



City Neighbors Hamilton

WEEKLY SALMON PAGES

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The Week Ahead

OCTOBER 24, 2016

Monday 10/24	Tuesday 10/25	Wednesday 10/26	Thursday 10/27	Friday 10/28	Saturday 10/29
Picture Day			Tea With Obi	Halloween Creature Double Feature 6 PM	

Day of Learning at the 5th City Neighbors Symposium

Though our doors were closed to students on Friday, teachers from all three City Neighbors schools convened on our campus to learn best practices from one another. Over the course of the day, faculty and staff participated in workshops on topics ranging from screen printing to documentation to addressing race and racism in schools. Check out a glimpse of the day on the ground floor documentation board!

This Thursday, October 27: Tea with Obi Please join me from 8:15 - 9 AM for some casual conversation about school happenings. This meeting, I'll share more about the work of this year's symposium.

Mandatory New Orleans Meeting, Tuesday, November 1

We may be gearing up for our largest field work group to New Orleans yet! Parents, please make every effort to attend next week's meeting from 6- 7 PM to learn more about expectations around student behavior and fundraising efforts.

Dress Code Reminder It looks like fall had finally arrived! Please make sure that your child is wearing adequate layers to accommodate for falling temperatures. Examples include: thick sweatshirt or jacket as an outer layer; or long sweater or t-shirt to cover *the buttocks* on leggings. Don't forget to stop by the Lost and Found in the Café for wayward outer layers!

Drop Off/Pick Up Reminder Arrival and dismissal are two of the busiest times of our days at CNH. For the safety of all community members, please make sure that the crosswalk area at Sefton and Evergreen Avenues remains clear of cars so that folks can move from one side of the street to the other without having to worry about getting hit!

~Obi~

Picture Day Today!



Picture Day is in full swing here today! Because of the confusion re: the envelopes sent home with students, ALL students present today are having their photograph taken by school photographers. More information will be communicated soon about the ordering process and make-up day. Thank you to Parent & Family Relations Chair, Maryhelen Pflug for coordinating the day!

Looking Ahead

Monday, 11/7
NO SCHOOL
Staff Professional Development

Tuesday, 11/8
NO SCHOOL
Election Day

Wednesday, 11/9
Board Meeting
6:30 PM

Saturday, 11/12
Progressive Education Summit
8:30 AM - 4:30

Wednesday, 11/23
1 PM Dismissal
Thanksgiving Holiday

Thursday, 11/24
NO SCHOOL
Thanksgiving

Friday, 11/25
NO SCHOOL
Thanksgiving Holiday

Wednesday, 11/30
Kindergarten PJ Story Hour
7 - 8 PM

Friday, 12/9
Hearing & Vision Screening
Grades K, 1, & 8
9 AM

Tuesday, 12/13
Board Meeting
6:30 PM



Progressive Education Summit: Volunteers Needed



As you know by now, the 6th Annual Progressive Education Summit is fast approaching and will be held on **Saturday, November 12** from 8:15 AM to 4:30 PM. This annual education conference, sponsored by the City Neighbors Foundation, brings together hundreds of educators (throughout the region and now nationally) to examine best practices in progressive education.

This year, CEO of City Schools, Dr. Sonja Santelises will give our welcome address, and our Keynote Speaker is Susan Engel, author of *The Hungry Mind: The Origins of Curiosity in Childhood*. There are forty exciting workshops planned, three exceptional Master Classes and our wine and cheese event closing.

To make this event a success, we are seeking 16 volunteers. Most of the volunteers needs are for early Saturday morning, from 7:45 AM - 10:30 AM). We are in need of the following volunteers:

- Greeters (3)
- Check-In/Registration Participant Table (5)
- Check-In for Workshop Facilitators (2)
- Volunteers to direct guests from the High School entrance to auditorium (2)
- Volunteers to direct facilitators to workshop rooms (2)
- Volunteer floaters (2)

If you are willing and able to volunteer, please email me at gunoko@cityneighbors.org. And please don't forget to register for the Summit at www.eventbrite.com/e/the-6th-annual-progressive-education-summit-november-12-2016-registration-27389335239. Thank you so very much! We need & appreciate you!

~Gwendolyn Unoko, Summit Coordinator~

Scholastic Books

LIFE WITHOUT BOOKS
IS LIKE AN
UNSHARPENED PENCIL...
IT HAS NO
POINT.

The next Scholastic Book deadline is **Monday, November 7**. If you would like to order online at www.scholastic.com, use the CNH Class Code: MF62W. Thank you!

~Shannon Van Hook,
Scholastic Book Coordinator~

Halloween Creature Double Feature!

Don't forget! This **Friday, October 28** is our Halloween Creature Double Feature!

Join us for our first fundraiser of the school year for two spooooooky movies along with Pizza! Popcorn! Cupcakes! Soda! And more...

Doors open at 6 PM and the movies will be shown in the Café.

If you're interested in volunteering or for more information, contact Fundraising Chair, Liz Spann at spann@cityneighborshamilton.org or 410-591-5225 (text messages preferred).

Holidays

While CNH encourages discussion of cultural and family traditions, we do not celebrate or sanction any specific holidays. Some classes may create activities, but each teacher makes these decisions independently. Consult your child's teacher before making any plans or assumptions about celebrating holidays in the classroom.

Happenings Around Hamilton



Stay connected to happenings in northeast Baltimore through Hamilton Lauraville Main Street. For the latest news: <http://bmoremainstreet.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/05/Revised-The-Connector-Autumn-2016-1.pdf>

Race and Equity: A Community Conversation: **SOLD OUT**

Race and Equity: A Community Conversation, being held at The Strand Theatre on October 26, is sold out. This is the first in a speaker series for families of Northeast Baltimore brought to you by the Northeast Schools Alliance (NESAs) through a grant from the Goldseker Foundation. Please stay tuned for future talks!