



TIGER TALES



March 15, 2019

Happy St. Patrick's Day



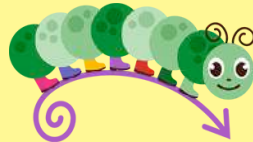
Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences are coming up at the end of March. You should be hearing from your child's teacher to set up a time to meet.



If you have not pre-registered your child for kindergarten please go to our homepage (dcs.rsu5.org) to pre-register for 2019-2020 kindergarten. Children must be 5 years of age on or before October 15. It is very important that we get everyone registered so class sizes and staff can be determined early. Screening will take place the beginning of May, more information will come in the registration packets.

Upcoming Q & A's with the Superintendent



Please join the superintendent and assistant superintendent for any or all of the following question/answer sessions. We want to hear what you have to say about what is going well and areas that we can improve. Here are the days and times:

Thursday, February 28th - Superintendent's Tea -
3:30-4:30 p.m. @ PES Library

Thursday, March 21st - Mugs & Muffins -
9:00-10:00 a.m. @ FHS Conference Room

Wednesday, April 3rd - Dessert with the Superintendent -
6:00-7:00 p.m. @ DCS Library

Please go to the link below to read the March Community Programs Newsletter:

<http://pub.lucidpress.com/rsu5cpMar2019/>



SPRING BOOK FAIR TIME

Something new for the upcoming PTA Scholastic Spring Book Fair. You now have the ability to shop on-line and the proceeds will go to Durham Community School, just like they do when shopping in person at the school fair. If you do not find a title or something is out of stock at the book fair...find it on the Online Fair Extension that is available March 20 to April 2, 2019.

Visit the link below as early as March 20, 2019 and shop more titles than what are available at the in-school book fair.

<http://www.scholastic.com/bf/durhamcommunityschool1>
Orders from your online sales ship **FREE**.

It's Book Fair Time

Our Semi-annual PTA Scholastic Book Fair is coming up March 25 - 29.

Monday, 3/25 from 9:00am - 7:00pm

Tuesday, 3/26 from 9:00am - 7:00pm

Wednesday 3/27 from 2:30pm - 7:00pm

Thursday 3/28 from 2:30pm - 7:00pm

Friday 3/29 from 2:30pm-4:00pm

We hope you will take this opportunity to get some great books and support the PTA in their efforts to fund programs here at DCS including field work and enrichment opportunities for all grade levels.

If you would like to volunteer to run the cash register, please contact Hilary Hall at hrosman@comast.net. All proceeds benefit the Library and the books in the teachers classrooms.

Students in Mr. Briasco-Brin's
class celebrating
Pi Day



FHS Baseball Silent Auction and Trivia Night

Antonia's in Freeport
April 3rd from 6-10pm
Open to all!
50/50

Lots of great silent auction items to bid on, including patriots tickets,
weekend getaways at camps, sailing, shopping, and more.

Freeport Gear Store:

<https://freeportbaseballboosters19.itemorder.com/sale>

Open until the 22nd. Lots of youth sizes. Open to all! Has more than just baseball items.

Don't forget to
order your
Middle School
Yearbook!



Yearbook

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Days to Order

Order forms are located on top of the trash receptacle near the office. The cost of the yearbook is \$20.00 and the order forms can be sent to the office with your check or cash payment. Checks made payable to Durham Community School or DCS or you can order online at:

YBPAY.LIFETOUCH.COM
yearbook ID Code: 12339819

Deadline: FRIDAY, MARCH 29



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FREEPORT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Craig Sickels, Athletic Administrator

Dear Lacrosse Parents and Players:

As the sport of lacrosse has grown, so too have local, state and national rules governing the sport. There is a National Federation rule that we need to make you aware of. By Federation rule, all **HIGH SCHOOL BOYS** lacrosse team helmets must be of the same color and all helmet decals must be school issued.

We bring this to your attention now so that you can plan accordingly when purchasing new equipment. This rule change mandating the color of helmets is for **HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS ONLY**. However, it may impact how you plan equipment purchases as a middle school participant.

The Cascade "CPV-R" or the "CPX-R" Lacrosse Helmet' are the official helmets for Freeport High School Lacrosse. **It will be mandatory for every HIGH SCHOOL PLAYER to have one of these helmets or something similar approved by the coaching staff.** Both custom helmets will have a maroon helmet, white visor, white chin guard and a black mask. Over the years, the CPV-R has morphed into more of a youth & high school helmet, and the CPX-R, more of a high school and college helmet. You can view these helmets at:
cascadelacrosse.com

These helmets were selected because of safety ratings, availability, and believe it or not, its comparatively affordable price. This helmets retails between \$140.00-\$230.00 in most stores. Through a sporting goods dealer that the school works with on a regular basis, we are able to secure a group price of CPV-R \$114.50 & CPX-R \$160.50 and pass this savings on to you. If you would like to take advantage of this school pricing offer, please fill out the enclosed order form and return it to the high school athletic office no later than **Friday, March 22nd**.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call (865-4706 x228).

Craig Sickels






Craig Sickels, Athletic Administrator



RSU5 School Calendar 2019-2020

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER					OCTOBER					NOVEMBER					DECEMBER					JANUARY				
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20 8/28&29 Professional Learning Day 2 Labor Day 9/3 First Student Day PreK-9 9/4 All PreK-12 Students					21 11 Professional Learning Day 14 National Holiday					16 8 Professional Learning Day (1/2) 11 Veterans Day 27 Professional Compensation Day 28-29 Thanksgiving Break					15 23-31 December Vacation					21 1 New Years Day 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day				
FEBRUARY					MARCH					APRIL					MAY					JUNE				
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14 14 Professional Learning Day 17 Presidents' Day 18-21 February Vacation					21 13 Professional Learning Day					16 1 Early Release - Half Day 17 Professional Compensation Day 20 Patriots' Day 21-24 April Vacation					20 6 Early Release - Half Day 25 Memorial Day					11 14 Graduation 15 Last day - If No Snow Days Half Day Schedule Students * Storm Make up Days (16-22)				

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-  NO SCHOOL - Holiday/Vacation
-  PROFESSIONAL LEARNING DAY - No Students (5 1/2)
-  PROFESSIONAL COMPENSATION DAY - No Students (2)
-  EARLY RELEASE FOR STUDENTS - Half Day Schedule (2)
-  LAST DAY OF SCHOOL-(if no snow days)-PK-12 HALF DAY Storm Make-up days if needed: 6/16-6/22

Date Adopted by Board of Directors: 2/13/19

Baseball & Softball Practice Schedule

Monday 3/18

Baseball 4:30-6:00pm

Softball 6:00-7:15pm (pitchers & catchers)

Tuesday 3/19

Baseball 4:30-6:00pm

Softball 6:00-7:15pm (pitchers & catchers)

Thursday 3/21

Baseball 4:30-6:00pm

