



Caring Community Update

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FEDERAL FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH PROGRAM APPLICATIONS IN TODAY'S WEDNESDAY FOLDER.

The application for this year's Federal Free and Reduced Lunch Program is in your child's Wednesday Folder today.

The cost for each meal is

	BREAKFAST	LUNCH
FREE:	FREE	FREE
REDUCED:	30¢	40¢
FULL PAY	\$2.00	\$2.50

Susan Cohen in the main office will be happy to answer your questions about the form and help you fill it out.

This form will also be available on our website, www.nfcsonline.or.

NFCS IS GOING PEANUT FREE EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

In order to provide a safe environment for all of the children in our school, we will become a peanut/nut free school, effective immediately.

We've made this decision because there are many children in our school who have potentially fatal peanut allergies.

We request that your child does not bring any food that contains peanuts to school. This includes peanut butter sandwiches and any snacks containing peanut products (like cookies, granola bars crackers, etc.).

Please see the note from our School Nurse, Mrs. Cantwell in the Wednesday Folder. She will also speak about this in greater detail at Back to School Night.

NFCS Activities

09/21/09 through 09/28/09

- **Monday, September 21st**
Board of Trustees Meeting-6:30 pm
- **Tuesday, September 22nd**
Beginning Band Lessons-During School Hours
- **Wednesday, September 23rd**
Advanced Band Lessons-During School Hours
NFCS Jackets/Sweatshirts Money Due
Advanced Band Practice-3:00 to 3:45 pm
Back to School Night-6 to 8 pm
- **Thursday, September 24th**
- **Friday, September 25th**
6th, 7th & 8th Grade Dance-7 to 9:30 pm
- **Monday, September 28th**
School Closed for Yom Kippur

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT



AND HOME & SCHOOL MEETING

Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:00 pm

Come meet your child's teachers.

Come meet other NFCS families.

Come hear what exciting plans the

Home & School Association has in store

for us this year.

Come be a part of our Caring Community!

SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH FOR THE YOM KIPPUR HOLIDAY.



All Student Absences must be called into the Main Office by 8:30 am.

All Homework requests must be made to the Main Office no later than 8:30 am

The Main Office will not be responsible for passing on any items forgotten by students

No student dismissal changes will be accepted by the Main Office after 2:00 pm.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE HEALTHROOM

Welcome back to school from the nurse's office!

Here are a few important reminders:

- Please be sure to give your child a healthy breakfast to start the school day, Breakfast will be served upon arrival until 8:20 am, but no breakfast will be served in the classrooms. Please remind your child to come in for breakfast upon arrival if they did not eat at home. *However, if they did eat at home, they did eat at home, they should not come inside for another breakfast.* A healthy breakfast is the best way to supply the brain with energy to learn!
- Please see the letter in your child's Wednesday Folder regarding current swine flu recommendations. We will keep you up to date with any developments and are committed to the health and well being of your children while they are here at school. I hope to get into the classrooms this fall to reinforce the best way to prevent illness and the spread of germs is to **WASH THOSE HANDS!**

I look forward to working with you to promote health and wellness in the school community this year!

Cheryl Cantwell, RN, CSN



Home & School Association



NFCS JACKETS/SWEATSHIRT SALE

Orders & money due

Wednesday, September 23rd

HOAGIE SALE BEGINS TODAY

Wednesday, September 16th

Sale ends Friday, September 25th

Delivered on Friday, October 2nd

The hoagies are from Al's...yum!

FALL FLEA MARKET

Saturday, September 19th

Tables still available.

Get the form at www.nfconline.org

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

Wednesday, September 23, 2009

6:00 to 8:00 pm

6TH, 7TH & 8TH GRADE DANCE

Friday, September 25th

Flyers went home in your child's

Wednesday Folder today.

CAR SHOW

Saturday, October 3rd

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Ongoing throughout the year.

6TH, 7TH & 8TH GRADE DANCE

Friday, September 25th

7:00 to 9:30 pm

NFCS Student \$ 2.00

\$2.00 for a Guest

Snacks • Refreshments • Music

INFORMATION FROM THE MUSIC ROOM

- After school Advanced Band Practice will start on Wednesday, September 28th (3 to 3:45 pm)
- After school Beginning Band Practice will start on Tuesday, October 13th (3 to 3:45 pm)
- Advanced Band Lessons (Wednesdays during school hours) and Beginning Band Lessons (Tuesdays during school hours) have already begun.
- The Music program will gladly accept donations of used band instruments and electronic keyboards. All instrument donations will be compensated with volunteer hours.

Thank you, Mrs. Sandhaus

DON'T FORGET ABOUT OUR CANNED FOOD COLLECTION BENEFITING PHILABUNDANCE



Please join us in helping those in need by donating canned food items. All donated items will benefit Philabundance, a regional food bank which helps people in need.

This collection of food will be in conjunction with our students learning about the issue of hunger in Philadelphia.

DON'T FORGET ABOUT SCRIPT

Script is available throughout the year so buy your script today! Remember, for every \$100 of script you buy you earn 1 hour of volunteer time.

Get the scrip form at www.nfconline.org.