

Rider Review

PTA Wednesday Newsletter

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21 Day Challenge has Underway!

October 9-29, help your kids eat a healthy snack each day. Nurse Tiffany will be giving them an example each Wednesday on announcements to encourage kids to try new foods! Don't forget to complete the survey at the end of the challenge.

Some restaurants are joining the cause to support kids and their families on the healthy eating challenge by offering **free or discount kid's meal** now through December 31st. A list of participating restaurants can be found at <http://kids-teaching-kids.com/kids-fit-menu/>. You can either print or show the coupon on your smart phone to the wait-staff.

Upcoming Events

October 9-29
21 Day Challenge

October 16-27
E4E Pledging Period

October 23
Parent/Teacher Conf. – No School

October 24-27
Red Ribbon/Spreading Kindness Week

October 25
Health Hustle

It's SHOWTIME!



The PTA is raising money to help Evans students, teachers and families! We need your help to reach our goal!

2017 School Goal: \$20,000
Individual Classroom Goal: \$400

We are excited to announce the 2017 Everyone for Evans (E4E) **Reach for the Stars** Fundraising Campaign. This year, we are geared up to celebrate the **school's 10 year anniversary** and our fundraising efforts with lots of fun rewards for our students and teachers, plus a **VIP red carpet Family Movie Night** under the stars!

Pledge Period: 10/16-10/27
School Rewards: 10/31-11/3
Movie Night: 11/9

The pledge packet with all the details of our event, how you can help, and why we are raising funds can be found at https://evans.ch2v.com/Content/289_1/DocumentStore/8/e4e_pledge_packet.pdf

Any questions, please contact Laura Hutto at fundraising@maryevanspta.org.

Spreading Kindness Week – October 24-27



Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: Hurricane Harvey Relief.

We are collecting the following items by the purple and silver side entrances of our school: Composition Notebooks, Wide-Rule Loose Leaf Paper, Kleenex, and Paper Pocket Folders of any color, Pencils, and Crayons.



Friday: Hat Day!

For the 3rd year in a row, Evans students may wear a hat to school to support **Caps for Kids**, an organization which helps kids fighting childhood cancer.

Earn For Evans



Evans participates in the Box Tops for Education program. Send your Box Tops in to your child's class in a plastic bag. Go to www.btf.com for more information on this program.



Please take the time to register your Kroger Plus card to Mary Evans Elementary.

krogercommunityrewards.com
school ID # 83338



To shop at AmazonSmile go to smile.amazon.com and on the first visit select Mary Evans Elementary.



Health Hustle

Mark your calendars for the largest Health and Wellness event in the City of Allen!

Oct 25th, 4:30 -8:30pm at the Allen Event Center!

In order to make the Health Hustle successful, we need volunteers to stuff swag bags for the event. Bag stuffing will take place at the **AISD Service Center** located at 1451 North Watters Road on today and tomorrow.

SIGN UP LINK: <http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/4090945AAA2DA2FA7-health1>

If you have any questions please contact Laura Underwood at laurayobp@yahoo.com or Christina List at listchristina@yahoo.com

Reflections Art Contest

Create an original artistic piece that reflects on this year's theme: **"Within Reach"**! Entry forms will be included in Wednesday folders and available in the Art room. **Entries are due Friday, October 27th** and all submissions should be taken to the Art room and given to Ms. Lindsey.

Judging will occur during the following week, and the winners will be sent to a district event for judging Nov 3rd. There will be a ceremony and exhibition for the winners. More details for the time and date will follow.



The Book Fair is coming to Evans Elementary

Nov 6-10



- November 6:** 7:30am – 3:30pm
- November 7:** 7am – 3:30pm (Open during donuts with the WatchDOGS)
- November 8:** 7:30am – 3:30pm
- November 9:** 7:30am – 3:30pm
6:30pm – 7:30pm (Open during Outdoor Movie)
- November 10:** 10:30am – 1:30pm



Rudolph Run Registration Now Open!

Registration is now open for the annual Rudolph Run 1-Mile Fun Run and 5K, one of Allen's most exciting holiday events, which takes place on Main Street in Downtown Allen. The 2017 Rudolph Run will occur on **Saturday, December 2.**

Submit your registration form to the school by Wednesday, Nov. 1, or register online at AllenParks.org/RudolphRun by Sunday, Nov. 19 to earn \$5 per registration for Mary Evans!

Don't miss your chance to participate in this fun, family-friendly event that's open to all ages and skill levels.



- November 3rd: Dave & Buster's Spirit Night 6-9 pm
- November 6th: Fall Book Fair
- November 7th: Donuts with WatchDogs
- November 16th: Palio's Spirit Night (Custer Rd) 4-9pm