

October 2nd, 2016

Good Afternoon Powell Families, this is school Principal Curtis Brower with your weekly school message.

I'd like to give a shout out to our fabulous PTA. Thanks for another great lunch served to our staff on Early Release day on Friday. It is much easier to learn with a full belly.

Are you planning on going to the NC State Fair? Please purchase your tickets through the link on our school website. Our school will receive \$2 for every adult ticket and \$1 for every child ticket. That's some very easy cash for our school. You will be asked to enter a three digit membership code, which is 536. Please share this with your distant families, coworkers and neighbors. Anyone can purchase tickets through this link and support our school.

The first Monday of each October is Blue Shirt Day World Day of Bullying Prevention. Tomorrow, please wear a blue shirt to promote bully prevention day.

Attention 3rd grade parents, please check your child's Tuesday folder for a detailed report with Beginning of Grade test information. If you have questions about Read to Achieve, please contact our IRT Denise Harrington.

Hey families, this week is our annual Walk to School day. Join us this Wednesday October 5th for National Walk to school day. We will meet in the Little Caesars and Food Lion parking lot on Raleigh Blvd. beginning at 8:00 AM with the walk beginning at 8:20 AM. Parents, please join us on the walk with your child.

Any family who would like to apply for the free & reduced lunch program for the 2016-2017 year and hasn't done so yet, please stop by the Powell dining room for an application. Applications are due this week by Oct 7th. On October 10th any student without an approved application for 2016-2017 will be expected to pay full price for breakfast and lunch.

Have a great week!