

Bear Necessities: September 20th

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Bear Necessities Brookside's Weekly Newsletter

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR THIS UPCOMING WEEK

MAKE YOUR PARENT CLUB CLASSROOM CONTRIBUTION - DEADLINE IS TODAY!

We are hovering at 50% participation for class contributions and we need a much higher percentage to be able to fund 'all the things'.

Brookside is an amazingly spirited school and we are so excited for the Bear Bash this weekend! But remember Parent Club contributions are what fund all of these fun activities - we are only at 50% participation and our deadline is TODAY. If you haven't done so yet, please submit your contribution today! Here is the link:

<https://www.brooksidesschool.org/contributions>

THIS IS YOUR CONTRIBUTION IN ACTION - BEAR BASH IS TOMORROW!!! KONA ICE TRUCK, HAPPY CAKE FACE PAINTING AND MUSIC GALORE!

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21st - 5:30-7:30pm at BROOKSIDE FIELD

So pack a picnic dinner, your favorite non-alcoholic beverages, and a blanket (maybe a flashlight too) and meet us at the upper field where Old and New Brookside families will get the chance to meet each other, play games, and dance the night away.

****WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP!!!**** Several spots are open to make this special evening for our community! Please sign up here to help us during the party tomorrow, older siblings are welcome to sign up and enjoy in the festivities. Hope to see you there.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E44A9A62DA3FCC16-51183612-2024>

GET TO KNOW YOUR BROOKSIDE COMMUNITY THIS WEEK!

Welcome to Brookside" Popsicle Party: All TK, Kindergarten and new Brookside families from any grade are invited to a "Welcome to Brookside" popsicle social at Memorial Park on Wednesday, September 25th. Join us from 5:00-6:30 pm for popsicles and fun. Bring a picnic and get to know other Brookside families.



"WELCOME TO BROOKSIDE" POPSICLE PARTY

Don't miss the opportunity to get to know your class and other new families at Brookside! Join us for popsicles and FUN. Bring your own picnic dinner!

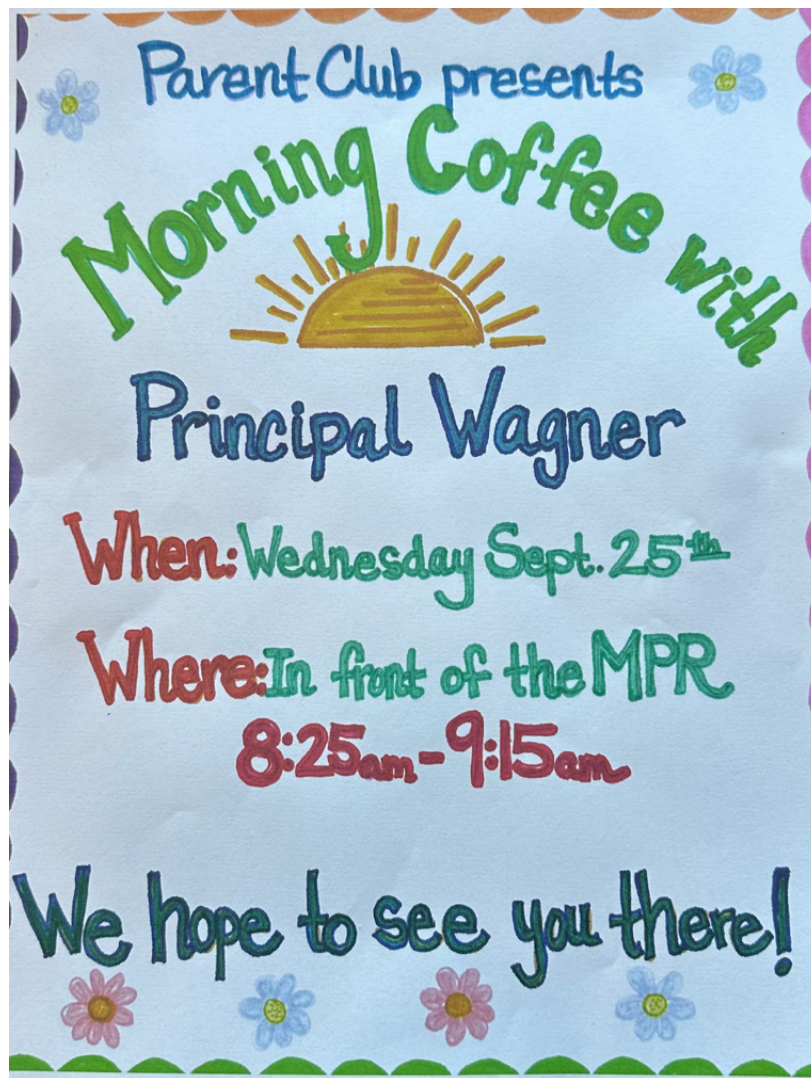
WHERE: Memorial Park

WHEN: Wednesday, September 25th from 5-6:30pm

WHO: TK, Kindergarten, and all new Brookside families



Morning Coffee with Principal Wagner: Wednesday, September 25th. Come join the Parent Club and other Brookside families for some coffee to start your day after drop off in front of the MPR from 8:25-9:15.



NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN FOR CHANGE

Children4Change (aka C4C) is back at Brookside this year! We are excited to offer ten weeks of Lunch Club programming for 3rd-5th grade students! Programming starts next week and we are so excited for C4C educator Elizabeth to get to know your awesome community! If you have a 3rd-5th grader, don't forget to remind them to pop into C4C Club on THURSDAYS!

As a reminder, C4C is a nonprofit supporting TK-8th grade with standards-based, grade level content that infuses real-world issues, project-based advocacy projects and engagement with local nonprofits and guest speakers!

Most importantly, C4C gives YOUR FAMILY access to year-round, local volunteer opportunities that bring our integrated classroom & club lessons to life! Go to www.children4change.org and click VOLUNTEER and sign up today! Make doing good a family value this year!

LET'S SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY - FAIRFAX TOWN PICNIC ON SATURDAY



IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

OCTOBER 26, DECEMBER 7, MARCH 1, MAY 3	GARDEN/CAMPUS WORK DAYS
SEPTEMBER 21	BEAR BASH/BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY
OCTOBER 5	YES FALLAPALOOZA
NOVEMBER 8	BUILDING BRIDGES KICK OFF ASSEMBLY
NOVEMBER 22	VARIETY SHOW
WEEK OF DECEMBER 9	BOOK FAIR & GIFT BAZAAR
WEEK OF DECEMBER 16	ADPOT-A-FAMILY HOLIDAY GIFT DONATION
JANUARY 30	FAMILY GAME NIGHT

MARCH 21	MOVE-A-THON
MAY 3	FAMILY DANCE
JUNE 11	FIELD DAY

BROOKSIDE PROUD MOMENTS

