

## **Principal Notes: 9.18.2023**

### **Important Dates:**

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

### **Food Service Update:**

School meals (breakfast and lunch) are ***not free for all this year***. Please fill out a [meal benefit application](#). 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).

### **Coats for Kids Drive:**

Anton's cleaners will be sponsoring a "coats for kids" drive from 10/2/23-1/7/24. Coats of all sizes will be accepted. All donations should be in good condition (free from stains, rips and/or broken zippers). Anton's will dry-clean all coats. Donations can be brought to school and given to Mrs. Thompson. A flyer will be sent home with all students the first week of October.

### **PTO News:**

#### **Spirit Wear:**

Gear up for the school year with Sunset Heights spirit wear! Our back to school sale is running until September 21st. Enjoy a 30% discount across our entire website during the back-to-school sale. With hundreds of designs waiting for you, shop now and get your order in just 10-12 business days! Shop at <https://1stplace.sale/60100>

**Open House Teacher Meal:** PTO organizes a teacher meal during open house and early release days. We are asking for the following items; 6 crockpots with a hearty soup or stew (your choice), crackers, rolls, veggie tray, cookies, napkins, and spoons to provide the teachers dinner at Open House on 9/28. Please use this link to sign up to donate:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0E4AABA922ABFC1-teacher1>

#### **Meet Me at Sunset Picnic:**

On Friday, Sept 22 at 5:30pm, PTO will be hosting the Meet Me at Sunset Picnic behind the school. Bring your family, a picnic blanket, some food, and yard games and come meet some of your Sunset Heights neighbors! PTO will provide water, chips and dessert. Music and craft will also be provided. The event is free to attend, but please RSVP so we bring enough food!

RSVP here: <https://forms.gle/kWMfJXhJhXS8fBUm6>

**Remind app:** As we move into the fall season, the Sunset Heights Elementary School PTO is proud to announce that we have decided to use the Remind app as an additional form of communication.

Remind is a free, secure messaging app. This app will allow the PTO to periodically send out reminders via text message, in addition to communication via our website and social media pages. These quick, simple messages will help you and your student stay up to date on upcoming PTO events, Spiritwear, fundraiser sales, and more! In order to sign up to receive these messages from Sunset Heights PTO please text: **@23Stinger1** to **81010**

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