PAS WEEKLY

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Upcoming Events:

Winter Coat Drive Begins Monday, October 1st

Interim Reports (Grades 4-8)
Monday, October 8th
(Date pushed back 1 week)

Vetri Mobile Teaching Kitchen Tuesday, October 2nd, 3-5PM

High School Info Night (8th Grade Families) Tuesday, October 2nd, 6-7PM

Noon Dismissal for Students Friday, October 5th

Pretzel Friday (\$1) & Dress Down Day (\$1)

Friday, October 5th

Fall Festival

Thursday, October 11th, 4-6PM

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PAS By the Numbers

17,000 A record \$17,000 dollars came in through our annual HSA Fall appeal, an increase of 50% from last year. Donations ranged from \$1-\$3,500. These donations will support the funding of our full-time Art teacher position and program, technology needs, extracurricular programming, and more! The goal is 100% family participation.

13,890 Our Library collections consists of 13,890 books and is growing. In order to increase student access to our robust library collection, we need volunteers to help support our Library. Can you commit to an hour a week after dropping off your child or before picking them up? Email Laura Parnum, Library volunteer coordinator, at lparnum@msn.com.

428 students' families have signed-up to access the MySchool Anywhere Application. MSA gives families access to an online family directory, opportunities to sign-up to volunteer, and our school calendar. Haven't signed-up yet, see the reverse side for instructions.

70% of PAS students have attended 95% of school so far this year. As a reminder, students missing 8 or more days throughout the year are considered to be chronically absent.

e-Pony & Paper Pony Opt-Out

All families who create a PAS MySchool Anywhere account will automatically receive an email the first day of the week with a link to access our weekly Pony materials.

Your family can choose **NOT** to receive our paper Pony materials each week, by **OPTING-OUT** using the the link below. PAS will continue to send home paper copies of forms/slips that need to be returned.



https://tinyurl.com/PonyOptOut



70% of Students Signed Up! Are you?

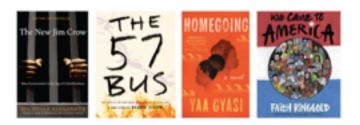
To date 70% of our families have created an account on the PAS MySchool Anywhere Application. Access our calendar, family online directory, and volunteer sign-ups.

Register: join.myschoolanywhere.com

Invitation Code: sadiesadie

PAS Equity Circle Potluck Dinner Book Discussions

Last June, the PAS Equity Circle invited the community to read one of the following books in preparation for our second year of hosting Potluck Dinner Book Discussions- Homegoing, The New Jim Crow, Bus 57, We Came to America. In addition to our book discussions, the Equity Circle is planning events, and initiatives for the upcoming year. If you are interested, please sign-up using the link below or return this form included in last week's pony.



https://tinyurl.com/EquityCircle1819

PAS Fall Festival Tickets

Don't Miss Out - Get Your Tickets Today!



Two Hours of Carnival Games, Arts & Crafts, Face-Painting, Balloon Animals, Obstacle Courses, Food, Baked Goods

October 11, 2018, 4:00-6:00pm @ PAS

Tickets are 25 cents apiece (a bundle of 40 tickets is \$10)**

**For each advance purchase of 40 tickets (\$10), you receive 10 free tickets!

You can order tickets or buy them at the festival – free tix if you prepay!!

----Please return this form with your payment by October 4----

(pay by cash, check or credit card)

Student's name		Student's teacher/room#	
at 25 cents per ticket/4 forbundles of tickets at \$10 fc			
Tota	al amount enclosed \$		
Name on credit card (Visa/Maste	ercard only)		
Card #	Sec. Code	Exp Date	
Address		Zip	
I give permission for the PAS HSA	to charge my credit car	d for the total amount listed above.	
Signature of card holder			

Tickets will be delivered to your child's classroom the day of the festival.

ALL K-4 STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT



PAS FALL FESTIVAL Thursday, October 11, 4:00 – 6:00

I can help by donating the following (check all that apply):

Caramel Apples	Baked goods – NO NUTS (please list ingredients)				
Case of Juice Boxe	es	Case of small waters			
can contribute to help pay for prizes, hot dogs and other goodies for the Fall Festival (please enclose cash or check payable to HSA).					
Please deliver your donation or contribution to the Main Office by October 8.					
Parent Name					
Student's Name and Te	acher/Room #				
Email		Phone			

(we'll email you a reminder!)

Thank You!

50 BOXTOPS PER FAMILY PER MONTH WILL HELP FUND AN AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB!



3 Ways to Help Meet This Goal:

1. DOWNLOAD the BOXTOPS APP for Bonus Tops and Coupons!!

https://www.boxtops4education.com/bonusapp Choose 19104 zipcode and select Sadie Alexander

2. REGISTER YOUR SHOPRITE and SAM'S CLUB CARDS ONLINE For Bonus Tops and Coupons

https://www.boxtops4education.com/earn/instore-offers

3. ASK FRIENDS AND FAMILY to do #1 & #2

