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The Bulldog News

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Notes from the Elementary Office

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IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

- ✓ Penny War – Week of Oct 4
- ✓ Fire Prevention Day Wed, Oct 6
- ✓ No School Thursday, October 14
- ✓ No School Friday, October 15
- ✓ Picture Retakes Wed., Oct 20
- ✓ P/T Conf. Thursday, Oct 21
- ✓ Halloween Parade & Parties Friday, Oct 29 2:30/2:45

McLouth Elementary Expectations

- ✓ Respect yourself
- ✓ Respect others
- ✓ Respect your school

McLouth Elementary Mission Statement

“Together, we live in a community that promotes academic excellence, respect, lifelong learning, and responsible citizenship.”



Homecoming: Elementary students attended the annual parade. Thanks for the candy!

Music: Students use hand instruments to learn rhythm.



Sponsored by: McLouth PTO



McLouth Elementary Penny War! October 4 – 8, 2021

Put your spare change toward a great cause. All proceeds from our penny war fundraiser will go to support our students and staff at McLouth Elementary!

Pennies are "positive." Here's how it works:
Kindergarten – 2: Containers are located in the circle
Grades 3 – 5: Containers are located in the entry of the school

- Each penny counts as one positive point for YOUR classroom
- Each silver coin counts as negative points for OTHER classrooms. In other words, dropping a quarter in another classroom's bucket takes 25 points from their total
- The competition will end of the day on October 8th, all change/points will be tallied and the classroom with the most points will win a **pizza party!**
- **The winner will be announced Monday, October 11th!**

Start saving your change—it can make a big difference!

Penny War Rules

Points:

Adding (+)

1 penny = 1 point

Subtracting (-)

1 nickel = 5 points
1 dime = 10 points
1 quarter = 25 points

HALLOWEEN

Greeting Parents:

Halloween is quickly approaching and the costume guidelines below will help us have a fun school day and still allow for student learning.

- The costume must be school appropriate
- Costume weapons should be left at home
- Avoid gory costumes (promotes bloodshed or violence)
- The costume needs to be made so our little ones can still use the restroom
- The costume may be worn all day, so please be sure it will not be uncomfortable or distracting

When: Friday, Oct. 29

What:

- Parade at 2:30 downtown, weather permitting
 - Union street, Starting at Agnes, ending at Cynthia Street
 - Led by local law enforcement
- Class parties at 2:45





District Communication Guide

USD #342 uses several tools to proactively communicate with our patrons. The district has developed the communication guide below to assist in the delivery of information. For the latest and most accurate information about USD #342, visit the website at www.mclouth.org or download the district app for a mobile friendly version and notifications. The USD #342 homepage features current news, lunch menus, and the most accurate district calendar. The website also features a "Parent & Student" section with helpful information such as student forms, handbooks and PowerSchool information.

	DISTRICT WEBSITE www.mclouth.org	DISTRICT APP NOTIFICATIONS	SCHOOL MESSENGER	SOCIAL MEDIA Facebook, Twitter	POWERSCHOOL powerschool.mclouth.org	EMAIL UPDATES
School Emergencies	+	+	P			
School Closings	+	+	P			
Lunch Menu	P					
Lunch Balances			P		+	
School Calendar (Calendars are subject to change, please check district website for most up to date information)	P					
Event Cancellation/Reschedule	P	+		+		
Secondary Announcements	P			+		
Elementary Newsletter	P			+		+
Forms	P					
Student Handbooks	P					
Student Grades						P
Student Attendance						P

P = Primary method
+ = Additional methods, as applicable