

Porter Academy Weekly Newsletter

Wednesday September 28, 2016

Quick Reminders:

- Spirit Day—Wear an outfit to support your favorite football team—Friday September 30th
- Safari Minutes due Monday, October 3rd
- PPA meeting regarding Fall Festival is Monday, October 3rd at 8:30am
- October tuition due

Message from Ms. Lynn

I really enjoyed getting to better know our new parents during conferences and having an opportunity to check in with our veteran parents. As always, conferences led to a better understanding for both parents and teachers of how to best help our students be successful. Thank you to all of you for making the time to come in to talk with us.

Porter Academy Parent Association (PPA)

The Fall Festival will be the first PPA event, and it is scheduled for November 11th. Please attend the **meeting October 3rd at 8:30am** if you are interested in helping (either in the brainstorming process, pre-event preparations, or at the event itself). We need all of your creative ideas to make it a fun day for all of us!

Parent Pipeline—Clay White Weeknight Warriors

Clay White is offering a Weeknight Warriors adventure specifically for Porter Academy students. STUDENTS MUST BE AT LEAST 9 YEARS OLD TO PARTICIPATE, there are 10 slots available, and the cost is \$200 (made payable to Clay White, LLC). Students will leave from the school **Thursday, October 13th** and return before carpool on Friday, October 14th. Two of our teachers, Ms. Ashley and Ms. Hagberg, will be joining the students on this adventure. Everyone who has gone in the past has absolutely loved it! It is a wonderful experience that fosters a love of the outdoors, socialization, and independence. I have known Clay White since I was a child, and he has always done amazing work with children. A sign-up form went home yesterday. If you need another form, email Ms. Lynn at Ischoeneck@porteracademy.org



Important Dates

Sep 30: Spirit Day

Oct 7: End of first nine-week period

Oct 10: No School—Columbus Day

Oct 28: Fun Run

Nov 11: Fall Festival (1:30)

Nov 18: Grandparent/Special Friend Celebration; 1:00 Dismissal

Nov 21-25: No School—Thanksgiving Holiday

Dec 15: 1:00 Dismissal

Dec 16-Jan 3: No School—Winter Break

Jan 3: Teacher Work Day

Jan 4: 1st day of second semester

Jan 16: No School—MLK Jr. Holiday

The Character Education trait for September is Respect — “I am important and so are you!”

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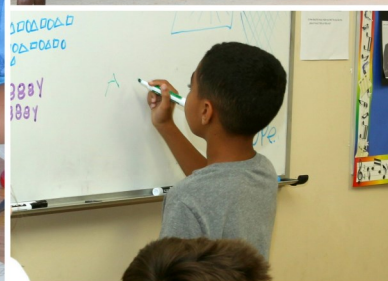


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Porter Academy is dedicated to educating children by utilizing individualized programs that are appropriate to each student's development level and learning style. Your child can succeed in the right environment.