

Hosack happenings

Thursday, November 15, 2018

CHEESE!



Picture Retake Make-Up Day

Picture Retake/Make-up Day is this Friday, November 16th.



Diversity Expression Contest

The Diversity Expression Contest, which is sponsored by the NA Marcia Unity/Diversity Committee, is a Fine Arts Competition for grades K through 12 running from November 12th – December 7th. Please click [here](#) for contest rules and additional information.



Diversity Awareness Month

November is Diversity Awareness Month! Hosack will be dedicating a bulletin board in the front lobby to diversity awareness for the month of November and every month for the rest of the school year. Each grade level will participate by designing a bulletin board with their own message of what diversity means to them. Be sure to check it out when you are visiting Hosack!

Holiday Decorations Request

Help decorate the library with decorations from the many diverse cultures. Mrs. Hoel is asking families to consider providing some non-religious, reusable representative holiday decorations. For more information please click [here](#).



Halloween Parade/Party Pictures Needed

Please send your photos for consideration for use in the yearbook to hosackyb@gmail.com. Use the highest resolution possible for the best printing and indicate from which homerooms the pictures came. Thanks!

Digital Citizenship Resources

Have you ever felt overwhelmed in trying to keep up with all of the new apps and video resources that your children interact with daily? Common Sense Media is here to help sift through what is appropriate and show you ways to foster a good digital life at home! For more information, please see the YouTube Channel: https://www.youtube.com/user/CommonSenseMedia?disable_polymer=true and the Website: <https://www.commonsensemedia.org/#>



****We have so much to share about what's happening at Hosack! Please read the next page****



Volunteer for the Yearbook Committee

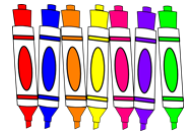
The yearbook committee needs your help to capture and preserve Hosack's best memories throughout the school year! Volunteers are needed to take pictures of parties/events and layout/design the yearbook. Interested volunteers should contact Kim Aggazio at hosackyb@gmail.com for more information.

The PFA has a New Website

If you are a paid member of the PFA you will receive an email to join. Please create a membership - you will have access to EBlast, directory, after school programs, PFA news and more! Because *membershiptoolkit* has a member driven data base you are able to customize your preferences on how you want to share and receive information! Our new website is www.hosackpfa.membershiptoolkit.com. Any comments and concerns please email HosackPFA4kids@gmail.com.

Recycle Your Markers

Turn markers into energy! Please help support our efforts by sending in any used markers with your children. Learn more about this exciting program [here](#).



Birthday Book Club

Do you have a November birthday? Sign up for our Birthday Book Club. Click [here](#) to purchase a book in honor of your child's birthday! Please make sure you contact Cathy Scalamogna in the library at cscalamogna@northallegheny.org to let her know which book you purchased.

Remember to check the HES website frequently for school activities and general information.

[Click here to visit the Hosack Elementary School website.](#)

[Click here to access the Hosack Elementary School Parent Faculty Association \(PFA\) website.](#)