

Tiger's Tale

Our mission is to develop students' love for learning while igniting creativity, compassion for self and others, and the courage needed to act on their beliefs.

- *A high achieving school constructs a collaborative culture which generates a positive climate.*
- *Each child deserves a safe and supportive environment in which to learn.*
- *Meaningful relationships are fundamental to student success*


November 01, 2019

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Upcoming Events

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| Sunday | November 03 | Daylight Saving Time Ends |  |
| Wednesday | November 06 | Butter Braid Pick-Up in Cafe | 3:30-5:00pm |
| Thursday | November 07 | Early Dismissal Parent / Teacher Conferences | 1:10pm 4:00-8:00pm |
| Friday | November 08 | No School for Students Parent / Teacher Conferences | 8:00am-1:00pm |



FUTURE PANTHER NIGHT FOR 8TH GRADERS AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Oswego High School

Thursday, November 14, 2019

6:00—8:00pm

This event will begin with an opening program in the Main Gym to introduce the administrative team and to highlight curricular, athletic and activity offerings available at OHS. Following this, future Panthers and their families will have the opportunity to visit various department booths and classrooms to explore all that is available at Oswego High School.



VETERANS DAY ASSEMBLY & BREAKFAST - NOVEMBER 11TH, RSVP DUE ON NOV 4TH



[CLICK HERE](#) for more information and RSVP form

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ITALY, GREECE AND COSTA RICA—SUMMER 2021

Learn more about this exciting tour at an information session where we'll discuss:

- What we'll see and do
- Travel Logistics
- How to earn high school/college credit
- Affordable Payment Options

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

5:00pm

Community Room A103@ Traugber (Enter thru Door 5)

RSVP to Mandatory Family Meeting by November 11th

RSVP at <https://rsvp.eftours.com/7y3c5pz>

NO SHAVE NOVEMBER

This November, we have several male staff members embracing their hair, which many cancer patients lose, to promote cancer awareness. Later this month, students will donate spare change to vote for the staff member with the best beard. The teacher who raises the most money wins!

We are inviting all of our dads to participate in No Shave November as a way to spread awareness and fight a disease that affects many of our Tiger families. Families are also welcome to donate the money usually dedicated to grooming this month to cancer research. Thompson will be hosting a **Donuts with Dads** event on the morning of November 29 to celebrate all those who participated. Stand by for details.

BUTTER BRAIDS PICK-UP

Thompson Home and School is proud to announce that the Butter Braids will be available for pick-up on **Wednesday, November 6th from 3:10pm until 5:00pm.** Please arrange to pick them up from the school. We will be in the cafeteria.

Thank you for making this a successful fundraiser! We appreciate you.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Gina Garza at 708.372.1949 or gina@dpcollaboration.com

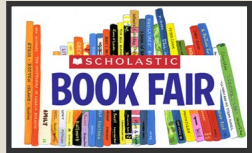


HOME AND SCHOOL BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION



Box Tops for Education has transitioned from "clipping" to "scanning"! This is an exciting renewed platform for TJHS to earn money that will fund exciting opportunities for our school: Special school events, teacher grants, 6th and 7th grade fun nights, pizza for the 8th grade graduating class, and so much more for our student body. By scanning your grocery receipt within 14 days, you will have a hand in giving back to our Thompson Tigers. The "old format" clipped Box Tops will still be accepted, and must be turned into the school no later than 10/22. Download the [app](#) today and start scanning to earn!

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Scholastic Book Fair is located in the LRC
November 5th & 6th 8:10am-3:00pm
November 7th 8:10am-1:00pm & 4:00-7:45pm

You can also purchase items here:

[Online Book Fair](#)

Check out eWallet feature from Scholastic

Set up an eWallet for your student!



No cash on hand the day of your Scholastic Book Fair? No worries – our school offers Book Fair eWallet as a digital payment option. Simply set up a free account and have funds immediately available for your student to shop the Book Fair. Safe and secure – it's easy shopping with Book Fair eWallet.

How it works:



To get started, visit our school's Book Fair homepage:
<http://www.scholastic.com/bf/thompsonjuniorhighschool2>



STUDENTS RIDING BUS WITH OTHER STUDENTS

Often times, students will want to go home with another student at the end of the school day. This is perfectly acceptable provided certain criteria are met. *The Transportation Department will not allow sharing of bus routes without these two documents:*

1. Written and signed parent note from one (or more) students riding the alternate bus stating it is ok for their child(ren) to ride home with the other student.
2. Written and signed parent note from the student who normally rides the route stating they are aware the other student(s) will be coming home with their child.

Safety precautions are in place, therefore, we cannot accept last minute parent phone calls or emails stating it is ok for their students to ride home on other routes. Any student who tries to ride an alternate bus and the two notes are not provided, will unfortunately be turned away and sent on their normal bus.

**Students should bring the notes to the front office to have approved and a copy made for them to present to their bus driver.

GOT CANDY??

Too much Halloween candy sitting around your house? PLEASE consider sending some of your extra candy to the main office to put in our Tiger Depot. Our Tigers love to earn candy and treats and we are so appreciative of all donations! Please mark all donations "Tiger Depot". Thank you for supporting our school!



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THOMPSON CARE CLOSET IS STOCKED AND OPEN FOR BUSINESS!!

If your family is experiencing any hardships, we would love to provide some relief with food, clothing, basic hygiene supplies, school supplies, etc. This is a FREE and confidential resource. Scan the QRC code to the left and you will fill out the google doc. Items will be available for pickup in the office the next day. Last name A-L, contact Amy Shaw, (636-2614) or last name M-Z, Ashley Gilbert, (636-2615) if you have any questions or to set up an appointment to come visit the Care Closet.

The Tiger Clause

I...

Am **R**espectful

Offer to help

Actively participate

Am **R**esponsible

And **S**trive for excellence in all settings.

I am a Tiger that **ROARS!**



USEFUL LINKS

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| SD308 Website: | https://www.sd308.org/ |
| Thompson Website: | https://www.sd308.org/thompson |
| Tyler Portal: | https://www.sd308.org/Page/7868 |
| Peachjar Flyers: | https://app.peachjar.com/flyers/all/schools/74472 |
| Athletics Website: | https://il.8to18.com/thompson |
| Daily Announcements: | https://www.sd308.org/Page/15615 |

