



The Mane Tail



June 2, 2015



Dates to Remember

June	02	No Lunch Visitors Last Week of School
	04	8:30 5 th Grade Walk
		10 – 10:30 Parties for all grades
		Last Day of School

Looking Ahead

Aug	20	5:00 and 6:30 Meet the Teacher
	24	8:10 First Day of School

No lunch visitors are allowed the last week of school and as always, students from other CFISD campuses are not allowed to visit during school hours.



Are You Moving?

Are you moving over the summer? If so, please let the registrar know where you are going so that your school records will follow. If you are going to another Cy-Fair school you will need to register at the new school during open registration which will take place on August 12th – 15th. Please check on the district website, cfisd.net, for official dates and times of registration. If you have any questions please call the registrar at 281.213.1607.



Library News

NEED A LIST OF BOOKS APPROPRIATE FOR YOUR CHILD'S READING LEVEL?

Be sure to check out the summer reading lists attached to this week's Mane Tail. These lists were compiled by Cy Fair Elementary Librarians. Look for the list that is for your child's grade level for next year. (Ex. In Kindergarten this year? Look for the 1st grade reading list.)

SUMMER READING IDEAS

Keep your child reading! Don't let their reading level slip. READO (a superhero-in-training reading incentive) is attached. Follow the guidelines and return it to the Sampson Library by Aug. 28 and get a prize for your summer reading! Another attachment has links to the summer reading programs offered by the Harris County Library, Half Price Books, HEB, and Barnes and Noble.

Don't forget the free e- books on the Sampson Library Page! Info to access those books are included on the

attachment. A paper with all username/password info for our online library resources will be sent home the last week of school. Gigi's cupcakes, right here in the Sampson neighborhood, is offering a FREE CUPCAKE if students read 10 books this summer! Watch for the Gigi's cupcake bookmark to come home with the username/password info! Have a wonderful summer- full of relaxing reading and spectacular stories!



Nurse's Note

Just a friendly reminder that if your child has medication(s) in the clinic please come to the school to pick it up. Medications cannot be sent home with your child due to Cy-Fair ISD policy. Feel free to come to the clinic at anytime between the hours of 7:30 am and 3:30 pm. **Any unclaimed medication(s) left in the clinic after 2:00 pm on the last day of school, Thursday, June 4th will be discarded.**



CY-HOPE SUPPLY DRIVE

Thank you students, parents and staff for making our supply drive successful.



Did You Know? *The first day of 2015/16 school year is August 24th. Doors open at 7:55 AM, school starts at 8:10 AM.*

5th Grade Parents

The Texas Legislature has adopted amendments concerning immunization requirements for all **incoming 7th grade students**. Two (2) shots are required: Tetanus (Tdap) and Meningococcal (Menactra). If your child has already received these shots, please forward a shot record to the clinic as soon as possible. Your child's records can be updated now and will alleviate any future problems in middle school. If you have any questions please call the Sampson Clinic at 281-213-1609.



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Sampson PTO News and Information



ORDER YOUR 2015 SCHOOL SUPPLIES!!!

This is your chance to purchase pre-packaged school supplies from the PTO. Each pack is teacher approved and custom made with quality products for each grade level. By ordering online, your child's supplies will be waiting in his or her classroom on the first day of school. Sampson Elementary PTO has negotiated with EPI to provide you with the lowest cost possible. This is not a fundraiser and

the PTO does not receive any funds from the sale of the school supplies. It is arranged as a convenience for the families of Sampson Elementary and endorsed by Sampson teachers and staff. Sales start March 18th and orders will be online only through the Sampson PTO Website (www.sampsonpto.com) using PayPal and sales will end June 4th. We do not order extra packs so please be sure to order by June 4th. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Neelee Tschetter at neeleet@gmail.com.



Thank you 3rd Grade Parents and Garden Volunteers!

We had a beautiful day for the 3rd Grade Garden Party, it didn't rain!!! And it was a huge success! The students had a great time showing their guests all they have done in the garden this year.

After such a successful party, we have a lot of people to thank... First of all, thank you to the volunteers who worked during the month of May to get the garden ready for the party: Anne Jaeng-Aroon, Lora Lyons, Tanya Goytia, Wendy Capasso, Jerod Hammerstein, Kristi Pace, and Girl Scout Troop #14402 with Liz Peck and Heather Arnold - not only did they help with weeding, but they also raised \$450 with their dollar day and will be working hard to renovate the garden this summer! The garden looks wonderful because of all of you!

This year's Garden Party was full of fun, sun, and smiles for all! We would like to thank all of the parents and grandparents who showed their support by attending the party, it was great to see so many of you there! Next, we would like to thank all of our awesome volunteers who helped make the day run so smoothly: Jackie Villalobos, Anne Jaeng-Aroon, Jamie McLain, Pricila Reid, Jerod Hammerstein, Allison Nowak, Kit Keller, Debbie Kendall, Bridget Kaminski-Tabourne, Lora Lyons, Sarah Berry, Melanie Delph, Kristi Pace, Jessica Mynes, and Jennifer Kebler. We couldn't have done it without you!

And last, but definitely not least, a big "Thank You!" to our amazing and talented garden teacher, Stephanie Baker. Not only did she teach our 3rd Graders so much about the garden, she also captured the year with the most inspiring slideshow! **WE <3 GARDEN!**



Thank you! BOX TOPS supporters, we were able to raise \$5,195.00 this year. Can you believe it? All from little 10 cent squares!

Don't let your Box Tops EXPIRE this SUMMER, please check them & turn any in that will! We will do one last mail in at the end of the school year. If you have some that don't expire - JUST KEEP THEM till next year. We will start off the year with a contest the 1st week, so SAVE UP!

SPEAKING OF SAVING UP, Just in time for HUNGRY kids running around all summer long; HEB will be running their BONUS BOX TOPS, 6/17/15-6/30/15. So stock up for Summer Camps, Road Trips, Camping & BORED SNACKING come

the second week of summer! *Make sure you save your Bonus Box Tops and get them in the 1st week of school! **For more info see attachment in Mane Tail.