



# Aldert Root Elementary

## Root Word Newsletter

### Mark your Calendars!

September 13      K – 5 Open House, 5:30 – 7:30 pm

September 19 – September 28      Fall Book Fair

### Fall Book Fair



The Scholastic Book Fair will be at our school **September 19-28!**

Special Family Events include Dudes & Donuts on September 25 (Last names A-L) and 26 (Last names M-Z) before school from 7:45-9:15. Family night will be September 27 from 5:00-6:30.

Our Book Fair theme for Fall 2018 is Enchanted Forest, a whimsical place full of irresistible books kids can't wait to read so their imaginations can grow! We'd like your help to make this Book Fair that "once upon a time" experience for our students and inspire "happily ever after" results!

If you are interested in volunteering please go to Sign-Ups in Memberhub or contact Caroline Braswell at [carolinebraswell@gmail.com](mailto:carolinebraswell@gmail.com) with questions.

Thank you so much, we are so grateful for your support!

## TEK



### Root Fall Club Preview!

TEK is excited to return to Root this Fall with our After School Enrichment Clubs. Clubs will run on Wednesdays for 6 sessions, October 10th- November 28th, from 4:15-5:30. Club students will be supervised by TEK before clubs begin. Participation in clubs directly supports your Root staff. Registration forms will go home in Tuesday folders on September 18th. A full description of our club offerings will be included. Registration will be on Friday, September 21st from 8:45-9:30 outside the Root front office. Club cost is \$140 per student.

We hope you will join us this fall!

Please contact Julie Sullivan with any questions.  
[julie@teachingenrichmentkids.com](mailto:julie@teachingenrichmentkids.com)

## Coffee with Clark



Come have a cup of coffee on the PTA!

The PTA will host our first Coffee with Clark for the 2018-19 school year on Thursday, October 4 at 9:15 in the Media Center.

We will have a Q&A with Mr. Clark... He wants to know what is on your minds! Please take a moment to submit questions you have or topics you would like to discuss.

Email your questions to Kathleen Fisher at [kathleeneller@hotmail.com](mailto:kathleeneller@hotmail.com) or put them in the President's mailbox in the office.

## Get involved

Want to volunteer for a PTA committee? One of the special things about Root is our incredible parent involvement. Thank you! Click [HERE](#) if you would like to help on a committee!

## Rooty Retail

Purchase your official 2018/2019 Root t-shirt [HERE](#) as well as other cool Rooty Retail items.



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## Root Word Submissions

If you would like to submit information to the Root Word, please visit the Root Homepage or click here for an [online submission form](#). Submissions are due by **THURSDAY** of each week in order to be included in the following Monday's Root Word.

## Mr. Clark's Robo Call Process

If you have something you want Mr. Clark to add to his weekly Robo call, please email him at [bclark2@wcpss.net](mailto:bclark2@wcpss.net) by Sunday night. You need to email him EXACTLY what you want him to say. He will include it in his Monday robo call.



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