

# *Tuscany Heights Elementary*

*Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> - Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>*

*Parents,*

*We hope to see all dads and/or grandfathers come out tomorrow night for the Watch D.O.G.S. Pizza Night. We are anxious to get this program started here at Tuscany Heights. Our staff welcomes the opportunity to have you walk the halls with us to provide a safe and secure learning environment for all students. We hope that you will pick a day (or two) out of this school year that you can be here. Thank you in advance for making our students smile!*

*Thank you,  
Tara Bailey*

## *Upcoming Events*

- Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> Watch D.O.G.S. Pizza Night 5pm*
- Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> Volunteer Coffee Orientation 9:30am*
- Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> PTA Presents Dinosaur George*
- Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> Clubs START*
- Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> Picture Day- Fall Individual  
Book Fair- Soft Opening 8am-5pm*
- Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> Bike Rodeo Safety Assembly*
- Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> Bike Rodeo Drop-Off 4pm*
- Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> Bike Rodeo*
- Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> Student Holiday/Staff Professional  
Development*
- Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> Apex TECH TREK Fundraiser Starts*

# Helpful Information

## Leader in Me Job Applications

K-5 Students will all receive applications soon for various leadership jobs they can apply for, for this school year. We are excited to continue building leaders amongst our students. Please be on the lookout for these forms and talk with your children about the potential leadership roles.

## Car Rider Drop Off in the Morning

Parents, please use the front drive thru lane so that all students can walk safely through the front doors. We have some being dropped off out back. We do not have staff stationed out back to open car doors. Thank you for allowing us to greet your child(ren) each morning.

## T.H.E. Clubs- Club Applications

School is back in full swing and that means one thing...clubs will be starting soon! Students received their club forms this past week. On this form, your child will put down their 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> choice. Students will be placed into a club on a first come, first serve basis. To ensure every student at T.H.E. has the same chance of getting into their 1<sup>st</sup> choice; students will NOT turn in their form to their teacher. There will be a teacher stationed at a table in the main rotunda (located outside of the office) before school between 7:15 and 7:30. When the form is turned in, the date and time of the turn in will be written at the top by the teacher who receives it. Once the deadline has passed, club sponsors will contact the students regarding the club they were placed in and a club specific form will be sent home. This club specific form will contain information such as dates and times the club will meet and club requirements. We look forward to seeing our Tigers lead in T.H.E. clubs! **Get Your FORM in!**

# PTA News to Remember

**Wear a Tuscany Heights Spirit Shirt every Friday!** We will be selling a limited number of our new, navy spirit shirts this Friday. We are out of most youth sizes, but we will have youth medium green spirit shirts from last year available for \$6 (including tax)! Stop by the rotunda to purchase a spirit shirt and show your support for Tuscany Tigers every Friday!

**It's HEB BONUS BOX TOPS PROMOTION 9/12-9/25:** Earn 100 Bonus Box Tops (That's \$10!) for every 15 Box Tops purchased and 60 Bonus Box Tops (That's \$6!) for every 10 Box Tops purchased at HEB. Get your Bonus Box Tops printed right at your checkout register. The class with the most Box Tops wins a Dance Off with Mr. Rafajko! Turn in your completed form to your teacher by Sept. 28. Additional forms may be found on [www.tuscanyheightspta.org](http://www.tuscanyheightspta.org).

**Don't forget WatchD.O.G.S. Pizza Night is Monday, September 17!** Get ready to be a hero of the hallway! Bring cash or check payable to T.H.E. for your official WatchD.O.G.S. t-shirt.

**You're invited to a Volunteer Coffee Orientation, Tuesday, 9/18 @9:30 AM, in the cafeteria:** Come find out how to get more involved in PTA and volunteer at Tuscany. Learn how to use PTO Manager and about all the great opportunities to make a difference at school. For more information, please contact Donna Oyler, 4th-VP Volunteers, [volunteers@tuscanyheightspta.org](mailto:volunteers@tuscanyheightspta.org).

**Calling all artists-enter the Directory Art Contest! All entries are due by Friday, 9/21:** Your student's artwork may be featured on the cover or throughout the directory. All students who enter receive a "Great Happens Here" spirit stick.

**Pre-order your directory and purchase business ads and tributes by Friday, 9/21:** Your student directory is only \$5 and helps you stay connected with your child's classmates. Support the directory by purchasing an ad for your family oriented business. Also, tributes are open to all Tuscany students. For more information, please contact Caroline Cain, [directorytributes@tuscanyheightspta.org](mailto:directorytributes@tuscanyheightspta.org).

**T.H.E. PTA Presents...Dinosaur George, Monday, 9/24:** "Dinosaur George" Blasing will be here to share a highly entertaining and educational show with all of our students. Don't miss out on some prehistoric action!

**Eat for a Cause @ Mooyah's Wednesday, 9/26, and Thursday, 9/27:** Join Tuscany families for dinner at Mooyah's on either night and a portion of your payment will be donated to our school. Don't forget to tell them you are a Tuscany Tiger!