

ETNA ELEMENTARY

November 2022

Calendar

Oct 31 - Nov 3
Book Fair

Nov 1 -Nov 2
Parent/Teacher
Conferences (Please bring
your child)

Nov 4 - No School Friday School

Nov 8 - Voting Day School Board Elections

Nov 10 Veterans Assembly

> Nov 11 No School

Nov 17
Peter Pan Jr.
1 pm and 6 pm

Nov 18 - Mustang Spirit
Day

Nov 23 - Turkey Trot Early Release 10:54 - 11:04 am

Thanksgiving Holiday
Nov 24, 25

Nov 29, 30 After School Enrichment

Principal's Message

In October, we practiced fire and earthquake drills. We excelled at both of these. However, when we conduct drills there is always more structure and supervision than possible in an actual situation. For example, if a fire started during lunch, few of our children would be with their teacher. Because we never know when we might have a fire, earthquake, or unwelcome intruder; we teach our students the principles for action and decision making. I believe knowledge is power and a sense of control alleviates anxiety.

In school-wide discussions, we talk about three basic principles I believe they can remember: HIDE (securely), FLEE (until you are completely away from any chance of the threat), and FIGHT (when all else fails in the face of the threat). The idea of a threat is scary, but I believe we need to empower students for their emotional benefit and physical safety, so they can respond if such a tragic event ever came to our campus. We are also in the process of developing a reunification plan for students and parents if ever needed.

Pirates and Brave Girls and Lost Boys, OH MY!
Who will prevail - Captain Hook and his posse of villainous pirates? Peter Pan and his ragtag band of renegades? Or Tiger Lily and her valiant crew of Brave Girls? 51 students have been working hard to prepare a spectacular show come and see on November 17!

GET READY TO RUN YOUR TAIL FEATHERS OFF!

Turkey Trot - Nov 23rd - 8:30 am

Wear warm running gear

Parents are welcome

Check our website for more information about Etna Elementary, our newsletter, lunch menu, handbook, etc. etna.lcsd2.org

