

October 13, 2023

Dear Link Families:

I've noticed that just in the last few days the leaves are really starting to change - and that means we have arrived at the peak time for fall festivals, pumpkin picking, and (soon) Halloween.

All elementary schools in the CCSD are providing a Halloween celebration on October 31, 2023. An email was sent yesterday which provided information on how the day will go (and I will send it again as we get closer to the date).

Many thanks to the PTA for sponsoring the Book Fair this past week, and thank you to the parents who volunteered their time to help out. The students truly enjoyed book shopping! Please check the PTA website for other upcoming events and fundraisers they are planning for Link.

As you plan your calendars, please keep the following in mind:

October 17 - PTA Meeting at 7:00 pm (Zoom format)

October 25 - Picture Day

October 27 - PTA Trunk or Treat

October 31 - Halloween

When I began my role as principal in the Fall of 2020 I realized that Link did not have a mascot. (We had a logo, but not a mascot.) Many people have approached me about this, so it was decided that this year we would choose a mascot for our school. As this is an important process, many stakeholders were involved, and the decision finally came down to the students. We held a ballot vote with the entire student body and with great pride I can announce that we are the...Link Leopards! Watch for some new merchandise to become available for sale so we can proudly display our Link pride and our mascot!

Attached to this email (at the very bottom) is a flyer from BNL - the company that does the school photos. Please review it as it gives information on pre ordering options, etc.

I hope the weather cooperates and you all get a chance to look at the trees this weekend or enjoy other fall events. As an unknown author wrote, "Autumn shows us how beautiful it is to let things go."

As always, thank you for your partnership in the education of our children. Happy Fall!

Mary Bish,  
Principal