mandarin Oranges Steamed Broccoli Grape Tomatoes Green Salad	18 Pork Rib on a Bun Cantaloupe Sweet Yellow Corn Baby Carrots	25 Beefy Rotini Bake Warm Breadstick Diced Pears Fresh Cauliflower Baby Carrots	HAPPY
Monday	3 Crispy Chicken on a Bun Mixed Fruit California Blend Vegetables Cucumber Sticks	10 Beef Steak Burger on a Bun Orange Smiles Seasoned Waffle Fries Fresh Cauliflower Lettuce	17 Breaded Chicken Drumstick Whole Grain Roll Diced Peaches Scalloped Potatoes Grape Tomatoes Cucumber Sticks	24 French Toast Sticks Egg Patty Sausage Patty Orange Smiles Hash Brown Wedges Power Punch Juice	31 Witches Fingers Mushy Mushy Goo Rolling Heads Goblin Warts Zombie Snack

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