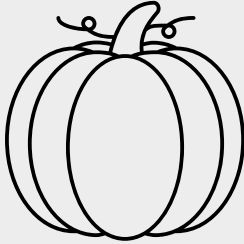


# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 24, 2023



# 1.



## HALLOWEEN

FORRESTDAL WILL PARTICIPATE IN HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2023! THANKS TO THE PTO PARENTS, WE WILL HAVE AMAZING CELEBRATIONS IN HOMEROOM, WHICH WILL INCLUDE FOOD (ALLERGY AWARE), FUN GAMES, AND A TAKE-HOME GOODY BAG! THE TIMELINE FOR THE DAY IS AS FOLLOWS:

1:50 pm - DP Parade (FD students to cheer them on, weather permitting)

2:30 pm - Class celebrations begin (Gr 6 - 8)

Grades K - 5 celebration times will be shared by Homeroom Teachers

STUDENTS MAY DRESS IN COSTUME, FOLLOWING THESE GUIDELINES, AS THEY WILL BE ATTENDING THEIR REGULAR CLASS SCHEDULE ON HALLOWEEN:

- \* no costumes that depict gangs and horror characters or are overly scary;

- \* no weapons of any kind;

- \* leave all props at home;

- \*no costumes that demean protected classes, such as race, religion, nationality, handicapped condition, or gender;

- \*no costumes with obstructive masks;

- \* no face paint & no masks;

- \* no blow-up costumes

ALL costumes must follow the dress code as denoted in the Student Handbook.

## CONFERENCES

# 2.

Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled for Nov. 6, 7 & 8th. Please note that these are also 1PM dismissal days, and snacks only will be sold in the Cafeteria,

Gr 4 & 5 conferences will open in the Genesis Parent Portal tomorrow at 4 PM. Once you login to Genesis, click on the "conference" tab and that will bring you to the sign-up for your child's teacher.

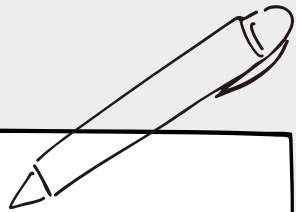
Please review the letter [here](#) to see the comprehensive schedule and protocols.





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## NOTEWORTHY



Progress reports go live today at 4 PM in the Genesis Parent Portal. For more information, click [here](#).

Safety Concern - No double parking on Narumson to pick up or drop off students. Vehicles must wait to park along the curb to pick up or drop off students or proceed to the rolling car line in the 4th grade loop for FD pickup of 4th and 5th graders. This is a severe safety hazard that the Rumson Police Department will be monitoring!

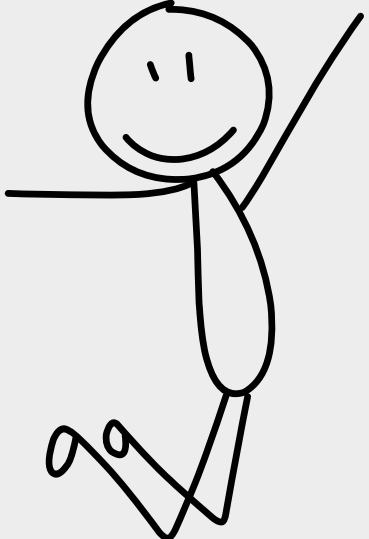
Support the Class of 2024 with the two upcoming fundraisers:  
11/1-11/13 [8th Grade Pie Sale](#)

10/24-11/13 [MEADOW FARMS](#) Holiday Shopping group id is 1701172

Yoyo's from the NED SHOW have been shipped! We will disseminate during PM Homeroom this week!

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## DAWG DATES TO SAVE



10/24 - Tri 1 Progress Reports posted in Genesis Parent portal (Gr 5 - 8 as needed) & Parent Academy (see above)

10/25 - SGA Food Drive Begins ([flier attached](#))

10/26 - NJHS Induction Ceremony

10/27 - Gr 8 Halloween Dance

10/31 - Halloween Parade & Celebrations

11/1 - Gr 8 RFH Visitation Day - Please send back permission slip by Nov. 1

11/7 - Election Day, Wear red, white & blue

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