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Weekly News for Parents  
Shell Elementary School  
Friday, August 16, 2019

**It's a welcome back edition! We are wrapping up an awesome first week of school. We have enjoyed seeing our returning Mustangs and meeting new students! There have been lots of smiles this week.**

Thanks so much to all parents and guardians for your patience this first week as we establish routines with our students and iron out challenges with bus transportation routes. We know that with each passing day, the routine has become more precise.

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**Mark your Calendars! Our Open House Night will be a little different this year with separate times scheduled for primary and intermediate grades.**

***Open House is scheduled for Thursday, 9/12.***

\***K-2 sessions** will be held from 5:00-6:00 (two thirty minute session options; 5-5:30 and 5:30-6).

\***Grades 3-5** Open House will be scheduled from 6:00-7:00 and will start with a whole group general session in the cafeteria. Once this general session concludes, parents will visit classrooms.

### **Coming Events**

**Mon., 9/2**

No school; Labor Day

**Thurs., 9/12**

Open House

**Thurs., 9/19**

Interim Reports go Home

**Mon., 9/23-Fri., 9/27**

Book Fair Week

**Tues., 9/24**

AR Parent Reading Night 6-7

**Wed., 9/25**

Dads Take Your Child to School Day

**Fri., 9/27**

Yankee Candle Fundraiser kickoff

**Sat., 9/28**

5<sup>th</sup> Grade Gator football game fieldtrip



THERE'S A SAYING THAT IT TAKES A VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD... THE ORGANIZATIONS, EDUCATORS, AND LEADERS IN MY COMMUNITY MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR ME TO BE WHERE I AM TODAY.

- TAEJONAE MCKENSIE

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Listen earnestly to anything your children want to tell you, no matter what. If you don't listen eagerly to the little stuff when they are little, they won't tell you the big stuff when they are big, because to them all of it has always been big stuff.

~Catherine M. Wallace~

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