

Hawk Watch

Hawthorne Elementary School Parent Newsletter September 2017

"Equity and Excellence; Every Student, Every day, Every Classroom"

Dear Families,

You are your children's first and most important teachers. You and Hawthorne school have a lot in common: we both want your children to do well and learn while at school. A great time to review your children's progress and find out about expectations and academic standards is at SEP conferences. It is our hope that these meetings are productive for you as you share information about your students and teachers provide feedback about your student's strengths and challenges.

It may be to your advantage to make a list of questions prior to the SEP and to think about how you would like to be involved in your child's learning. Our SEP conferences will be September 26th and 27th. During the week of SEP conference there will be a book fair in the library. Thank you to all our PTA volunteers who help at the book fair.

Sincerely,

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SCC

Our School Community Council met on September 5 and elected Anthony Moncur as the Chairman. Heather Reynolds representing ELP Steering Committee and Beth Soria representing the Hawthorne staff were elected to the committee, as well. SCC membership, meeting schedules, agendas and meeting minutes are posted on line and in the school foyer. SCC meets the first Monday of the month at 5:30. Visitors are welcome.

PTA

The Hawk Walk is on! We are walking at school this year to maintain safety and to add some fun with a DJ and great food. Thanks to the PTA for organizing this event. We look forward to a great evening. Pledge sheets will come home with your students. PTA meets the first Thursday of the month at 7:00PM in the faculty room.

Reflections Art Competition

The theme for this year's Reflections is "Within Reach" There are seven categories: 2D art, 3D Art, photography, literature, dance choreography, film production, and music composition. Students may enter one or more category with a limit of one piece per category. Entries are due October 17th. Kerry Carlson is the PTA contact. Flyers will come home with your students.

SEP Conferences: Sept 26 and 27. Half Days: Sept 26, 27 and 28. No school on Sept 29.