**Sunset Heights Principal Notes 8.25.23**

**School Hours 9:00-3:25- No student should be dropped off before 8:50 as there is no supervision outside until that time.**

**Important Dates:**

**Monday, August 28th** -Meet and Greet for Grades 1 – 5 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm.

**Tuesday, August 29th** -The first day of school for Grades 1 – 5

**Friday September 1st** - No school/Labor Day

**Monday September 4th** -No school/Labor Day.

**Thursday, September 28th** -Open House K-2 5:30-6:15 and 3, 4, 5- 6:30-7:15

**21st Century After School Program Pre-Registration:** <https://www.nashua.edu/Page/1748>

**Food Service Update:**

School meals (breakfast and lunch) are **not free for all this year**.  Please fill out a [meal benefit application](https://www.myschoolapps.com/).  We encourage all families to fill the form out to see if they qualify. All families are encouraged to sign up for online payment at [www.myschoolbucks.com.](http://www.myschoolbucks.com)

**PTO News:**

**Cross Country:** In order for the Cross-Country program to be possible this year, we need to have parent volunteers to supervise the practices and races.  The practices are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30pm-5:00pm.  You do not need to run to supervise practices.  You can supervise one day here and there, or weekly if it works for your schedule.  Please sign up for volunteer slots on the volunteer calendar here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B4DAAAA2DA1F85-cross1>

**Chalk the Walk**: In an effort to make a warm welcome for the kids to return to school, PTO will be hosting "Chalk the Walk" on Monday the 28th at 5:30pm (weather permitting).  Families are invited to the school to decorate the sidewalks with chalk welcome messages and pictures. Sidewalk chalk will be provided.

**PTO Facebook page**: If you'd like to keep up to date with school news and announcements from the PTO, join our Facebook group here: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1007591649401705/>

**Volunteers Needed:**

The PTO is searching for parent volunteers to help with various needs and events throughout the year.  Please sign up here if you’re interested. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RVX63HG>