

# <u>Halloween - Parade, Root Beer Floats, and Parties - Oh My!</u>



We are excited for the 2022 Halloween festivities at Coal Creek on Monday, October 31st! Parents are invited to attend the parade outside on our campus starting at 8:15am. Please see the <u>aerial map</u> for the observation area and refer to Mr. Van Iwarden's email for other guidelines.

Not only is it Halloween on Monday but all the students get to enjoy a frosty root beer float for hitting our Jog-a-thon goal! We'd welcome a hand serving the <u>root beer floats</u> if you can!

And if you want to join in on the in-school Halloween fun, a few of our teachers could still use some help with Halloween parties!

# **PTA Community Meeting**

Our next PTA Community Meeting is **Thursday, November 10 at 8:00 AM** in the school. All parents are welcome! Join us for coffee, snacks and to hear what is going on at the school. Get your questions answered and input heard. **Can't make it?** The PTA will host a remote Q/A "open office" session the Tuesday following all in person meeting (link to come soon.)

## **Dining for Dollars - Chipotle - November 14**



Stop into Chipotle on McCaslin on Monday, November 14 between 4:00 - 8:00PM and they will donate a percentage of their proceeds to CCE. Use the code D7YZ8L2 to order online. Click here for additional information.

#### **VOLUNTEERS!**

Wow! We want to send a huge THANK YOU to the 146 people who volunteered already this year for 430 jobs to support our students!

Here are upcoming opportunities to get involved:

- In November, we'll continue our tradition of baking or buying Thankful Pies for the staff.
- Shifts are still available in the classroom and the library.
- And we're looking for a lead volunteer for our Spring Carnival! If you're curious, send us an email.

# Get to know the PTA



Jenn Garcia is the current PTA Vice-President. She has boy/girl twins in the second grade (Camryn and Colby) and a husband. Jenn has a background in Marketing and works as a contract event planner where she plans large-scale events for sponsors of the Super Bowl and Final Four. She loves volunteering at the school especially now that we can volunteer in the classrooms again. You can find her in the second grade hallway on Tuesdays and Fridays. When not at the school she loves playing tennis, eating out, and planning their next family travel adventure!

## **PTA Dollars at Work**

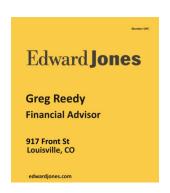
Ever wonder where the money you raise for the school goes? In this new section of the newsletter we'll highlight where the money is used!

Do you sometimes have too many emails to find the school newsletter or you're not on facebook or just don't know where to look? You now have a new way to find out what's happening at school, check out the new bulletin board outside the front entrance of the school for PTA & school announcements.

Another way your money has been used in the last couple months is for conference meals for the teachers, they are working long, extra hours during that time and they so appreciate it!

Finally, the PTA is investing in re-usable decor in order to save costs in future years and cut-down on single use waste (like tablecloths, arches, and signage).

### **CCE Sponsor Spotlight**



My financial practice, located downtown, is focused solely on working with families and businesses in Louisville. As our community rebuilds and begins to move forward many families and friends at Coal Creek Elementary have had to rethink retirement planning, college savings, and other goals to focus on rebuilding homes or businesses. My purpose is to be a resource for all your financial needs and keep the process simple so you can focus on what matters most to you.