

Altamont Eagle News

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October 2017 :



Important Dates

Oct. 2 - Staff Development/No School for students.
Oct. 4 Group Pictures/Picture Retakes
Oct. 6 Red Wheel Fundraiser Ends
Oct. 13 Grandparents Day
Oct. 24 & 26 Parent/Teacher Conferences
Oct. 31 Halloween Parties (see back for details)

LEAKE WINS Pittsburg University "Educator of the Game" Award **LEAKE HONORED** as "Educator of the Game" at PSU

Teresa Leake was notified through an all school assembly that she had been awarded The "PITSCO Educator of the Game" from Pittsburg University. Leake's kindergarten students paraded through the gym to present Mrs. Leake with a carnation from each student to help celebrate this honor. Mrs. Leake and her family attended a PSU home football game and they presented Mrs. Leake with a \$500 check. Her family was with her to celebrate this award. We are so proud of Mrs. Leake and this wonderful award she has been selected for.

Students at AGS reach out to help the hurricane victims.

September was a busy month at AGS. Our students spent one week bringing in their loose change to help others. Each class had a 'piggy bank' that was used to collect coins. At the end of the week the student ambassadors took the money to the Labette Bank to be counted. AGS students raised over \$600.00 to send to the American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund. Mrs. Trower's 2nd graders brought the most money in with over \$160.00 raised! The students did an outstanding job thinking and supporting others in a time of tragedy. It is a great day to be an Eagle!

Let's talk Attendance:

Regular attendance is extremely important to the educational development of our students. We believe that the major responsibility for regular attendance lies with the parents and the student.

If your child is ill please note the following guidelines before sending them back to school:

----- A student who has had a fever, must be fever free without the use of fever reducing medication for 24 hours before returning to school.

----- A student who has been vomiting or has diarrhea must be symptom free for 24 hours before returning to school.

----- If the child has been a prescribed an antibiotic, please follow doctors orders before sending them back to school.

Please keep in mind that when children are sick, it is easily spread to other students and staff. Please be considerate of others and keep your children home if they are ill.

PTO Fundraiser

We kicked off our Red Wheel Fundraiser, students took home order packets on Monday, September 25th. Orders and the money are to be turned in to the school on Friday, October 6th.



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