



November 05, 2010

PAW PRINTS

Important Dates

Nov. 11th & 12th	<i>No School</i>
Nov. 15th	Picture Orders DUE
Nov. 16th	Picture Retakes
Nov. 17th	Early Dismissal @ 2:00
Nov. 18th	Student of the Month @ 2:00
Nov. 24th - 26th	<i>No School</i>



Coach's Corner

Congratulations to Mr. Vasileff's 5th grade girls! They all passed their curl up test for abdominal strength. His class is leading the whole school for this area.



Book Fair Dates:

Mon. Nov. 8th - Wed. Nov. 10th
9:50-12:00 & 12:45-3:00

Mon. Nov. 15th - Thur. Nov. 18th
9:50-12:00 & 12:45-3:00

Family Night - Tues. Nov. 16th
4:00 - 6:00 pm



Please include 7% sales tax. Make checks payable to **Abess Park Elementary**. Be sure to include address & phone # on the check.

Volunteer help is appreciated! Please call the school at 220-1260 for more information.



Good Grades Rewards

Bring your report card into Krispy Kreme Doughnuts and for every "A" receive a free doughnut (up to 6 free doughnuts)!!

Student Council and PTA



Abess Park will be collecting non-perishable items for our Thanksgiving Basket for the Sandalwood Full-Service Center during the month of November.

The Abess Park Student Council and the Abess Park PTA will be partnering in an effort to raise awareness and donations for this worthy cause during the upcoming Thanksgiving season. All donated items will be delivered on November 23rd.

Picture ORDERS are DUE on Monday, 11/15/10.



Ms. Maxwell would like to congratulate 14 of her students who earned "Book It!" coupons for the Month of October! These students met their monthly reading goal & get to enjoy a FREE PIZZA from Pizza Hut! YUM! Keep reading!!!



Ms. Beaman's class would like to thank Ms. Adair for purchasing headphones for ALL the students in their class!



Veteran's Day



Our Veteran's Day Flag Raising is scheduled for Wednesday, November 10th at 9:30 a.m. Please plan on attending. Don't forget to wear red, white, and blue!

If you have a picture of a veteran that you would like to be included on our banner, please bring it to Ms. Solis in room 114. Please include the following information somewhere along with the picture or on the back of the photo: student name, student teacher, name of veteran, branch of military in which they serve(d), and relationship to student.

*Thank You,
Kimberly Solis*

PTA November Events

- 11/6 (9am - 2pm) Jax Kids Day at the Main Library and Hemming Place
- 11/8 - 11/19 Student Council & PTA Thanksgiving Basket Donations
- 11/8 - 11/30 Duval County Council PTA's - Mister Roger's Sweater Drive
- Needed are CLEAN gently used Jackets, Sweaters, Hats, Gloves, and Blankets.**
- The donation boxes are located in the school foyer.**
- 11/10 Signature Fundraising catalog sale items sent home with students
- 11/16 BINGO Night featuring "MC Castaneda"
- 11/20 PTA day at MOSH-show your PTA card and receive discounted admission
- 11/30 PTA will announce the NOVEMBER Membership Winner at Math Night



PTA is "Wild About Learning" !!! Join PTA...

~Abess Park Elementary PTA~
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<http://www.ClassConnection.org/AbessparkPTA>

How will you help the Abess Park PTA this year?

PTA - Signature Fundraiser UPDATE

**The catalog orders will be sent home on
Wednesday, 11/10.**

**LIMO RIDE WINNERS and field trip date will be
announced soon!**

**If you have any questions about the PTA fund
raiser, please contact me at
sondra70@bellsouth.net or 904-220-8335.**

PTA's Cash for Trash School-wide Fundraiser

Abess Park PTA is joining forces with Capri Sun and their *Be Green, Earn Green* mission. Abess Park PTA will begin collecting empty Capri Sun pouches in an effort to raise awareness about helping our planet thru recycling, as well as earning much needed funds for our school. Capri Sun will donate 2¢ for each pouch that we collect at Abess Park. So beginning immediately, please ask your child to place their empty Capri Sun pouch in the *TRASH FOR CASH* PTA CONTAINER located in the cafeteria. There is no need to wash the pouch – just remove the straw – and place it in the *TRASH FOR CASH* container.

Money raised from this fundraiser will be used to fund the school's End of the Year Awards, which currently costs \$500. If you'd like to begin recycling Capri Sun pouches at home, we'd be delighted to accept your donation in our *TRASH FOR CASH* container.

Thank you for your support and for being *Wild About PTA!*

*The PTA would like to thank everyone who participated
in the first Box Tops 4 Education contest of the
2010-2011 school year!*

*As of today, we have collected 11,649 box tops!
We are off to an awesome start!*

*Congratulations to the following classes who
celebrated their victories with a
CiCi's Pizza party last Friday:*



*Ms. Harris
Ms. Beckham
Ms. Roth
Ms. Roberts
Ms. Rossborough
Ms. Gentges
and
Ms. Werst*

*Please continue to clip your Box Tops.
The next contest will begin soon!*

AHOY MATES!!

“SHIVER ME TIMBERS”

**OUR ANNUAL MATH NIGHT will be
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th from 6:15 - 7:15
JOIN THE FUN OR WALK THE PLANK!!!**



Come enjoy Kilwin's ice cream
for only a few dollars!

ARRRRGH!!! Come earn some
TREASURE when you play **ADVENTUROUS**
and **EXCITING MATH GAMES.**



PRE-ORDER MATH NIGHT PIZZA PARTY- You MUST pre-order if you plan to eat pizza with us.

Pizza will be served from 5:30-6:15.

Place orders with money attached in the PTA Mailbox located in the front office by: Monday, November 28th.

First and Last Name: _____ Ph# _____

Drink: #Water _____ #Sprite _____ # Orange _____ #Root Beer _____ Total number of Drinks at \$0.50= \$ _____

Pepperoni Pizza # _____ Cheese Pizza# _____ Total number of pizzas at \$5 per Pizza=\$ _____

Received by PTA _____ Amount: _____ Check # _____ Verified _____