

The Husky Herald

Friday, May 6, 2022

NEWS FROM MR. O'CONNELL

Good afternoon Homestead families! On behalf of our staff, I want to thank you all for making our staff feel special this last week during Staff Appreciation Week. From the PTA lunches/breakfast, gift cards, to the nicely written letters of thanks-we all appreciate the thoughtfulness!

Starting on Monday, May 16, our whole school will start celebrating the last 10 days with the [10 Day Countdown](#). In alignment with our theme this year, we celebrate how we are Better Together!

Classroom Placement Form for 2022-2023 school year is available now! Use this [optional form](#) for telling us what type of teacher and/or classroom environment would best fit your child for the next school year. You can email this form back to Mr. O'Connell or send it to school in a sealed envelope addressed to Mr. O'Connell. **Forms are due by Friday, May 13.**

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please reach out to me or your child's teacher if you have any questions!
Casey O'Connell-Principal
coconnell@sd308.org 630-636-3110

NEWS FROM MRS. BOBOSKY

Assistant Principal

Happy Friday Homestead Families! We conducted a lock down drill with the Aurora Police in attendance on Wednesday. Our final safety drill will be on Monday, May 9th and we will be practicing a severe weather shelter-in-place drill. Please talk to your children about the importance of practicing these drills at school. Keeping our students safe while at school is very important to us! Have a wonderful weekend!

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The City of Aurora Cities in Schools Summer Camp is Coming to Homestead this Summer!-Homestead will be hosting the City of Aurora Summer Camp this summer from June 6-June 30. This is a FREE camp for students living in Aurora. Please see [the brochure](#) with further information. Here is also the link to register in [English](#) and [Spanish](#). You can scan the completed application to Mr. O'Connell at coconnell@sd308.org or send it into school in a sealed envelope addressed to Mr. O'Connell. **The deadline is May 13.**

YEARBOOK-With the school year coming to a close, yearbooks are one of the best ways to memorialize your child's year at school. To purchase, visit www.Treering.com, click on *Buy Yearbook* and use the school code: **1015985491643118** for Homestead.
*** Yearbooks cost \$16.02 (incl. Tax & Shipping)***

STEP UP NIGHT-MURPHY JR. HIGH

May 11th, 2022 6-7:15 pm.

See the attached flyer for more information!!

[Step Up Night Flyer](#)

ECO CLUB-Please see [this form](#) about Eco Club's plastic cap lid project.

COVID VACCINATION-Just a reminder-If your child is fully vaccinated, please send a picture or their vaccine card, via email, to Nurse Susan Becker (sbecker@sd308.org). This information will be helpful if your child is a close contact to a positive case.

Upcoming Events:

Monday, May 16-10 Day "Better Together" Countdown begins

MAY STAFF BIRTHDAYS

Jennifer Paras (May 7)

Andrea Bobosky (May 11)

Amy Manuel (May 11)

Brian Mil (May 13)

Jackie Leeseberg (May 26)

Donna Puntney (May 27)

Karrighan Quick (May 29)

Dana Moore (May 30)

Shannon Thomas (May 30)