

## Holly Springs Elementary School October 2, 2016

Good Morning Holly Springs Elementary Families and Happy Sunday,

This is Mrs. Clark, Principal of Holly Springs Elementary School with some important announcements.

Mark your calendar! Tomorrow, October 3rd is a Chick-fil-A Spirit Night from 5:00-7:00pm! Bring your family out for dinner and proceeds from the sales will benefit the school. Who doesn't love Chick-fil-A!

Students should wear **BLUE** to school on Monday for World Day of Bullying Prevention. WCPSS wants every school to participate this October 2016 in Bullying Prevention activities to help educate and protect all of our students from being harassed and/or bullied. Faculty and staff will promote key themes that bullying will not be tolerated and if it does occur, please speak out. The parent link to information can be found on our website as well as a brochure. The webiste is: <a href="http://www.wcpss.net/Domain/46">http://www.wcpss.net/Domain/46</a>.

Thank you to all of our families for all that you do to help carpool work so efficiently! As the year continues, we wanted to extend a few general reminders to help keep it running as smoothly and as safely as possible.

- As you're approaching the carpool awning please pull all the way forward to the front of the awning, or all the way up to the car in front of you.
- Please pay careful attention to Officer Tew's directions as you exit campus.
- Please refrain from cell phone use while you're moving through the carpool line. Texting, checking social media, etc. can cause distractions that could cause fender benders and we obviously want to keep all drivers and students as safe as possible.
- In the morning, students continue to do a great job of exiting vehicles independently. Please do not hesitate to roll down your window and communicate to a staff member if you have safety locks and need assistance with your student exiting your car.
- In the afternoon, our safety patrol students are doing an awesome job of assisting students as they enter your vehicle to head home. Please ensure the car door is closed and the safety patrol member has stepped back before pulling off.
- Please remember to have students exit and enter vehicles on the passenger side of your vehicle. We do
  not want adults or students to have to exit your car and/or move through traffic at any point during
  carpool.
- Finally, we ask that all cars remain in a single file line as you move through carpool. We need to keep one lane open in front of the school for cabs and vehicles that need to access the handicap parking spaces.
- Please remember to communicate transportation changes.
- Thanks again for all you do to keep our students safe!

HSES PTA would like to remind you that Pre-Order forms for our NEW Spirit Wear went home last week and are due back in two weeks, **Monday, October 17th**. Please be sure to write your child's name on the order form when returning with your payment to ensure your items are delivered correctly. If you would like your order held in the office to be picked up because it's a gift, please note that on the order form.

This message will be posted to the school website. Have a great weekend.